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1. FS: MFJ-208 VHF SWR analyzer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401151600.KAA22982@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178811

FS: MFJ-208 VHF SWR analyzer. Great condition. Powered by regular 9 volt battery. Has connector port for frequency coutner. Manual included....$50 not including shipping. Please e-mail me directly.

Brian
speactra291@aol.com

2. FS: Yaesu FT-470 dual band H.T.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401151400.KAA22895@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178812

FS: Yaesu FT-470 dual band handi-talkie. UHF side dead due to unsuccessful frequency expansion modification but VHF side and all other features unaffected. Inlcudes "aa" battery case, drop-in rapid charger, soft case, antenna, belt clip, origional box, and manual.......$240 not including shipping. Please e-mail me directly.

Brian
speactra291@aol.com

3. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim
Message-ID: <5hr882$eb0@newsgate.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 178813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

"Bob Elliot" <ne1r@loa.com> wrote:
>Smoke has the capibility of putting 1meg resistence on components. I
>wonder if this would make the gear run hot and therefore shorting the life?

It's not just the issue of resistance, it's that smoke contains a number of corrosive chemicals, and its residue is hygroscopic (attracts water, in other words), and cigarette ash is a highly abrasive, finely powdered compound that gets in everything and ruins almost everything, like Mount St. Helens volcanic ash. Put together, the smoke residue and the cigarette ash collect every speck of dust within 50 miles, keep itsoaking wet, and let it corrode everything it touches.

I've seen so many electronic devices destroyed by cigarette smoke residue that if I even think a previous owner was a smoker, I cut my offering price by half. That's what smokers do to gear. And in some cases, I will refuse free equipment if it has significant smoke exposure -- and around these parts, I used to have a reputation for hauling off stuff that the metal processor refused!

Here's an example of non-smoke exposure. When I married my wife, she brought an old microwave and VCR into our union. She's a dedicated non-smoker, and a reasonably tidy person. When I had to open these devices for some routine maintenance, I was amazed at the cleanliness of the insides of both. I had to check the date codes on the components to verify the age, and made her produce the receipts. BOTH LOOKED BRAND NEW. No dust, no goo.

And both work perfectly after 10 years of no smoke exposure.

You nicotine junkies need to realize that your smoking destroys electronics over time, the same way it destroys your lungs, your heart, and your health. Besides the annual hundreds or thousands of dollars you send up in smoke, you're also causing hundreds or thousands of dollars' damage to your electronics. And think about this -- you now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems control. If you smoke in your car, you're destroying those electronics too. But like everything else associated with your addiction, I know you'll find a way to rationalize destroying your car, same as your ham shack, your health, and your financial freedom.

FWIW, I am an ex-smoker and I don't have to rationalize my holier-than-thou attitude. There is no rationalization for a clear understanding that tobacco use is wasteful, unhealthy, and offensive. And any excuse you can make that you "can't quit"

is a rationalization -- you CAN quit, and it WILL be very
difficult. Nicotine is more addictive than heroin, perhaps more
addictive than any other commonly available drug on Earth.
And yes, it took me several tries before my will power overcame
my nicotine addiction just before midnight on Dec. 31, 1977.

Jim N6OTQ
And it just now occurred to me that the phonetics I've used
since I got the call -- "Ought To Quit" -- serve as a suggestion
to smokin' hams. Don't you want to live long enough to join QCWA?

4. FS: Four Larsen 5/8 wave UHF antennas.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401151800.KAA23103@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178814

FS: Four Larsen 5/8 wave UHF antennas with spring. Model NMO-UHF. No feed line or mounts....$30 for all or $10 each not including shipping. Please e-mail me directly.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

5. FS: Larsen 1/4 wave UHF antennas.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401152000.KAA23204@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178815

FS: Six Larsen 1/4 wave UHF antennas. The type with the metal whip and chrome base. No feed line or mounts...$30 for all or $8 each not including shipping. Please e-mail me directly.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

6. FS: Motorola H.T. antennas.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401152200.KAA23319@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178816

FS: Two Motorola UHF handi-talkie antennas. One is the long, thin, rubber whip type and the other is a short, fat, rubber-duck. Both have the threaded type connector. Both are in new condition (no bends, cracks, etc.). Please e-mail me directly.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

7. Re: IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve & Iris <slewis@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <334135BE.1E82@netusa1.net>
Source record: 178817

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
------------43A77AAF6FEC0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

STRES TEST wrote:

need parts for a g-800sdx rotor

http://www.yaesu.com/
Good luck.

------------43A77AAF6FEC0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Description: Card for Steve & Iris
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="nsmailD5.TMP"
Content-Type: text/x-vcard; charset=us-ascii; name="nsmailD5.TMP"

BEGIN:VCARD
FN:Steve & Iris
N:;Steve & Iris
EMAIL;INTERNET:slewis@netusa1.net
X-MOZILLA-HTML:T
END:VCARD

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8. $$ WANTED: Hickok 580, Triplett 3344A, RCA WT100 $$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin@UPSCALEaudio.com
Message-ID: <5hrae5$ee9@nnrp1.news.primenet.com>
Source record: 178818

If you have these tube testers...and only these.. please reply

Best Regards,

Kevin Deal Fine Tube Components, Home Theater,
UPSCALE and Vintage Tubes from Telefunken,
Audio/Home Theater/Rare Tubes Mullard, Amperex, etc. Showroom
1410 Lemonwood Dr West Open 7 Days By Appointment.
Upland, CA 91786 (909) 931-9686

9. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <3340E4D2.48A4@atl.org>
Source record: 178819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

It's not just the issue of resistance, it's that cat residue contains a number of corrosive chemicals, and this residue has hygroscopic (attracts
water, in other words), and cat litter is a highly abrasive, finely powdered compound that gets in everything and ruins almost everything, like Mount St. Helens volcanic ash. Put together, the cat residue and the cat litter collect every speck of dust within 50 miles, keep it soaking wet, and let it corrode everything it touches.

I've seen so many electronic devices destroyed by cat residue that if I even think a previous owner owned a cat, I cut my offering price by half. That's what cats do to gear. And in some cases, I will refuse free equipment if it has significant cat exposure -- and around these parts, I used to have a reputation for hauling off stuff that the metal processor refused!

Here's an example of non-cat exposure. When I married my wife, she brought an old vacuum cleaner and Iron into our union. She's a dedicated
non-cat owner, and a reasonably lazy person. When I had to open these devices for some routine maintenance, I was amazed at the cleanliness of the insides of both. I had to check the date codes on the components to verify the age, and made her produce the receipts. BOTH LOOKED BRAND NEW. No dust, no goo.

And both work perfectly after 10 years of no cat exposure.

You cat junkies need to realize that your cat ownership destroys electronics over time, the same way it destroys your lungs, your mice, and your health. Besides the annual hundreds or thousands of dollars you spend up in cat products, you're also causing hundreds or thousands of
dollars' damage to your electronics. And think about this -- you now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems control. If your cat's in your car, you're destroying those electronics too. But like everything else associated with your addiction, I know you'll find a way to rationalize destroying your car, same as your ham shack, your health, and your financial freedom.

FWIW, I am an ex-cat owner and I don't have to rationalize my holier-than-thou attitude. There is no rationalization for a clear understanding that cat ownership is wasteful, unhealthy, and offensive. And any excuse you can make that you "can't quit" is a rationalization -- you CAN quit, and it WILL be very

difficult. Cat ownership is more addictive than heroin, perhaps more addictive than any other commonly available drug on Earth.
And yes, it took me several tries before my will power overcame my cat addiction just before midnight on Guy Fawkes day, 1976.

Bob
wb4mnf

And it just now occurred to me that the phonetics I've used since I got the call -- most nasty felines -- serve as a suggestion to cat owin' hams. Don't you want to live long enough to join QCWA?

PPS the only good cat is prepared with pickled mustard greens and prickle pepper.

10. FS CW STATION IDENTIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka2qep@webspan.net
Message-ID: <5hrcq1$jcu@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 178820

** FoxGap CW Station Identifier **

This unit is great for repeater identification, when your machine is up and running, or when you are down for repair and want to maintain a presence on your frequency. Also it is perfect for beacon use, just add a transmitter. For beacon use it will control your PTT on your FM rig, or key your output in sideband mode.

Features:
* Adjustable CW speed, 5 to 60 words per minute.
* Adjustable code tone, 200 to 1200 Hz.
* 55 character message buffer, plus.
* 55 character alternate message buffer.
* Repeat message time, 1 minute to 24 hours.
* Programmable from your IBM computer.
* Windows 3.1 or Win 95 compatible.
* Adjustable audio output.
* PTT output and Key (or beacon) output.
* Programming cable supplied.
* Small size, 3"L x 1.25"W x .75"H
* Standard 12 volt operation.
* Under 50ma. current consumption.

Programming requirements: IBM or compatible computer with a mouse and one 3.5" HD floppy drive, running Windows 3.1, Win 95, or higher. And a second COMM. port (2,3, or 4).

The FoxGap CW Station Identifier lists for $69.95 For a limited time the intro offer is $50.00 Shipping extra. We can ship UPS COD cash only, MO, or certified check. For further information contact Jim at 610-588-0282
Fax 610-588-0253 Or email n2gkw@epix.net

11. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Johnson <"km7h@gte.net"@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5hrcoq$ef2@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 178821

Larry Gibbs wrote:
>
> Anyone have experience with the Ham Stick HF antennas from
> Lakeview Co.?
>
> Seems they may be broader banded and much less expensive
> than an Outbacker.
>
> Larry, W3UIO

What you gain in bandwidth, you will give up in efficiency.

12. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidosbo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401165700.LAA28951@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178822

Sean,
I'm curious: What about them makes them junk? Is it that they are
not broadband, or that they are inefficient, or that they won't handle
power, or what?
73,
David, N8DO

13. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: timbo <tim_raffety@oxy.com>
Message-ID: <33413909.249D@oxy.com>
Source record: 178823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> You cat junkies need to realize that your cat ownership destroys
> electronics over time, the same way it destroys your lungs, your mice,
> and your health. Besides the annual hundreds or thousands of dollars
> you spend up in cat products, you're also causing hundreds or thousands
> of
> dollars' damage to your electronics. And think about this -- you
> now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems
> control. If your cat's in your car, you're destroying those
> electronics too. But like everything else associated with your
> addiction, I know you'll find a way to rationalize destroying
> your car, same as your ham shack, your health, and your financial
> freedom.
>
> FWIW, I am an ex-cat owner and I don't have to rationalize my
> holier-than-thou attitude. There is no rationalization for a
> clear understanding that cat ownership is wasteful, unhealthy,
> and offensive. And any excuse you can make that you "can't quit"
> is a rationalization -- you CAN quit, and it WILL be very
> difficult. Cat ownership is more addictive than heroin, perhaps more
> addictive than any other commonly available drug on Earth.
> And yes, it took me several tries before my will power overcame
> my cat addiction just before midnight on Guy Fawkes day, 1976.
>
> Bob
> wb4mnfI agree! I was once an owner of these useless vermin but after going
through a 12 step program I know see the error of my ways. Cats are only
good for stir-fry and nothing else.

14. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: timbo <tim_raffety@oxy.com>
Message-ID: <334137DC.30CD@oxy.com>
Source record: 178824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Jerry Gardner wrote:
>
> On Fri, 28 Mar 1997 03:28:04 GMT, dnorris@k7no.com (38982) wrote:
>
> >You have the right to do what you want so long as it does not encroach
> >on my freedom. Or is that only for cause worshippers?
>
> In general I agree with you on this, but smoking in a public place,
> such as a restaurant, encroaches on my right to breath clean air.
>
> --
> Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
> (w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

So does smelling your fart that you let slide out so nonchalantly with a big smile on your face after eating your dinner. I've seen guys like that sitting next to me when I am out at a nice place and I am trying to finish my meal and I just want to puke all over the damn place. Just because you cup your hand and fart in it just to smell your own farts doesn't mean others like them.

God please help us...give us a break!!

15. Need help finding Ramsey Dealer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cookt@ouvaxa.cats.ohiou.edu
Message-ID: <E7yn0t.AEG@boss.cs.ohiou.edu>
Source record: 178825

I would like to find a full line Ramsey dealer so I can buy
a Tickle Stick. Can you help? tcook1@ohiou.edu Tim

16. FS: Opto DC-440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <5hrfsj$3lq$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 178826
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.forsale

For Sale:

Optoelectronics DC-440 Tone Decoder.

-Decodes and displays DTMF, DCS, and CTCSS tones
on it's EL Backlit LCD Screen

-CI-V computer interface port for downloading of data.

-Does not require a computer to operate.

-Includes Internal NiCAD Battery pack for portable operation.

I'm selling it because I purchased an OS535 and don't need
it anymore.

I'm asking $200 shipped COD inside the US, Please e-mail
me at mwaldron@ohio.net or call me at (216) 322-6279.

17. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: billv21572@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401171700.MAA00294@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178827

In article <3340E4D2.48A4@atl.org>, BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org> writes:

> And think about this -- you
>now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems
>control. If your cat's in your car, you're destroying those
>electronics too.

Thankfully, my cat doesn't drive.....yet.

Bill KI0HL

P.S. Hey Bob - my cat "Kitters" is wavin' his paw at you!!!

Bill Vanstralen KI0HL St. Paul, MN (612) 688-2552 billv21572@aol.com

18. Re: Kits for phase-3D?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@ke4zv.atl.ga.us
Message-ID: <1997Apr1.154510.26891@ke4zv.atl.ga.us>
Source record: 178828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <32cb5626.9989153@news.ccnet.com> w6uv@ccnet.com writes:
>On Sat, 28 Dec 1996 22:26:44 GMT, gary@ke4zv.atl.ga.us (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>>You'll need a pair of steerable yagis or helixes, for mode U/V. You can
>>build these yourself and save a bunch of money. When the sat is near apogee,
>>it hangs in virtually the same spot in the sky for long periods, so you can
>>aim the antennas by hand, no need for auto-tracking, or even for rotators.
>>The antennas don't have to be very high off the ground, since they are
>>looking up. You can use a tripod or post mount and turn them directly
>>by hand as needed. The antennas can be made from a length of 2x2 and use
>>aluminum clothesline wire for elements. There are a number of antenna
>>programs available on the net which can optimize the design for you.
>
>I thought the P3D antenna gain and power output was high enough to
>allow the use of omni antennas on the ground. Is this not true?

Wow, been digging in the archives. eh? P3D has a 10x larger power
budget than AO10 or AO13, but I think you'd be hard pressed to work
it using omni antennas when it is at apogee. I understand that it
is planned to be active on more than one mode at once, so the larger
power budget will be shared across more than one transponder at a
time. And while greater output power will make it somewhat easier
to hear, extra power supply at the satellite doesn't make it hear
you any better.

It is supposed to be 3-axis stablized, so squint angles shouldn't
be as much of a problem as they are for AO10, and were for AO13,
but I don't think that will be sufficient to allow you to work
it without a steerable gain antenna at your station. (At perigee,
of course, it should be possible to work it with an omni, but it
won't dwell at perigee long, and coverage will be much less than
when it is at apogee and a whole hemisphere will be in its footprint.)

It shouldn't take quite as elaborate an antenna system to work
P3D as it does to work AO10 (or did to work AO13). Fairly compact
beams should suffice. You shouldn't need anything like the 22 el
2m and 40 el 70cm long boom antennas I'm using for AO10. An 8 el 2m
and a 16 el 70cm antenna should do nicely (that's for CP, halve the
number of elements for linear polarization). That's a boom length
on the order of 6 feet. If you're running a good amp and have a
good mast mounted preamp, you might get away with even smaller
antennas, say a nested quad backed by a reflector screen (but
with decent antennas you shouldn't need to run an amp at all).

You shouldn't have any trouble setting up a workable antenna system
on a patio or balcony. You can cheaply build the antennas needed.
And as I noted in my original post, you can hand steer the antennas
as long as you aren't trying to work perigee passes. The molynia orbit
has a very long dwell at apogee so you don't have to reposition very
often.

The real digital action may be up at S band, and the needed antenna
for that can be quite small. A 1 to 1.5 meter dish should be plenty,
and that's easily handled on a tripod. You might even be able to
dual feed it and use it at L band as well. If not, a modest loop
yagi will do for L band. (I'll be using my 12 foot dish, because
I already have it, but I'm going to have to throttle power *way*
back to avoid being too strong at the satellite.)

P3D is going to be much easier to work than our previous molynia
orbit birds, but don't expect to work it at apogee with a microsat
class station. You'll want a receive antenna with a narrow enough
beamwidth to keep the warm Earth from affecting system noise
temperature (otherwise a low noise preamp will do you no good),
and you'll want a transmit antenna with enough gain to avoid having
to run an external amp. With my current setup, I expect to be using
less than 2-10 watts uplink power for mode U/V (the higher power may
be needed to burn through the treeline for near horizon passes). With
lesser antennas, you may need 25-45 watts uplink power.

The receive setup is really the key, however, as it always is with
satellites. You simply *must* have enough directivity to let the
antenna look at the cold sky. Otherwise system noise temperature
will be limited by the warm Earth, and you won't be able to compensate
by adding more preamplification. An antenna with a 3 db beamwidth of
22 degrees, and a good F/B ratio, should suffice for high passes.
A narrower beam will be needed for near horizon passes.

Gary
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Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it, | Due to provider problems
Destructive Testing Systems | we break it. | with previous uucp addresses
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed! | Email to ke4zv@radio.org
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | |

19. dual band 2mtr/440 opinions needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4hwlken@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3340F593.1BDC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178829

I am looking for a 2 meter/440 mobile rig. I am planning on using it to crossband from a 440 ht to 2 meters. The dual band rig will be in the car while I am out hiking or fishing and I will use it to get a better signal back into local repeters than I could from a 2 meter ht. I considering and Alinco al-610,a kenwood tmv7a, or an Icom 2710. The dual band needs to be able to be remotely controlled (change freq. ect) from the 440 ht keypad. Any suggestions ,opinions,or experience whit this would be appreciated.

Thanks
Ken Tenpenny
e-mail N4HWlKen@worldnet.att.net

20. Wanted:Chrome Bencher Iambic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ml0589@cc.utah.edu
Message-ID: <5hrf35hmh1@news.cc.utah.edu>
Source record: 178830

Wanted:by2 Bencher Chrome Iambic Paddle

21. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: shnews@laser.net
Message-ID: <334146df.10284153@news1.laser.net>
Source record: 178831

On 1 Apr 1997 16:57:32 GMT, davidosbo@aol.com (DavidOsbo) wrote:

>Sean,
> I'm curious: What about them makes them junk? Is it that they are
>not broadband, or that they are inefficient, or that they won't handle
>power, or what?
>73,
>David, N8DO

I found them very inefficient. I tried them with both a tripod
mag-mount and a trailer tongue and it was about the same. 100 watts
in; maybe 35 watts out. For 10-15-20, they're not bad, but 40-160 is
a waste of money. I always thought HF mobile was like trying to put
a square peg in a round hole, anyway. No whip will give you much in
terms of bandwidth, and efficiency seems to relate to frequency with
hamstick-type antennas. Though the big screwdrivers are ominous
looking, they DO seem to work well, and actually get out on 40-75-80.

I've heard mixed reviews about the Outbacker line. Again; if you're
working high bands, no problem. But below 40 is like trying to
squeeze marzipan through cheesecloth.

Ironically, the Hustler wide-band resonators seem to work fairly well.
Maybe it's the center loading. QST did a mobile antenna test about a
year ago. The tunable screwdrivers won, hands down, but the Hustler
was next in efficiency, with the hamsticks at the bottom of the list.
I guess nothing beats a full-wave dipole. After my experiments with
HF mobile, I keep my rig at home.

73/sean hall
w1swh

22. Re: "Satellite Operators Unite!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <3341499C.632C@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 178832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Al Gerheim wrote:
>
> Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
> >
> > Satellite users, Amsat-NA needs donations to complete and launch the Phase 3D
> > satellite. Your donations are tax deductable. See http://www.amsat.org
> >
>
> I have never worked an AMSAT satellite because the gear required costs
> too much. I work only RS-10, RS-12, and RS-15. When AMSAT puts up
> a bird I can use, I won't be cheap.

Personally, I can't financially support ANY organization that insists
on using inferior product. I am speaking about the Ariane 5 launch
vehicle. The first one blew up, and the others that had space on
the second launch pulled-out. One would think that Amsat would have
learned over the years that the ESA does not have the world's best
reliability for launch vehicles (anybody remember the early Oscars?
The ones that were lost because the launch vehicle - Ariane - went
into submarine mode?). I know where of I speak, having worked in
the satellite business (RCA and it's successors) for the last 13+
years. When they see the light and use another launch vehicle, THEN
I'll support them (Amsat).
Jack
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
ARRL - N2MPU
NRA & NRA-ILA

23. Re: Kits for phase-3D?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rob@pe1chl
Message-ID: <E7z42x.G4p@pe1chl>
Source record: 178833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space

In <32cb5626.9989153@news.ccnet.com> w6uv@ccnet.com (Jerry Gardner) writes:

>I thought the P3D antenna gain and power output was high enough to
>allow the use of omni antennas on the ground. Is this not true?

Traditionally, there has always been a 10dB discrepancy between
"AMSAT-promised minimum ERP" and realistic minimum ERP. This, of course,
mostly was because of the AGC action caused by alligator stations,
and on P3D the situation might be better because of the countermeasures.

Of course, directional antennas are always better because they help to
reduce noise as well. You can compensate the gain you get from the
antennas by using less output power.

Rob
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+----------------------------------+--+
| Rob Janssen pe1chl@amsat.org | WWWhome: http://www.pe1chl.demon.nl/ |
| AMPRnet: rob@pe1chl.ampr.org | AX.25 BBS: PE1CHL@PI8WNO.#UTR.NLD.EU |
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24. Req: Alinco DR-592T Mod's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas E. Brown" <tebrown@internetmci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc3ee4$b5cce160$270737a6@tom>
Source record: 178834

Does anyone know where I can get the mod's for my Alinco DR-592T Moble - I would like to be able to open up the 70cm band down to 435mhz xtm. I have heard it can be done but until recently I have not pursued the info. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thx, Tom Brown
N0URG

25. Re: Nickel Metal Hydride vs NiCd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl W Behrens <cwb@norden1.com>
Message-ID: <33417E49.4002@norden1.com>
Source record: 178835

Peter Gottlieb wrote:
>
> Mike A. Frye <mafrye01@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
> <5hfdsa$342@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>...
> > Howdy, In my experience, Motorola's NiMH batts SUCK! If I get 6mo out
> > of them I feel lucky.
>
> Hmmm. I thought it was something I did; mine are all dead after exactly 1
> year,
> died sudden deaths, as if on an electronic timer.
>
> Trouble is, where else can I get slim Visar batteries?
>
> I also noticed that in general, NiNH batteries do much poorer in the cold
> than the NiCds do.
>
> ...Peter
I've heard that NiMH cells have a life of about 100 charge/discharge
cycles vs. 300 cycles for NiCd cells.

FWIW

73 de N8ZMV

26. Reduced: 38.4K wireless modems for sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: joshin@cats.ucsc.edu
Message-ID: <5hrupd$l0r@darkstar.ucsc.edu>
Source record: 178836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,scruz.market,ba.market.computers

Had lots of nibbles and a few offers that didn't pan out so I'm going to drop the price for a quick sale. New price is $850obo or trade for equivalent in new toys.

-Josh

Hi,

I have a pair of long range wireless radio modems that I'd like to trade (or sell) for either Ham or shortwave equipment. They were partial payment for a contracting job I had and I don't have much use for them. Though, it was fun to play on the net from the beach 1.5 miles away (connected through a unix server).

They are the GRE Gina 6000N spread-spectrum radio's and full specs for them can be found at "http://www.greamerica.com/6000n.html". I also have 50' of low loss cable (can't remember the designation) and a yagi antenna with 6db of gain.

The radio modems have a communications speed of 38.4Kbps full duplex with an airspeed of 128kbps. They are spread-spectrum in the 900mhz band so no license is required.

I'd like $1000 cash or equivalent in trade. The modems retail for >$700 each according to GRE. I just want to recoup my losses from the failed contract job.

I'm looking for ham radio equipment, scanners, and shortwave radios (AOR8000, Icom 725, and similar). Micro- power FM broadcasting equipment is also entertaining as is any cool electronic stuff... :-)

-Josh
joshin@cats.ucsc.edu
(408)222-7005

27. Opinions on Icom IC-706 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: km4ja@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401182701.NAA04895@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178837

I am thinking of purchasing an Icom IC706 xcvr to replace the Kenwood TS-50 AND Alinco Dr-130 that was stolen out of my vehicle. I like the fact that the face plate is detachable and thus can be hidden. What are your opinions pros and cons that I can use my insurance money to the best advantage.

I have been told the IC-706 is a "Technician's radio" what do you think.

If possible please e-mail direct

Harvey, KM4JA
Km4ja@aol.com

28. HTX-100 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <varpenns@usaor.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3ee6$908b9c00$528794ce@micron>
Source record: 178838

Does anyone know where I can find any information about modifications or any general information on the HTX-100 (10 meter transceiver)? If you know of any, please let me know via email. My email address is as follows: varpenns@usaor.net

Thank in advance,

Don
email: varpenns@usaor.net

29. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <5hrv7f$3gb@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 178839

>I haven't been following this thread closely, but...

>Isn't Radio Shack the place less than 5 miles from your house where you
>can buy something and then return it 30 days later, for no good reason,
>and get a complete refund? I thought so. Try that stunt at <add
>favorite mail-order Ham store here>.

True, but I prefer a place that actually knows about their
equipment, instead of one that always says "Well, I think..." or
"Uhh..I'm sure it does...," etc. when you ask them something. Rat
Shack might not be that way where you live, but it sure is where I
live! That's why I don't waste my time or spend any money with them.
Basically, it all comes down to personal opinions. I prefer a place
that has excellent service and knowledge about their products,
regardless if they have a good 30 day return policy or not. Afterall,
it's my money I'm spending, and my soon-to-be new toy! :)
73,
Brian, N5ZGT

Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
Eagle Scout (12-6-96) ARRL QRP: NorCal# 1700 QRP-L# 580 AK/QRP # 125
JASM - Troop 41 Author of Worldradio's "Youth Forum" Column
Albuquerque, N.M. Packet: N5ZGT @ KC5IZT.ALBQ.NM.USA.NOAM
O.A. Lodge 66 <-W-W-W-<< Internet: n5zgt@swcp.com
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30. Re: WANTED: KENWOOD REPAIR RECOMMEND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Thompson [KB5CNG]" <thompson@ionet.net>
Message-ID: <33417541.6EE7@ionet.net>
Source record: 178840

Brian Maynard wrote:
>
> My TS-251A HT lost its audio section, probably the soda the second
> harmonic poured over it. Can anyone recommend a good Kenwood repair
> outfit? Price and good work are more important than SPEED! tnx es 73,
> Brian, K1NW

Brian, try:

Kennwood U.S.A Corperation
Amateur Radio Service Dept.
2201 E. Dominguez st.
Long Beach,CA. 90810-5745
1-310-639-9000

73 de Bo KB5CNG
<thompson@ionet.net>

31. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <334156D5.2DC0@notify1.com>
Source record: 178841

> Paul Larson wrote:
> >That seems reasonable, because the instant that you walk out of the Rat
> >Shack store with your shiny new appliance, it will be worth atleast $100
> >less than what you paid five minutes earlier.
> >
> >P.L.

I haven't been following this thread closely, but...

Isn't Radio Shack the place less than 5 miles from your house where you
can buy something and then return it 30 days later, for no good reason,
and get a complete refund? I thought so. Try that stunt at <add
favorite mail-order Ham store here>.

-Ken

32. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: billv21572@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401222300.RAA19673@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178842

In article <3340E4D2.48A4@atl.org>, BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org> writes:

> And think about this -- you
>now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems
>control. If your cat's in your car, you're destroying those
>electronics too.

Thankfully, my cat doesn't drive.....yet.

Bill KI0HL

P.S. Hey Bob - my cat "Kitters" is wavin' his paw at you!!!

Bill Vanstralen KI0HL St. Paul, MN (612) 688-2552 billv21572@aol.com

33. Re: Fuel Pump RF Noise in 50 MHz 2-way Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3ab@ptdprolog.net
Message-ID: <3343948a.1480643@news.ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 178843
Cross-posted to: rec.autos.makers.saturn,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 29 Mar 1997 02:34:16 GMT, kn4aq.gary@mms.net (Gary Pearce)
wrote:

>
>I just installed a 50 MHz amateur radio in my 1992 Saturn SL2, and
>discovered that something is making a lot of racket in that frequency band.
>(146 MHz and 440 MHz are quiet, as is the AM and FM broadcast radio).
>
>I suspect the fuel pump. The noise starts when I turn the key one notch,
>before the engine starts. It lasts for a few seconds, while the fuel pump
>is running, and then stops. Then, I start the engine, and the noise is
>back. It is strong enough to interfere with all but the strongest signals.
>
>Has anyone cured this noise? Does anyone know if Saturn has a cure?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Gary KN4AQ
>kn4aq.gary@mms.net
>
Gary, there have been many posts over the past few months regarding
fuel pump noise in a number of different vehicles. I had the same
problem with my 93 Dodge Caravan. I was using a glass mount antenna
and the noise from the fuel pump made 2 meter reception marginal at
best. My solution was to install a roof mount antenna. I tried a
mag-mount first which was fine, then I got brave and drilled the
famous hole in the roof. I realize this didn't eliminate the problem
at the source, but the relocation of the antenna gave me the isolation
I needed from the fuel pump.

I have seen posts from others about installing capacitors, etc. I
don't know if this has been a cure for others. You may want to try a
different antenna location (if possible) as a quick alternative.

John N3AB

34. Re: ? Standard's C5900DA tribander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: donwsuz@mail.pacifier.com
Message-ID: <5hs6u1$n6f$1@news.pacifier.com>
Source record: 178844

In article <333F1F21.47F5@notso.net>, 5560@notso.net says...
>
>Howdy:
> I am thinking on spending some hard earned cash on the Standard
C5900DA
>tribander. The review in QST remarked that the transmitted audio sounded
>a little restricted. Can any one with a good ear and some experience
>with this rig please reply on this matter? Thanks! Nelson.

I got one a few weeks ago and haven't any comments except one on 6 mtrs
regarding poor audio which was corrected when I got my face in the mic
more. So far I like it and certainly has many great features.

Don
KC7SEA

35. Re: SEEKING ATLAS 210 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33416244.66E8@hevanet.com>
Source record: 178845

J. Limber wrote:

I added a simple schottky diode clipper to
> my if output to limit modulation peaks and I always had contacts on the road.
K9ZAT

The radio already has alc. Where did you add the diode clipper?
Details please.
miker

36. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <wa8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <3341CD9E.5F93@kellnet.com>
Source record: 178846

Brian Mileshosky, N5ZGT wrote:
>
> >I haven't been following this thread closely, but...
>
> >Isn't Radio Shack the place less than 5 miles from your house where you
> >can buy something and then return it 30 days later, for no good reason,
> >and get a complete refund? I thought so. Try that stunt at <add
> >favorite mail-order Ham store here>.
>
> True, but I prefer a place that actually knows about their
> equipment, instead of one that always says "Well, I think..." or
> "Uhh..I'm sure it does...," etc. when you ask them something.

***** I personally would rather have them say "I don't know....." than
tell me things that are not exactly true.

In the past, I have gone to a large Ham Radio Dealer, and was told that
the Kenwood 2MTR FM radio they were pushing was as good as the the Icom
IC-25A I was interested in. Bullshit! It was nowhere near the IC-25A
in any way. Found this out after "I bought it I was stuck with it".....

Hey! They were not even prepared to put the radios on a power supply or
antenna.

A few years later, I bought a Kenjunk 731-A dual band rig because it was
as good as the IC-2400A by Icom, but a lot less expensive. By the time
the smoke cleared, I spent about $125 more than if I had just insisted
on the IC-2400A. Different dealer, different salesman, same crappy
results. (The IC-2400A still performs well in my shack)

Oh, BTW, neither store was a Radio Shack, but a real genuine ham radio
store run by hams and staffed with hams. So whats your point?

.
> Basically, it all comes down to personal opinions. I prefer a place
> that has excellent service and knowledge about their products,
> regardless if they have a good 30 day return policy or not.

Afterall,
> it's my money I'm spending, and my soon-to-be new toy! :)

***** I have to agree with this point.....

> 73,
> Brian, N5ZGT
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>

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>
> ____
73,
Bob
--
<> Bob Sull WA8IMO <>
"73, CUL, es keep the FUN in Ham radio."
>Life Member-ARRL QCWA< >Member-NODXA NCDXF<
>DXCC WAS RCC < >8P9BC<
>QSL Mgr for 8P6JG<
>WA8IMO@W8IZ.#NEOH.OH.USA<
>WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM<

Bob Sull
"Take only photographs, leave only footprints."
==========
WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM

37. Re: IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3340D2D6.3B2B@concentric.net>
Source record: 178847

STRES TEST wrote:
>
> need parts for a g-800sdx rotor

Yes there is but i don't remember of their being anything mentioned about rotors though. Why not go to your nearest Ham Radio Dealer. I bought a new lower clamp casting for my G-800SDX after my grandson used his well developed arms to overtighten the bolts and snapped the casting, i had it within 12 days.

Bill WA8INZ

38. Re: WTB: IC900/IC901 band units

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <3341A285.74A8@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 178848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

tim wrote:
>
> Ron Curry wrote:
> >
> > Yes, they are getting old and didn't sell very many so there are not many
> > around. As far as being "good as gold" they are useful for use as remote
>
> I really really WTB a UX-59 [6M] Mod add-on Icon 901 , wish Icom could
> be convinced to make more ...there is a fairly high demand..ie ..people
> looking for modules...
>
> Tim N9JTF
Hey, how about if we all storm Icom with email to get these back into a
limited production. Oh, and as far as the Kenwood 7xx series, or for
that matter, any kenwood, they don't have a narrow front end and don't
hold up good in a repeater environment as a remote base (at least not as
good as the Icom band units!)

Andy

39. TEN TEC PARAGON II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.FRALEY" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <3341B036.71E2@planetc.com>
Source record: 178849

DOES ANYONE HAVE THE MARS CAPS MOD FOR THIS RIG?I HAVE OWNED ONE FOR A COUPLE OF YEARS,BUT CAN FIND VERY LITTLE ABOUT IT.ANY INFO WILL BE HELPFUL! THANKS RODNEY KE4NWI

40. yaesu ft900 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard LANDRAUD F1ULK <101730.2444@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5hrpgl$7e1$1@mhade.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 178850
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

73 dears om's
I am looking for mods to extend tx/rx of my ft900 ?
Thanks!
From F1ULK
France

41. **FOR SALE ICOM 761 HF RIG**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr.Grafenberg" <drg@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3341C4AA.2522@flash.net>
Source record: 178851

Icom 761 HF rig for sale.Very good shape,a couple of small scratches on top but face is in real nice.I have the manual but no mic.I do have a Heil mic cord if interested.$1000.00 US dollars and will split the shipping.

Dave N5SNB drg@flash.net

42. Re: NEW RANGER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Montbach/Bartlett <caspar@tiac.net>
Message-ID: <3341C4D8.1A24@tiac.net>
Source record: 178852

Ray W. wrote:
>
> Christoper W. (Chris) Boone wrote:
> >
> > KB9KHM wrote:
> > > >
> > > > 480 channel, 12 bands, freq. coverage from 24.265 - 29.665
> > > >
> > > Obviously another piece of crap targeted at the CB/Freeband market.
> > > The people at Ranger Communications should be taken out and shot!
> > >
> > Hmm, 480 "channels" divided by 12 bands = 40 CHANNELS!!!
> > Gee how convenient! :)
> > Shooting's too good for THEM!!!
> > >
> > > >
> > > --
> > > Mark <KB9KHM>
> > >
> > 73
> > Chris
> > WB5ITT
> > EX KDO-2700 back in the legit CB days!
>
> Better yet, go to their website and look closely at the URL for the
> 2950...
>
> http://www.ranger-inc.com/
>
> Click on products, then 2950...
>
> Says alot, doesn't it...
>
> 73
>
> Ray

I know. I looked at the ts 5010 in the santa fe distributors catalog in the "amateur" listings. Display read out at 26.455, sheesh. 73, Will, N1PXA

43. Re: Drake Remote VFO RV4 forsale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5hrsu5$1qu@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 178853

Item has been sold, thanks to all.

44. Re: Kenwood filter YK88C for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5hrssk$1qu@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 178854

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Filter has been sold, thanks to all
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45. Re: FT-50R Freeband Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Cave <joncave@xroadstx.com>
Message-ID: <33414108.46CF@xroadstx.com>
Source record: 178855

Mark Grandstaff wrote:
>
> O.K. I read through all the info on mods for the FT-50R and am more
> confused than ever.
>
> My goal is to get expanded transmit and expanded receive (freeband)
> operation.
>
> I have a newer model (SN begins 6L12) so I realize that "pulling the
> plug" won't work to achieve freeband. I assume that the expanded Tx
> MARS/CAP mod of unsoldering the jumper #1 will work though. In an
> article submitted by E. Scott Sykes in addition to the jumper
> modification he suggests unsoldering the resister at location "A" to
> achieve a freeband state. Is this part of the "pulling the plug
> method"? What is the purpose of this resister? Is this recommended with
> the newer radios?
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> It looks as though my best option to get to the freeband state is to
> first do the MARS/CAP mod as described by Bill Childers (unsolder jumper
> #1) then follow the software suggestions outlined by Ingra-Beton
> (3/26/97). Any comments?
>
> Also about all those antenna suggestions... I'm leaning towards the
> Standard C508 replacement antenna or the Icom FA-S270 My goal is get an
> antenna that works on the ham bands and in the MARS/CAP frequencies and
> is hopefully a little shorter than the stock one .
>
> --
> Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net
The little Icom antenna works better on the 440-470 mhz range than the
factory or the Commet SMA. However, that is the only place it works
better. The Commet works better in the 800 band than the factory or the
ICOM. The Commet is the best all around antenna. However, I do use the
little ICOM sometimes when I monitor my UHF channel.

46. 2 Meter Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Henry <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3341872E.2CC5@flash.net>
Source record: 178856

I'm looking for info on 2 Meter repeaters. Whats the best setup, radio, antenna, phone patch and etc. Please help with any info of where I can find the info.

Thanks

kc5zrr

47. FT-50R Freeband Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net>
Message-ID: <3341E502.13A4@bmi.net>
Source record: 178857

O.K. I read through all the info on mods for the FT-50R and am more confused than ever.

My goal is to get expanded transmit and expanded receive (freeband) operation.

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--
Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

48. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3341815C.458F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178858

Kenneth M Gianino wrote:
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> > Paul Larson wrote:
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> > >Shack store with your shiny new appliance, it will be worth atleast $100
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> > >
> > >P.L.
>
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> can buy something and then return it 30 days later, for no good reason,
> and get a complete refund? I thought so. Try that stunt at <add
> favorite mail-order Ham store here>.
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> -Ken
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the poor return policy by all the Ham Dealers. Their policy is "You
bought, Now you are stuck with it"!!

49. FT-50R mods????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net>
Message-ID: <33420113.21D2@bmi.net>
Source record: 178859

I tried to post this earlier but we are having difficulties with the news server . If this is a double please forgive.

O.K. I read through all the info on mods for the FT-50R and am more confused than ever.

My goal is to get expanded transmit and expanded receive (freeband) operation.

I have a newer model (SN begins 6L12) so I realize that "pulling the plug" won't work to achieve freeband. I assume that the expanded Tx MARS/CAP mod of unsoldering the jumper #1 will work though. In an article submitted by E. Scott Sykes in addition to the jumper modification he suggests unsoldering the resister at location "A" to achieve a freeband state. Is this part of the "pulling the plug method"? What is the purpose of this resister? Is this recommended with the newer radios?

It looks as though my best option to get to the freeband state is to first do the MARS/CAP mod as described by Bill Childers (unsolder jumper #1) then follow the software suggestions outlined by Ingra-Beton (3/26/97). Any comments?

Also about all those antenna suggestions... I'm leaning towards the Standard C508 replacement antenna or the Icom FA-S270 My goal is get an antenna that works on the ham bands and in the MARS/CAP frequencies and is hopefully a little shorter than the stock one .

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Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

50. --> WANT TO BUY: HT 2M/440 & Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clark <clark8@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33419A78.39B5@pacbell.net>
Source record: 178860

I'm looking for a newer model (no crystal please) handheld 2m or 440 or dual band. Also an broadband scanner, small size or handheld preferred. Must be in good working condition.

/Clark

51. Re: FT-50R size

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo1@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <334076c6.12074046@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178872

ka6bpq@aol.com (KA6BPQ) wrote:

:Mark,
:
:I have both the FT50-R and the larger FNB-40 battery for 5w operation. It
:doesn't make the radio taller or wider but about a 1/2" deeper. I don't
:find the difference that noticable when holding the radio.
:
:Perry - W6AUN

Sorry, but according to the manual the FNB-40 will only give a max of
2.8 watts on VHF and 2.0 watts on UHF, and it is the smallest battery
you can get for the unit. The FT50-R requires 9.6 volts for 5 watts
and the FNB-40 battery is a 6 volt unit.

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Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
Responses to my article are welcome.

52. Re: How do you tell UHF from VHF Micor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo1@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33407559.11709561@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178873

If it is in the range of 30 to 300 Mhz it is VHF. If it is in the range of 300 to 3000 Mhz it is UHF.

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Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
Responses to my article are welcome.

53. FS: AEA PK232 MBX WITH THE LATEST AND THE GREATEST FIRMWARE!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: timber@megalink.net
Message-ID: <5hpnki$qg2@news.megalink.net>
Source record: 178874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio

HI THERE I HAV E FOR SALE ONE AEA PK232MBX
MULTIMODE CONTROLLER IN EXCELLENT SHAPE AND WORKING CONDITION COMES
WITH PAPERWORK/MANUAL/ORIGINAL CARTON TOO!
I AM ASKING 190.00 PLUS SHIPPING

INTEREST SEND REPLIES TO : TIMBER@MEGALINK.NET
THANKS ALOT
MIKE

54. Re: TM-V7A Owner's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5hpock$7he@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178875

I called Kenwood today 310-639-5300 Press 2 then 6 to get a human (unless you care to hear the computer tell you what a fucking vlaued customer you are).

I was told the TMV-7 like the 733 has an "open mike" as far as DTMF goes. It hears and reacts to DTMF (or anything like DTMF like my girlfriends voice).

This is due to some obscure feature that is not even listed in the manual. The feature is used in Japan to hold the mike open like an intercom (what are those Japaneese up to?).

But Kenwood decided to sell the radio as is to the Yanks so any beeping or booping will cause the radio to act like it has Saint Vitus Dance if you have DTMF control activated.

The guy (obviously embarassed by his companys ass backwards thinking) says I can send the mike back and Kenwood will solder on a transistor to end this problem. He promised to return the mike within 5 days of getting it.

He also offered to send me a transistor for my very own to solder on myself.

Why these knuckleheads did not have courtesy to do this when they made the unit is beyond me.

This is a nice radio other than this nusisance.

55. Re: TEKTRONIX SCOPE FOR ONLY $49. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5hpm1podd1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 178876
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"John R. Zeigler." <johnz@microz.com> wrote:

>jc17fl@aol.com wrote:
>>
>> Yes, it is true. I have a Tektronix Scope (Tektronix 604 Monitor) up for
>> auction at ebay and the highest bid so far is just the opening bid of
>> $49.99 Seems like a shame, but I guess somebody is going to get a real
>> Tektronix scope for only $49.99
>>
>> To see the details or make a bid go to the web site at:
>>
>> http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=tjc33508
>>
>> Joseph.
>>
>> ---------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

>First off this isn't an oscilloscope. Its an x-y monitor without a
>calibrated timebase etc. If you are looking for an oscilloscope, this
>isn't it. These were usually incorporated into oem equipment which
>provided x and y axis scaling.

>John R. Zeigler

Plus, even if it WAS a Tek o'scope, the $49 is just the opening bid in
an auction that could easily be open for weeks.

Joseph, if you are going to advertise, fine. Please don't use these
greasy tactics to insinuate that "YOU TOO can get a Tek oscilloscope
for $49", or that it would "be a shame if Joe Blow got it and you
didn't". You are insulting the intelligence of most of us here with
posts like this.

It is an auction, not a sale. The best tactic on the eBay auctions is
to note the closing time and date, and be ON-LINE to duke it out AT
THAT TIME until the bidding is closed. Any bids weeks prior to close
are simply testing the water and no indication of final bid or sales
price.

Steve

56. Re: FT-50R size

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5hpoft$7he@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178877

NIMA makes a Nickle Hydride battery that gives you 900ma rather than 650ma
on the Yeasu.

Stephen Mandich <VKHD16A@prodigy.com> wrote:
: The FNB-41 is slightly thicker, but well worth it because you get full
: power. You can also drop the power and make it last longer. This past
: Sat, saw a couple venders selling new FNB-41 batteries for $30 to $40 at
: the TRW swap meet. I got one barely used last month for $25.

: Steve

57. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com
Message-ID: <33406580.107210540@news.ccnet.com>
Source record: 178878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 28 Mar 1997 03:28:04 GMT, dnorris@k7no.com (38982) wrote:

>You have the right to do what you want so long as it does not encroach
>on my freedom. Or is that only for cause worshippers?

In general I agree with you on this, but smoking in a public place,
such as a restaurant, encroaches on my right to breath clean air.

--
Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
(w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

58. "Satellite Operators Unite!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <5hpp1g$35o_002@blpm02-197.mcn.net>
Source record: 178879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Satellite users, Amsat-NA needs donations to complete and launch the Phase 3D satellite. Your donations are tax deductable. See http://www.amsat.org

Amsat-NA
850 Sligo Ave, Suite 600
Silver Spring, MD. 20910-4703
U.S.A.

Telephone: (301) 589-6062

73 de KB7ADL
Vince
Billings, MT.

59. IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: strestest@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401022100.VAA18402@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178880

need parts for a g-800sdx rotor

60. WTB: Icom 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k3vgx <brian@nfdc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3e3a$95ed1860$990c82d0@brian.nfdc.net>
Source record: 178881

Please respond direct to k3vgx@nfdc.net; state condition & price.

Tnx & 73's Brian K3VGX

61. HR2600 Service Information Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbargman@fullnet.net
Message-ID: <33407512.83574154@news.fullnet.net>
Source record: 178882

Hi Everybody.

I guess I dove into the 10m mobile rig market a bit late, passing on these guys several years ago. I found a President (Uniden) HR2600 from a local at a good price. I'd like to do a bit of tweaking, specifically bump up the transmit audio level as it seems to be weak.

First, is there anyone with service information that could tell me what pots adjust which level. I hate to start tweaking without a reference! Second, what are the useful mods for this rig for amateur use (Frequency expansion need not apply here!), I already have the receiver mute mod from the QRZ CD-ROM. I'm sure many mods have been written up, but where did they go? They certainly didn't end up on the various radio mod web pages, sigh...(they never have the info on my model!)

Thanks for readin'

73, de Nate >>

62. WTB: Hallicrafters S40A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <33407120.6874591@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 178883

Do you have a nice working S40A for sale? I'm interested.
VE2ATD
dussault@vipxlnet.com

63. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Bell Jr." <kc4oxp@j3com.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3e4d$87c0e1a0$c7040626@j3/danielkc4oxp>
Source record: 178884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

What about this guys.. I bought a hf rig about 2 yrs ago, the guy that I bought it from was NOT a smoker, however the previous owner was, I did clean it up but it hadnt given the previous owner(s) any problems.. I can see both sides I guess if you are that concerned, then you had better ask the buyer beforehand..

Yes I am a smoker, HOWEVER I do NOT smoke around my gear, and I do every 2 weeks, NO MATTER IF IT NEEDS IT OR NOT I clean all of my gear by hand, each and every piece. Yes my shack is open to all Amateur Radio operators to inspect<grin> I take pride in my equiptment, thusly I dont smoke around the goods..

Just my opinion..

73 Daniel/KC4OXP
Winder, Ga.

Michael White <m_white@juno.com> wrote in article
<m_white-3103971112570001@m14494-mac.mitre.org>...
> Richie L. Allen, KC5NZR wrote:
>
> > I'm perfectly capapble of cleaning up a piece of used gear, smoke or not.
>
> Me too; I just want to know going in what I'm up against. If it's all
> smoked up, and I have to spend a bad weekend de-gunking it, I'm going to
> offer less for it; a lot less.
>
> >For the right price I'd buy something that had been rescued from a latrine!
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>
> My point exactly. But how would you feel if you paid top dollar, and got
> something that had been "...rescued from a latrine" because the seller
> didn't tell you up front? That's about what happend to me.
>
> Mike, N4PDY
>
> --
> m_white@juno.com
>
> My opinions are my own, not my employer's.
>
>

64. Re: INFO on YEASU 5100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Brock <bbrock@i-america.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3e50$b7fabd20$1ed4e4ce@default>
Source record: 178885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

With the transceiver switched off, press and hold the MHz button near the
upper left while switching the transceiver on.

Release the MHz button and press the F/W button. Then, within five
seconds, turn the selector knob to set the desired display brightness.

Wait five seconds, or press F/W again, to return the control functions to
normal operation...

Tim <tim_raffety@oxy.com> wrote in article <333FD2AA.5A84@oxy.com>...
> Can anyone here that has the 5100 tell me how you can adjust the panel
> light manualy? I have it set for auto and can't remember how you do that

> because I have lost my book. Thanks!!!
>

65. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb7et@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5hq5pn$h6k@camel2.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178886

Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net> wrote:

>Anyone have experience with the Ham Stick HF antennas from
>Lakeview Co.?

Larry:

The hamsticks work fine. I carry 4 bands plus
6M in my trunk and have the quick disconnect
connector on each one. I change bands when I
stop to fill up with gas. Have a nylon string brace
back to the trunk about 18 inches up from the
mount. No problem at highway speed.

They do seem to be less efficient than the Hustler
antenna, however. I'd recommend going with the
Outbacker. 73, Jim, KB7ET

66. A Question on FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: malverne@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5hq7hk$d9p@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178887

Looking for instructions on modifying the FT-50R to transmit in the 150's and 450's (yes --- I'm allowed to be there!) Thanks for any help.

Glen (the cop...KEB455)

67. Re: FT-50R and Free Band MOD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <3340938a.1342476@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 178888

The information has been posted before and can be found at
http://members.gnn.com/hca/ft50

ka6bpq@aol.com (KA6BPQ) wrote:

>I know that this probably has been posted before but can someone in the
>know explain what the free band mod for the FT-50R does and how its done?
>
>Also, has anyone else noticed that reception of broadcast band FM (91-108)
>sounds terrible?
>
>Thanks & 73,
>
>Perry - W6AUN
>aka ka6bpq@aol.com

68. 220 MHz Midland

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3340B31A.6938@icss.net>
Source record: 178889

I'm thinking about selling my 220 gear. The Midland is like new in box,
the Cobra is about identical to the Midland and in excellent shape.
Brian/N0iMD
burkefam@icss.net
e-mail replies only, please

69. Re: CW transceiver made easy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3340AB04.396B@icss.net>
Source record: 178890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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Dale R. Parfitt wrote:
>
> Roy Lewallen wrote:
> >
> > In article <5hmgvm$bih@news1.mnsinc.com>,
> > bry@mnsinc.com (Brian Carling (Radio G3XLQ / AF4K)) wrote:
> >
> > >. . .
> >
> > >ALSO, you can go to -
> > >
> > >http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm
> > >
> > >and click on KITS for a huge list of suppliers! Thankfully their are
> > >many many small companies selling such kits these days!
> > >
> > >Homebrewing seems to be very popular now!
> >
> > It also has changed somewhat. Back when people bought an HW-8, followed the
> > step-by-step instructions, poked the components into the holes, and soldered
> > them, they would tell you they were using a "Heath HW-8". Apparently, this would
> > now be a "homebrew" rig.
> >
> > Admittedly, this is slightly more complex than taking a rig out of a box and
> > turning on a switch, and I'm surely in favor of kit building. But is it
> > now "homebrew"?
> >
> > Roy Lewallen, W7EL
>
> Hi Roy,
>
> I would call it a KIT. However, I do not believe you have to design the
> rig in order for it to be homebrew. Perhaps it starts being homebrew
> when you layout or make the circuit board and housing- a few mods would
> certainly qualify. Call it what you want- it should be encouraged.
>
> As an aside- I never met a more genuine group of courteous and
> knowledgeable (sp?) hams than at the Dayton QRP get togethers- old time
> ham radio.
>
> Dale
> W4OP- another ELNEC user
Greetings, I've built Heathkits, and I've built other kits. Building
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other kits felt like "homebrew" compared to the Heath, but that is
relative. Come on Ten-Tec and fill the gap!!!
73 (singular),
Brian/N0iMD

70. FS: Ten-Tec Scout and Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@bright.net
Message-ID: <5hpkms$lom@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 178891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For Sale:

Ten-Tec Scout, Model 555, with 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 Meter modules,
hand microphone, DC power cord, and original manual. This equipment is
like new and works great.

Reason for selling? New baby in the house!

$475. shipped/insured via UPS.

Thanks,

Tony N8SNC
tony@bright.net

71. REQ: Mods for Alinco DJ-191

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Monte Kalisch <montek@lamar.colostate.edu>
Message-ID: <3340BC79.441A@lamar.colostate.edu>
Source record: 178892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Looking for mods for Alinco DJ-191. If you have any suggestions, I'd
apprecaite it.

73

72. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: r.PHelan@www.mac.ul.IE
Message-ID: <2.2.32.19970401095259.006a8988@mac.ul.ie>
Source record: 178893

unsubscribe

73. Kenwood filter YK88C for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5hps5h$fcf@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 178894

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Kenwood YK88C filter for sale, $52 shipped. Tks for rreading de
Marshall, K4YQ
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74. Drake Remote VFO RV4 forsale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5hps8k$fcf@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 178895

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DRake remote vfo/speaker combination for sale, good condx
$58 shipped.
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75. ATLAS 210X + AC CONSOLIE $250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5hps21$fcf@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 178896

I have an Atlas 210x plus ac console (power supply/speaker) in very good condition for sale, $250 plus shippiing. Thanks for reading, 73 de Marshall, K4YQ

76. Re: HR2600 Service Information Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbargman@fullnet.net
Message-ID: <3340ffa2.119045818@news.fullnet.net>
Source record: 178897

nbargman@fullnet.net (Nate Bargmann) wrote:

>Hi Everybody.

Forgot my email...

nbargman@fullnet.net

Thanks!

77. WTB: Single Channel Moto VHF-HI HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: s_msadle@mccallie.chattanooga.tn.us
Message-ID: <5hr01f$btv@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted to buy:

Single channel Motorola HTs. Battery condition doesn't matter, but
needs to be crystalled or programmed (ready to use) on 151.625,
154.570, or 154.600 MHz. Must include charger and preferably a stubby
antenna.

These aren't for me, but for a friend for whom I will forward all
replies. Please email me at:

s_msadle@mccallie.chattanooga.tn.us

and I will get back with you ASAP. Thanks!

73 de KF4LHP, Matthew Sadler - I monitor W4AM 145.390 Repeater!
FCC Licensed Amateur Radio Operator - Technician Class - KF4LHP
ARRL Registered Official Emergency Station, Tennessee Section
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/8704/index.html <<WWW Site>>
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78. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbargman@fullnet.net
Message-ID: <3341010f.119409970@news.fullnet.net>
Source record: 178899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

kc5nzr@rt66.com (Richie L. Allen, KC5NZR) wrote:

>I'm perfectly capapble of cleaning up a piece of used gear, smoke or not. For
>the right price I'd buy something that had been rescued from a latrine!
>

I had the opportunity to volunteer to fix a piece of gear for a
friend. Complaint was the receiver went deaf. After checking it out,
I found the RF amp in the front end had a corroded lead and another
completely corroded off. There was some dried substance on the PC
board which I managed to clean off. After repairing the radio it took
about 2 weeks to air out the cat smell...yuckkk!

I guess maybe hamfests aren't such a bad place to buy gear, at least
you get a chance to look the gear over and can get a better idea of
what you're purchasing than with a sight-unseen sale. I've seen rigs
at hamfests, though, that make you think the seller and XYL had given
the harmonics hammers and chisels for Christmas...amazing!

73, de Nate >>

Packet | KA0RNY @ KC5TKF.#NCOK.OK.USA.NOAM | "If wires can be
Internet | nbargman@fullnet.net | connected in two
Location | Enid, Oklahoma USA EM16bj | different ways,
View yet another web page at: | the first way
http://www.harvestcomm.net/personal/nbargman/index.htm | blows the fuse!"

79. Wanted: Used HF Receiver (Australia)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Burrows <S.Burrows@mailbox.uq.edu.au>
Message-ID: <33410614.7A01@mailbox.uq.edu.au>
Source record: 178900

I have no knowledge of models, ages and prices so I ask you folk to please advise me. The type of unit I want to start with would be a step up from the "Tandy" $200 thing.. rather a quality unit with some years of use and therefore affordable. Please email me or post here. Thanks is advance..

zzsburro@dingo.cc.uq.edu.au

80. Help needed for ICOM IC-micro2AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: komkit@exceltec.com
Message-ID: <334108E2.38DE@exceltec.com>
Source record: 178901

Hi guys, I've got an ICOM IC-MICRO 2AT. TX okay but no AUDIO, I also did keep-up and pressed the key pad and I can hear real real low tone coming out from my other RX's SPK. Please e-mail..

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Komkit Listisard N3XLW | Hang-out:
FM19LC | 50.125, 146.955, 28.420
http://www.exceltec.com/komkit | 18.141, 14.320, 7.060,
Latitude: 39.0958 Longitude: -77.0953 | 3.905, 1.905

81. FS:4-1000 TUBES,SOCKETS, CHIMNEYS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401132100.IAA17569@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178902

BECAUSE I AM DISCONTINUING A AMPLIFIER PROJECT I HAVE THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE IN THE LISTED PACKAGES ONLY. 4PR-1000A
TUBE(TESTED FULL OUTPUT) ALUMINUM AIR SYSTEM SOCKET, EIMAC CHIMNEY PRICE $200. I HAVE TWO SETS OF THESE, SO IF SOMEONE BUYS BOTH SETS FOR $400, I WILL INCLUDE A COMMERCIAL MADE CHASSIS THAT HAS THE FILLAMENT TRANSFORMER ,WIRING AND MOUNTING FOR BOTH TUBE ASSEMBLIES. CONTACT STEVE AT 508-222-1261 OR NIMSKI1@AOL.COM

82. Re: Need Windows 95 AEA S/W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: arden@teleport.com
Message-ID: <3341107a.34058176@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 178903

Norm Englund <norman.j.englund@boeing.com> wrote:

>Thanks for reading. I have recently upgraded to Windows 95 nad my AEA
>software for controlling a PK232 no longer works. AEA product support
>currently not available until new supplier gets up and providing. Has
>anyone figured out how to make Pakratt 2.0 work on Windows 95?
>
>Thanks, Norm K7TBI]

Pakratt II works fine on Windows 95. You must have a configuration
problem. In fact, when I got Windows 95, Pakratt 1.0 didn't work and
Pakratt 2.0 is what they sent me. It worked the first time I tried
it.

Arden KI7G
****
Arden Eby
Internet: arden@teleport.com
Packet Radio: KI7G@KA7AGH.OR.USA.NA
Homepage (Eby's Cyberscroll) http://www.teleport.com/~arden/
****

83. FS: Large Capacitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Harrar <kharrar@as.arizona.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.SV4.3.91.970401070424.20882D-100000@nemo.as.arizona.edu>
Source record: 178904
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

10ufd 22KV non-polarized caps (new) great for that HV amplifier supply
$50 each.

0.0655 ufd at 50KV non-polarized caps (new) great for that Tesla coil you
have always wanted to build $50 each.

Karl <kharrar@as.arizona.edu>

84. Re: "Satellite Operators Unite!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Gerheim <gerheim@sonalysts.com>
Message-ID: <33411815.C69@sonalysts.com>
Source record: 178905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>
> Satellite users, Amsat-NA needs donations to complete and launch the Phase 3D
> satellite. Your donations are tax deductable. See http://www.amsat.org
>

I have never worked an AMSAT satellite because the gear required costs
too much. I work only RS-10, RS-12, and RS-15. When AMSAT puts up
a bird I can use, I won't be cheap.

Do you have any idea how I can contribute to the Russian Amateur
Satellite Program?

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+-------oOO--`o'--OOo-------+
| Albert P Gerheim, K1QN |
| http://www.sonalysts.com |
| 1 (800) 526-8091 X 218 |
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85. Re: KENWOOD TS-570D WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Maynard <MAYNARD@URIACC.URI.EDU>
Message-ID: <3340D9E9.5F50@URIACC.URI.EDU>
Source record: 178906

NO PROBLEMS HERE EITHER. I AM WARY OF TUNING INTO VERY HIGH SWR
ANTENNAS, BUT HAVE BEEN USING AN EXTENAL TUNER WITH A BALANCED FEED TO A
80M DIPOLE WITH EXCELLENT RESULTS. POWER SUPPLY HERE IS AN RS-35A.
BRIAN, K1NW

86. WANTED: KENWOOD REPAIR RECOMMEND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Maynard <MAYNARD@URIACC.URI.EDU>
Message-ID: <3340DAAE.43FB@URIACC.URI.EDU>
Source record: 178907

My TS-251A HT lost its audio section, probably the soda the second harmonic poured over it. Can anyone recommend a good Kenwood repair outfit? Price and good work are more important than SPEED! tnx es 73, Brian, K1NW

87. WANTED: Source for Dentron MT-3000A switches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: voltages@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401151100.KAA22743@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178908

I nneed some replacement Watt Meter Selection Switches for a Dentron
MT-3000A antenna tuner. If you can point me in the right direction,
please reply by e-mail. Thanks es 73 de K2AKV

88. FS: Kenwood TK-330 UHF H.T.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970401151101.KAA22749@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178909

FS: Kenwood (commercial) TK-330 UHF handi-talkie. Ten channels and
includes speaker/mic, drop-in desk charger, and metal porta-clip.....$350
not including shipping. Please e-mail me directly.

Brian
speactra291@aol.com

89. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: shnews@laser.net
Message-ID: <33408888.74279356@news1.laser.net>
Source record: 178910

On Mon, 31 Mar 1997 14:03:31 -0500, Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
wrote:

>Anyone have experience with the Ham Stick HF antennas from
>Lakeview Co.?
>
>Seems they may be broader banded and much less expensive
>than an Outbacker.
>
>Larry, W3UIO

I've tried the hamsticks--and the hamstick copies. Junk for anything
lower than 40 meters. Not bad for 10-15-20, but there's nothing up
there now, anyway. They are not broader-banded. You may be best
with a tunable screwdriver antenna (Broadbander BB3/High
Sierra/Bandhopper,etc.). For HF: Bigger remains better.

sean hall/W1SWH
shnews@laser.net

90. F.S. Kenwood TS 711a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Whitmore <ronwhit@dreamscape.com>
Message-ID: <3341A027.5D3@dreamscape.com>
Source record: 178911

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Full size 2mtr all mode excellent condx box, manual $700 obo .
email here, or 315-474-1770
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| Ron Whitmore ronwhit@dreamscape.com |
| Amateur Radio Operator |
| WA2LUF |
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91. Re: Eimac 450TL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Kruid <surtech@io.com>
Message-ID: <3341B102.6395@io.com>
Source record: 178912

Are you interested in a New old stock Eimac 450TL tube. I am told that it is a large transmitter amplifier tube. It is a beautiful tube with a large glass globe in the center. I would be interested in trading it for interesting old (pre 1910)meter, light bulbs, early vacuum tubes or?

92. Hellp with HTX202 + TNC RFI problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Gregor <hobbes99@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <3341E3A6.6327@ziplink.net>
Source record: 178913

I just bought my first packet TNC the other day (KPC-3+), but I'm having
a severe problem hooking it up to my htx202 due to RFI. I've noticed
this about the handheld before, that when I bring it into a room with a
computer on it goes beserk (noise all the way up to s-10 on the scale).
It doesn't seem to make a difference which computer, they all do the
same thing, so I'm assuming that the problem is with the radio rather
than just my system.
I see people with htx-202's hooked up to packet all the time (QST
articles and whatnot), so I'm wondering if anyone else has had a similar
problem or if there is something wrong with my individual radio.
Any suggestions/comments/information would be greatly appreciated!

Jeff Gregor / N1UDS

93. Re: Motorola Conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Boren <symntlab@netxpress.com>
Message-ID: <33413AF7.75B1@netxpress.com>
Source record: 178914

I've had success on dragging the tuning down there with little loss of original specs. Tuning becomes a little more critical to keep from tuning up on a harmonic. good luck

Greg/N5SKE

94. Need info DB products 900Mhz amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael E. Pinault" <mikepi@on-ramp.ior.com>
Message-ID: <3341EB05.6B1D@on-ramp.ior.com>
Source record: 178915

Need specs and schematic on a Decibel Products 900 Mhz amp P/N
WP91998L1-A. I want to convert it for use on 903. any help??
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Mike Pinault N3CEV/7 Anything Under 50Mhz Must Be DC!
Near Spokane Washington
DN17el

95. Fordham frequency counter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <mission@eee.org>
Message-ID: <33418DD1.6FA0@eee.org>
Source record: 178916

Am working on a Fordham frequency counter model #FC-150, and cannot find a replacement 8 pin chip #MB467, have replaced the two chips #74LS13 and 74LS90 with some results, counter will read 118.--- meg at a true 147.555, with some instabilty, have considered replacing the 28 pin 7216DIPI, but at $28.10 each I'd like to make sure the other chips are "okay" before going on. If anyone can give a cross ref. or company that can get me the part (MB467) I'd sure appreciate it. This unit was given to me and returning it to working order would make my year.
Thanks in advance. 73s
Rick

96. How can I enhance IC-275H freq range ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mapelli Paolo <ik2wsc@energy.it>
Message-ID: <334171DE.E3C@energy.it>
Source record: 178917

Hi everybody.
As you've red in subject, I would like to
enhance the frequency range of the multimode ICOM's VHF
transceiver IC-275H.
If anyone knows how to reach that goal :-), please E-Mail
to ik2wsc@energy.it

TNX in advance and 73's de IK2WSC, Paolo

97. Re: WTB: IC900/IC901 band units

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Wyatt <kenw@col.hp.com>
Message-ID: <33428BA1.40F0@col.hp.com>
Source record: 178711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

tim wrote:
>
> Ron Curry wrote:
> >
> > Yes, they are getting old and didn't sell very many so there are not many
> > around. As far as being "good as gold" they are useful for use as remote
>
> I really really WTB a UX-59 [6M] Mod add-on Icon 901 , wish Icom could
> be convinced to make more ...there is a fairly high demand..ie ..people
> looking for modules...
>
> Tim N9JTF

Know what you mean, Tim! I recently had to buy an entire 901 system
just to get the included 6m module!

73, Ken

98. Re: SEEKING ATLAS 210 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: U40241@uicvm.uic.edu
Message-ID: <97092.165558U40241@uicvm.uic.edu>
Source record: 178712

Hi, miker. Specifically, I added an opposing-polarity pair of diodes on the output of a simple one transistor fet booster-amp with just a few parts (right out of the Handbook- forget the year). This amp was fly-mounted on a spare xtl filter input terminals. The extra filter was bought from a company that bought out supplies from Atlas after production ended, and piggy-backed on top of the original filter. All that is necessary is a tuned circuit to take out the harmonics, the filter was a bonus in an already outstanding I.F. circuit. Nowadays, I would likely use Mini-circuit-labs monolithic amplifiers for this kind of mod- tiny, plenty of gain and power handling, and no external parts on some models, one resistor on others (D.C./RF uncoupler) and cheap: $2-3 for most. You are thus down to two diodes, an amp, a resistor and a coil for your clipper. It may not work perfectly, but it's a good start, just set levels and check harmonics, I think. You engineers can correct me as required. Oh, I forgot an uncoupling cap for input or output if needed by circuit or lack of primary 50 ohm coil on tuned circuit(Just a few turns on top of resonant L). Hope this makes some sense. The compression result on my original Atlas was pretty dramatic: power out was always at max on the meter and the rig initiated thermal shutdown after two or three minutes continuous talk-time, but audio reports were always complimentary. 73, K9ZAT.

99. Factory Mods to Yaesue FT1000-D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince <WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3342D9D8.4258@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178713

Anyone know where information describing factory authorized mods to the FT1000D is available?

I own a second-hand radio and am curious about history of factory mods. Would like information like:

Mod to 2nd I.F. circuit to improve selectivity, and date of origination, etc.

Tnx es 73s,
Vince

100. Re: YAESU FT8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kds@raleigh.ibm.nospam
Message-ID: <33431859.41C6@raleigh.ibm.nospam>
Source record: 178714

niels wrote:
>
> remove R3028 sixth position from the left and reset
>
> K.R.FRALEY <fraley@planetc.com> wrote in article
> <333F5299.1E0A@planetc.com>...
> > Anyone out there got any mods for the FT8000??? any info will be
> > helpful ! Please post or e-mail me . Thanks! Rodney KE4NWI
> >
> >

And this will... ?

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Kerry, K A 5 S A C

Elmer someone TODAY!!!

Replace .nospam with .com to reply.

101. Re: FT50R Software MOD's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo1@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33428bae.19367571@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178715

Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton) wrote:

:Information and explanations:
:----------------------------
:All MOD's can be made by Software only. To do the MOD's you need the
:ADMS 1C Software (I am using the 1.05 Version) and a HEX editor to
:manipulate the .TPL file (I am working with .TPL file only)

How do I make a .TPL file? The instructions in the help file for
ADMS-1C seem incomplete.

Barry

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Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
Responses to my article are welcome.

102. radiosonde

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tjp010@sp2.power.uni-essen.DE
Message-ID: <3342DADF.3D5@sp2.power.uni-essen.de>
Source record: 178716

Dear Members,

some time ago I found a German weather-radiosonde for air-borne (baloon) measurements, Type E076. I could reactivate it because of only minor damages.

Technical details I found out:

Weight: 0.450 Kp incl. styropur case, without batt.
Power supply: 12 Volt Batt., switched by a reed contact
Oscilator Freq.: 100.95 Mhz
Output: <0.25 Watt
Modulation: FM
Sensors: Air-pressure, -temp., -humidity
Data transmission: 3 variable NF tone frequency bands, one for each sensor

The equipment I use:
-Different short wave receivers
-Ham-Com Ver. 3.0 plus Ham-Com demodulator on RS 232
-JV-Fax Ver. 7.0
-PC Weatherfax prof.
-Packetmon. 3.1
-self-written or adapted programs in TURBO-Pascal Ver. 6 & up

My questions:
Who knows more about the details of receiving and decoding the transmitted data?
Does someone have TURBO-Pascal procedures (source code) for parallel analyzing multiple frequencies?
Can someone give me a hint or a link on this subject?

Thanks to you all in advance,

Dr. Bunk

103. schematic needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reed Park <reedpark@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc3fb1$cfba8500$8b86b3cf@reedpark>
Source record: 178717

I am looking for a schematic for a Hallicrafters S-53A
receiver. Can anybody out there help by letting me
know where I can purchase a copy of a manual, or a
copy of just the schematic.

Regards
Reed

VE1NU

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ARROW Research
252 Gauvin Road
Dieppe, New Brunswick
Canada
E1A1M1

104. Re: Kenwood TS-850S any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5huqsi$m5e@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 178718

Hi Zack. The TS850 is a great rig. I still have the one I bought three years ago and my new FT1000MP. The TS850 does have a great receiver with exceptional dynamic range. I have had both rigs on the same antenna and using an antenna switch to go back and forth on various signals I found no noticeable difference in copying very weak signals. The FT1000MP has a few minor pops as you tune across the bands (from the synthesizer??) - I have never heard that on my TS850. The receiver is also very quiet on the TS850. The only thing that annoys me about the TS850 is that if you use high fidelity headphones there is an annoying hiss on the audio when you plug into the headphone jack on the radio when listening at low volume levels. If you use an external speaker that has a high cut filter, then the hiss goes away. The FT1000MP does not have that problem. The receive audio is very good on the Kenwood. The slope tuning works very well at reducing qrm from close by stations. The speech processor also is very effective when applied judiciuosly. The internal antenna tuner has a very wide range - mine will tune my 80 meter dipole on 160 meters (not that it will work well though!). It has a audio monitor unlike some of the competition and the quick memo pad is great for dxing. I really like the FT1000MP also, but plan on keeping the TS850 as a backup. It is too good of a rig to let go for what they are getting these days on the used market and an incredible bargain for anyone looking to buy a great rig. Just my two cents worth. Good luck! --- Steve N9ROU

105. FS further reduced prices.....4/2/97

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: whowell@ici.net
Message-ID: <5htq7i$n8t$1@bashir.ici.net>
Source record: 178719

Stuff For Sale de N1IPQ
4/2/97

Icom 3AT 220 MHz handy talky w/ fast, drop in,
charger (battery dead), speaker mike (RS), ac pwr
plug in and header, $100

RF Concepts rfc 3-22 220 MHz amplifier,
relay sticks or needs sens. adjust, $70

Icom 3220H mobile dual band (440
xmtr needs work, rest excellent) that is, 440
rcv and 2M side work fine, $215.

AEA ISO LOOP HF antenna with computer control
option (IT-1) - this is the 'automatic, extra cost
gadget, all essentially unused, manuals,
$260 LOCAL ONLY or you pay packing

Comet 4 "stick" mobile HF antenna with 5th stick, unused, $75
B&W Aptenna, HF antenna, new, in box, $30

(Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), MC-60A, $ 1100)
OR
(Kenwood TS50, HF xcvr, $650)

Radio Shack 144 / 440 swr / power meter, $20

AEA PK 232 MBX, manual, functionally perfect,
two scratches on case $150

Data Precision DMM, uses 'nixies' works, but best for parts, $10
MFJ 945D, mobile tuner, slight improvements, $48
Various coax switches.....$various
QST large box, heavy, $20
(a real good deal, IF you live nearby.....)

The above prices are the lowest I can make them now.
For the while, they are firm.
All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA
whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872
or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

106. Yaesu FT-50 - Speaker Mike & Ear Piece Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mullis@galileo.ifa.hawaii.edu
Message-ID: <5huq1f$83d@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 178720

Can anyone comment on the quality and performance of these microphones for
the Yaesu FT-50?

Speaker/Mike MH-34A2B

Ear Piece Mike MH-37A2B

Specifically,
1) How good is the audio on each of these?
2) How well does the mike on the Ear Piece peform?
3) Do they firmly connect into the FT-50 and are not subject to
accidently falling out?
4) Does the Ear Piece Mike utilize the PTT button on the FT-50 or
is an addtional PTT switch provided?
5) Are there any other attractive mic options that folks have found for
the FT-50 (throat mikes, etc.)?

Thank you for your comments.

Aloha,
Chris KH7CL

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107. WTB: Kenwood DG-5 For TS-520S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33423F52.210B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I know I posted this a couple of weeks ago, but here it is again, as I received no response yet.

I am looking for a DG-5 digital display unit for the Kenwood TS-520S. For the last few years, I've been trying to get a friend of mine, Tom, N6BGN, to fire up his rig and get back on the air. Tom and his late wife moved into a community with CC&Rs a few years ago, and he couldn't put up an outdoor antenna, so his radio sat and collected dust. I tried to convince him that I could install any number of antennas in his attic for clandestine QSOing, but never got anywhere. His wife passed away in September, leaving him alone, and I've finally convinced Tom that he should get on the air, make some friends, and chew the rag. He is now reluctant because his TS-520S has an analog display, but said that if he could get a DG-5, he'd feel confident operating the rig on the proper and precise frequencies he has priveledges for (he's a stickler for proper operation). In any case, to make a long story short, if I can get Tom the DG-5, I can get him up on the air and back in circulation.

If you have a DG-5 sitting around and needing a home, please E-Mail me with your price and I'll get back to you right away.

Thanks in advance,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

108. On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.nospam>
Message-ID: <33431C9F.553F@servtech.nospam>
Source record: 178722

Trading in the car this weekend.

I need to know what is the best way to remove an on-glass antenna
without damaging the antenna or glass.

With that in mind... what's the best way to re-apply the antenna on the
new car?

It's a Larsen UHF on-glass antenna.

Please e-mail... nessman@servtech.com

Thanks!
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When replying, change the "To:" field to nessman@servtech.com or
click here: mailto:nessman@servtech.com

I changed my e-mail address. Please excuse the inconvenience.
Thank the spambots and dorky programmers for making them.

Les Wilson
Rochester, NY - USA
nessman@servtech.com
http://www.servtech.com/public/nessman
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109. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.nospam>
Message-ID: <33435E25.3530@servtech.nospam>
Source record: 178723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

You guys want bad? Try computer equipment that has been sitting in a machine shop for several years -- no special cases, covers, or what have you for that rather harsh environment. The machine oil mist is in the air and gets into everything out there!

We don't try to resell the stuff when it gets old. It just either gets junked, salvaged for good parts, or given to whoever wants it.
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When replying, change the "To:" field to nessman@servtech.com or click here: mailto:nessman@servtech.com

I changed my e-mail address. Please excuse the inconvenience.
Thank the spambots and dorky programmers for making them.

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110. Re: Need help finding Ramsey Dealer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.nospam>
Message-ID: <33435BB0.20F9@servtech.nospam>
Source record: 178724

cookt@ouvaxa.cats.ohiou.edu wrote:
>
> I would like to find a full line Ramsey dealer so I can buy
> a Tickle Stick. Can you help? tcook1@ohiou.edu Tim

Contact Ramsey directly at:

Ramsey Electronics, Inc.
793 Canning Parkway
Victor, NY 14564
1-800-446-2295

I don't think they sell thru distributors.
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111. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.nospam>
Message-ID: <33435D53.1450@servtech.nospam>
Source record: 178725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Michael White wrote:

> Me too; I just want to know going in what I'm up against. If it's all
> smoked up, and I have to spend a bad weekend de-gunking it, I'm going to
> offer less for it; a lot less.
>
> >For the right price I'd buy something that had been rescued from a latrine!

> My point exactly. But how would you feel if you paid top dollar, and got
> something that had been "...rescued from a latrine" because the seller
> didn't tell you up front? That's about what happend to me.

Last year, I sold a BBS system that had been salvaged from a house fire. The equipment suffered some bad smoke damage. I was up front and honest about it to everyone... plus the campfire aroma would be a dead giveaway. Sold everything I had. I kept the asking price reasonable, and I didn't turn down offers, either. To this day, I am still using a Pentium 90 system that suffered the most damage (case warped from the heat and banged around by the fire department pretty bad). Thing works as good as new -- and the fire was about a year and a half ago.
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112. Re: Kenwood TS-850S any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Buller <k0wa@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <3342DB17.309F@southwind.net>
Source record: 178726

ZaaX wrote:
>
> I am considering buying a used TS-850 to replace my Icom IC-740 and
> Kenwood R-1000. How good is the '850? QST says that it has one of the
> best receivers ever made. What do you like or dislike about this rig? Any
> opinions will be greatly appreciated.
>
> 73 Zack
> N8FNR
Zack....

I own one and use it daily. It is one fine radio. I have had not
complaints. Has worked flawlessly since taking it out of the box. It
has been on FD several times. Get a large 13.8 vDC power supply for it
too...like an Astron 35M. I contest and DX with this unit. It is the
main unit. I highly recommend them....and they are coming down in price
on the used market.

Lee - k0wa@southwind.net

113. Manual for Electrovoice RME 4350 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will Rogers <w4wlr@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <3343089D.5BD4@flinet.com>
Source record: 178727

Hi gang!

"New" old toy. Just picked up an Electrovoice RME Model 4350 and would like to get a copy of the manual and/or schematic for it. It needs a bit of TLC. I will be happy to reimburse you for any costs incurred in copying and mailing me the above.

Thanks and vy 73 de

Will
W4WLR

w4wlr@flinet.com

114. FT50 Freeband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5ht0jslfe2@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 178728

> Mark Grandstaff wrote:
>
> O.K. I read through all the info on mods for the FT-50R and am more
> confused than ever.
>
> My goal is to get expanded transmit and expanded receive (freeband)
> operation.
>
> I have a newer model (SN begins 6L12) so I realize that "pulling the
> plug" won't work to achieve freeband. I assume that the expanded Tx
> MARS/CAP mod of unsoldering the jumper #1 will work though. In an
> article submitted by E. Scott Sykes in addition to the jumper
> modification he suggests unsoldering the resister at location "A" to
> achieve a freeband state. Is this part of the "pulling the plug
> method"? What is the purpose of this resister? Is this recommended with
> the newer radios?
>
> It looks as though my best option to get to the freeband state is to
> first do the MARS/CAP mod as described by Bill Childers (unsolder jumper
> #1) then follow the software suggestions outlined by Ingra-Beton
> (3/26/97). Any comments?
>
> --
> Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

I have a newer model also, the articles by Scott Sykes work's just fine.
It is not a part of the 'pulling the plug method'.

You just remove the solder jumper 1 and the freeband resistor and it's
done.

The removal of the solder jumper 1 is hardware enabling of the
sequence 'hold down LAMP and KNOB by powering on'
(You can switch from BAND_X1 to BAND_X3)
(usually MARS/CAP)

The removal of the freeband resistor is hardware enabling of the
sequence 'Hold down LAMP and PTT and KNOB by powering on'
When you see BAND_X1, push KNOB for 1/2 sec. and rotate.
(You can switch BAND A , B, C , D , H , F or FrEE)

With the hardware MOD's you will not have the ability to switch
to the xxa and xxb BAND's (you probably not need them anyway)

If you don't want to make any hardware MOD's you can use the
software MOD's, you can have any BAND you want, you will only

not have the ability to switch from one BAND to another becouse
the hardware switches are not enabled.

Of course you can use the hardware and software MOD's together.

Indi.

115. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Message-ID: <33426BBD.3B1B@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Source record: 178761

Michael J. Wade wrote:
>
> Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have > Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
> up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
> Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
> one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
snip

Did you take the General class exam yourself or did someone take it for
you? Son, you don't know enouth to be on HF or this is some kind of
joke.
y
Butch KF5DE

116. Re: Radio Shack Dual Band Hand-Held HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33446c69.5046958@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178762

On 2 Apr 1997 04:56:08 GMT, sgmhurd@aol.com (Sgmhurd) wrote:

>Why is everyone saying that the at-600 is $100 less than the htx-204? The
>204 is $399 and the adi is $349. What gives? When the rs goes on sale it
>will be hard to beat. Plus, You can get to rs, most people aren't
>fortunate as we up here in NH. to have an HRO nearby. Plus, Show me a
>place that will offer a 5yr waranty available.
>
The AT-600 has a street price of $299 (HRO, CSI, etc.), The 5-watt
version, AT-600-HP, has a street price of $329. You don't have to be
near an HRO. They will ship it to you for free and won't charge you
sales tax in most states that they don't have a store in.

Ron

117. WTB UX-14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: oneidman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402150801.KAA10134@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178763

W
TB UX-14 interface for icom ic-71a

118. Re: aux deep cycle battery for power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: km4ja@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402151100.KAA10265@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178764

For a year I have been powering my whole station on HF (Knwd TS-440s) and Vhf 2 m. packet and 2 m FM voice on a REGULAR 12v 850 amp/hr battery and an automatic 2/10/200 amp charger (that will cut off) under the floor of my house. It has served well with very little maintenance. I topped off the water last fall and am due to do it again now. It used very little water.

The reason for going with the regular car battery is that a deep cycle battery is designed to be almost completely discharged before being charged back. A conventional cranking battery discharges some but then is immediately charged back. This is what you have in a ham shack. The battery will be discharged some by equipment drain but the automatic charger kicks back in and recharges it back to full level. I have very good regulation and almost no hum, only a little when in charging mode, not enough to hinder any communications.

73's Harvey
KM4JA

119. wtb ux-14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: oneidman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402151601.KAA10483@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178765

wtb ux-14 interface for icom ic 71a oneidman@aol

120. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Message-ID: <33429323.1696@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Source record: 178766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

BOB DUCKWORTH wrote:
>
<snip>
>
> FWIW, I am an ex-cat owner and I don't have to rationalize my
> holier-than-thou attitude. There is no rationalization for a
> clear understanding that cat ownership is wasteful, unhealthy,
> and offensive. And any excuse you can make that you "can't quit"
> is a rationalization -- you CAN quit, and it WILL be very
> difficult. Cat ownership is more addictive than heroin, perhaps more
> addictive than any other commonly available drug on Earth.
> And yes, it took me several tries before my will power overcame
> my cat addiction just before midnight on Guy Fawkes day, 1976.
>
> Bob
> wb4mnf
>
> And it just now occurred to me that the phonetics I've used
> since I got the call -- most nasty felines -- serve as a suggestion
> to cat owin' hams. Don't you want to live long enough to join QCWA?
>
> PPS the only good cat is prepared with pickled mustard greens and
> prickle pepper.

ROFL, tears in eyes!

73 de KE6PHU/9

Dave Keyser | The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily
Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

121. WTB: Drake MS-8 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ricky <kc4kin@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <33426E9F.4A2C@geocities.com>
Source record: 178767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi I would like to buy a Drake MS-8 speaker in excellent shape.
If you have one you would sell e-mail me with the details.

Ricky

122. Yaesu FT-8000R questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: QESK41A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5hu0gg$1drq@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 178768

Just a few questions on the FT-8000R.

Is there a CTCSS decode module for this radio? I've seen mention of encode, but never any mention of decode capabilities.

If there is a CTCSS decode module, what is the part number?

If there is a CTCSS decode module, does it allow for efficient scanning? Right now I have an Alinco DR-600T in my truck, and although it works fine, it will stop on active channels even if the tone is incorrect. I have a FT-50R with the FTT-12 keypad and it interogates CTCSS during scan and will not stop on a channel if the CTCSS doesn't match. I scan many different repeaters in the commercial bands, and need a radio that will continue scanning if the entered tone isn't active.

What extra features do you get from the ADMS-2C software? Does it allow for limited alphanumeric channel tags?

That should just about do it for now, I've been looking at this radio for a while, and it looks like my next purchase. Thank you in advance for any and all replies.

Ed Burke

123. Re: Radio Shack Dual Band Hand-Held HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <9704020801341756@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178769

>>Why is everyone saying that the at-600 is $100 less than the htx-204?
>>The 204 is $399 and the adi is $349.

Funny...the ADI is selling for $305.00 out my way...so 400 less 305
is 95 bucks' difference - enough for a good speaker-mike and second
battery!

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
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124. HELP!!! Phelps Dodge 4-Bay Commercial Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sidener@saucer.cc.umr.edu
Message-ID: <5htto6$c6i$2@news.cc.umr.edu>
Source record: 178770

HI, I have a problem that I need help with.

Here it is: I just got a Phelps Dodge Commercial antenna that I believe is tuned for the 160MHz band.

Phelps Dodge does not make antennas anymore so I can't get any info from them.

The antenna is approx 20 feet tall and has 4 loops attached to it they alternate sides. The wiring harness is inside the poleas opposed to being outside where I can see it.

I want to convert this antenna to the 2 meter band.

How can I make a new wiring harness for it and do I have to change the size and or spacing of the loops?

I don't even know what impeadance the loops are.

How do I find out and how do I make the harness? 1/4 wave lengths? etc.

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Scott Sidener N0WFL sidener@umr.edu

125. Wanted: Yaesu FT-757 GXII CAT Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <33428768.1F6F@acm.org>
Source record: 178771

I am looking for a Windows based program that can control a Yaesu FT-757 GX II. Several years ago I had seen a software package for sale in QST but I believe it was a DOS based program. Anyone know if such an animal exists?

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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * *
* (914) 425-9819 * [This space for rent] *
* mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org * *
****

126. Help! Icom IC-2AT went dead!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Nathan Hinkle" <dnhinkle@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <334289E6.4E7F@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 178772

Hi,
Is there anyone that can give me some suggestions on the repair of an Icom IC-2AT? I am looking for a tech repair manual. The radio will turn on in the normal fassion but won't receive or transmit. I can turn down the squelch and background noise blares out of the unit as though it is working but when I transmit on a separate radio set to the Icoms freq. it hears nothing. Also, the light for transmit doesn't come on when trying to transmit. There is no output from the radio. Can anyone out there help with this problem or ever had a similar problem with an Icom 2AT and fixed it?

Thank You
Nathan Hinkle N6CCR :)
dnhinkle@humboldt1.com

127. WANTED: SX-112

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <CONEAL@microtouch.com>
Message-ID: <01bc3f83$823c8040$f7512ec0@coneal>
Source record: 178773

Hi,
Anyone have one of these in vg. to exc. condition?
Will pay fair price.
Thanks!
73,
Chuck

128. Re: Radio Shack Dual Band Hand-Held HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Russo <russo@llama.swcp.com>
Message-ID: <y74zpvhl6y7.fsf@llama.swcp.com>
Source record: 178774

sgmhurd@aol.com (Sgmhurd) writes:

> Why is everyone saying that the at-600 is $100 less than the htx-204? The
> 204 is $399 and the adi is $349. What gives?

Because the $349 is the manufacturer-direct price, not actual retail. HRO has them for $300 right now. The AT-600HP (with the 12V, 600ma battery & charger) will be $330.

Can anyone comment on the general quality of ADI radios? I'm taking my tech-plus exam on Tuesday, and pretty soon thereafter will be on the market for a dual bander. The ADI looks like a good buy, but I haven't any idea if they make good radios in general.

Of course, any specific comments about the AT-600 (or the HTX-204) would also be most welcome. What I'll be using the radio for is in-field com during wilderness rescue missions here in New Mexico. I need a reliable and fairly sturdy radio, preferrably light-weight. The dual-bander is desirable so we can set up in-field crossband repeating to improve com between search teams and base camp, but I can't afford much more than the AT-600 would cost. I might give up on getting the dual band radio right now and just go for a 2M, but the AT-600 is tempting.

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Tom Russo WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/
I asked my landlady how old she is and she wouldn't tell me. 'That's OK,' I says, 'I'll just wait until you go to sleep tonight then I'll cut you in half and count the rings.'... The cops didn't think it was funny, neither. -- Bug-Eyed Earl

129. Yaesu 2 Meter Rig: FT-11/R/38 High Power Handheld PRICE REDUCED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Message-ID: <33429440.12404340@news.netins.net>
Source record: 178775

Price Reduced!

Yaesu FT-11R/38 2 Meter Hand-held Rig for sale. Optional 9.6 volt 600 mAh rechargeable battery included for a full 5 watts power output even while handheld. 4 selectable power modes and Automatic Power Off.

Two independent VFOs, 150 memories, call channel, alphanumeric naming of frequencies, DTMP message paging (10 memorized messages can be stored and sent), 10-memory-15 digit DTMF autodialler. Selectable lighting modes on keypad and display and more.

Package includes the PA-10 mobile adapter, the FBA-14 "AA" Battery Pack and the CSC-61 vinyl case. Original cost of equipment over $400.00.

Very light usage. Perfect shape and like brand new. All original boxes and manuals. $265.00, buyer to pay shipping.

KG0UK Don Peaslee

email don.peaslee@ncn.net
phone 712-852-3018
Emmetsburg, Iowa
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Don Peaslee (Radio Op: KG0UK) Mail: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Emmetsburg, Iowa 50536-8506 Voice/Fax: 712-852-3018
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130. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 Upgrade??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: spkatzmann@ccgate.dp.beckman.com
Message-ID: <spkatzmann.20.000899F5@ccgate.dp.beckman.com>
Source record: 178776

In article <859294719.26117@dejanews.com> Bob McNerney <mcnerney@tiac.net> writes:
>Subject: Yaesu FT-8500 Upgrade??
>From: Bob McNerney <mcnerney@tiac.net>
>Date: Tue, 25 Mar 1997 15:21:30 -0600

>I am looking for a dual-bander that has the following features:
> detachable front-end
> wide-band receive
> memory labels
> computer interface.
>The FT-8500 seems to come close but I think its receiver cuts off above
>500 MHz. Has anyone heard of rumors regarding either a replacement for the
>8500 that might have a broader receive spec or an enhancement to it?
>thanks!
>-bob

>--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

I heard that you could use the PC interface to program in higher freqs that
you could not directly enter? I have the radio, but have not tried this, does
anyone else know if this works or not?

Steve.

131. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: m_white@juno.com
Message-ID: <m_white-0204971117370001@m14494-mac.mitre.org>
Source record: 178777

>Having recently passed the test for General,

Congrats!

> I am looking for a HF rig... I only have a few hundred I can put into [it]...
> I think I have narrowed my choices to one of the following:
>
> Collins KWM-2a
> Drake TR4-C
> Kenwood TS-820
>...

All of these are good radios, although a clean KWM-2A and its power supply will go for more than "a few hundred", probably more like $500 - $600, I think. Also remember that the Collins and Drake rigs on this list are all-vacuum tube radios, and those tubes are getting harder and harder to find; some of them are not being made any more. The TS-820 is all solid state except for the finals (and maybe the driver; I'm not sure), so your tube problem is much smaller.

You might also want to consider a Yaesu FT-101. Some of the later versions, like the 101ZD, are very fine radios, and are also all-solid state except for the driver and finals.

> Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
> up?

I've had very good luck with a G5RV dipole. Very cheap and easy to make, good performance on most bands. You must use an antenna tuner, but those are available at very reasonable prices. I've logged over 150 countries with that dipole and 100 watts.

Best of luck, and 73...

Mike, N4PDY

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m_white@juno.com

My opinions are my own, not my employer's.

132. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: docdc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5hu94v$7oa@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In <33429348.250002574@news.ccnet.com> w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com (Jerry Gardner) writes:
>
>On Tue, 01 Apr 1997 10:29:16 -0600, timbo <tim_raffety@oxy.com> wrote:
>
>>Jerry Gardner wrote:
>>> In general I agree with you on this, but smoking in a public place,
>>> such as a restaurant, encroaches on my right to breath clean air.
>>>
>>> --
>>> Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
>>> (w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.
>>
>>So does smelling your fart that you let slide out so nonchalantly with a
>>big smile on your face after eating your dinner. I've seen guys like

>>that sitting next to me when I am out at a nice place and I am trying to
>>finish my meal and I just want to puke all over the damn place. Just

>>because you cup your hand and fart in it just to smell your own farts

>>doesn't mean others like them.
>
>Good point, but 20,000 people didn't die last year due to second-hand
>farts... Face it, cigarette smoke is a known carcinogin, farts are
>not.

Nope, just adds to the greenhouse effect.

133. Re: TS-520S want/question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonz@rainbow.rmii.com
Message-ID: <5httu7$4jg$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 178779

W8PU (w8pu@aol.com) wrote:
: I am looking for at least the bottom cabinet and rf cage cover for a
: TS-520S. I will take both the top and bottom cabinet if available. I fixed
: up one that was given to me but with missing parts.

: Also if anyone still uses the 520, my S meter seems way over sensistive
: when I calibrate it for 50 uv for S9 per the owners manual. Any ideas?
: Very strong stations peg it. If I cal it for full deflection with the RF
: gain fully ccw then it is too stingy. Thanks....

I have two TS-520 's (not -520S's...) I have never calibrated the
S-meter, but I believe them both to be stingy and I never have any
peg-the-needle incidents.

Poke around on the net. In various 'repositories' you'll find a
wealth of old Kenwood service bulletins for this fine ol' rig.
(I'm about to upgrade the product detectors with matched H.P.
Schottkey diodes -- so I can hear folks that can't hear me <g>.)

Good Luck with your project.

73
Jonesy W3DHJ

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SK

134. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com
Message-ID: <33429348.250002574@news.ccnet.com>
Source record: 178780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 01 Apr 1997 10:29:16 -0600, timbo <tim_raffety@oxy.com> wrote:

>Jerry Gardner wrote:
>> In general I agree with you on this, but smoking in a public place,
>> such as a restaurant, encroaches on my right to breath clean air.
>>
>> --
>> Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
>> (w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.
>
>So does smelling your fart that you let slide out so nonchalantly with a
>big smile on your face after eating your dinner. I've seen guys like
>that sitting next to me when I am out at a nice place and I am trying to
>finish my meal and I just want to puke all over the damn place. Just
>because you cup your hand and fart in it just to smell your own farts
>doesn't mean others like them.

Good point, but 20,000 people didn't die last year due to second-hand
farts... Face it, cigarette smoke is a known carcinogin, farts are
not.

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Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
(w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

135. FS: Yaesu FT-736R With All Band Modules

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@ford.com
Message-ID: <860009293.19006@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

Yaesu FT-736R Satellite Transceiver

Includes all band modules (6 Meter, 2 Meter, 220 MHz, 440 MHz, and 1.2 GHz) as well as the optional CTCSS tone board and MD-1 Desk Mic.

Service manual, all original manuals, and original boxes and packing

Mint condition -- non-smoker.

Price: $2000.00 plus shipping

Please contact Fred at feisntei@ford.com or call

810-968-3735 (Home)
313-621-7534 (Office)

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136. Re: "Satellite Operators Unite!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@ke4zv.atl.ga.us
Message-ID: <1997Apr2.190027.1994@ke4zv.atl.ga.us>
Source record: 178782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

In article <3341499C.632C@sullivan.vf.mmc.com> @sullivan.vf.mmc.com writes:
>
>Personally, I can't financially support ANY organization that insists
>on using inferior product. I am speaking about the Ariane 5 launch
>vehicle. The first one blew up, and the others that had space on
>the second launch pulled-out. One would think that Amsat would have
>learned over the years that the ESA does not have the world's best
>reliability for launch vehicles (anybody remember the early Oscars?
>The ones that were lost because the launch vehicle - Ariane - went
>into submarine mode?). I know where of I speak, having worked in
>the satellite business (RCA and it's successors) for the last 13+
>years. When they see the light and use another launch vehicle, THEN
>I'll support them (Amsat).
>Jack

Well gee, Jack, if you're willing to pay the difference in launch costs, AMSAT will be happy to use a different launch supplier. But realize that ESA has only had one launch failure with an AMSAT satellite on board, that was P3A, and our ride was *free* on that one because it was a developmental flight. ESA has given amateurs a free (or very reduced cost) ride up until now, as a piggyback payload, and they're only charging $100,000 for the P3D solo launch to GTO. If you know of another launch supplier who'll give us a ride to GTO for $90 a pound, lets hear about it.

The Chinese Long March (which doesn't have a sterling success record) costs 10x as much. Atlas II is even more (and has had failures too). Titan holds the all time record for longest launch delay, 1000 days sitting on the pad before it was ready to go, and Titans have blown up too, and cost even more than an Atlas II launch. And Shuttle is over $20,000 a pound, can't even reach GTO, and has had a spectacular failure of its own. The Russians recently had a blown launch too. Now Proton is about the most reliable launcher in the world, but guess what a GTO flight costs using it? It's quite a bit more than a Long March.

ESA gives amateurs a very cheap ride (way below their cost). The tradeoff for that has been some launch delays, and one launch failure, because we get all the new developmental launches at that price. That's a good tradeoff. We couldn't afford to launch on Atlas, or Titan, or even Proton.

Gary
--
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it, | Due to provider problems

Destructive Testing Systems | we break it. | with previous uucp addresses
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed! | Email to ke4zv@radio.org
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | |

137. Re: Alinco DR-592T Mod's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: niels <niels@blast.net>
Message-ID: <E80zss.H6w@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 178783

. DO NOT DISCONNECT THE BLACK CONNECTOR FROM THE LCD DISPLAY! Unscrew the two screws holding the LCD together and carefully pry apart, cut the loop of the blue wire located near VR1 & VR2 on the LCD display. Reassemble and reset CPU press and hold [function] and power up.

crossband repeater enable: simultaneously press [function]+[vhf]

disable: simultaneouly press [function]+[uhf]

Good luck, Bob KB2UWJ

--
My Home Page
http://www.blast.net/niels
Best when viewed with MS Explorer 3.02+

Thomas E. Brown <tebrown@internetmci.com> wrote in article <01bc3ee4$b5cce160$270737a6@tom>...
> Does anyone know where I can get the mod's for my Alinco DR-592T Moble - I
> would like to be able to open up the 70cm band down to 435mhz xtm. I have
> heard it can be done but until recently I have not pursued the info. Any
> help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thx, Tom Brown
> N0URG
>

138. FS: Yaesu FL-7000 Solid State Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@ford.com
Message-ID: <860010060.19547@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

Yaesu FL-7000 Solid State Linear Amp 160-10 Meters

Puts out 600W, has built-in antenna tuner, 'Plug & Play' operation.

Just serviced by Yaesu (to add all of the factory authorized
modifications to bring it up to current production model specs)

Excellent condtion -- non-smoker

Includes all original boxes, packing, and manuals.

Price: $1050 plus shipping (about $40.00 or so -- this amp is heavy!!!).

Please contact Fred at feinstei@ford.com or call:

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313-621-7534 (Office)

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139. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rstevens@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5hudn5$318$1@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 178785

Hey Butch (interesting name),

Are you as macho in the rest of your life as you like to appear in your ham radio persona?

My bet is you wear women's underwear underneath those fatigues.

Way to try to help a young ham, the likes of which the hobby has sorely needed for the last 10-20 years. No wonder it's dying out, with attitudes like yours.

Or are you a joke?

73, Roger WA3FLE
Norristown, PA

In article <33426BBD.3B1B@apollo.wes.army.mil>, butch@apollo.wes.army.mil wrote:
>Michael J. Wade wrote:
>>
>> Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have > Once
> I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
>> up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
>> Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
>> one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
>snip
>
>Did you take the General class exam yourself or did someone take it for
>you? Son, you don't know enouth to be on HF or this is some kind of
>joke.
>y
>Butch KF5DE

Roger W. Stevens (rstevens@voicenet.com)
amprnet: wa3fle@wa3fle.ampr.org [44.80.12.33]
ax25: WA3FLE@WB3JOE.#EPA.PA.USA.NA
"Be a Hero--Be a Donor!"--Mickey Mantle
Visit my homepage at http://www.voicenet.com/~rstevens
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140. FS: Yaesu FT-736R with ALL Band Modules (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@ford.com
Message-ID: <860015494.24046@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a repost -- sorry if it's a duplicate....

For Sale:

Yaesu FT-736R Satellite Transceiver

-- All band modules included (6 Meters, 2 Meters, 220 MHz, 440 MHz, 1.2 GHz) (220 MHz is not installed because radio will only take 4 bands at a time).

-- Also includes the optional CTCSS board, Yaesu MD-1 Desk Microphone, and optional service manual.

-- Mint condition -- non-smoker.

-- All boxes, manuals, packing materials included.

Price: $2000.00 firm plus shipping

Contact Fred (feinstei@ford.com) if interested

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141. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <3342871D.5D82@atl.org>
Source record: 178787

Mr. Butch Magee,

I am outraged at the qouted response. Does the author realize he
works for Michael, myself, and a considerable number of other readers?
A public apology is in order, and some help with Michael's antenna
project might earn a bit of respect. Because, there is none now.

-bob
wb4mnf

Butch Magee wrote:
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> Michael J. Wade wrote:
> >
> > Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have > Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
> > up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
> > Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
> > one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
> snip
>
> Did you take the General class exam yourself or did someone take it for
> you? Son, you don't know enouth to be on HF or this is some kind of
> joke.
> y
> Butch KF5DE

142. YAESU 8500,patch,pentium,comp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402215201.QAA02019@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178788

$559 - Yaesu FT-8500 with the MH-39 Smaller one touch FULL-FUNCTION mic, Dual band Mobile. Name readout with frequency numbers displayed, spectra analyzer, Big "OMNI GLOW" remotable display. Imaculate.

$329 - Connect Systems CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO PATCH. Hurry! 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed. Built in programable keypad OR on-air program. Needs only a mic and audio out conection.

$159 - Mother board PENTIUM 90 mhz, PCI & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade special.

$69 - Card - SVGA PCI high quality video. $49 with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem w/manuals

KC4SRN@AOL.COM

143. Re: "Satellite Operators Unite!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@ke4zv.atl.ga.us
Message-ID: <1997Apr2.182555.1723@ke4zv.atl.ga.us>
Source record: 178789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

In article <33411815.C69@sonalysts.com> Al Gerheim <gerheim@sonalysts.com> writes:
>Vince Fiscus, KB7ADL wrote:
>>
>> Satellite users, Amsat-NA needs donations to complete and launch the Phase 3D
>> satellite. Your donations are tax deductable. See http://www.amsat.org
>>
>
>I have never worked an AMSAT satellite because the gear required costs
>too much. I work only RS-10, RS-12, and RS-15. When AMSAT puts up
>a bird I can use, I won't be cheap.

Huh? You can work the microsats with a dualbander, even in some cases
a HT dualbander. If you don't have either of those, a $50 80 watt GE
Exec II or 110 watt Mastr II can make a dandy UHF uplink transmitter.
Use the temperature compensation input of the Icom for doppler tracking
and/or VXO. You've already got the 2m gear apparently if you're working
the mode A birds. Or you can certainly use one of the converter circuits
in the various Handbooks to translate receive down to the HF receiver
you've got to have to work mode A. Antennas are merely a matter of a
wooden 2x2 boom and some aluminum clothesline wire for elements.

If you can't get on the microsats or mode B birds for under $100, you
aren't trying.

Gary
--
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it, | Due to provider problems
Destructive Testing Systems | we break it. | with previous uucp addresses
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Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | |

144. F/S KENWOOD R599D HAM RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: 8uhz@concentric.net
Message-ID: <860022923.30437@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178790

FOR SALE .. EXCELLENT KENWOOD R599D RECEIVER...160MTRS..
THROUGH 10MTRS.. CAN ALSO PICK UP 2 AND 6 MTRS.. WITH ADAPTERS
(NOT INSTALLED) BUILT IN FILTERS FOR 25/5/2.5/AND .5 PASSBAND..
WILL RECEIVE AM/SSB/CW AND FM...
WITH ORIGINAL MANUAL....

WORKS AS NEW...

MAKE FAIR OFFER !
...
HAVE OWNED FOR SEVERAL YEARS .. BUT LET THE TRANSMITTER GO
A LONG TIME AGO AND JUST NOT USING THE RECEIVER MUCH NOW..
TIM.

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145. Wanted: technical help for micro-radio station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dash <dash@primus.com>
Message-ID: <3342EC24.69E9@primus.com>
Source record: 178791
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.pirate,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave

We are looking for an RF engineer to help us start a micro-radio FM station in Seattle. The station will cover a range of things including news, music and spoken word. We have a motivated, energetic group of people. We have a fair amount of equipment. But we don't have a working transmitter, and that's where you come in.

So far we have two transmitters on hand. But neither one is putting out clean signals, so we're up against a wall. We need help from someone who knows RF design and troubleshooting. Current FM broadcasting technical practice is a big plus. If you have access to test equipment, that would help too. Our technical expertise is actually quite good and we've gotten pretty far ourselves -- now we just need your help to get us over the top.

If you think you can help, please contact cameron at 206-729-8409 or email slr@scn.org.

146. Re: Anti-Spam Measures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: seward@netcom.ca
Message-ID: <5hurf0$qeq@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 178792

jsielke@cyberenet.net (John L. Sielke) wrote:

>> > Is there a possibility that this sort of stuff could go at
>> > the end of postings?

>This is showing your ignorance. In .pinerc, there is a setting to put
>the signature at the bottom.

However, according to a posting in a net-abuse group,

putting garbage in your E-mail header is illegal! (You know, the law
about how you have to type your name and fax number into your fax
machine when you set it up...)

so, by putting the real E-mail address at the start of the posting,
perhaps one is trying not to get arrested while still avoiding spam.

One could use just one line or two instead of the cute box...

John Savard

147. Questions re: Palomar Engineers "Tuner Tuner"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <33430DD9.24F0@vbe.com>
Source record: 178793

In several magazines and Palomar Engineers catalog they are selling a device called a "Tuner Tuner" (a 50 ohm noise bridge) which thhey state is placed in the line before your antenna tuner and is used to tune without transmitting. Have any of you had any experience with this unti ? Does it seem to work well ? And for the rest ... is this type of device considered useful ?

Thanks and 73 de Michael Melland
badger@vbe.com

148. WTB: Drake MS7 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb7et@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5huag7$v0t@camel2.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178794

I'm looking for an MS7 speaker in nice condition.

Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

149. Re: Hellp with HTX202 + TNC RFI problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion**@capital.net
Message-ID: <3342ac29.2039021@news.capital.net>
Source record: 178795

On Tue, 01 Apr 1997 23:42:14 -0500, Jeff Gregor <hobbes99@ziplink.net>
wrote:

>I just bought my first packet TNC the other day (KPC-3+), but I'm having
>a severe problem hooking it up to my htx202 due to RFI. I've noticed
>this about the handheld before, that when I bring it into a room with a
>computer on it goes beserk (noise all the way up to s-10 on the scale).
>It doesn't seem to make a difference which computer, they all do the
>same thing, so I'm assuming that the problem is with the radio rather
>than just my system.
> I see people with htx-202's hooked up to packet all the time (QST
>articles and whatnot), so I'm wondering if anyone else has had a similar
>problem or if there is something wrong with my individual radio.
> Any suggestions/comments/information would be greatly appreciated!
>
>Jeff Gregor / N1UDS

Hello Jeff. Are you using an outdoor antenna for the HTX-202? I ran
one of these radios right next to my computer with no problem. I used
an outside antenna, though. If I put the stock rubber duckie, (or any
indoor antenna) back on the radio it did pick up lots of noise from
any RF source in the room.

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73,
Butch N2YMJ
To send mail, delete
the two stars from
my address.

150. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fiz <fiz@lamar.colostate.edu>
Message-ID: <3342F7BC.446D@lamar.colostate.edu>
Source record: 178796

Butch Magee wrote:
>
> Michael J. Wade wrote:
> >
> > Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have > Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
> > up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
> > Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
> > one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
> snip
>
> Did you take the General class exam yourself or did someone take it for
> you? Son, you don't know enouth to be on HF or this is some kind of
> joke.
> y
> Butch KF5DE

huh? Did I miss something, or could someone explain this reply to me?

ttfn fiz (KG0YG)

151. Tokyo Hy-Power Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmuldoon@capecod.net
Message-ID: <33430DE4.5B0F@capecod.net>
Source record: 178797

Looking for help on alignment of a Tokyo Hy-Power
2 meter FM/SSB 160 watt amplifier Model HL-110V.
Would appreciate a copy of manual (will pay) or just
a copy of the schematic. Have tried to contact factory
in Japan with no response. Thanks.

152. TS-711A Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Whitmore <ronwhit@dreamscape.com>
Message-ID: <33431265.45A4@dreamscape.com>
Source record: 178798

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| Ron Whitmore ronwhit@dreamscape.com |
| Amateur Radio Operator |
| WA2LUF |
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153. Re: Yaesu FT-8000R questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John E Sanford <n0tcn@visi.com>
Message-ID: <3342D887.1665@visi.com>
Source record: 178799

Mr. Edmund Burke jr wrote:
>
> Just a few questions on the FT-8000R.
>
> Is there a CTCSS decode module for this radio? I've seen mention of
>
> encode, but never any mention of decode capabilities.

> BUILT IN (STANDARD EQUIPMENT)
> If there is a CTCSS decode module, does it allow for efficient
>
> scanning?

WORKS VERY WELL !
>
> What extra features do you get from the ADMS-2C software? Does it
>
> allow for limited alphanumeric channel tags?
>
>YES< IT DOES.

73 de JOHN, N0TCN

154. Quit whining!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970331073515.11341B-100000-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178800

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* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
* My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This *
* is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. *
* To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! *
* My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com *
* When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, *
* not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. *
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
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On Mon, 31 Mar 1997, Willard Flagg wrote:

> Ted, take a look at the amount of content in you message. You have more
> disclaimer about your email practice then you have relevant information.
> You might want to consider: 'Do unto to others as you would have them do
> unto you' as I for one am getting tired of having to look for content in
> messages from posts like yours. Others likely feel the same.

Then you and any others who don't like it can add me to your killfile and
quit crying and whining in my email because,(for the last damn time), I AM
NOT CHANGING IT so don't waste your or my time... don't email me again.
I'm sick of these crybabies who whine about this but never say a damn
thing about these idiots who post uninformative for-sale ads. Get lost.

I repeat: I AM NOT CHANGING IT!

So either learn how to flip the page or add ted@*.* to your killfile.

Ted <ted@caprica.com>

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* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
* My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! *
* I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever *
* sends unsolicited advertizing via Email risk prompt *
* cancelation of internet service without refund and *
* possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! *
* Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied *
* to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. *
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
*
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* My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! *
* Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html *
* Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! *
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
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* Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! *
* It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html *
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
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155. IC-706 & AT-180 SWAP 4 ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Johnson <BP93@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33433291.B84@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178801

IC-706 AND AT-180 AUTO TUNER. USED ABOUT 30 MIN ON TRANSIT...MINT...MINT
TRADE FOR ???????

BOB K7EYT

156. 706 & AT SWAP 4 ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Johnson <BP93@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <334333B8.6267@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178802

IC-706 & AT-180 AUTO TUNER. USED ABOUT 30 MIN ON TRANS....NEVER USED
MOBILE....MINT....MINT....TRADE FOR ??????

BOB K7EYT

157. Seeker Multiband Mobile Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter A. Forkes" <pforkes@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <3343291D.7ED2@pobox.com>
Source record: 178803
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does anyone have any experience with a Seeker Multiband Mobile Antenna?

I'm thinking of getting one for my Radio Shack PRO-2046 scanner.

http://www.radio-ware.com/sekmm.html

Peter

158. Price of Yaesu FT-901DM and FL_2100B?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dwayne Vest <dav1@bright.net>
Message-ID: <334338DA.6425@bright.net>
Source record: 178804

I have a chance to buy a ft901dm with phone patch and a 2100b. What is a reasonable price for these radios?

Thanks
Dwayne

159. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <33433995.49D9@icss.net>
Source record: 178805

Brian Mileshosky, N5ZGT wrote:
>
> >I haven't been following this thread closely, but...
>
> >Isn't Radio Shack the place less than 5 miles from your house where you
> >can buy something and then return it 30 days later, for no good reason,
> >and get a complete refund? I thought so. Try that stunt at <add
> >favorite mail-order Ham store here>.
>
> True, but I prefer a place that actually knows about their
> equipment, instead of one that always says "Well, I think..." or
> "Uhh..I'm sure it does...," etc. when you ask them something. Rat
> Shack might not be that way where you live, but it sure is where I
> live! That's why I don't waste my time or spend any money with them.
> Basically, it all comes down to personal opinions. I prefer a place
> that has excellent service and knowledge about their products,
> regardless if they have a good 30 day return policy or not. Afterall,
> it's my money I'm spending, and my soon-to-be new toy! :)
> 73,
> Brian, N5ZGT
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> _____
> Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
> Eagle Scout (12-6-96) ARRL QRP: NorCal# 1700 QRP-L# 580 AK/QRP # 125
> JASM - Troop 41 Author of Worldradio's "Youth Forum" Column
> Albuquerque, N.M. Packet: N5ZGT @ KC5IZT.ALBQ.NM.USA.NOAM
> O.A. Lodge 66 <-W-W-W-<< Internet: n5zgt@swcp.com
> _____
I don't ask the RS clerks for anything except to see the product and the
manual. Then, while manual open, I fiddle-fool with the toy. Then,
when it goes on sale - and they always do, I whip out the ole plastic.
I have never not answered one of my own questions ;-) Its that simple!
Brian/N0iMD

160. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <33433CF5.642@icss.net>
Source record: 178806

hershman wrote:
>
> Kenneth M Gianino wrote:
> >
> > > Paul Larson wrote:
> > > >That seems reasonable, because the instant that you walk out of the Rat
> > > >Shack store with your shiny new appliance, it will be worth atleast $100
> > > >less than what you paid five minutes earlier.
> > > >
> > > >P.L.
> >
> > I haven't been following this thread closely, but...
> >
> > Isn't Radio Shack the place less than 5 miles from your house where you
> > can buy something and then return it 30 days later, for no good reason,
> > and get a complete refund? I thought so. Try that stunt at <add
> > favorite mail-order Ham store here>.
> >
> > -Ken
> When the Radio Shack goes on sale then it is a good buy. I agree about
> the poor return policy by all the Ham Dealers. Their policy is "You
> bought, Now you are stuck with it"!!

Hey, I'm stuck with an ANLI/Premier AT-4 antenna from AES/Las Vegas. No assembly required, nothing to go wrong, returned in same plastic sleeve as received - as new. They "re-returned" it to me (hmmm, should I check my charge card for more shipping charges?). I'm going to Radio Shack when they carry a dual-band antenna for that spiffy new dual band hand-held.

Brian/N0iMD

161. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <334337A9.6259@icss.net>
Source record: 178807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Nate Bargmann wrote:
>
> kc5nzr@rt66.com (Richie L. Allen, KC5NZR) wrote:
>
> >I'm perfectly capapble of cleaning up a piece of used gear, smoke or not. For
> >the right price I'd buy something that had been rescued from a latrine!
> >
>
> I had the opportunity to volunteer to fix a piece of gear for a
> friend. Complaint was the receiver went deaf. After checking it out,
> I found the RF amp in the front end had a corroded lead and another
> completely corroded off. There was some dried substance on the PC
> board which I managed to clean off. After repairing the radio it took
> about 2 weeks to air out the cat smell...yuckkk!
>
> I guess maybe hamfests aren't such a bad place to buy gear, at least
> you get a chance to look the gear over and can get a better idea of
> what you're purchasing than with a sight-unseen sale. I've seen rigs
> at hamfests, though, that make you think the seller and XYL had given
> the harmonics hammers and chisels for Christmas...amazing!
>
> 73, de Nate >>
>
> Packet | KA0RNY @ KC5TKF.#NCOK.OK.USA.NOAM | "If wires can be
> Internet | nbargman@fullnet.net | connected in two
> Location | Enid, Oklahoma USA EM16bj | different ways,
> View yet another web page at: | the first way
> http://www.harvestcomm.net/personal/nbargman/index.htm | blows the fuse!"

While stationed at Osan AB, Korea in 1979, I worked with a technician
whose wife routinely took a hammer to his hobby toys. No, he wasn't an
amateur, but if you ever run across a piece of vintage Pioneer audio
equipment with a "hammer tone" finish, you'll know the rest of the
story.
Brian

162. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: commquart@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402204200.PAA27208@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178808

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Senior Technical Editor, Communications Quarterly Magazine
"The Radio Connection," Popular Communications Magazine
-- proud members of the CQ family --
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163. Re: yaesu ft900 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Demolition Man <nospam.demoman@rollanet.org>
Message-ID: <3343370B.55B8@rollanet.org>
Source record: 178809
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Richard LANDRAUD F1ULK wrote:
>
> I am looking for mods to extend tx/rx of my ft900 ?

slide the top cover/heat sink towards the rear to expose the CNTL-1
unit.
locate test points TP3001 & TP3002 on the CNTL board [top/center of the
board]
connect a temporary jumper between TP3001 & TP3002 [alligator clip
works]
reconnect power. press and hold [proc] & [att] & [ipo] & [nb] & turn
power on
release the four keys
display shows "off". turn the vfo dial until display shows "on"
press [proc] to store new rf/tx range
remove jumper from test points
--
A.C.Curtis
KB0WLF
Pres DCARC Salem, MO http://www.rollanet.org/~jack/
mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman/

164. Keyers - what's new?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Johnson <jjohnson@hpl.hp.com>
Message-ID: <3342D6D9.20DF@hpl.hp.com>
Source record: 178810

I'm wondering what's new in the world of electronic keyers. I'm realizing how out-of-touch I am when I thumb through Web pages and magazine ads looking for things like keyers and phone patches. Is MFJ the only manufacturer of keyers these days? There used to be a keyer chip (Curtis?) available as a kit - is it passe also? Maybe keyers are always included in new equipment now ... hmm, new equipment ... there's a thought. What are you doing for a keyer? Go ahead, I have my armor on ... let me have it!

Thanks and 73,

Jim W6SC (new call and no keyer to try it on CW yet)
Home: jjoker@dxhound.com
Work: jjohnson@hpl.hp.com

165. Components

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Espada <aespada@grupo.bfe.pt>
Message-ID: <33419775.96F@grupo.bfe.pt>
Source record: 178918

Dear Sirs,

I would like to be informed on how to acquire an integrated circuit "vp-15e1305", TAIYO or any other equivalent to this one in order to repair my FUKUYAMA VHF radio, model multi-700ax, 2m FM1-25W.

Neither in Portugal nor in Spain have I found these circuits and since I don't know any possible equivalents, I don't know what to search or where

I thank you in advance for your kind attention.

Hoping to hear from you,

Yours,

Renato Luis Espada
CT1EYT

166. Hammarlund HQ145X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa4bmg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402004500.TAA29448@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178919

Need manual and alignment info for this rec.
John WA4BMG

167. Re: Looking for 6146 Tubes.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gaugler@calweb.com
Message-ID: <3341ac0a.4836150@news.calweb.com>
Source record: 178920
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.market.computers

On Wed, 26 Mar 1997 14:54:21 +0100, Filip Szczucki
<c56953fs@cs-boglab.eti.pg.gda.pl> wrote:

>Hello All, here's SP2WDW from Gdansk, Poland. I use Heathkit HW-101, still
>fully operational at 90-100 watts output. Thinking of its future, I wonder
>whether anyone knows where to find the 6146 tubes ?
>If you happen to know anything, please reply. Thanks in advance,
> Filip SP2WDW.
>
>

I have your tubes. Please contact me to arrange delivery.

gary gaugler, N6OIJ
California, USA

Gary Gaugler
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Modern surfers use PC boards. You can too at

http://photoweb.net

e-mail: gaugler @ calweb dot com (foils bulk e-mailers)
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168. HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael J. Wade" <wade@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3eff$d67362c0$9bec35ce@wade1>
Source record: 178921

Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have a
somewhat better idea of what to look for.
I think I have narrowed my choices to one of the following:

Collins KWM-2a
Drake TR4-C
Kenwood TS-820

Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these radios
and if so what should I look for.

Thanks for your help.

73 de kb9kdg
General as of 4/26/95

169. Info Wanted: Heath SB-1400 Xcvr Power Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: pollitt@dmv.com
Message-ID: <3341b175.262418766@news>
Source record: 178922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swa
prec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Need any and all info (part number, manufacturer, manufacturer number,
where can I buy them , etc etc etc) for the 4-pin power connector on
the back of the SB-1400 Xcvr. I need the female connector that plugs
into the male connector mounted on the chassis.

I believe that the connector(s) are CINCH .... but I can't determine
it from the descriptions in Allied or Newark catalogs .... anyone have
better understanding of these connectors ????

Please e-mail ur answers to me at: pollitt@dmv.com

Thanx es 73

Roy C. Pollitt KD4HC
Fenwick Island DE

170. FS: Drake TR-7 & PS-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3f08$bb26c620$b250b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 178923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have forsale a Drake TR-7 in excellent condition both electrically and cosmeticly. It comes with the match PS-7 power supply and original manual.

$450.00

Call 520-284-6848 or e-mail nu6x@sedona.net

Mark NU6X

171. WTB Hallicrafters SX-122 or SX-122A receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5hsdd7anc1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 178924

Wanted

Hallicrafters SX-122 or SX-122A HF receiver.

If you have one for sale, please reply with condition and price
to csc@smartt.com

Colin

172. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: drg@flash.net
Message-ID: <3341c310.4297263@news.flash.net>
Source record: 178925

hghgkgt

173. Re: Nickel Metal Hydride vs NiCd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc3f0c$dd6b85a0$f70f2399@peter->
Source record: 178926

Carl W Behrens <cwb@norden1.com> wrote in article
<33417E49.4002@norden1.com>...
> I've heard that NiMH cells have a life of about 100 charge/discharge
> cycles vs. 300 cycles for NiCd cells.

That could explain a lot.

When you have partially discharges a NiMH pack, is it best to top it off or
should it be
discharged completely? I usually top them off and periodically run them
down all the
way. Does this hurt them? (I don't run them into the ground, just to the
cutoff V).

174. Need Mod info for IC-P4CT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: javabear@precipice.com
Message-ID: <5hsim8$9o8@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 178927

Am in need of the MODS for this radio. The mods for the p4at are
diffrent in that a diode is installed in the AT. in the CT that diode is
already there. Any/all information email to javabear@precipice.com
Thank you

175. Need FM Board FT-101ZD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: MICHAEL FAWBUSH <mfawbush@usit.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3f18$1a16d440$2b3a01c7@mfawbush.usit.net>
Source record: 178928

I want a FM Board FT-101ZD.

Mike Fawbush
KF4JOZ
mfawbush@usit.net

176. FS Dentron

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerry schantz <jschantz@trader.com>
Message-ID: <01bc3f14$85c04f40$2ed628cf@jerry.trader.com>
Source record: 178929

Have a Dentron JR. Monitor ant. tuner w/ manual.
Used mostly for SWL $75 ??
Thanks
Jerry Schantz

177. FS: TI 320C5x DSKs (DSP Starter Kits)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Cole <cole@netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3341E0B2.1C@netcom.com>
Source record: 178930

I have several TI 320C5x DSKs (DSP Starter Kits) for sale. The TI part number is TMDS3200051. They are all brand new and have never been opened. The C5x DSK has been featured in several QEX articles, including
one last August about packet voice, and has been used very successfully in EME applications.

These kits are designed for students, experimenters, and developers who need a simple, low-cost way to prototype DSP-based applications for the TI 320C5x series of DSP chips. The kit includes a small (2.5" x 4") PC board with a TMS320C50 processor, a TI Analog Interface Circuit (AIC) chip with 14-bit A/D and D/A capable of sample rates to 19.2 K samples/sec, RCA jacks for analog I/O, and a 9-pin RS-232 host interface.
The kit also includes a simple assembler, loader and debugger for the PC, a kit manual and a TMS320C5x manual.

The latest versions of the software as well as several user-written demo programs can be downloaded from TI. The URL is:

ftp://ftp.ti.com/mirrors/tms320bbs/c5xdskfiles/

The board requires a 9 volt *AC* power supply capable of >250 ma. A 9 VAC
780 ma supply with the right plug is available for $8.99 from Radio Shack
(Part # 273-1630).

TI sells these through distributors for $99, and purchasing them from distributors can be a hassle. I'll sell them for $60 each shipped within
the US. Terms: Price is firm. The units are guaranteed against DOA. Immediate shipment if payment is by USPS or other money order or cashier's
check. Personal checks are fine but I'll wait a few days for them to clear.
At this price COD just isn't worth the hassle, so no CODs, please. If you
want one send me a message and I'll reply with the information you need to
order one.

Randy Cole KN6W
cole@netcom.com

178. Wanted Parts for Yaesu HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John C. Grasso KC2BGA" <76645.3673@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5hsm4tatj1@mhafc.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 178931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,su.org.ham-radio,tnn.radio.amateur,triangle.radio

I am a new HAM and need an FTS- 7 encoder, Batteries and Charger
for a Yaesu FT 203 R HT. Please email description and price.

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UNCLE OSCAR ALIVE AND WELL ON 2M

179. Mods for TM-251A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5xdn@pcok.com
Message-ID: <5hsned$66u$1@okanogan.brigadoon.com>
Source record: 178932

Howdy Folks,
I'm looking for mods for the Kenwood TM-251A 2 meter mobile.
Thanks,
dB
E-mail: n5xdn@pcok.com
WWW: http://www.pcok.com/~n5xdn

180. FS: Kenwood YK-455C-1 500Hz Filter , Lower priced.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: grainone@caserta.peoples.it
Message-ID: <3341ec4e.1982347@news.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 178933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Specially dedicated to TS-140/680, but VG also for lot of others KW
rtx.I sell it tested OK, like new for $ 70 shipped to your door.
e-mail me to:
grainone@caserta.peoples.it

73 de Vanni - I8JJB
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Vanni R.
Caserta,Italy

181. Re: Wanted:Chrome Bencher Iambic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <5hsqq0$pdh@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 178934

ml0589@cc.utah.edu (mike leonard) writes:
Hi Mike,

Your email address keeps bouncing. If you haven't found a pair yet, I
have a set with clear plastic dust cover that I'm willing to part with.

cheers, Paul
ve7cqk
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

>Wanted:by2 Bencher Chrome Iambic Paddle

182. FS: Precision Metal Carbide Drill Bits #57

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Long N. Phan" <longphan@mit.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc3f27$7e21ccb0$2600e212@aerial>
Source record: 178935

I have 4 cases (50 each) of:

Fine Grain Precision Metal Carbide Drill Bits #57
Perfect for P.C. Boarding electronic components.

I will sell it for $25 each case.
I have 1 case left!!!!
That's about 50 cents a bit!!!!
First come, first serve.
You won't find this anywhere else for this price.

Please reply to:

Long N. Phan
longphan@mit.edu

183. Re: Radio Shack Dual Band Hand-Held HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgmhurd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402045500.XAA17232@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178936

Why is everyone saying that the at-600 is $100 less than the htx-204? The 204 is $399 and the adi is $349. What gives? When the rs goes on sale it will be hard to beat. Plus, You can get to rs, most people aren't fortunate as we up here in NH. to have an HRO nearby. Plus, Show me a place that will offer a 5yr waranty available.

sgmhurd@aol.com
Gary Hurd WR1U
tnx es 73 de .--.-..------..-

184. WTB: 220 & 440 Isolator (Circulator)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark McClain <mark@internetMCI.com>
Message-ID: <01bc3f2b$ec13de80$b20637a6@0202402422471123>
Source record: 178937
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I'm looking for a dual-port isolator (with or without loads)
on 220 and 440 MHz.

If you have anything available, please respond directly to:
mark.mcclain@mci.com

Thanks,

Mark S. McClain
N6OBY - 224.50mhz
Redmond, WA.

185. Re: A Question on FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <3341f62f.908129@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 178938

Check out the info a http://members.gnn.com/hca/ft50

malverne@ix.netcom.com(MALVERNE POLICE DEPARTMENT) wrote:

> Looking for instructions on modifying the FT-50R to transmit in
>the 150's and 450's (yes --- I'm allowed to be there!) Thanks for any
>help.
>
>Glen (the cop...KEB455)

186. FS: Motorola HT90s, HT50s, chargers, TANDY 102, misc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cedmon01@serss1.fiu.edu
Message-ID: <5hsv15$lmk@isis.fiu.edu>
Source record: 178939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

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Terms are as follows:

All items are for sale AS-IS, all sales FINAL. Please feel free to make an
alternative offer. I reserve the right to decline any offer. ALL PRICES
INCLUDE UPS GROUND SHIPPING WITHIN THE 48 STATES. You can pay me in
advance; when I receive your payment (personal cheque is OK), I ship to
you.

For more information, contact: Christopher Edmonds - edmondsc@fiu.edu
================================================================================
Motorola Radios & Accessories (see below for more info)

$400 shipped for the lot

qty 1 HT50 154.6 MHz
qty 4 HT90 154.6 MHz
qty 3 HT90 154.57 MHz
several partially assembled HT90s and HT50s

qty 1 NTN4864B charger
qty 6 NLN7646A charger
qty 6 NTN4864A charger

qty 14 NLN7434A & similar batteries
qty 1 NTN5453A battery

qty 13 BNC whip antennas various lengths
qty 1 HT50 screw in antenna

I would like to sell all this together if possible. The chargers are in
decent cosmetic shape, some have marker writing on the front. The radios
are somewhat more beat up. All of the radios were used for data
transmission, all have had the accessory jack removed. Some have a short
coiled cord with a strange connector in place of the jack, some have
nothing at all here. I have tried most of them, however, and they all
seem to function anyway. The condition of most of the batteries is
unknown; I charged up a few to test the radios, that's it. Because of
the condition of this equipment, I offer no guarantees on it.
================================================================================
HP 1222A Oscilloscope $100 shipped

Not working, possible problem with sweep generator. When you press
the beam find button, you can see the beam sitting there in the
middle.
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Tandy Model 102 $60 shipped

Seems to be working, comes up when I put batteries in it.
==========
Commodore 128 $70 shipped

128 KB RAM. Includes original box, power supply. Unknown condition.
==========
SCSI Hard Drives - Swap Space Bonanza $30 shipped for the lot

2 Quantum 105S 105 MB - dead
1 Miniscribe 8225S 20 MB - was working in a Mac Plus
1 Seagate ST-138N 30 MB - was working in a Mac SE
1 Bracket to mount HH 3-1/2" HD inside Mac SE with 2 floppies
==========
IBM 5153 EGA? Colour Monitor $50 shipped

No EGA card to test this, but on power up you get a nice sharp white
screen. :-) Cable terminates in a DB9.
==========
Packard Bell PB2400PLUS $25 shipped

External 2400 baud modem. Include manual and power supply.
Full status LEDs on front.
==========
Apple Scribe $30 shipped

Thermal-transfer dot-matrix printer. Used with an Apple IIc.
Includes manual, cable (Apple IIC to DB25), power cord.
Unknown condition.
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Kensington System Saver Mac Plus $30 shipped

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power supply! May fit other compact Macs as well.
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30-pin 256K 120ns SIMM (8 chip) qty 4
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30-pin 256K 80ns SIMM (2 chip) qty 8 work in Macs, not PCs
Macmemory Max-Plus SIMM converter
Converts 4 30-pin 256K SIMMs into 1 30-pin 1MB SIMM. Worked in
a Mac Plus (a tight fit though), probably work in most older macs.
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187. Re: "Satellite Operators Unite!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Philip Chien <nobody@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <5hster$a1o$1@ddi2.digital.net>
Source record: 178940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Al Gerheim <gerheim@sonalysts.com> said:

>I have never worked an AMSAT satellite because the gear required costs
>too much. I work only RS-10, RS-12, and RS-15. When AMSAT puts up
>a bird I can use, I won't be cheap.
>
>Do you have any idea how I can contribute to the Russian Amateur
>Satellite Program?

Fair enough. But it's interesting to note that under your logic the only satellite project I should support is SAREX/MIREX, and the only ham radio band I should be interested in keeping as a ham radio band is the 2 meter band. Why should I care about 70 cm, 10 meters, or any other band I'm not on right now?

I don't think you're correct with your comments that AMSAT-NA doesn't support Mode K and A satellites. There's an excellent book available from your local Martha on how to get started on the Russian satellites. And it continues to sell well, indicating that there is interest in those birds.

The keplerian elements for the RS birds are distributed each week by AMSAT-NA, not to mention WWW resources, AMSAT-BB, and other online resources.

If you want to contribute to the Russian amateur satellites then I'm certain we can find the appropriate contact for you. Or a much closer source to home, SEDSAT, under construction at the University of Alabama Huntsville, will have a Mode A transponder. I'm certain they'd appreciate your financial support too.

Phase 3-D may not fulfill every ham operator's dream of a perfect satellite, but it will increase the capabilities of future amateur satellites, which - in the long run - will benefit all of us.

Philip Chien, KC4YER@amsat.org
Earth News - space writer and consultant

my E-mail address is purposely incorrect to avoid SPAM-bots. I will not accept any unsolicited E-mail or commercial advertisements.

188. FS: Motorola HT90s, HT50s, chargers, misc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cedmon01@serss1.fiu.edu
Message-ID: <5hsut8$lmk@isis.fiu.edu>
Source record: 178941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Terms are as follows:

All items are for sale AS-IS, all sales FINAL. Please feel free to make an
alternative offer. I reserve the right to decline any offer. ALL PRICES
INCLUDE UPS GROUND SHIPPING WITHIN THE 48 STATES. You can pay me in
advance; when I receive your payment (personal cheque is OK), I ship to
you.

For more information, contact: Christopher Edmonds - edmondsc@fiu.edu
================================================================================
Motorola Radios & Accessories (see below for more info)

$400 shipped for the lot

qty 1 HT50 154.6 MHz
qty 4 HT90 154.6 MHz
qty 3 HT90 154.57 MHz
several partially assembled HT90s and HT50s

qty 1 NTN4864B charger
qty 6 NLN7646A charger
qty 6 NTN4864A charger

qty 14 NLN7434A & similar batteries
qty 1 NTN5453A battery

qty 13 BNC whip antennas various lengths
qty 1 HT50 screw in antenna

I would like to sell all this together if possible. The chargers are in
decent cosmetic shape, some have marker writing on the front. The radios
are somewhat more beat up. All of the radios were used for data
transmission, all have had the accessory jack removed. Some have a short
coiled cord with a strange connector in place of the jack, some have
nothing at all here. I have tried most of them, however, and they all
seem to function anyway. The condition of most of the batteries is
unknown; I charged up a few to test the radios, that's it. Because of
the condition of this equipment, I offer no guarantees on it.
================================================================================
HP 1222A Oscilloscope $100 shipped

Not working, possible problem with sweep generator. When you press
the beam find button, you can see the beam sitting there in the
middle.
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Tandy Model 102 $60 shipped

Seems to be working, comes up when I put batteries in it.
==========
Commodore 128 $70 shipped

128 KB RAM. Includes original box, power supply. Unknown condition.
==========
SCSI Hard Drives - Swap Space Bonanza $30 shipped for the lot

2 Quantum 105S 105 MB - dead
1 Miniscribe 8225S 20 MB - was working in a Mac Plus
1 Seagate ST-138N 30 MB - was working in a Mac SE
1 Bracket to mount HH 3-1/2" HD inside Mac SE with 2 floppies
==========
IBM 5153 EGA? Colour Monitor $50 shipped

No EGA card to test this, but on power up you get a nice sharp white
screen. :-) Cable terminates in a DB9.
==========
Packard Bell PB2400PLUS $25 shipped

External 2400 baud modem. Include manual and power supply.
Full status LEDs on front.
==========
Apple Scribe $30 shipped

Thermal-transfer dot-matrix printer. Used with an Apple IIc.
Includes manual, cable (Apple IIC to DB25), power cord.
Unknown condition.
==========
Kensington System Saver Mac Plus $30 shipped

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a Mac Plus (a tight fit though), probably work in most older macs.
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189. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: brosh@matnet.com
Message-ID: <859968604.27091@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178942

In article <33400A83.4AEE@ibm.net>,
Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net> wrote:
>
> Anyone have experience with the Ham Stick HF antennas from
> Lakeview Co.?
>
> Seems they may be broader banded and much less expensive
> than an Outbacker.
>
> Larry, W3UIO
Hello all, I use a 20 meter hamstick and have had great results with
it. The antenna works better than it has any right to, but I
couldn't
exactly call it broad banded-about 75 khz on 20, and that's
stretching
it. I also use a 40 meter hamstick, which has about a 25 khz
bandwidth,
but don't use it much because my car (a 95 Escort) raises a hell of
a
racket on 40. I don't have any experience with the Outbacker, but it
does have one big advantage over the hamsticks-you only need to
carry
the one to cover the bands!
73's all from Chris WL7PV

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

190. ham-equip->r.phelan@www.mac.ul.ie periodic subscription

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: r.PHelan@www.mac.ul.IE
Message-ID: <2.2.32.19970402085311.006becc0@mac.ul.ie>
Source record: 178943

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>
>unsub r.phelan@www.mac.ul.ie ham-equip
>
>in mail to LISTSERV@UCSD.EDU will unsubscribe you from this mailing list.
>
>If you wish to remain subscribed, DO NOTHING. Just discard this message.
>
>
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191. Re: Opinions on Icom IC-706 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0204970343080001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 178944

In article <19970401182701.NAA04895@ladder01.news.aol.com>, km4ja@aol.com (Km4ja) wrote:

> I am thinking of purchasing an Icom IC706 xcvr to replace the Kenwood
> TS-50 AND Alinco Dr-130 that was stolen out of my vehicle. I like the
> fact that the face plate is detachable and thus can be hidden. What are
> your opinions pros and cons that I can use my insurance money to the best
> advantage.
>
> I have been told the IC-706 is a "Technician's radio" what do you think.
>
> If possible please e-mail direct
>
> Harvey, KM4JA
> Km4ja@aol.com

No matter what radio you get, there will be opinions that are pro and con. Choosing to enjoy the radio you buy INDEPENDENT of other people's opinions might be more important that which radio you choose.

If mine were stolen, I'd replace it with the same. Of course, I was told it was an "Extra's radio" :-)

73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

192. Kenwood TS-850S any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402000400.TAA26484@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178945

I am considering buying a used TS-850 to replace my Icom IC-740 and Kenwood R-1000. How good is the '850? QST says that it has one of the best receivers ever made. What do you like or dislike about this rig? Any opinions will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack
N8FNR

193. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: r.PHelan@www.mac.ul.IE
Message-ID: <2.2.32.19970402085410.006a8860@mac.ul.ie>
Source record: 178946

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unsub r.phelan@mac.ul.ie ham-equip
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194. TS-520S want/question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: w8pu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402094201.EAA29698@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178947

I am looking for at least the bottom cabinet and rf cage cover for a TS-520S. I will take both the top and bottom cabinet if available. I fixed up one that was given to me but with missing parts.

Also if anyone still uses the 520, my S meter seems way over sensistive when I calibrate it for 50 uv for S9 per the owners manual. Any ideas? Very strong stations peg it. If I cal it for full deflection with the RF gain fully ccw then it is too stingy. Thanks....

195. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5hsjoa$j92@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 178948

"Michael J. Wade" <wade@iquest.net> wrote:
>I think I have narrowed my choices to one of the following:
>Collins KWM-2a
>Drake TR4-C
>Kenwood TS-820

I personally don't think you can go wrong with any of these three.
Slight preference for the KWM-2 and TS-820 as they use 6146 tubes in
the final amp. The Drake uses TV sweep tubes which are somewhat less
sturdy -- but the Drake circuit seems to work them well within limits
as that radio is NOT known for blowing finals. (unlike some other
rigs!)

>Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
>up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
>Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
>one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these radios
>and if so what should I look for.

Do you have any trees, poles, TV antenna masts, etc. at least 20 feet
high you can use? Dipole antennas can be built easily and
inexpensively. There are two basic multiband configurations:

1. If you buy a good tuner (I use an old Heath SA-2040) with
balanced
feed, you should put up a single dipole with ladder line feed. Make

it as long as possible. In my case, it's 132 feet long, and works
great on all HF bands. Of course, it does require a tuner which may
push your budget.

2. Use a coaxial feed, and put multiple dipoles on the same
feedline.
Start with an antenna 66 feet long (for 40 meters); this will work on
15 meters also. Add dipoles for 20 and (if possible) 80 meters.
This works without a tuner, but it also requires more end supports.

73 Doug

196. Re: WTB: TS-520S CW Filter, VT-520, etc...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: w8pu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970402094701.EAA29769@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178949

Dave....
Just a quick question. I just was given a basket case TS-520S and was able to get it going. The only thing that is bugging me is that the S meter pegs on strong signals. I have cal'd it per the owner's manual (50uv for S9) but no help. How is yours?

197. Wanted: McCaw or Dentron WVP-1A Wattmeters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <5hsrm3$dv5$1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 178950

I am looking for a McCaw wattmeter. This was also sold under the
Dentron brand as a WVP-1A peak reading wattmeter. Will swap or buy

Bryan W5KFT

198. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: leigh@rain.org
Message-ID: <5ht1re$52v$1@news.rain.org>
Source record: 178951

sean hall (shnews@laser.net) wrote:
: Ironically, the Hustler wide-band resonators seem to work fairly well.
: Maybe it's the center loading. QST did a mobile antenna test about a
: year ago. The tunable screwdrivers won, hands down, but the Hustler
: was next in efficiency, with the hamsticks at the bottom of the list.
: I guess nothing beats a full-wave dipole. After my experiments with
: HF mobile, I keep my rig at home.

I've no experience with Hamsticks, but have used the 40 and 75 meter Hustler coils. Making contacts with 100 watts into the 75 meter coil was frustrating, but the 40 meter coil works well. On long drives during daytime hours I've had several enjoyable QSOs on 40 meter SSB.

I've got the high-wattage 40 meter coil, and it is indeed narrowbanded: about a useable range of 50kcs. I usually tune mine for around 7.225, and then put a small MFJ mobile tuner inline if I want to work CW on the lower end of the band. (I'll admit to several mobile CW/straight-key QSOs, at highway speeds.. not a safe practice.)

However, in the evenings when the skip lengthens, and the 40 meter foreign broadcastters start coming in strong, 40 meter mobiling is indeed very difficult. But daytime contacts are usually fairly easy with the 40 meter Hustler coil.

73. --Leigh Marrin/KM6JE.

199. Need FM Board TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: MICHAEL FAWBUSH <mfawbush@usit.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3f18$671f49c0$2b3a01c7@mfawbush.usit.net>
Source record: 178952

Friend needs FM Board for Kenwood TS-430S.

Perry Hensley
N4PH
n4ph@juno.com

or

Mike Fawbush
KF4JOZ
mfawbush@usit.net

200. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <5hti88$h2h$5@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 178953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

>> And yes, it took me several tries before my will power overcame
>> my cat addiction just before midnight on Guy Fawkes day, 1976.
>>
>> Bob
>> wb4mnfI agree! I was once an owner of these useless vermin but after going
>through a 12 step program I know see the error of my ways. Cats are only
>good for stir-fry and nothing else.

they give the dog something to do when it's bored. *grin*

201. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@nospam.com
Message-ID: <5htihe$h2h$6@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 178954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <01bc3e4d$87c0e1a0$c7040626@j3/danielkc4oxp>, kc4oxp@j3com.net says...
>
>What about this guys.. I bought a hf rig about 2 yrs ago, the guy that I >bought it from was NOT a smoker, however the previous owner was, I did >clean it up but it hadnt given the previous owner(s) any problems.. I can >see both sides I guess if you are that concerned, then you had better ask >the buyer beforehand..
>
>Yes I am a smoker, HOWEVER I do NOT smoke around my gear, and I do every 2 >weeks, NO MATTER IF IT NEEDS IT OR NOT I clean all of my gear by hand, each >and every piece. Yes my shack is open to all Amateur Radio operators to >inspect<grin> I take pride in my equiptment, thusly I dont smoke around the >goods..

Do you get inside the units and clean out the pots and the caps and the connectors? Do you get inside and clean the molecular layers of smoke particles from each and every part? It's what you can't see that will kill a piece of equipment. Even if you don't smoke around your gear, you're still breathing that corrosive stuff out of your lungs. Yea, tell me your lungs are nice and pink. My butt cheeks are growing together at this very moment too.

You can't see it or smell it because you are a smoker. If you were not a smoker, you could smell it a mile away.
tyler

202. tmv7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frans Lowiessen <lowiess@pi.net>
Message-ID: <3342508F.174@pi.net>
Source record: 178955

I am intressed in the mods for this rig i have located jumper but do not know what the are for.
Further more i like to program or klone the date pse help

203. FT-990 Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "robert.grosschopff" <robert.grosschopff@germany.sun.com>
Message-ID: <33425005.21B5@germany.sun.com>
Source record: 178956

Hi everyone,

just wondering if anybody out there knows how the antenna tuner
can be reset without reseting the whole transceiver and thus
loosing all other settings (memory channels, ...) .

Thanks
Robert DL1BJO

204. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01bc3f64$65679d20$7e60b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 178957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

timbo <tim_raffety@oxy.com> wrote in article <33413909.249D@oxy.com>...
> > You cat junkies need to realize that your cat ownership destroys
> > electronics over time, the same way it destroys your lungs, your mice,
> > and your health. Besides the annual hundreds or thousands of dollars
> > you spend up in cat products, you're also causing hundreds or thousands
> > of
<<SNIP>><<SNIP>><<SNIP>><<SNIP>><<SNIP>><<SNIP>><<SNIP>>

What are you referring to? What objective and tangible information do you
have to offer to substantiate this? Real question, not a flame.

Regards

Christopher Cox
KC8FRJ
TRA#4901

205. Re: WTB: IC900/IC901 band units

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33426422.2136972@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 178958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 01 Apr 1997 19:04:21 -0500, Andy Zorca
<wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net> wrote:

>tim wrote:
>>
>> Ron Curry wrote:
>> >
>> > Yes, they are getting old and didn't sell very many so there are not many
>> > around. As far as being "good as gold" they are useful for use as remote
>>
>> I really really WTB a UX-59 [6M] Mod add-on Icon 901 , wish Icom could
>> be convinced to make more ...there is a fairly high demand..ie ..people
>> looking for modules...
>>
>> Tim N9JTF
>Hey, how about if we all storm Icom with email to get these back into a
>limited production. Oh, and as far as the Kenwood 7xx series, or for
>that matter, any kenwood, they don't have a narrow front end and don't
>hold up good in a repeater environment as a remote base (at least not as
>good as the Icom band units!)
>
>Andy
ICOM stopped making the band units because of slow sales. You can not
build them and only sell 2 to 4 a month. The demand is not out there
for these units unfortunely. For a factory to set up a line there
needs to be more than a few units sold. Sales should be for several
thousand units.

Gary
I speak only for myself, no one else, nor my employer

206. Re: FT-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John E Sanford <n0tcn@visi.com>
Message-ID: <334266E5.7FE3@visi.com>
Source record: 178959

Larry J. Brock wrote:
>
> niels wrote:
> >
> > cut green wire
> >
> > Dave Crossett <davcross@voicenet.com> wrote in article
> > <333F2B47.5F46@voicenet.com>...
> > > Does anyone know of any mods for this radio ?
> > >
> > > Thanks
> > >
> > > Dave
> > >
>
> Hello,
> Cutting the green wire will not do it by itself.The green wire is on
> the control board,behind the faceplate.Remove top cover and it should be
> visble.Cut the wire and re-assemble radio.
> Now you must reset the radio so write down your memories.Press and
> hold, all at the same time,D\MR,Rev,and ENT while turning on the radio.
> Next turn off the radio and press and hold Scan and Home while turning
> on the radio and that will enable extended receive.
> GOOD LUCK AND DO NOT TRANSMIT OUT OF THE HAM BANDS WITH THIS RADIO!!
>
> 73,
> Larry
Sounds interesting..BUT -- My FT-8500 has no green wire. there is a red
wire // maybe same function ? what is expanded range after mods, any
report of results acheived ?

TNX, 73 de John, N0TCN

207. KENWOOD TS-50 F/S OR TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dd980@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <5hto13$a0n@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 178960

I have a mint ts-50 would trade up or down. $675

208. WTB: Knobs from a FT901DM parts rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4046$a251f5e0$a150b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 178661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Does anyone out there have a FT901DM or a FT902DM parts radio? I need the Mode switch knob(or the Band switch knob) and the Mic gain knob.

Thanks Mark NU6X nu6x@sedona.net

209. Surplus/Salvage Electronics Equip. from Electric Utility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cryptolgic@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403161000.LAA27965@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178662

Tri-State Generation & Transmission Assoc., Inc. an electric utility serving Wyoming, Colorado & western Nebraska, has literally tons of surplus/salvage electronics/electrical equip located at its Sidney, Nebraska warehouse.

Items include mobile radios, DEC printers/terminals, VT100 & VT 220 terminals, Aydin CRT's (rgb), Conrac CRT's, fault recorders, Substation racks, 19" racks/cabinets, Dictaphone open reel comm. recorder, old mainframe computer parts, peripherals & test equipment, Data Products 2260 line printers, Diablo printers, CDC 300 mbyte disk drives, key telephone system parts & pieces, many parts & pieces of telecomm equip.

For information contact Rick Dell or Dave Sayers at (303) 452-6111

210. FS: Icom 761 /500 hz CW & AM Filters/SM-8/$1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmay@iguana.ruralnet.net
Message-ID: <3344364d.3131054@news.ruralnet.net>
Source record: 178663

Hello All,

I have for sale an Icom 761 in excellent shape. It was purchased
new and used recently as backup rig. (I don't use it anymore). Has
500 hz CW and AM filters. SM-8 Mic is included.
$1000.00

73' Rick KC0HH

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RICK MAY - KC0HH
E-Mail - rjmay@iguana.ruralnet.net
PH#- (719)336-2057

211. need info Kenwood TM-V7A out of band mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: a1emt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403162900.LAA29008@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178664

Seeking information on a mod to open the TM-V7A to operate out of band and also the range that this mod will be effective in....

Any info appreciated. Thanks!

JIM

212. HELP! with FT-209RH mod please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tham@husc.harvard.edu
Message-ID: <5i0bmn$ll7$1@news.fas.harvard.edu>
Source record: 178665

I got a copy of the QRZ mod on FT209RH but only mentioned pin numbers, didn't mentioned which component. Needless to say I did not have Dec '87 issue of 73 Magazine where it originally mentioned it. Anyone out there has any details, or copy of the Dec '87 issue of 73 that could fax, e-mail, us mail etc.. etc.. could help, I would be very thankful.

73

Fu ~ KA1NUB
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Harvard University
Science Center
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(617) 495-5356
(617) 495-5304 FAX

213. WTB: 575A & 4-400 Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cadv16@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403162700.LAA28912@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178666

Looking to purchase (2) 575A rectifier tubes and (4) 4-400A or 4-400C
power tetrodes for restoration project. Thank you. Please contact:
Elliott / K7ER email: CADV16@AOL.COM

214. Silent Key Equip. for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbranche@innet.com
Message-ID: <cbranche-0304971115450001@4276.innet.com>
Source record: 178667

The daughter of a Silent Key has asked me to help her dispose of her Dad's equipment. The major items for sale include:

Kenwood TS 930S, with speaker
Alpha 76A amplifier
Robot for Packet

email or call Cal (KA1WOR) at 813-842-4349 (New Port Richey, Fl.) if interested..

(note: the 930S seems to be in excellent condition)

--
John D. MacDonald queries cheerfully accepted.
JDM Web Page is at http://innet.com/~cbranche/jdm.html

215. Re: SEEKING ATLAS 210 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Walker <SciCon@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3343EBDA.4E83@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178668

I've had a 210x for a number of years. It works great on AC
power but not very good on battery. The CW transmit switch is
a pain to use.

Still, I've almost got my WAS using this radio on CW. The reciever
is very good.

216. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Guy <Guyr@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <3343CF22.4C9E@n-link.com>
Source record: 178669

fiz wrote:
>
> Butch Magee wrote:
> >
> > Michael J. Wade wrote:
> > >
> > > Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have > Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
> > > up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
> > > Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
> > > one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
> > snip
> >
> > Did you take the General class exam yourself or did someone take it for
> > you? Son, you don't know enouth to be on HF or this is some kind of
> > joke.
> > y
> > Butch KF5DE
>
> huh? Did I miss something, or could someone explain this reply to me?
>
> ttfn fiz (KG0YG)
Hey KF5DE, As a young HAM (KB2WIP) I am glad you are not in our local
Club! I am sure KG0YG really appreciated your kind, Mentoring help with
his/or her question. You must be an Extra!

217. Re: Keyers - what's new?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <3343E510.5FC6@vbe.com>
Source record: 178670

Jim Johnson wrote:
>
> I'm wondering what's new in the world of electronic keyers. I'm
> realizing how out-of-touch I am when I thumb through Web pages and
> magazine ads looking for things like keyers and phone patches. Is
> MFJ the only manufacturer of keyers these days? There used to be
> a keyer chip (Curtis?) available as a kit - is it passe also? Maybe
> keyers are always included in new equipment now ... hmm, new
> equipment ... there's a thought. What are you doing for a keyer?
> Go ahead, I have my armor on ... let me have it!
>
> Thanks and 73,
>
> Jim W6SC (new call and no keyer to try it on CW yet)
> Home: jjoker@dxhound.com
> Work: jjohnson@hpl.hp.com

Jim:

I know that there are some kits available to make keyers... I was told
that Palomar Engineers made excellent keyers but their current catalog
does not show one. I called them two weeks ago and they said that while
the keyers (one message memory- PK50 & one not- PK44) were not cataloged
they could send me info on them (they faxed the info to me). I liked
what I saw and called them... they had none "made up" but I was told
that they would "put one together" for me and ship it within two weeks.
Wow, in this day and age real customer service ! I know that it will be
quality stuff like all of their products and I still can't get over
their willingness to help me out. Great company to deal with IMHO.

73 de Mike Melland
badger@vbe.com

218. Trade or Buy OSCILLOSCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwonders4@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403180600.NAA04336@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178671

Would love to trade it for QRP equipment and/or
other measuring instruments.

Got two SS5702 Jiwatsu,
Dual Trace,
DC-20MHz,
4" X 3" blue display,
Backlit graticule,
20 V to 1mV settings,
with calibrate settings,
bought used, works fine,
nice.

If no trade then I would like to get $200.00 for one of them.

If you would like to make a reasonable offer
reply via email only, stiwari@cwonders.com

Tnx
KF6HST
Sameer

219. Re: San Francisco HAM-stores

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com
Message-ID: <3343f1dc.339750395@news.ccnet.com>
Source record: 178672

On Thu, 27 Mar 1997 12:41:34 +0200, Kari Kuusinen <kuusika@pcuf.fi>
wrote:

>Hi,
>can anybody point out some fully equipped HAM-like
>store in San Francisco bay-area. Going there for a
>one week conference and looking for example
>new Bencher.

There is a Ham Radio Outlet store in Oakland and another Ham Radio
Outlet in Sunnyvale.

There's a small store called the Base Station in Concord (East Bay)
that sells ham stuff.

Quement Electronics in San Jose used to have a large amateur
department, but they're out of the ham business.

--
Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
(w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

220. Wanted documentation for HP209A oscillator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marien van Westen <myrnout@pi.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4025$836f2c40$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 178673

I have a Hewlett Packard LF generator 209A oscillator.

I phoned HP for documentation, but since it is out of production they

could not help me.
Is there anybody who can help me with a scematic diagram and
manual ?

Thanks, de Marien PAoMVW
myrnout@pi.net

221. Re: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5sig@redriverok.com
Message-ID: <5i0tro$oq6@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 178674

In article <3338dc30.15967766@news.accessnv.com>, ad7k@accessnv.com (Dale ("Squeak") Porray, AD7K) wrote:
>On 25 Mar 1997 01:50:44 GMT, emtp4355@aol.com wrote:
>
>Actually, the radio is made by ADI, in Taiwan.
>
>In other words, More for Less at your Real Radio Dealer!
>
>
>73 to all!
>"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
>Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas
As to the origin of the radio, when I first saw it (and I am a Radio Shack employee and have worked and seen the rig), it struck me as an I-Com. I'll admit though, that squeezing the original designer out of our tech support is not that easy to do. All I can say is that there are some benifits to being able to walk down the street and pick one up.

No offense, sir, but there isin't an AES anywhere around where we are.

Now I will also admit that when I purchaced my mobile rig, a Standard CS1208DA, I did have to mail order it. Then again, I was also on an aircraft carrier and didn't have to worry about waiting the month or so it took my package to arrive at the stateside address.

I am proud to say that my store, in Sherman Texas, has not one but two hams working there. Myself and my manager are both active on 2 meters. My boss did purchace one of the rigs and he enjoys it immensely.

(If you notice I am trying *NOT* to start some kind of flame war here)

Of the functions you mentioned, the HTX-204 does offer over-the-air cloning... it takes about six or seven minutes and copies everything from the memories to the preferences to the power-up screen.

One last thing then I will stop confusing people by not making any sence while trying to stay politically correct:
Nothing is Better than One Person's Opinion

Until Later!
Hatton Humphrey - KC5SIG
kc5sig@redriverok.com

222. WNT: WILSON Mark II or IV Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Levent Sasmazel <levent@netlabs.net>
Message-ID: <3343FAC0.56A4@netlabs.net>
Source record: 178675

Hi
I need service manual for Wilson Mark II or Mark IV also if
you have any add-ons for this rigs please drop a e-mail.
(Only clean working original items please)

Levent VA3CAC

223. Yaesu tech support via email

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff <jefco@got.net>
Message-ID: <334419A7.3DC9@got.net>
Source record: 178676

I was sure Yaesu was offering tech support via email for their current models (ft50, ft51, ft8500, etc). In fact, I thought I had seen the email addresses advertised via the Yaesu homepage, but I just checked it & all they list are phn #s & snail mail.

Does anyone know if Yaesu offers tech support via email?

--
jeff clark
kf6bkg
jefco@got.net

224. Drake SW-4A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bert Lippel <blippel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5i15sv$mr4@mtinsc05.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178677

Could someone give me some idea of the value of my Drake SW-4A tube short wave receiver? The front has a logo "Designed Especially For Radio New York Worldwide". It is in mint condition, and comes with its matching MS-4 speaker.
Thanks!

225. Re: Wanted: technical help for micro-radio station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickets@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <33440ca9.14157410@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 178678
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.pirate,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 02 Apr 1997 15:30:45 -0800, Mike Dash <dash@primus.com> wrote:
> We need help from someone who
>knows RF design and troubleshooting. Current FM broadcasting technical
>practice is a big plus. If you have access to test equipment, that would
>help too. Our technical expertise is actually quite good and we've
>gotten pretty far ourselves -- now we just need your help to get us over
>the top.
Try <alt.radio.pirate>
dr

226. Weather orbting sat frequenties witch are enable or disable ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geert PIRENS <pass@glo.be>
Message-ID: <01bc407c$6cdee2c0$7ab630ce@pass>
Source record: 178679

Hello

Can someone tells me witch satellite are activ ?

I like to now the frequenties and status of folowing sat's :

By status I maen is It ENABLE or DISABLE ?

NOAA-9
NOAA-10
NOAA-13
FENG YUNG (normal at 137.795 Mhz I think)
SICH-1
OKEAN

ALL INFORMATION ARE WELKOM !!!!!!!!!

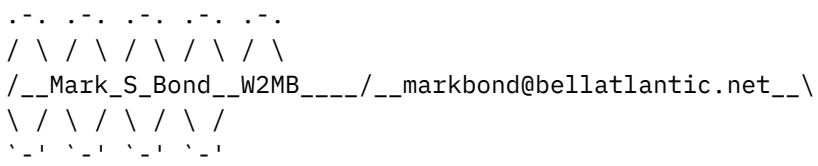
Pirens G. ONL2057

ONL2057@AMSAT.ORG

227. FS:Yaesu FT7400 commercial grade UHF radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: markbond@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <markbond-ya023680000304971713550001@news.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 178680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For Sale: Yaesu FT7400 commercial grade UHF amateur transciever. This unit is 18 months old and in excellent condition. It is essentially a UHF version of the popular FT2500. If interested respond via email to markbond@bellatlantic.net

73 de Mark
--


228. Weather orbting sat frequenties witch are enable or disable ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geert PIRENS <pass@glo.be>
Message-ID: <01bc407c$ada008c0$7ab630ce@pass>
Source record: 178681

Hello

Can someone tells me witch satellite are activ ?

I like to now the frequenties and status of folowing sat's :

By status I maen is It ENABLE or DISABLE ?

NOAA-9
NOAA-10
NOAA-13
FENG YUNG (normal at 137.795 Mhz I think)
SICH-1
OKEAN

ALL INFORMATION ARE WELKOM !!!!!!!!!

Pirens G. ONL2057

ONL2057@AMSAT.ORG

229. RE: Quit whining!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97040314572311843@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178682

>>I repeat: I AM NOT CHANGING...[the fact that I am acting like an
>>prick with my 28 lines of pure garbage that is included in
>>each and every message I write in Internet newsgroups...]

Then just don't expect as much assistance here (or anywhere else
on the 'Net) as you might IF you acted like every other responsible
participant, and respected the Internet and its Users.

- Clint Bradford

230. Mosley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas L. Gaines, Sr." <tgaines@datastar.net>
Message-ID: <3344641F.43F4@datastar.net>
Source record: 178683

Greetings,

Is Mosley still in Amateur Antennae Business?

Tnx and 73.

K5TG
--
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Pearl River County
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231. Re: Keyers - what's new?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Connie Hulst <chulst@polar.polarcomm.com>
Message-ID: <33443CA8.2D4F@polar.polarcomm.com>
Source record: 178684

Jim Johnson wrote:
> ...What are you doing for a keyer?
> Go ahead, I have my armor on ... let me have it!
>
> Thanks and 73,
>
> Jim W6SC (new call and no keyer to try it on CW yet)

If you're into kit building, I strongly recommend the CMOS Super Keyer III. It was outlined in QST a couple of years ago, and I suspect it should be in newer editions of the ARRL Handbook. It has 18 nonvolatile memories, and all the extras--weighting, linear amp compensation, etc. I have had mine for a year and I love it.

If you have any questions about it (which I may or may not be able to answer), please e-mail me.

73 de Nick Hulst, AA0VY
chulst@polar.polarcomm.com

232. WTB: Crystals in the FT243 holder for 40 Meter CW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Brennan <tdi@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <33444D53.5C14@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 178685

Anyone out there have any of the old FT 243 crystals for the 40 meter
CW band?

Am having problems getting my heath VFO to excite my Globe Scout xmter.
Can only get about .5 Milliamps of final grid current.

Any ideas?

Bob Brennan K3IMA
BB

233. FT 900 Opinions Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Crissman <tcrissman@simplynet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc408b$71a805c0$1c28d3cf@terry.simplynet.net>
Source record: 178686

My brother Larry, AC5DP, wants a HF rig he can take mobile. He would like your comments/opinions about the FT 900 Cat and other brands of radios that are similar. You can email him direct at lcrissman@juno.com or just leave messages within this newsgroup. Thanks de Terry (AC5AN)

234. Oak Hills Research Inventory Reduction Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhynek@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403212800.QAA16185@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178687

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Oak Hills Research is having a big inventory sale on all QRP Kits.
Check Radio Devices Web Page at "http//www.ultranet.com/biz/raddev/"
OHR-100 now priced at $99.
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235. FS: Kenwood TM-742A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbooth@artsci.net
Message-ID: <860121896.23405@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Greetings,
I have for sale a late model Kenwood TM-742A with the deluxe 7 meter remote kit. The radio has the 2mtr and 440 modules installed. I never installed the third module. The remote kit includes the control head cable, separate remote mic cable, separate remote speaker cable that will support up to three individual speakers, and a deluxe filtered DC cable. This radio was just checked out by Kenwood and is in A+ condition. I would like $650 + shipping (firm). If you are interested please drop me an email. A family emergency forces sale.
Thank you and 73,
Scott / KC6TTR

PS/ Extended TX/RX mod done. Includes owner's manual and mobile bracket.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

236. FS: Collins 30L-1 Winged

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: garwonko@msn.com
Message-ID: <00001fed+000051bf@msn.com>
Source record: 178689

I have for sale a Collins Linear Amplifier with its original manual
and in very good condition. $650 plus shipping and handling chgs.

Dr. Gar Ko

garwonko@msn.com
komudo@juno.com

237. Re: Gooseneck mount

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <33448DDE.6B3F@icss.net>
Source record: 178690

Richard Read wrote:
>
> I'm planning on going mobile with my IC-706 in the near future. In
> order to install it in my small car I have to use a gooseneck mount as
> shown in one of the Icom promotional pictures. Problem is, I can't
> find any locally at the stereo/cellular stores. Can anyone tell me a
> source for this item?
ICOM sells them. AES just closed them out. Brian/N0iMD

238. Re: On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Ogburn <rogburn@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <334499C7.7F41@pacbell.net>
Source record: 178691

Les Wilson wrote:
>
> Trading in the car this weekend.
>
> I need to know what is the best way to remove an on-glass antenna
> without damaging the antenna or glass.
>
> With that in mind... what's the best way to re-apply the antenna on the
> new car?
>
> It's a Larsen UHF on-glass antenna.
>
> Please e-mail... nessman@servtech.com
>
> Thanks!
> --
> ===============<snip>

depending on the adhesive and your skill level:

If mounted with double stick type tape, a heat gun can be used to soften
the adhesive.

If mounted with "Super-Glue" (Eastman 910, etc.) a solvent for this glue
'may' work...

hope this helps

Bob

239. Re: Mosley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andersen <andersen@proaxis.com>
Message-ID: <3344A1A2.3AD@proaxis.com>
Source record: 178692

Thomas L. Gaines, Sr. wrote:
>
> Greetings,
>
> Is Mosley still in Amateur Antennae Business?
>
> Tnx and 73.
>
> K5TG
> --
> Thomas L. Gaines, Sr.
> Amateur Radio Callsign K5TG
> 703 Jones Street
> Picayune, MS 39466-5239
> Coordinates 30.532 North 89.680 West
> Pearl River County
> E-mail = tgaines@datastar.net

Yes Tom they are, if you need info,I
have it somewhere and will try to
find it for you.
73 Doug

240. Re: On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0304971922100001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 178693

In article <33431C9F.553F@servtech.nospam>, nessman@servtech.nospam wrote:

>I need to know what is the best way to remove an on-glass antenna
>without damaging the antenna or glass.

A little bit of heat from a nice summer day or a hair dryer, and careful
application of a thin-bladed putty knife.

>With that in mind... what's the best way to re-apply the antenna on the
>new car?

A Larson remount kit! :) They cost around five bucks at most Ham radio
outlets or AES if you have to go mail order.
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

241. Re: FT50R Software Mod's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5i082s$j99$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 178694

FT50R - Software Modifications
Ingra-Beton@t-online.de, Date: 31.03.97
==========
This is modification of the first version, with same fix up's, typing
error corrections and better explanations (one Example too).

The Problem:

I have purchased a FT50R a couple of days ago and tried to make the MOD's
as described by Bill Childers (KE6VVW).

The removal of the solder jumper Nr.1 worked just fine and the
MARS/CAP was there. But as I tried to make the Trick to pull the
adapter cable out of the radio, ..., that don't work.

RT Systems says:
> The firmware inside the radio has been changed so that pulling the plug
> will not toggle the radio into a European mode. This change was made in
> radios with the 3rd and 4th digits of the serial number greater the 05.
> --
> Rod, RT Systems Amateur Radio Supply, Huntsville AL.
> Sales 1-800-723-6922, Tech 1-205-880-3093

So I had to find something else, here it is.

This is a method to do any MOD to your FT50R. The procedure is very simple
and fast done:

1. You make a template from your FT50R
2. Change 3 Bytes in the template
3. Upload the template to your FT50R

So you can switch to any BAND, you don't have do hardware interventions
or similar staff like pull the adapter cable out, ...

If you want do return the FT50R to its original state, just upload the
old (unmodified) .TPL to the Unit.

Information and explanations:

All MOD's can be made by software only. To do the MOD's you need the
ADMS 1C Software (I am using the 1.05 Version) and a HEX editor to
manipulate the .TPL file (I am working with .TPL file's only)
I am using HIEW 5.24 (Hacker's View) but any HEX editor will do the
job (PCT, Norton, Multiedit, ...)

Everyone has noticed the problem after making same MOD's to the Unit
that the old .TPL files can not be uploaded to the Unit any more.
There is a simple protection scheme (2 bytes) that prevents uploading
a .TPL file from a different hardware configuration to the Unit.

This is a description how to bypass this protection. By uploading a
.TPL file with different hardware configuration, (from a other Unit
or just to change the 2 bytes) the Unit will be assigned to this new
configuration.

First a description of Terms and Positions:

1. Current_Byte
....
This is the Byte that tells the current Status (Hardware configuration) of
the Rig, you can get this Byte as follows:
- Make a .TPL file from the Rig.(Menu: <Radio> <Create template>)
- Edit the .TPL File with e HEX Editor.
v this is the first byte*
- On the File Address 05E2 is the sequence 07 XX
^ Current_Byte (Addr.:05E3)
- The Current_byte can be in the Range from 00 to 06.
- *the first byte is usually 07, by experimenting with nonstandard Numbers
you can change this byte also. (03 or same other value, but very rare)

2. Key_Byte (Security Key)
....
The Key_Byte is at the same place as the Current_Byte, but in the .TPL
file you intend to upload.
If you want to upload a .TPL File to the Rig, the Key_Byte must match the
Current_Byte (that means that the Hardware configuration of the Unit and
the .TPL file you intend to upload must be the same). Just change with the
HEX Editor the Key_Byte of the .TPL file you intend to upload to be the
Current_Byte and you can upload anything (any .TPL file) to the Rig.
!!! No more CERR Messages !!!
(As mentioned in 1. if you change the first byte, you have to change this)
(byte also (in the .TPL File you intend to upload) to be the same Byte as)
(in the Template you have just made to read the Current_Byte.)

3. Band-Set_Byte
....
- Edit the .TPL file you intend to upload with e HEX Editor
v* v Sub_Band-Set_Byte (Addr.:0CE8)
- On Address 0CE6 is the Sequence 07 XX XX
^ Band-Set_Byte (Addr.:0CE7)
This Byte tells the Rig to switch to Band XX (XX is a Nr.between 00 and 06)
To change the Band simply change the Band-Set_Byte to the desired Number.
After Uploading the Modified .TPL File to the Rig, it switches to the
desired Band and the Current_Byte becomes the Band-Set_Byte. That means if
you want to upload later something else to the Rig, you have to change in
the .TPL File you intend to upload the Key_Byte to the new Current_Byte
(with the HEX Editor).
The Sub_Band-Set_Byte tells the Rig in with Sub Band to switch (see Table)

*The byte (0CE6) is usually 07, rare 03 or same other number.

Example
....
Now, to do a band change do as follows:
- let's assume you have BAND_A1 (USA) and want to switch to BAND_F3
- make a .TPL file from your unit (let's assume original.tpl)
- copy the original.tpl to mod1.tpl (this file we are going to upload)
- read the Current_Byte from original.tpl (as described in 1)
(for the BAND_A1 we assumed you have it will be 01))
- set the Key_Byte in mod1.tpl to be the Current_Byte (01) (as described
in 2). It is logical that the Key_Byte will already be 01, you've just
made the copy, but it is a matter of principle, keep reading.
- set the Band-Set_Byte in the mod1.tpl to 00 (for the BAND_F)
- set the Sub_Band-Set_Byte in the mod1.tpl to 03 (for the Sub BAND F3)
- upload the mod1.tpl to the unit.
- power off, power on, now you have BAND_F3, DONE.

- let's assume you want to switch now to BAND_B2a
- make a .TPL file from you unit (let's assume temp.tpl)
- read the Current_Byte from temp.tpl, it will be 00. (BAND_F)
- copy the original.tpl to mod2.tpl
- set the Key_Byte in the mod2.tpl to be the Current_Byte (00)
- set the Band-Set_Byte in the mod2.tpl to 02 (BAND_B)
- set the Sub_Band-Set_Byte in the mod2.tpl to 01 (Sub BAND B2a)
- upload the mod2.tpl to the unit.☐
- power off, power on, now you have BAND_B2a, DONE.

and so on ...

Here are the MOD's (Band's) available:

I 00 01 02 03 I <- Sub_Band-Set_Byte (Address 0CE8)
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00 I F1 F2a F2b F3 I
01 I A1 A2a A2b A3 I
02 I B1 B2a B2b B3 I
03 I C1 C2a C2b C3 I
04 I D1 D2a D2b D3 I
05 I H1 H2a H2b H3 I
06 I FrEE FrEE FrEE FrEE I
----
^ Band-Set_Byte (Address 0CE7)

When you set the Rig in a band (with the Band-Set_Byte) then you can switch
from Sub Band X1 to X3 (if solder jumper 1 removed) with the key sequence:
- Hold Lamp and Knob by powering_on to switch to X3 Subband
- Hold Lamp and Knob by powering_on (you will see ALRST prS5) and then
press the function key to switch to X1 Subband

The TX for the X3 Bands is:

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BAND SUB_Band TX
F 3 120-222 320-500
A 3 140-174 420-470
B 3 140-174 420-470
C 3 140-174 420-470
D 3 144-146 432-438
H 3 144-148 430-450
FrEE 50-300 300-540*

*It will TX from aprox. 118-233 and 312-508
RX from aprox.71-540 and 600-999 depending from the Unit.

The Sub Bands 1,2a and 2b are with restriction variations in TX and RX and
I am to tiered to examine them closely and write them down. I guess that
they are not very interesting.
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ARS lost - effect

The FT50R has e BAND_PLAN like database and depending for witch country
your unit is configured (A,B,C,D & H) it is using the repeater database□
from his Memory for that country.

It is understandable that for the BAND_FrEE and BAND_F (TX:120-221&320-499)
there is no data in the database because those band's are not for any
specific country. That is why the ARS does not work any more, and not□
same mess up (magic) in the memory of the unit.

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That does not mean that it is not possible to enter additional data to
the ARS memory database (I am working on it).

If you want to use the ARS again you just have to switch it into any
ordinary country BAND_X and it will work again.

Original .TPL file
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If you don't have a original .TPL file, you can make (improvise) one:
1. Start the ADMS 1C software
2. Goto the File Menu and save a .RDF file as original.rdf
(don't download anything from the Unit, don't use a template)
3. Change with a HEX editor the first 3 bytes from RDF to TPL
4. Set the Key_Byte in this file to be the Current_Byte of your Unit
5. Rename the original.rdf to original.tpl
6. Start the ADMS 1C and upload the original.tpl to the Unit.

This will switch your unit to BAND A1 (USA), ARS will work again !

Disclaimer:
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Don't TX and RX at frequencies that you are not allowed to!
I do not guarantee the validity of this information,
as Yaesu may change programming or hardware so that some of the
techniques in this document may cease to function. I am not
responsible if these instructions damage your rig in some way. All
I can say is that I have performed the following procedures to my
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unit, and I am quite pleased with the results. Your mileage may vary, etc.

242. Re: FT50R Software MOD's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5i0467$i4j$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 178695

Open the second Menu (Radio), and there you will see "Create template", klick on it and follow the instructions.

Indi.

243. Re: "Satellite Operators Unite!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fiscus@mcn.net
Message-ID: <5hv35d$170_002@blpm02-210.mcn.net>
Source record: 178729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

>> Satellite users, Amsat-NA needs donations to complete and launch the Phase 3D
>> satellite. Your donations are tax deductable. See http://www.amsat.org
>>
>
>I have never worked an AMSAT satellite because the gear required costs
>too much. I work only RS-10, RS-12, and RS-15. When AMSAT puts up
>a bird I can use, I won't be cheap.

Al,
If you look at the Phase 3D transponder matrix, you will see that there is a
15m uplink and a 10m downlink. Think of the possiblities...

73 de KB7ADL
Vince

244. WTB 6m/2m transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgraham605@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403020900.VAA20067@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178730

Looking for 6 and 2 meter transverters. Must have 28mhz I.F and in good working condition.

245. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <3343150A.3F8@iglou.com>
Source record: 178731

Tornado magnet.....har har I like that. I always said those mobile homes attract them. When I lived in one, I used one of those tv antenna push-up mast to support various antennas. You can get them up to 50ft now. I had a 30ft model. Radio Shack sells the 30ft but you'll have to order the 50ft pole from a Rohn dealer such as Texas Towers. They run about $70 or so. Collasped, they are only 10ft long and make a very convient support for wire antennas.

For the top insulator, I used a pvc plumming T slid down over the top pipe. Drill holes in the ends of the T for your wires. The T can pivot on the mast. I used 80, 40, 20 , 10 meter dipoles in parallel, feeding them with coax and fanning the dipoles out like an umbrella. The G5RV concept will work too if you don't mind the tuner.

Although rather flimbsy, those mast don't need any guy wires when hold up wire antennas. Just strap it to the side of your home. The dipoles will do the rest. I mounted the antenna on top first then sit on the roof and pulled up the mast sections one at a time. Wear gloves so you don't pinch your hands.

73 Steve N4LQ

246. FT-2400 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1nfc@callsign.net
Message-ID: <33431732.0@199.76.206.53>
Source record: 178732

I need the mods for extended transmit on the subject radio.
Please reply if you can help.

73 de Bill

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
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Kingsland, GA 31548 :n1nfc@aol.com
Home: 912-729-5287 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
Data: 912-729-6067 NAVY:ETC_Carreira@trfkb.navy.mil
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm
"THE STUPID SHALL BE PUNISHED"

247. RE: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970402185945118O8@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178733

>>Anyone know or heard good or bad about the new HTX-204 from Radio
>>Shack.

It's a very nice unit.

>>I hear the new 2m/70cm hand held is made by Alinco.

It most certainly is NOT made by Alinco.

>>I would like to hear comments before I go out and purchase one.

The only comment I could make is that I would rather purchase the
ADI AT-600, 2nd battery (like a Maha MH-CNB-153 Ni-MH 7.2V 1200mAh
battery), and a good speaker-mike for about the same price as the
Radio Shack unit.

And the ADI has a couple additional features, too.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
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248. FS: 100' RS-232 Serial Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <33430d66.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 178734

I also found a brand new 100' RS-232 cable.
It appears to be made of 9 conductor cable, and has
male connectors on each end.

It's part of a good size lot of stuff that I uncovered
from my spring cleaning! I'm asking $20 or best offer
plus shipping...

Thanks,
Steve White - N2RWE
United Sound

My company and I are currently selling a whole bunch of surplus
Audio/Visual gear (and some other goodies) as part of my spring
cleaning! For a complete listing of the equipment, please visit
our liquidation page at http://members.aol.com/unitedsnd2

249. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <334312BC.4410@iglou.com>
Source record: 178735

I use a 40 meter Hamstick on the roof of my full size van. The metal provides a good ground plane and I get excellent signal reports. So good in fact that I just had to compare it to my 160m horizontal loop at 60ft.

I parked the van next to my shack and ran some coax out to it from the antenna switch inside. I made several contacts and determined the stick to be down 20db from the loop in most cases. Still though, I get constant reports of 599 and "excellent signal for a mobile". I operate 40cw only when mobile.

Having had such good results, I purchased the 80 meter Hamstick and even ordered the extended lenght whip for the cw band. Results were pathetic. Almost no one could hear me. For 80m, one needs something like an oversized Texas Bugcatcher.

Another thing....I always need to use either a capacitor at the base of the antenna to ground or my little tuner at the rig inorder to match the system to the rig. This is not made very clear in advertisements for these antennas.

250. Re: San Francisco HAM-stores

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Melvin R. Holmes" <jawbone@wizard.com>
Message-ID: <01bc3fd9$b5b62ec0$3430d3d0@jawbone.ppp>
Source record: 178736

There is a store called HRO (Ham Radio Outlet) in Oakland

Kari Kuusinen <kuusika@pcuf.fi> wrote in article <333A4EDE.221B@pcuf.fi>...
> Hi,
> can anybody point out some fully equipped HAM-like
> store in San Francisco bay-area. Going there for a
> one week conference and looking for example
> new Bencher.
>
> 73 de OH1DX/Kari
>

251. LOOKING FOR YAESU MODS, FOR FTH-7009,FLT-7011

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer49@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <33452932.8473700@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 178737

Need scan mod for both, And t-band tx range [473] for fth-7009
Thanks

252. YAESU

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer49@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <334427b9.8096291@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 178738

Anybody know if their is any mods for a yaesu FTL-7011 or FTH-7009 .
Looking for scan mods on both, and t-band tx on the fth-7009

253. Re: WTB: Hallicrafters S40A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa9yhx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403051000.AAA02991@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178739

Subject: WTB: Hallicrafters S40A
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com (Yves Dussault)
Date: Tue, 01 Apr 1997 02:22:19 GMT
Message-ID: <33407120.6874591@news.bellglobal.com>

Do you have a nice working S40A for sale? I'm interested.
VE2ATD
dussault@vipxlnet.com

I HAD ONE AS A NOVICE 33 years ago. It was a fine radio. Although I don't currently have one, Good luck in your endeavor locating this fine antique! Mine had an accessory HeathKit Q Multiplier. Worked Great with the Knight Kit T-60 Transmitter. Worked 38 states CW. Boy, those were the "good old days!"

Will Sperling, WA9YHX, Sysop
The Chicago Area Radio Monitoring Association (CARMA) BBS
Box 40, Westmont, Il. 60559-0040
BBS: 630-852-1292
FAX: 630-512-0609
Email: WA9YHX@AOL.COM
CARMA Web Page: http://www.theramp.net/shabec/carma.htm

254. Clegg - Interceptor / Thor 6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: franklin@net-link.net
Message-ID: <33433415.1289199@nntp.net-link.net>
Source record: 178740

Anyone have alignment and voltage/resistance chart info for the Clegg Interceptor and Thor 6, that I could get copies of??

Thanks
Gary K8BKB

E-Mail: franklin@net-link.net

255. Re: IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nfn04270@naples.net
Message-ID: <33432ede.5272193@news.gate.net>
Source record: 178741

strestest@aol.com (STRES TEST) wrote:

>need parts for a g-800sdx rotor

It's: www.yaesu.com/

256. TS-180S WARC kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5robert@blkbox.COM
Message-ID: <9704022330.aa12916@blkbox.COM>
Source record: 178742

Any ideas on what a WARC kit for a TS180S is worth?
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73 Robert W5AJ w5robert@blkbox.com

257. Re: <<< INFO WANTED: SWAN SWR-3 >>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <3343669c.2537295@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178743

On 29 Mar 1997 03:50:25 GMT, dewonder@aol.com (Dewonder)
wrote:
>i am looking for some info and specs on a SWAN-SWR-3 swr meter. would
>appreciate any that you have such as max power input, freq. range, years
>when it was advertised and sold, etc.
Iffen I remember correctly (and I am sure that someone will
correct me if I am wrong!) ...

That was an inexpensive SWR bridge, imported by Swan in
their later days (late 70's), made in Japan, that was good
for HF only (no VHF) ... probably would handle a kilowatt
(but I probably wouldn't do it) ... most likely about 20%
accuracy or so ... sold for something around or under $20
while available.

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

258. WTD: 1.2 gig mobile antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: davemar278@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403072900.CAA10879@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178744

hello, name is dave.
Looking for a 1.2 gig mobile antenna. Mount and coax nice, but not
necessary.
please email responses to 74737.221@compuserve.com.

thanks and 73 de n0xlw

Dave
N0XLW@w6krw.#soca.ca.usa.noam
74737.221@compuserve.com

259. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwop@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403073001.CAA10943@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178745

>Anyone have experience with the Ham Stick HF antennas from
>Lakeview Co.?

I have used Hamsticks on 40 and 20 meters (mostly 40) for the past 3 years and like them for the following reasons:
1. They are very light and can be used with a trunk lip mount thus are easy to install and require no holes in the car.
2. Being installed on the trunk they are high up and radiate better than a bumper mount in which the antenna runs near the car for a couple of feet.
3. They are durable and have survived the many tree branches I was unable to avoid and don't require a base spring.
4. They are cheap ($20) so if one does break or get ripped off I don't cry the big tears as if I had an outbacker ($200+).

They are reported to be less efficient than the bigger antennas but that is the price you pay for a compact good looking antenna. However I have never had any problems with mobile QSO's and complete most of them so that is the bottom line. They are narrow but if you use one of the modern rigs with an auto tuner you should get the whole band with no problem.

I run a TS50 at 50 watts (Reduced power-as I get power from the cigarette lighter and it won't supply the full 100 watts-again no holes) I know, I broke all the rules but hey, it was quick, easy and it works.

Oh yes, I work mobile CW only so the antenna bandwidth fits the CW band just fine.

73 CW OP

260. New IC706MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Esteban Sanchis <esanchis@uv.es>
Message-ID: <01bc3ffe$f4108e20$55079c93@dxer.eleinf.uv.es>
Source record: 178746

Hi friends

Does anybody know something more about this equipment announced on
http://www.icomamerica.com/ ?

Have they really improved its reception and dynamic range?

I would appreciated any comments on this equipment.

Thanks in advance,
Stefan (EA5GMI)

261. FS: MOTOROLA TRUNKING RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: st155@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403031000.WAA24596@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178747

800 STX TRUNKING TYPE I WITH SUB SWITCH ON TOP.
FULL KEYPAD / W DISPLAY & BATTERY 645 LU DATE . 400.00+ SHIPPING

262. FS YAESU FT8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL LEE <K6DJP@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33436C70.5E8F@pacbell.net>
Source record: 178748

I have for sale 1 ea YAESU FT8500 in like new condition.Has never been mobile.Comes with the optional programming software and cable.$475
AL

263. Re: ICOM-206A and CTCSS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <334368f4.3136979@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178749

On 30 Mar 1997 06:54:05 GMT, ka6bpq@aol.com (KA6BPQ) wrote:

>
>I recently purchased an old ICOM 206A at a local swapfest. I have the
>original manual but there aren't any skematics in it. I want to and a
>CTCSS tone encoder board to it but haven't a clue where to connect too in
>the microphone circuit. Does anyone either have a copy of the skematic or
>knows where to make the connection? Thanks in advance!
>
>Perry - W6AUN
>aka ka6bpq@aol.com
>
This is general information, so I will post to the group,
versus private e-mail.

In your manual, there is probably a picture, showing
locations of various adjustment points.

Find the "Deviation Control" ... attach the tone output from
your tone deck to the center wiper of that pot.

Then, with some sort of VOM, look for +12 Volts on Transmit
... take the voltage feed to the tone deck from there.

Ground to any convenient ground point.

By the way, your radio is an IC-260A, not a "206".

Good luck!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

264. FS ICOM 900 MODULES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL LEE <K6DJP@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33436B7D.1553@pacbell.net>
Source record: 178750

I have 1ea UX49A 440 mhz module and 1 ea UX29A 2 meter modules for sale in good condition.$375 each.
AL

265. $$$$$Money fast$$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Thorne <vacation@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc3fc4$cadaad40$8762a4c6@vacation.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 178751

Read attached file for details.
THIS ABSOLUTLY IS THE FAIREST AND MOST HONEST WAY TO SHARE WEALTH!!

HELLO!!

Would you like to make thousands of dollars, quick and legally? Than take 5 minutes to read this article, it's going to change our life! What is 5 minutes of the life that you now have. Are you just snoozing,doing the same old thing? YOU WANT CONTROL OF YOUR LIFE OR GET BACK THE CONTROL YOU ONCE HAD? YOU WANT FINANCIAL FREEDOM????????

THAN YOU SHOULD ABSOLUTLY READ ARTICLE!!! IT'S TRUE!!

You can make up to or over $50,000.00 in 4 to 6 weeks, maybe sooner!
Keep reading if you want to take control of your life, if not, than have a great day.

One day I was browsing thru the newsgroups and read an article like this one. Since it that to do with making money, I was courious and decided to give it a try, and this is what it said:
Here we go.

A little while back, I was browsing through these newsgroups, just like you

are now and came across an article similar to this one that said you could make thousands of dollars in just weeks, with only an initial investment of

$5.00!
So, I thought, "Yeah, right,it's got to be a scam", but I was curious, like most of us, so I kept reading. Anyway, it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 5 names and addresses stated in the article. You then place your own name and address in the article at the bottom of the list at #5, and post the article in at least 200 newsgroups (there are over 22,00). So after thinking about it, and talking to my wife about it, who said I was nuts!, what does she know, I'am nuts anyway, I figured what else was I doing, and it's only 5 stamps and $5.00, right? Someone who has tried it says:

"I started receiving money in the mail! I was shocked! I still figured it would end soon, and didn't give it another thought. But then money kept coming in, tripling in size and multipying by 10 -20 times the amount that I got the first week! In my first week I had made about 30 -40 dollars.
But by the second week, I had made a total of over $1,000.00!!!!!
In the third week, I had over $10,000.00, and it's still growing.
This is my fourth week and I've made about $42,000.00 TOTAL, and the money is still coming in.......". Let me tell how this works and most

importantly, why it works.....also make sure you print a copy of the article NOW, so you get the information off of it, and begin making money. The process is very simple, and it consists of 3 EASY steps:

STEP 1: Get 6 seperate pieces of paper and write the following on each sheet of paper.....
" PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST."

It is also a good idea to put on that piece of paper the number of persons who you got the article from. Get five $1 dollar bills and place ONE inside

each piece of paper that you just wrote on,and fold each piece of paper so the bill will not be seen in the envelope (other wise nosey people who like to steal envelopes with money in it will get yours). Put one paper inside the envelope and seal it.

Do the same for all 5, you should now have 5 envelopes sealed, EACH have a piece of paper and a $1 dollar bill stuffed inside of the paper. Make sure those words that were stated above are on each paper. This is a service an 100% legal (refer to US CODE Title 18, Section 130& 1342, and Title 39, Section 3005, of the Postal and Lottery Laws).

NOW, BE SURE TO MAIL THE 5 ENVELOPES WITH THE PAPER AND $1.00 TO THE FOLLOWING 5 ADDRESSES:

1. Roland Lafontaine 2233 Jeanne Dr. Hastings Michigan 49058

2. Carl Fodor RD1 Box Y1.E.5 Weirtin W.Va 26062

3. David Zahn 65 E.Washington St No. Attleboro, MA 02760

4. Jean-Louis Pion 44 Seneca St. Cumberland, RI 02864

5. Paul Thorne RR#2 Site 4 Box 4 Hampton NB E0G 1Z0

STEP 2: Now take the #1 name off the list that you see above, move the other 4 names up (5 becoming 4, 4 becoming 3, 3 becoming 2, ETC.) You can slightly alter this article if you need to, editing what you need to edit.

STEP3: Post your amended article (with your name at #5) to at least 200 newsgroups. There are at least 22,000 of them). All you need is say, at least 200.

HOW TO DO THIS:

If you have Netscape 3.0 do EXACTLY the following:
1) Click on any newsgroup like normal, THEN click 'TO NEWS', which is on the far left when you're at the newsgroups page. This will bring down a WINDOW to type your message in.

2) Leave the newsgroup WINDOW like it is, CHANGE the subject box to something flashy like, "NEED CASH" $$$$ or READ HERE $$$$.

3) Tab once and you should be ready to type. Now, retype (only once)
This whole article WORD FOR WORD, except to insert your name at
#5, and to remove #1 off the list.

4) When you're done typing the Whole article, click on FILE in
THIS WINDOW, RIGHT ABOVE SEND, NOT WHERE IT SAYS NETSCAPE NEWS
ON THE FIRST WINDOW. Click on SAVE AS when you're under FILE.
Save your article as a text file to your C: or A: drive.
DO NOT SEND OR POST YOUR ARTICLE UNTIL YOU SAVE IT.
ONCE SAVED, move to 5 below.

5) If you still have all of your text, send or post it to this
newsgroup now, by just clicking send, which is right below FILE,
and right above Cc:.

6) Here's where you're going to post all 200.
OK, click on any newsgroup the click on 'TO NEWS', again in the
top left corner. Leave the NEWSGROUPS BOX alone again, put a
flashy subject title in the SUBJECT BOX, hit the TAB once you're
in the body of the message, and then click on ATTACHMENTS, which
is below the SUBJECT BOX. You will get another WINDOW to come up.
Click on ATTACH FILE, then find YOUR file that you saved; Click
once on the file, and then Click OPEN, now Click OK; if you did
this right, you should see YOUR file name in the attachments box,
and it will be shaded.

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IF YOU USE IE EXPLORER IT'S JUST AS EASY...
HOLDING DOWN THE LEFT MOUSE BUTTON HIGHTLIGHT THIS ARTICLE.
THEN PRESS THE "CRTL" KEY AND THE "C" KEY AT THE SAME TIME TO
COPY THIS ARTICLE. THEN PRINT THIS ARTICLE (FOR YOUR RECORDS) TO
HAVE THE NAMES OF THOSE YOU WILL BE SENDING $1 BILLS TO. NEXT GO
TO THE NEWSGROUPS AND PRESS "POST AN ARTICLE" A WINDOW WILL OPEN.
TYPE IN YOUR HEADLINE IN THE SUBJECT AREA AND THEN CLICK IN THE
LARGE WINDOW BELOW. PRESS "CRTL" AND THEN "V" AND THE ARTICLE WILL
BE PLACED IN THE WINDOW. IF YOU WANT TO EDIT THE ARTICLE, DO SO
AND THEN HIGHTLIGHT AND COPY IT AGAIN. NOW EVERY TIME YOU POST
THE ARTICLE IN A NEWSGROUP, ALL YOU HAVE TO REPEAT "CTRL" AND "V"
AND PRESS POST.

7) That's it. Each time you do this, all you have to do is type
in a different Newsgroup, so that way, it posts to 200 DIFFERENT
Newsgroups, you see?
Now you just have 199 to go!!
(Don't worry, each one takes about 30 sec.,once you get used to it)
REMEMBER 200 is the MINIMUM.
The more you post the more money you will make!!!
AND THAT'S IT!!!!

THAT"S THE ONLY 3 STEPS THERE IS!!!!!!!!! You are now in the mail order
business and will start receiving your $1.00 envelopes from vaious
people all over the world within days!!!!!! JUST REMEMBER THE MORE

NEWSGROUPS YOU POST TO, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE!!!
If you wish to stay anonymous, you can come up with a name, such as"manager" or "investor". Just make sure all the addresses are CORRECT.
LET ME TELL YOU WHY THIS SYSTEM WORKS SO WELL!!!
Out of every 200 postings, let's say I ONLY receive 5 replies, which is actually very low. So I made $5.00 with my name at #4.
Now then, each person who just sent me $1.00 makes say only 200 postings, now with your name at #4, WHICH IS A TOTAL OF 1000 POSTINGS, not including yours too. Now 50 people send you $1.00; that's $50.00 you just made! Now then your new 50 agents post 200 each with your name at #2, or 10,000 POSTINGS(50x200).
Average return is 500 at $1.00 each is $500.00!!!
And finally, 5,000 people make 200 Postings each with your name at #1. you now get a return of $50,000.00 before your name drops off the list.
And that's if everyone makes 200 Postings only, and if only 5 persons respond!!!! When your name is no longer on the list, you just take the latest posting that is appearing in the Newsgroups, and send out another $5.00 to the names on the list, putting your name at #6 again.
And start posting again. The most important thing to remember is, to realize that there are THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD JOINING THE INTERNET EVERYDAY, THE EXPOSURE IS UNBELIEVABLE!!!!!
So, can YOU afford $5.00 and see if it really works? I did, and I think you can too.
TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR LIFE AND MAKE SOME REAL MONEY, THIS IS THE WAY!!!!!!
People have said, "What if the plan is played out and no one sends you the money?" So what! What are the Chances of that happening when there are MILLIONS of HONEST USERS AND HONEST PEOPLE who are joining the Internet and Newsgroups everyday and are willing to give it a try?
Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users, everyday, with THOUSANDS of those joining the actual Internet. REMEMBER, play FAIRLY and HONESTLY and this WILL WORK,
I PROMISE YOU!!! YOU JUST HAVE TO BE HONEST.
Make sure you print this article RIGHT NOW, also, try to keep a list of everyone that sends you money and always keep an eye on the newsgroups to make sure everyone is playing fairly. REMEMBER HONESTLY IS THE BEST POLICY.
YOU DON'T NEED TO CHEAT THE BASIC IDEA TO MAKE MONEY!!!!!
GOOD LUCK TO ALL AND PLEASE PLAY FAIRLY AND TOGETHER,
WE WILL PROSPER!!!!!!
**** By the way, if you try to decieve people by posting the messages with your name on the list and not sending the money to the people already on the list, you will not get much. Someone who did that made $150.00, and that's AFTER 7 or 8 weeks!
Then he sent the 5 $1.00 bills, people added him to their lists, and in 4 to 5 weeks, he had received over $10,000.00
THIS IS THE FAIREST AND MOST HONEST WAY I HAVE EVER SEEN TO SHARE THE WEALTH OF THE WORLD WITHOUT COSTING ANYTHING BUT YOUR TIME!!!!!

NOT BAD FOR FINANCIAL FREEDOM!!!!!!!
IF YOU DON'T TRY IT, YOU'LL NEVER KNOW.IT DOES GENUINIELY WORK!!!!!

266. Help Kenwood 742 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Lux <flux@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <33439D8F.1102@gatecom.com>
Source record: 178752

Help! My Kenwood 742 has developed the following problem(s). When you turn it on, it comes up in the crossband mode with the remote function enabled. It will not accept any input from the control head, except to change power levels and to turn the function mode on and off. Pressing any other button results in the radio beeping at me. It will accept no input at all from the buttons on the microphone.

My wife was cleaning the inside of my mobile and turned on my radio, then proceded to "push all the little buttons" trying to turn it back off. I don't know if she has inadvertantly programed something into the computer control, or if the computer itself has "gone west". I looked in the manual to see if there was a way to force the computer to reset to factory defaults, but could find no information.

Any input would be appreciated.
--
Fred Lux
Computer Technology Dept.
Monroe Public Schools, Monroe, Michigan

267. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <33448A39.359C@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 178753

Also CW mobile op (vibroplex iambic / 8044ABM keyer). I've used the 20 meter hamstick with the 80 meter "extended whip" to cover 30 meters (follow so far?) I got full band coverage with VSWR of 2:1 or less (of course, the entire band IS only 50 Khz). The antenna was mounted in the very center of a small Honda Civic hatchback; Had no problems getting a perfect 1:1 match at 10110 Khz. Using a low profile ball mount permanently attached to the roof, the antenna was high and in the clear of the entire vehicle. Wind loading was minimal, though occasionally noisy at certain speeds (whistle).

As a comparison, my full sized Bugcatcher was 10 to 15 DB stronger, but was too unstable to use while in motion. Bugcatcher used a 3 foot lower mast, the coil, and a 7 foot whip. No capacity hat on the bugcatcher, nor any capacity coupling at the base of the antenna. VSWR on the bugcatcher was 1:1 too.

Want a cheap antenna that works 30 thru 10 marginally? ...buy the ham sticks. Want an antenna that really works? Buy a bugcatcher or screwdriver.

73,
Joe
dit dit

Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China
http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html
ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.
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268. WTB Bencher YA-1 Low Pass Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard H. Smith" <smithrh@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4031$b92f6f00$594153ce@crc3.concentric.net>
Source record: 178754

I am willing to spend $30 plus $5 UPS shipping for a Bencher Low Pass Filter YA-1. Another manufacturer with the same specs is good too. 1.8-30 Mhz @ 1.5 kw continuous. 52 ohm. Richard Smith WB8MYC

269. FS: MOTOROLA RADIO & MUSTEK SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: st155@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970403031100.WAA24691@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178755

FOR SALE

MUSTEK CG-6000 SCANMAGIC COLOR SCANNING PACKAGE.
CAPTURE OVER 262,000 COLORS WITH A 18-BIT HANDHELD SCANNER
OR 64 GRAYSCALE. RESOLUTION FROM 100-400 DPI IN LINE ART AND
GRAYSCALE & 50-200 DPI IN COLOR MODE.
COMES WITH THE CG-6000 262,144 COLOR SCANNER
TWAIN COMPLIANT
PHOTO MAGIC LE SOFTWARE
OCR SOFTWARE
JPEG COMPRESSION
FOR MICROSOFT WINDOWS COMPATIBLE
MANUALS, CABLES, WARRANTY CARD INCLUDED $150.00+SHIPPING

800 STX TRUNKING TYPE I WITH SUB SWITCH ON TOP.
FULL KEYPAD / W DISPLAY & BATTERY 645 LU DATE . 400.00+ SHIPPING

ALL OFFERS WILL BE CONCIDERED
IF INTERSTED LEAVE E-MAIL TO: ST155@AOL.COM
THANKS!
RICK...

270. FS: Kenwood HC-10 Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <5i0ceihvg1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 178756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I have a deluxe model Kenwood HC-10 clock for sale or trade. This is the tabletop model that is a 24 hour digital clock that also shows day of the week, day of the month, and times in various cities around the world. Price is $75 plus $5 for UPS or will trade ????

Bryan W5KFT

271. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4031$0a21e560$8060b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 178757

fiz <fiz@lamar.colostate.edu> wrote in article
<3342F7BC.446D@lamar.colostate.edu>...
> Butch Magee wrote:
> >
> > Michael J. Wade wrote:
> > >
> > > Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have
> Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I
put
> > > up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a
tower.
> > > Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build
homebrew or
> > > one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
> > snip
> >
> > Did you take the General class exam yourself or did someone take it for
> > you? Son, you don't know enouth to be on HF or this is some kind of
> > joke.
> > y
> > Butch KF5DE
>
>
> huh? Did I miss something, or could someone explain this reply to me?
>
> ttfn fiz (KG0YG)
>

I guess you missed something. How about the technical expertise to be a
general class radio operator. The reply I am sure is about the creation of
a dipole or Windom or even a long wire with tuner. If any one cannot figure
out how to create the before mentioned antenna, then the person holding the
license should be under question.

Regards

Christopher Cox
KC8FRJ (A lowly no-code Tech)
TRA#4901

272. LA Hamfests This Weekend???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3343DFA2.53E5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I will be in the Los Angeles area this weekend and was wondering if anyone knows of any hamfests, flea markets, swap meets, etc. scheduled for 4/5-8?

Also, anyone have the number for W6RO - the Queen Mary station? I travel to LA quite often and have visited but the station was not on the air at the time.

73 de Ron, WA1UWZ

FISTS #3099, QCWA #28749

273. A few questions on the Yaesu FT-8000R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: QESK41A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5i0jgm$1d3o@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 178759

Just a few, I promise to keep it brief.

Does the FT-8000R have a CTCSS decode module?

If it has a module what is the part number?

If it has a module, does it allow for scanning of freqs with interrogation for correct PL? I have an Alinco DR-600T that has the decode module installed, but still stops on active freqs even if the CTCSS tone is different (at least it doesn,t pass audio). I also have a Yaesu FT-50R that scans and interrogates--this is what I'm looking for.

Does the ADMS-2C programming software offer any additional perks? (i.e. limited alpha tags)

Thanks in advance.

Ed Burke

274. Wanted Sony Air-8 manual or info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5i0j9e$uf9@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 178760

I am looking for a owners manual or someone that has an AIR-8 to tell me how to program, set delay and priority.

Can you set limits for searching?

Is it safe to connect a wall adaptor while regular batteries are installed?

275. Re: Quit whining!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsielke@cyberenet.net
Message-ID: <19970404033343938 37@jsielke.ppp.cyberenet.net>
Source record: 178561

Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card> wrote:

> *
> * My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This *
> * is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. *
> * To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! *
> * My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com *
> * When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, *
> * not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. *
> *
>
> On Mon, 31 Mar 1997, Willard Flagg wrote:
>
> > Ted, take a look at the amount of content in you message. You have more
> > disclaimer about your email practice then you have relevant information.
> > You might want to consider: 'Do unto to others as you would have them do
> > unto you' as I for one am getting tired of having to look for content in
> > messages from posts like yours. Others likely feel the same.
>
> Then you and any others who don't like it can add me to your killfile and
> quit crying and whining in my email because,(for the last damn time), I AM
> NOT CHANGING IT so don't waste your or my time... don't email me again.
> I'm sick of these crybabies who whine about this but never say a damn
> thing about these idiots who post uninformative for-sale ads. Get lost.
>
> I repeat: I AM NOT CHANGING IT!
>
> So either learn how to flip the page or add ted@*.* to your killfile.
>
>
> Ted <ted@caprica.com>
>
> *
> * My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! *
> * I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever *
> * sends unsolicited advertizing via Email risk prompt *
> * cancelation of internet service without refund and *
> * possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! *
> * Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied *
> * to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. *
> *
> *
> *
> * My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! *

> * Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html *
> * Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! *
> *
> *
> *
> * Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! *
> * It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html *
> *

Now this is a psychotic, paranoid idiot!

--

John L. Sielke zygodactyl@bigfoot.com
http://www.cyberenet.net/~jsielke
"Why yes, I have some Grey poop on."

276. FS RFC 2m Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpoling@stratos.net
Message-ID: <860146343.1220@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Have for sale RF Concepts 2-315 2-meter Amplifier. It is NEW in box and has never been on the air. 5 -50 watt input, 150 - 170 watts out. Has GaAsFet Preamp, SWR and hi-Temp protection. $235. plus shipping

Paul N8CKG jpoling@stratos.net

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

277. Jan 94 QST req !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <a34gfBAbtORzEw9z@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 178563

I'd like to purchase the Jan 94 edition of QST, can anyone help??

My direct e-mail is: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk

Any reasonable price paid.

73 Phil G4ZOW/extreme mobile.

Turnpike evaluation. For information, see http://www.turnpike.com/

278. FS: Ten Tec Scout 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Winkelman <wink@felix.kodak.com>
Message-ID: <3344F216.40C@felix.kodak.com>
Source record: 178564

FOR SALE:

Ten Tec Scout 555 50 watt cw/ssb transceiver

Accessories:
40 Meter Band Plug-in Module
20 Meter Band Plug-in Module
297 Noise Blanker
296 Mobile Bracket
700C Handheld Microphone

Original boxes and Manual

New condition, used very little!

$640 original Asking $500

Call Gary, N2UM at (716) 544-0773 after 4:00 est
or
E-mail to wink@rpa.net (my home address)

Tnx!

279. WTB Drake R-7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <3344FCDE.2696@mail.org>
Source record: 178565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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If you have a Drake R-7A in excellent condition for sale, please contact
me. Joe, K4JJ
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280. Re: Mosley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Clements <philk5pc@connect.net>
Message-ID: <33450483.5432@connect.net>
Source record: 178566

Thomas L. Gaines, Sr. wrote:
>
> Greetings,
>
> Is Mosley still in Amateur Antennae Business?
>
> Tnx and 73.
>
> K5TG
> --
> Thomas L. Gaines, Sr.
> Amateur Radio Callsign K5TG
> 703 Jones Street
> Picayune, MS 39466-5239
> Coordinates 30.532 North 89.680 West
> Pearl River County
> E-mail = tgaines@datastar.netThey are alive and well. They have a big showing each year at Dayton and Dallas.
They sell only factory-to-amateur direct; no dealers.

(((73)))
Phil, K5PC

281. Re: HELP ASTRON VLS-25M (Dont do is job)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <3345027A.34BE@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 178567

Eric Vincent wrote:
>
> Anybody can help me, my power supply, ASTRON VLS-25M dont work very well. At
> low current (3-5 amps.) it will be ok but when I want more current (5 and up)
> the voltage and the current go down.
>
> If you have any hint, let me know.

It sounds like it's going up against the current limit setting. The
HRO catalog I have doesn't show a VLS series, but a VS series which
has adjustable voltage and current pots on the front panel. If this
is the type you have, crank up the current limit pot. If this doesn't
seem to work, open up the supply and spray some cleaner on the current
limit pot. I've had a bit of trouble with mine from time-to-time;
(the environment where my shack is collects dust and has a humidity
problem). If the pot's dirty, it could act like an open and the
current adjust/limit circuitry would go haywire. Good luck.
--
Jack
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
ARRL - N2MPU
NRA & NRA-ILA

282. Re: HELP ASTRON VLS-25M (Dont do is job)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <33450228.561C@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 178568

Eric Vincent wrote:
>
> Anybody can help me, my power supply, ASTRON VLS-25M dont work very well. At
> low current (3-5 amps.) it will be ok but when I want more current (5 and up)
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>
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283. Re: HELP ASTRON VLS-25M (Dont do is job)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <3345019A.3BC8@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 178569

Eric Vincent wrote:
>
> Anybody can help me, my power supply, ASTRON VLS-25M dont work very well. At
> low current (3-5 amps.) it will be ok but when I want more current (5 and up)
> the voltage and the current go down.
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Jack
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
ARRL - N2MPU
NRA & NRA-ILA

284. Re: need info Kenwood TM-V7A out of band mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frans Lowiessen <lowiess@pi.net>
Message-ID: <33451284.726E@pi.net>
Source record: 178570

A1EMT wrote:
>
> Seeking information on a mod to open the TM-V7A to operate out of band and
> also the range that this mod will be effective in....
>
> Any info appreciated. Thanks!
>
> JIM
I am also seeking have not found anything Kenwood themselve do not tell
anything

285. FS: HQ-170 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael A. Rutkaus" <resume@mnsinc.com>
Message-ID: <3344FE26.755B@mnsinc.com>
Source record: 178571

Xerox copy, bound. "Issue No. 3 For all receivers after serial #3300"

$5

Mike
K4QET

286. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@Prodigy.Net>
Message-ID: <3345289E.7D6D@Prodigy.Net>
Source record: 178572

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>
> > Isn't Radio Shack the place less than 5 miles from your house where you
> > can buy something and then return it 30 days later, for no good reason,
> > and get a complete refund? I thought so. Try that stunt at <add
> > favorite mail-order Ham store here>.
> >
>"stunt" is the perfect term for it. Once Radio Shack gets wise to the
gang who use it for 30 days and bring it back, they will modify their
policy, or drop the ham radio stuff all together.
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287. Motorola Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3345160A.38F4@flash.net>
Source record: 178573

I have a Motorola Maxar vhf under dash mount crystal controlled radio. Is this radio suitable to be modified for repeater use? It currently is crystalled in the 154mhz range. Mod # dr43tra3900ak

73's

kc5zrr

288. HTX-204 BNC connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: brayman@apt02.Kodak.COM
Message-ID: <5i37o4$r00$1@kodak.rdcs.Kodak.COM>
Source record: 178574

Just a note about the HTX-204 BNC connector - (I assume this would apply to the ADI versions): The locking ring on my HTX-204 BNC connector was not very secure - after 3 weeks the connector suddenly became very loose and the internal antenna connection broke.

The local Radio Shack replaced the radio.

73' KB2SAO

brayman@kodak.com

289. TS-820S display woes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clark Thompson <cmthomp1@facstaff.wisc.edu>
Message-ID: <3345287A.5AE@facstaff.wisc.edu>
Source record: 178575

Greetings,

The digital display on my Kenwood TS-820S periodically goes nuts. It will be fine for days or weeks, and then one or two digits will go out or it will start displaying garbage. In some cases, it has even gone completely out except for two decimal points.

I have tried reflowing the solder connections on all the multi pin connectors on the boards of the counter unit and have used "DeOxit" on all connectors associated with the display. I know I have read somewhere in the past about a notorious problem with this display. Anyone have that info?

Thanks & 73,

Clark, KD9QI

cmthomp1@facstaff.wisc.edu

290. FS: Alinco DJ-F1T/h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip Nichols <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <334533E0.5F5B@gatecom.com>
Source record: 178576

SB SWAPS@SEMIBBS
FS: ALinco DJ-F1TH

for sale or trade (need KPC-3) $150
ALinco DJ-F1Th 5Watt battery plus "AA" drycell battery pack.
40 memories plus 1 call channel
Dual VFOs, Dual watch
Expanded RX and TX mods done.
RX 110-136AM
130-174Mhz FM
Diecast body excellent condition.
Will run direct from 12V source also.
10months old, warranteed
Phillip KC8DQF Phone: (313)-692-4985

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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx#semi.mi.usa.noam

291. Re: Anti-Spam Measures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97040409332311909@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178577

>>The above is only ONE FORTH of my sig file!

You seem to be proud of this...the vast majority of participants here abide by simple rules of etiquette, and place 2, 3, or 4-line SIG at the *END* of our posts.

>>Most people DON'T read all the way to the bottom and so they might
>>reply to the fake address not knowing the real address if I put THAT
>>part at the bottom too.

You think too highly of yourself. Did you ever think that if your posts were a little more coherent and if you used standard conventions for Internet Newsgroup participation, that you wouldn't have to worry about a deluge of Replies?

>>I think my method is the more common, and more practical...

Again, your ego is getting in the way. 99.9% of the world performs one way...you act in another manner - and want the world to adapt to your silliness. Ain't gonna work, "Ted."

- Clint Bradford

292. Re: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <9704040933241191O@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178578

>>Wait 'till Radio Shack has [the HTX-204] on sale!

What exactly IS Radio Shack's history of placing a brand-new product on sale? Have they ever done that in, say, the first six months of a product's debut? Or a year's time?

If I needed a product NOW - and saw it (or a competitor's product, with more features) available elsewhere for a lot less, I'm going to grab it when I need it...not wait for a "sale" that may never occur.

>>...Radio Shack's 30-day "NO QUESTIONS ASKED RETURN POLICY"...

A good policy, indeed.

Personally, I like to think I research the market well BEFORE I plunk down 300 bucks for anything. I look at not only what a store's "return policy" may be, but also the track record of the manufacturer, whether or not a "customer service" department exists, and available options/ aftermarket accessories.

I know I cannot call most Radio Shack stores for assistance on specific HTs. This is NOT to demean Tandy - that's just a given. We should not expect all Tandy employees to know Amateur Radio or GMRS or any particular "niche" of their catalog (although I am involved with an organization that has placed educational GMRS brochures in over 20 Radio Shack sotres in Southern California...).

>>At Amatuer Electronic Supply there is no return policy.

I cannot believe that a customer cannot return a defective unit to AES for a replacement...

But, again - we get back to our personal research methods. With proper homework, we make intelligent purchasing decisions. HRO and AES are working on so small of profit margins on some units, that they cannot offer a "30-day trial period" for us to abuse while we perform our "homework" AFTER the purchase, rather than BEFORE the purchase.

Thanks for the dialog!

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
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293. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: spammers@must.die.com
Message-ID: <wsandersE84KqB.2L1@netcom.com>
Source record: 178579

Mobile CW op? What do you use for a keyer? Do you mean that one of these days I'll get myself off my 8 WPM plateau and be able to copy in my head without breaking into a sweat? Right now I can't see myself being able to drive and copy CW without plowing into a tree. The joy in this is that I find copying at about 10wpm a wonderfully mind-clearing Zen-like activity, a lot like the first few times I ever flew an airplane. All other mental activity ceases - good stuff.

Speaking of Hamsticks, I made up a 40m dipole and I'm pretty happy. I haven't made any contacts yet because some S5 QRM started up from a nearby condo under construction the same weekend I put the antenna up, centered right on 7110, but the antenna tunes up to 1.2 SWR or better betwen 7.1 and 7.15, which is fine for this Tech Plus, and it's mounted inside right at the peak of the roof only 3 or 4 feet above the house furnace. Total height above ground is on the order of 25 feet or so.

Just be sure to follow the golden rule of Hamsticks:

DON'T CUT THE WHIP FIRST!

Mine matched only after adjusting the whip in and out 1/4" at a time. The current whip length is shorter than the included tuning charts indicate by about 2 inches - the whips are inserted almost all the way in to the point where they touch the "internal wire" the instructions warn you about. (If the whip actually touches the internal wire, you will short out a few turns of the antenna and the SWR with go way off.) Your mileage will almost certainly vary since you won't be setting up an indoor dipole. But remember - DON'T CUT THE WHIP FIRST until you have worked the whip all the way in 1/4" or so at a time. And then, I'd only cut an inch or so off at a time.

-wiley

294. Free Music

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: HaZy Jay BongWater <KPRT@HotMAil.com>
Message-ID: <01bc40ff$c9033500$43ddb8cd@jedi.iclub.org>
Source record: 178580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.r

We at KPRT Pirate Radio are giving away free tapes to anyone interested.
We specialize in underground music and adult humor form the 1960's and
70's. Anyone interested can find out more information or send in a request
to KPRT@HoTMaiL.com or check out our official HomePage at
http://www.GeoCities.com/SunsetStrip/Palms/9377. Peace!!

HaZy Jay BongWater
Public Relations Director
KPRT Pirate Radio :)

295. WANTED: Drake TR-6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <CONEAL@microtouch.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4132$3c999680$f7512ec0@coneal>
Source record: 178581

Hi,
I'm looking for an excellent Drake TR-6 and will pay accordingly.
Please reply to coneal@microtouch.com

Thanks!

73,
Chuck...

296. WTB: SB-104,WORKING CONDITION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4134$973a0c80$040093cf@dell>
Source record: 178582

Would consider purchasing a very good condition SB104 w/ or w/out ps. send email: Joe.7hc@juno.com

297. New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@netnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199704042023.OAA08246@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 178583

I saw recently where the FCC has given each TV station a new Frequency
for HDTV.
Does anyone know what frequencies they will be power rating and other
particulars.

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/ \ Mike Hughes
O/_____\O 211 Woodland Drive
/_____/\ Lowell, IN 46356
(>> (_) <<) (219)696-3637 H (219)696-2436 Office
| _/ | <macmike@netnitco.net>
\ |^| / Preacher for Prairie Street Church of Christ
\|^|/ ETL List Manager to subscribe Write:
|^| ETL-request@genesis.acu.edu
|_| Looking for a Place to Preach Write:
ETL-churchlook@genesis.acu.edu

298. WTB: Hr2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: marks@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <33457aa4.4254854@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 178584

Any one have a Hr2510 for sale let me know...

299. Re: Crystals for porta mobile??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5off@w5ddl.aara.org.nospam
Message-ID: <n5off-0404971645550001@ip159.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 178585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

If you call a xtal maker and tell them the desired freq, they will
calculate this for you. It is also in the GE manual if you have that.

I've used Bomar with good results.

73

Tom

In article <860134036.29791@dejanews.com>, brosh@matnet.com wrote:

> Hello all, and thanks for reading this...
> I have a couple of the old GE "Porta-Mobile"
> lunchbox 49mhz
> rigs, and I would like to recrystal them to work
> on 6 meters, in
> particular 52.525 simplex, for mobile use. Does
> anyone know the
> formula for crystaling these radios-from what I've
> seen by
> pulling the old crystals, the schemes are
> different for TX and
> RX. Also has anyone actually done this, and what
> kind of
> surprises await the unwary?
> 73's de Chris WL7PV
>
> ----------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

--
Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

300. WTB: Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@netnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199704042004.OAA32528@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 178586

I am looking for a good antenna tuner to buy used. Also I would like a 5 band wire antenna.

Mike Hughes
211 Woodland Drive
Lowell, IN 46356

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| _/ | <macmike@netnitco.net>
\ |^| / Preacher for Prairie Street Church of Christ
\|^|/ ETL List Manager to subscribe Write:
|^| ETL-request@genesis.acu.edu
|_| Looking for a Place to Preach Write:
ETL-churchlook@genesis.acu.edu

301. KPC-3 PLUS Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: niel brieger <nbrieger@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334581D8.56DD@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178587

I'm wondering if anyone has run into this problem or knows a solution for it. I purchased the KPC-3 PLUS for field use, and now Kantronics is telling me I need an outside antenna to use it with my handheld transceiver. Here's the problem:

I'm connecting the KPC-3 PLUS to a handheld Yaesu FT50R transceiver. There is a HUGE amount of static showing up on the Yaesu on 145.010mhz whenever I turn on the KPC. I don't have to have any cables attached and the Yaesu can be 30 feet away in the same room and it still says the channel is active when I turn on the KPC. Does it sound like the KPC is defective or is this normal behavior? It's sort of a bummer since the major packet freq this way is 145.010. Thanks to anyone that can help!

(If you could please send email that would be great!)

Niel Brieger (nbrieger@ix.netcom.com)

302. TEKTRONIX 2445 SCOPE FOR TS50S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jposlus@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970404225800.RAA11153@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178588

WILL TRADE OR SELL TEKTRONIX 2445, 150MHz 4 CHANNEL SCOPE. MINT
CONDITION, CRT READOUT, AND CURSOR, 2 TEKTRONIX PROBES AND MANUAL.

TRADE FOR CLEAN TS50S WITH CW FILTER, OR MAYBE CURRENT ALINCO OR YAESU
HF MOBILE RIG.. OR SELL $1200

E-MAIL JPOSLUS@AOL.COM
OR

PHONE WEEKDAYS, 847 671-6690 ASK FOR JERRY P.

TNX, N9DKQ

303. DELORME GPS RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: m <global07@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc414e$c3aa3e60$34e792cf@697142723>
Source record: 178589

See: www.angelfire.com/biz/pager

304. WTD: Cheap RCI-2950 or TS-2000dx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ladd <laddo@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3345AE16.EAC@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 178590

I am in need for one of these...
I dont wanna any stupid freeband jokes or anything...
I just need one...
And If ya'll all hate them why do they go for so much money used...

Anyhow...

E-mail replys...

Thanks
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73

Ladd V. Straatmann

305. GPS RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: m <global07@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc414e$dd8ea960$34e792cf@697142723>
Source record: 178591

DELORME GPS KIT

See: www.angelfire.com/biz/pager

306. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5nzr@rt66.com
Message-ID: <5i43jhjmn1@mack.rt66.com>
Source record: 178592
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

You're kidding, right? Someone would have to use the gear in question AS a litter box to be contaminated the way you are talking about.

Now, about that barking dog next door, where are the shells for my shotgun??

Richie Allen --- Albuquerque New Mexico --- USA
KC5NZR --- email: kc5nzr@rt66.com ---

307. WTB: ICOM IC-2SRA soft leather case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ned Parkes <sparkes@fast.net>
Message-ID: <3345645A.7C4A@fast.net>
Source record: 178593

Looking for the soft leather case for an ICOM IC-2SRA.

Ned Parkes - N3LKT
Eastern PA

308. Re: TS-820S display woes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0PW <pwentzel@minn.net>
Message-ID: <3345A22D.1719@minn.net>
Source record: 178594

Hi Clark and all,

I had a similar problem with an ts-820s several years ago. I cured the display problem by removing the display driver board and carefully resoldering EACH and EVERY connection. Actually I think it took about 45 minutes or so. I used a small tip soldering iron and added a very small amount of fine rosen core solder to each joint. Inspect your work under a magnifier, as it is easy to make solder bridges.

Cleaned the board -- re-installed it -- and it never went crazy again.

Good luck and 73,
Paul K0PW

309. Suggestion on dead TS-940...what to do with it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Strupat <john.strupat@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3345C4B9.751E@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 178595

I am looking at buying a stone dead Kenwood TS-940 about 1988-89 vintage. I haven't seen it personally and due to the distance involved, would appreciate any suggestions on what to look for to try to evaluate it's condition on a trip this weekend.

The rig is stone dead and has had the AVR board removed for an attempted re-work/repair.

I realise that the 940 is very complex and diagnosing it will be impossible on the spot unless there is visible damage from overheating or heavy handed repairs!

Any clues to help me evaluate this thing and some idea of a reasonable offer on it would be gratly appreciated.

I'd rather not take on a lifetime repair project...

73's

John VE3PCN

310. Re: HTX-204 BNC connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3345AB54.657A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178596

brayman@apt02.Kodak.COM wrote:
>
> Just a note about the HTX-204 BNC connector - (I assume
> this would apply to the ADI versions): The locking ring
> on my HTX-204 BNC connector was not very secure - after
> 3 weeks the connector suddenly became very loose and the
> internal antenna connection broke.
>
> The local Radio Shack replaced the radio.
>
> 73' KB2SAO
>
> brayman@kodak.com
If you baught the radio at a Ham Radio Store they would have said :
"You baught it now you are stuck with it." Or " We at #$%^^^^ OUTLET
do not sell radios for evaluation. So send your radio back to ADI and
good luck".

311. Re: Help Kenwood 742 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.C.Payne" <dcpayne@mnsinc.com>
Message-ID: <3345B528.7A41@mnsinc.com>
Source record: 178597

Try holding down the MR+Power ON to reset the radio. And .....
I just tried something on my, and scared myself too, Seems that if you push the function key longer than on second then mute it locks the panel. Do it again and it releases it. Try that. I knew that is how it worked in crossband so now I learned something too. Good luck and let me know if this works.

73

Dave, KD4YCS

dcpayne@mnsinc.com

312. Ft8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: marks@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <33456c50.586445@news.pacbell.net>
Source record: 178598

Want to buy a ft8000 if any one has one for sale let me know.

presidentclinton@bigfoot.com

313. Re: dualbanders sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabrams@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.970404223619.27861B-100000@hoflink.com>
Source record: 178599

On 4 Apr 1997, John Doe wrote:

> i have 2 yaesu dualbanders mobiles for sale..
> bothe are 144/440mhz
>
>
> price 300.00
>
>
>
> yaesu ft 5100

> price 350.00
>
>
> or 700.00 for both
>
> might take the following on trade: laptop

I guess that what they mean by "the new math"!

-Jerry Abrams

314. NII/SUPERNet devices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Andrew M. Appel" <aappel@duncan.nac.net>
Message-ID: <3345CE5B.2DDE@duncan.nac.net>
Source record: 178600
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,sci.electronics.equipment

Have you heard that the FCC has made available 350 megahertz of spectrum
(READ BELOW).

I'm looking for some tech weenies experienced in building homebrew
equipment.
I want to sit down and start developing some wireless LAN equipment
utilizing this newly liberated airspace. I very experienced in the
LAN/WAN technology but I lacking in hands on, hardware design,
experience.

Think of it! A wireless LAN device, cheap to manufacture, that would be
inexpensive enough for every household in America to purchase. Forget
these money grubbing telcos. If we can supply the technology cheap
enough we can build our own wireless Internet and minimize the
dependency on the telcos.

Any takers? Any dreamers? Any entrepreneurs willing to take a chance?

Drop me a line if interested!

-Andy

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COMMISSION PROPOSES TO MAKE SPECTRUM AVAILABLE FOR USE
BY NEW UNLICENSED EQUIPMENT;
NII/SUPERNet Devices Would Facilitate Interconnection to NII
(ET Docket No. 96-102)

The Commission has adopted a Notice of Proposed Rule Making to make
available 350 megahertz of spectrum at 5.15 - 5.35 GHz and 5.725 - 5.875
GHz for use by a new category of unlicensed equipment called
NII/SUPERNet devices. The Commission stated the proposed rules would
foster the development of a broad range of new devices, stimulate the
growth of new industries, and promote the ability of U.S. manufacturers
to compete globally by enabling them to develop unlicensed digital
products for the world market.

NII/SUPERNet devices would provide short-range, high-speed wireless
digital information transfer and could support the creation of new
wireless local area networks (LANs) as well as facilitate access to the
National Information Infrastructure without the expense of wiring.
These devices may further the universal service goals of the
Telecommunications Act by offering classrooms, libraries, health care
providers, and other users inexpensive networking alternatives which may

access advanced telecommunications services.

315. Re: WTB: Type "HN" coax adaptors (connectors)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray LaRue <raylarue@gte.net>
Message-ID: <3345E54E.1E76@gte.net>
Source record: 178601

PKluwe wrote:
>
> WTB: Type "HN" coax adaptors (connectors): need right angle "HN" male to
> "HN" female, also need straight "HN" male to "N" female adaptor. Please
> advise condition and price to : paul@kluwe.com
>
> Thanks & 73, Paul Kluwe, W8ZO

I have a supply of new straight, RG 8/u to HN, male connectors. Can you
use them? I've never seen a HN to N adapter. Always have made it up
with a short piece of coax.
73,
Ray, W4BYG

316. Re: ? Standard's C5900DA tribander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5i3n69$d6p$2@mhadf.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 178602

I would...but if you can't say somethin' good, don't say nothin' at all...
IMHO if you need these 3 bands the only rig left like this is the kenwood and I am not too psyched about them, either
--
73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

317. Re: Mosley

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas L. Gaines, Sr." <tgaines@datastar.net>
Message-ID: <334603E9.653@datastar.net>
Source record: 178603

Andersen wrote:
>
> Thomas L. Gaines, Sr. wrote:
> >
> > Greetings,
> >
> > Is Mosley still in Amateur Antennae Business?
> >
> > Tnx and 73.
> >
> > K5TG
> > --
> > Thomas L. Gaines, Sr.
> > Amateur Radio Callsign K5TG
> > 703 Jones Street
> > Picayune, MS 39466-5239
> > Coordinates 30.532 North 89.680 West
> > Pearl River County
> > E-mail = tgaines@datastar.net
>
> Yes Tom they are, if you need info,I
> have it somewhere and will try to
> find it for you.
> 73 Doug

Thanks to all who responded. 73.

de K5TG
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703 Jones Street
Picayune, MS 39466-5239
Coordinates 30.532 North 89.680 West
Pearl River County
E-mail = tgaines@datastar.net

318. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <markw@Iconnect.net>
Message-ID: <3344C019.6BD8@Iconnect.net>
Source record: 178604

Richard Guy wrote:
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> fiz wrote:
> >
> > Butch Magee wrote:
> > >
> > > Michael J. Wade wrote:
> > > >
> > > > Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have > Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna
can I put
> > > > up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
> > > > Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
> > > > one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
> > > snip
> > >
> > > Did you take the General class exam yourself or did someone take it for
> > > you? Son, you don't know enouth to be on HF or this is some kind of
> > > joke.
> > > y
> > > Butch KF5DE
> >
> > huh? Did I miss something, or could someone explain this reply to me?
> >
> > ttfn fiz (KG0YG)
> Hey KF5DE, As a young HAM (KB2WIP) I am glad you are not in our local
> Club! I am sure KG0YG really appreciated your kind, Mentoring help with
> his/or her question. You must be an Extra!

Of course I may be missing something here too... I thought NOVICES could
transmit on HF bands. I personally see nothing wrong with someone asking
a question, no matter how simple someone else sees it. 73's

319. WTB Heath AR-3 Rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob_wold@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3345F8CF.9CE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178605

Hi--Have been thinking about my youth and my 1st ham station. The rcvr was an old HeathKit AR-3. The year was 1957 - Oh how time flys. Well I want to redo that old station of KN6ZLY so I must find the AR-3 HiHi. Any condition is ok, doesn't even need to have a case. What do you have?

Thanks Bob
bob_wold@ix.netcom.com

320. Re: IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: webmaster@bro.net
Message-ID: <3345C520.31F3@bro.net>
Source record: 178606

Visit the web's most comprehensive Amateur Vendor Directory:

http://bro.net/explorer/vendor.html

321. WTB MFJ-1278B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: cturner@popalex1.linknet.net
Message-ID: <3344f82d.447688@news.linknet.net>
Source record: 178607

Looking for MFJ-1278B with Pactor. Contact Clifton Turner KF5OJ
318-442-4734
cturner@popalex1.linknet.net

322. Re: Keyers - what's new?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobw@col.hp.com
Message-ID: <5i3bus$7t3@nonews.col.hp.com>
Source record: 178608

Jim Johnson (jjohnson@hpl.hp.com) wrote:
: I'm wondering what's new in the world of electronic keyers. I'm
: realizing how out-of-touch I am when I thumb through Web pages and
: magazine ads looking for things like keyers and phone patches. Is
: MFJ the only manufacturer of keyers these days? There used to be
: a keyer chip (Curtis?) available as a kit - is it passe also? Maybe
: keyers are always included in new equipment now ... hmm, new
: equipment ... there's a thought. What are you doing for a keyer?
: Go ahead, I have my armor on ... let me have it!

The Curtis chip is still around, I think, but perhaps not the
latest and greatest (IMHO).

I would give a serious look at the CMOS SuperKeyer III (I hope
I got it right, typing from memory). This is really just a
single-chip microcomputer that is all programmed up to be
a very versatile keyer. It was written up in QST a couple
of years ago (?) and has been improved since then. I have seen
ads for it in the back of QST. It may come assembled or in
kit form.

A recent QST reveals...
It was written up in August 95.
A "partial kit" is available from Idiom Press, Box 1025,
Geyersville, CA 95441, for $58.

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Bob Witte bobw@col.hp.com
Electronic Measurements Division (719) 590-3230
Hewlett-Packard Company KB0CY 7J1AUE

323. WTB : Heathkit World's Most Accurate Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: anonymous <anonymous@home>
Message-ID: <01bc4095$b7fdce60$5838fcc6@none.netsrq.com>
Source record: 178696

I am looking for Heathkit world's most accurate clock. Must be completely functional with manuals.

Please E-Mail:

Tim Taylor
tim.taylor@netsrq.com

Thanks,

Tim

324. Re: CW transceiver made easy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <5i1hfh$871@news1.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 178697
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

w7el@teleport.com (Roy Lewallen) eloquently wrote:

>In article <5hmgvm$bih@news1.mnsinc.com>,
> bry@mnsinc.com (Brian Carling (Radio G3XLQ / AF4K)) wrote:

>>ALSO, you can go to -
>>
>>http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm
>>
>>and click on KITS for a huge list of suppliers! Thankfully their are
>>many many small companies selling such kits these days!
>>
>>Homebrewing seems to be very popular now!

>It also has changed somewhat. Back when people bought an HW-8, followed the
>step-by-step instructions, poked the components into the holes, and soldered
>them, they would tell you they were using a "Heath HW-8". Apparently, this would
>now be a "homebrew" rig.

>Admittedly, this is slightly more complex than taking a rig out of a box and
>turning on a switch, and I'm surely in favor of kit building. But is it
>now "homebrew"?

>Roy Lewallen, W7EL

Thanks Roy - actually the two comments were somewhat unrelated but I
see how you could draw that conclusion!

I have listings for supplies used in homebrewing, and they ARE in a
seperate category from my list for KITS!!

There is a BUTTON for each at the web site listed above if you take a
look!

Enjoy - 73 de AF4K / G3XLQ

325. Gooseneck mount

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd2a@traknet.com
Message-ID: <334464c4.4597288@news.emi.com>
Source record: 178698

I'm planning on going mobile with my IC-706 in the near future. In order to install it in my small car I have to use a gooseneck mount as shown in one of the Icom promotional pictures. Problem is, I can't find any locally at the stereo/cellular stores. Can anyone tell me a source for this item?

326. dualbanders sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc40b2$68352140$46f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 178699

i have 2 yaesu dualbanders mobiles for sale..
bothe are 144/440mhz

yaesu ft4700rh
50 watts hi on 2 meters
40 watts hi 440
detachable face
20 memories
lcd display
full duplex crossband
scan
mount
touchtone mic
manual
external duplexer (comet included)

price 300.00

yaesu ft 5100
like new
alot the same as above with internal duplexer
no detachable duplexer ,used very little
92 memories

price 350.00

or 700.00 for both

might take the following on trade: laptop
h.f.rig
h.f.amp

monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

327. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8nn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970404003400.TAA28727@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178700

I use the the Hamstick 80, 40 and 20 meter verticals mounted on the trunk of my car. The quick disconnects make it very easy to install and remove. My FT-900AT automatic antenna tuner easily matches the entire 40 and 20 meter bands and about +/- 100 Khz of 80 meters. There is about 21 feet of coax between the antenna and the rig (coiled up in the trunk).

I easily work into Europe on 40 CW in the evening from the East coast in the evening, and usually work anyone I hear on CW on 40.

80 meter phone is very reliable in the morning, but difficult at night because of the noise and the band is too crowded. 20 meter CW and SSB is reliable when the band is open, but difficult in poor band conditions.

I carefully resonated the whips using an MFJ antenna analyzer to my favorite operating frequencies. The automatic antenna tuner does the rest.

I highly recommend the Hamsticks for a "cheap" mobile antenna solution.

Of course, a Bug Catcher or Screwdriver will both do a better job.

73, Bert - N8NN

328. Re: TEKTRONIX SCOPE FOR ONLY $49. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jblessin@peganet.com
Message-ID: <5i1ihb$cgv@andromeda.peganet.net>
Source record: 178701
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <333FA3F0.6429@microz.com>, johnz@microz.com says...
>
>jc17fl@aol.com wrote:
>>
>> Yes, it is true. I have a Tektronix Scope (Tektronix 604 Monitor) up
for
>> auction at ebay and the highest bid so far is just the opening bid of
>> $49.99 Seems like a shame, but I guess somebody is going to get a real
>> Tektronix scope for only $49.99
>>
>> To see the details or make a bid go to the web site at:
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>> http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=tjc33508
>>
>> Joseph.
>>
>> ---------------------==== Posted via Deja News
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>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet
>
>First off this isn't an oscilloscope. Its an x-y monitor without a
>calibrated timebase etc. If you are looking for an oscilloscope, this
>isn't it. These were usually incorporated into oem equipment which
>provided x and y axis scaling.
>
>John R. Zeigler

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Hey, haven't I read this ad before...maybe in the National Enquirer?
Why are we giving away these Tektronix 604 Monitors for only $49.99?
It's just a survey right???
Jordan Blessing L1 Master Tech

329. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: flanders@groupz.net
Message-ID: <3344458b.36862858@nntp.groupz.net>
Source record: 178702

>Michael J. Wade wrote:
>>
>> Thanks to all those who responded to my query about hf radios. I have
> Once I get one of these radios, what kind of inexpencive antenna can I put
>> up? I am currently living in a tornedo magnet, and can not put up a tower.
>> Can some one suggest an inexpencive antenna, ie easy to build homebrew or
>> one less that $100. Also will I need an antenna tuner with these
>snip
>==========

If you have trees, simple coax-fed wire dipoles make excellent antennas (and the neighbors don't even see them like they would a tower and Yagi).

Sometimes it is possible to get two-band coverage without any kind of tuner:

I have a wire dipole cut to 80 M cw, which also functions as a "T" on 160 when I tie both coax conductors together at its base and feed it against ground.

I also have a wire dipole cut to 40 M, which functions well on 15 m as well (simple dipoles work well at 3x the fundamental frequency).

The only expensive part is the coax - the wire is pretty cheap.

Without trees, your best bet is to put up a simple vertical. If you can manage about 33 feet high, you could use it on 40 and (probably) 15 also, again without any tuner.

A tuner will give you freedom to use a simple long wire on several bands, and might actually be the cheapest route to success - a ground rod and a few dollars worth of wire plus the tuner would go a long way.

Jerry W4UK

330. Re: Yaesu FT-50 - Speaker Mike & Ear Piece Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5i1vrh$3i6@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178703

mullis@galileo.ifa.hawaii.edu (Chris Mullis) wrote:

>Can anyone comment on the quality and performance of these microphones for
>the Yaesu FT-50?

>Speaker/Mike MH-34A2B

>Ear Piece Mike MH-37A2B

I have the ear piece mike and like it very much. The receive audio is
very good, and I have received good comments on the transmit audio.
There is a tiny button on the mike itself for PTT. The plug does fit
snugly into the FT-50.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

331. WTB-Icom R-7000 accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kin Ho <bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5i1u2d$bk0@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178704

Please e-mail description/condition/price.

332. Re: A Question on FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hankb@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <5i1ql0$l81@news5.snfc21.pacbell.net>
Source record: 178705

In article <5hq7hk$d9p@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>, malverne@ix.netcom.com(MALVERNE POLICE DEPARTMENT) wrote:
> Looking for instructions on modifying the FT-50R to transmit in
>the 150's and 450's (yes --- I'm allowed to be there!) Thanks for any
>help.
>
>Glen (the cop...KEB455)

You may be allowed there, but the rig isn't (at least legally).

Check out http://members.gnn.com/hca/ft50/index.htm for the info on mods.

Hank (the ex-cop)

333. Re: FT 900 Opinions Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: brosh@matnet.com
Message-ID: <860133622.29534@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178706

In article <01bc408b$71a805c0$1c28d3cf@terry.simplynet.net>,
"Terry Crissman" <tcrissman@simplynet.net> wrote:
>
> My brother Larry, AC5DP, wants a HF rig he can take mobile. He would like
> your comments/opinions about the FT 900 Cat and other brands of radios that
> are similar. You can email him direct at lcrissman@juno.com or just leave
> messages within this newsgroup. Thanks de Terry (AC5AN)
Hello to all...
I have a FT900-without the AT option, which is a waste of money in
my
opinion-and think that it's the greatest thing since sliced bread.
It
has an effective noise blanker, which is very important in a mobile
environment, is easy to tune and operate while mobile, and the
seperate
control head is a very handy feature in a small car like my Escort.
I
use a 20 meter hamstick and an external MFJ tuner while mobile, and
on
a recent trip was able to work Virginia from Interior Alaska , as
well
as Wisconsin, which for some reason is hard to work from up here.
Now for the gotchas-the CW filtering is a bit wide, without the
optional CW filters, it's about 700 hz even on narrow CW, but the
notch
filter and IF shift can help you out there. As I mentioned earlier,
the
auto tuner is a waste of money-your $260 or so buys you a tuner that
matches a big 3:1 SWR, which wouldn't even cover the entire band
with a
hamstick, and the remote head connector has to be screwed into the
radio every time you remote it. Not perfect, but a nice rig for the
price. My FT900 is my only HF rig, and works as a fine base rig
also.
73's and CUL de Chris WL7PV

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

334. Crystals for porta mobile??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: brosh@matnet.com
Message-ID: <860134036.29791@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello all, and thanks for reading this...
I have a couple of the old GE "Porta-Mobile"
lunchbox 49mhz
rigs, and I would like to recrystal them to work
on 6 meters, in
particular 52.525 simplex, for mobile use. Does
anyone know the
formula for crystaling these radios-from what I've
seen by
pulling the old crystals, the schemes are
different for TX and
RX. Also has anyone actually done this, and what
kind of
surprises await the unwary?
73's de Chris WL7PV

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

335. wanted:icom 551 6meter xceiver FM board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: GUXL80A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5i28fb$1k26@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 178708

Wanted: FM board for Icom 6meter all mode transceiver. Thanks
Patrick at patrick_motley@wtvs.pbs.org

336. HELP ASTRON VLS-25M (Dont do is job)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: evincent@mediom.qc.ca
Message-ID: <5i28q7$34u$1@wagner.spc.videotron.ca>
Source record: 178709

Anybody can help me, my power supply, ASTRON VLS-25M dont work very well. At low current (3-5 amps.) it will be ok but when I want more current (5 and up) the voltage and the current go down.

If you have any hint, let me know.

Thank's from VE2VXT.

337. FS: ICOM CR-282 High-Stability Crystal Unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <5i2ab6$f47@surf.com>
Source record: 178710

For sale: ICOM CR-282 High-Stability Crystal Unit
** Brand-new in box ** $70.00 ** includes shipping.
(HRO sells it for $124.95).

Works with many ICOM radios including 775DSP, 765,
737, 736 and others.

Contains a temperature-compensating oven heater and
crystal unit for improved frequency stability. Makes
your ICOM frequency stability rock-solid! Easy to install.

Send email to sandy@sandy.com
Thanks for the reading. 73.

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| CactusNET Communications | Reflections By Design |
| Internet Service Provider | Web Design & Production |
| San Jose, California | Cupertino, California |
| 408-261-4676 | 408-257-2800 |
| http://www.cactusnet.com | http://www.by-design.com |
| "An Oasis In The CyberDesert" | "We Give You The World" |
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338. Belton TEXAS Hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346F5AC.182E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178511

Is Saturday April 19th.....doors open at sunrise (or even before!)...
Cost is cheap for the largest INDOOR ham swapfest flea market in the
southwest (they claim!)...

I sold over 600 bucks of small stuff last time....I LOVE Belton's fest!

Chris
WB5ITT
Not associated with the hamfest committee in any way and not liable for any
incorrect information above...IE: you're on your own!!!

339. Re: Yaesu FT227R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346F4E9.3B6@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178512

hlec@value.net wrote:
>
> My PLL seems to "unlock" from time to time. Any idea on how to fix this
> or who could do a good job fixing it? I have had my 227R for over 20
> years and would hate to give it up. Thanks.
> Harris VE6DK/W6

Its a usual thing when the 227R gets old....Check the 8V DC line to the synthsizer..
The relay that switches 8V could use cleaning..also the OFFSET switch on the
front panel will cause it...clean that switch as well....be sure to use a SAFE cleaner that does
not leave a residue and doesnt harm plastics....check the 8V regulator that is mounted to the
upper chassis on the right side of the radio....if the solder joints come loose on the bottom
of the PC board, it will cause that also...

Mine is fine except for the damn digit counter....it ALWAYS goes up in freq...and I think a optoisolator is out...so it wont go down in freq....real pain!

Chris
WB5ITT

340. Re: New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346F36C.7E12@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178513

Doug Smith wrote:
>
> macmike@netnitco.NET (Mike Hughes) wrote:
> >I saw recently where the FCC has given each TV station a new Frequency
> >for HDTV. Does anyone know what frequencies they will be power rating and other
> >particulars.
>
> All DTV will be in existing TV frequencies. Each station will be
> assigned a second channel somewhere between channel 2 and channel 59.

Ahh you mean 7 and 51 dont you????? NO HDTV will be on 2-6 or 51 and up...

> This second channel will (in most cases) be used for DTV operation.
>
> In the year 2006 (subject to review) the current analog system will be
> shut down. At that time, channels 60-69 will be vacant. Four of
> these channels (probably 60-63) will be given to public-safety
> operations, and the rest auctioned. And, the FCC will use the
> now-vacated NTSC assignments to "compact" the spectrum assigned to TV.
> They will clear channels 52-59 and either 2-6 or 47-51 of stations,
> and auction these too.

The final report was that HDTV would use 7-51....

> At least on UHF, stations will be assigned a minimum ERP power of 50KW
> and a maximum of 1000KW.

I saw in the R&O allocation at a local SBE meeting that some VHFs would only use 8KW ERP .....compared to their current 216KW video and 100Kw audio! and I thought I saw lower levels on UHF than 50 KW...

Chris
WB5ITT

341. Re: Motorola Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346F260.2E40@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178514

Lee H. wrote:
>
> I have a Motorola Maxar vhf under dash mount crystal controlled radio. Is
> this radio suitable to be modified for repeater use? It currently is
> crystalled in the 154mhz range. Mod # dr43tra3900ak
>
> 73's
>
> kc5zrr

NO...MAXARS cannot be modified for rptr service in the 2m band....
Besides, there are plenty of 2mtr rptrs in Houston already...

Chris
WB5ITT

342. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Zumbrun <zumbruns@mail.stlukes.org>
Message-ID: <3347119D.58A8@mail.stlukes.org>
Source record: 178515

KPodd wrote:
>
> My father (W2KX) died 7 years ago. Alot of old ham gear remains. The best
> of the newer transmitters, receivers and transceivers sold shortly after
> his death. What remains is all of the old stuff. We also have lots, let me
> repeat, lots and lots of radio tubes.
> Is there a market for this stuff or should it be discarded. After seven
> years we don't want it any more. Besides, my mother wants to move and we
> have to clean out the basement.
>
> any suggestions would be appreciated
> thanks
> daughter of W2KX

Hello, My name is Steve Zumbrun, W0SZ. I'm a ham radio operator out in Iowa. I think there is a market for your equipment and tubes. I would recommend that you contact your local radio club or local ham radio operator and see if he or they wouldn't make you an offer. Frequently there are amateur swap meets and I'm sure there are hams that would like to get their hands on the stuff. You also pobably should try the news group rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors. Best of luck. Steve

343. FS Heathkit boatanchor *mobile* ham transmitter $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: moo@NOSPAM.midtown.net
Message-ID: <moo-0504971954590001@sl17.midtown.net>
Source record: 178516

I'm trying to get rid of a setup for pirate radio that I bought but was unable to use because I totaled my car. The transmitter is a Heathkit Cheyenne MT-1 shortwave transmitter. It comes with the Heathkit HP-13 power supply, and I'll even throw in the microphone and jacks I was going to replace the old four prong jack with. I'm willing to sell all items (transmitter, power supply, microphone, and jacks) for $100, which I think is a pretty fair price. I'm willing to negotiate if you think it's too high. Also available is a Radio Shack 40 meter antenna and the matching trunk mount for $60, and a 12 volt battery, battery charger, and pair of battery clamp connectors for $40.

344. R-390A Receiver Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Polizzo <ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <3347208A.1858@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 178517

Hello
i am looking for a complete R-390A Receiver.
Working or repairable. E-Mail ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us

345. Re: TEKTRONIX SCOPE FOR ONLY $49. ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jarad@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <jarad.88.005102A7@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 178518
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <5i1ihb$cgv@andromeda.peganet.net> jblessin@peganet.com (JBlessing) writes:
>From: jblessin@peganet.com (JBlessing)
>Subject: Re: TEKTRONIX SCOPE FOR ONLY $49. ?
>Date: 4 Apr 1997 00:38:03 GMT

>In article <333FA3F0.6429@microz.com>, johnz@microz.com says...
>>
>>jc17fl@aol.com wrote:
>>>
>>> Yes, it is true. I have a Tektronix Scope (Tektronix 604 Monitor) up
>for
>>> auction at ebay and the highest bid so far is just the opening bid of
>>> $49.99 Seems like a shame, but I guess somebody is going to get a real
>>> Tektronix scope for only $49.99
>>>
>>> Not a shame at all, if wants to give you 49.99 for it let him have
it .
lol
Jim

346. Re: Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <3345D54A.6133@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 178519

Ah...Kenwood HF. As I recall (not a historian)...

TS900 275 watts, 80 thru 10, no warcs, silver color, external vfo
R599D/T599D twins 6146B (S2001)finals. Competes with Drake C Line.
TS520 80 thru 10, no WARC, 6146B (S2001) no processor, 12VDC ready
TS520S 160 thru 10. heater switch, processor, adds a spinner knob.
TS520SE took off the fan, economy model of TS520S
TS820 if shift, notch, slightly better RX than 520. 12VDC capable.
TS820S adds the integrated blue digital freq reqdout still no WARC
TS120S first all solid state rig (1979). 80 thru 10, no WARC, no proc
TS180S dream rig -- top of the line. PS30/VFO180/AT180/MC60. This
offered an electronic DFC VFO, 2 memories, etc. $1200 for just
the rig back in 1979.
TS530 Stripped down TS830...integrated power supply. 1980 or 1981
TS830 Solid state equivalent to 180S (with WARC capability). The best
kenwood RX ever made. External VFO req'd for split, 6146B
(S2001) tube finals. 1981
TS130S same as TS120, but adds warc bands, fan, and speech processor.
still only 1 VFO and no memories. VFO180/AT130/SP30/PS30.
TS130SE same as TS120/TS130 but made the fan optional. "economy" model
of TS130S.
TS830S slight circuitry improvements
TS530S slight circuitry improvements
TS530SP adds the notch filter to the TS530S
TS600 Quad bander (solid state, 10W output on 40/15/10/6 meters)
TS930S / AT first general coverage RX. Internal power supply, solid
state. 100W, Early models plagued with problems. 28VDC final.
first Kenwood HF rig that will do FM. Dual VFO's. etc.
TS430S first general coverage mobile transceiver. FM optional with
FM board. No internal ATU capability. Relay problems in some
early models.
TS940S / AT Flagship radio for about 10 years. 100W hf, slope tuning,
all solid state, internal tuner can be added.
TS440S/ AT - most popular radio Kenwood has made.
The rest are relatively modern -- check back issues of QST for details.
TS140S
TS450S/ TS690
TS50
TS850
TS870
TS570D/S

73,
Joe
BV/N0IAT

347. Re: Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <3345D716.1C87@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 178520

OOPS...should say tube equivalent to 180S.

> TS830 Solid state equivalent to 180S (with WARC capability). The best
> kenwood RX ever made. External VFO req'd for split, 6146B
> (S2001) tube finals. 1981
> 73,
> Joe
> BV/N0IAT

348. Re: DX Engineering Speech Processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Leck <pleck@value.net>
Message-ID: <33472F8C.23E5@value.net>
Source record: 178521

Don Payne wrote:
>
> Hi All. I have a Drake TR4X and have heard about the DX
> Engineering speech processor. Was this an internal mod or external
> add-on? Where do they insert in the circuit and why are
> these considered so great with Drake fans? Are there any
> still around, perhaps at Dayton? Also, what kind of mike
> works good with the TR4X? I want to try a D-104 because it's high
> impedance and would match good with the tube input of the rig.
> Thanks for your comments.
>
> Don
> WB5IQV
Try a Shure 444.
Harris VE6DK/W6

349. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: davros@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu
Message-ID: <5i7cp6$pme@piglet.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 178522

Hi,

This radio sounds intriguing. ...the new RS/ADI one, I mean. I've been thinking about one of these days replacing my FT-51, and I really liked the FT-50 a lot...well...it sounded like a pretty good deal! And really, I think the FT-530 is a ibit better than the '51...but I digress. It sounds like the new ADI-600 has some nice features, especially separate volume/squelch knobs (real knobs?). Does anyone actually have one of these radios? I'm wondering how easy it might be for a blind person to use? For example...

* Do the buttons beep when you press them? (Even better, do the buttons beep with different pitches?)
* Is there a readily identifiable way (audibly) to tell things like high or low power, for instance? Keyboard lock status? Etc.?

* What is on the setup menu?

* Does the setup menu beep at the beginning or ending entry? (This would be useful...unfortunately, none of my Yaesus did this...but they did have a different beep for each key, and beeped higher for high power than for low power, and some other useful things...like you could tell if the keyboard was locking or unlocking, direction of scan, what band you were switching to, etc. etc. by the tones...)

* Is the system for directly entering frequency or memory channels intuitive?

Any and all details would be very much appreciated.

350. Re: IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0504971920450001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 178523

In article <3345C520.31F3@bro.net>, webmaster@bro.net wrote:

>Visit the web's most comprehensive Amateur Vendor Directory:
>
>http://bro.net/explorer/vendor.html

Or you could just answer his question: http://www.yaesu.com
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

351. Re: question regarding yaesu ft-747-gx modification! (both e-mail addresses are invalid!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobdavis@cadvantage.com
Message-ID: <860297526mnewsbobdavis@cadvantage.com>
Source record: 178524

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>
> Subj: Please tell me more!
> Date: 97-04-04 23:35:35 EST
> From: DW Comm
> To: pzs@mercury.mceo.dg.com
> CC: pete_simpson@dgc.mceo.dg.com
>
> Hello, I found this information on the www.qrz.com Web page, and I'm
> wondering:
> What's the difference between making the modification and not making it,
> if the radio will only receive on 1.8 - 30 mhz?
> Does the radio transmit on all of these frequencies without the
> modification?
> The reson I'm asking is that I have purchased one, however, it was
> received damaged and I'm in contact with UPS concerning the matter. I'd
> like to have it repaired. I have not had an oppertunity to actually use
> this radio yet.
> Sincere 73 to you, Dale
> ==========
>
Good luck with the repair. My FT-747 is now over 7 years old and
works perfectly. The radio will receive signals well below the AM
broadcast band. Without the modification, the radio will *transmit*
in Amateur Bands only, which is kind of a good thing.

I modified mine *when* I *had* an Army Mars license, but now I have
restored the transmit limitation. It will keep me from transmitting
out of band by accident.

Robert Davis Amateur Radio K0FPC Emporia, Kansas
bobdavis@cadvantage.com OR rdavis@nyx.net

352. TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: franklin@net-link.net
Message-ID: <3346d599.8058156@nntp.net-link.net>
Source record: 178525

I purchased a new TS-570D in January and it recently went on the blink! Shipped it back to AES.... Four weeks later I inquired want its repair status was and they told me Kenwood has requested these rigs be shipped to them for warrenty work..... AES was not anxious to give me much info..... Can anyone out there shed a little light on possible TS-570D problems??

Gary K8BKB

353. WTB:FT1000MP or FT990AC HF RIG!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5i4tpj$o2t$2@peach.america.net>
Source record: 178526

Looking to buy from a non smoker and original owner either a Yaesu FT1000MP or FT 990AC HF rig with all docs and boxes etc. If you have either and are selling at a fair price I would like to hear from you. I buy and sell new and used gear all the time so I do know what current market prices are for new and used gear so all I ask is that your price be fair please. You can call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me at jsjones@rbnet.com. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

354. FS: SYSTEM SABER +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405002401.TAA16892@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178609

Hello,
I am selling my System Saber with all the features inside of it.
Also, with it..

Public Safety Mic
Regular Mic
2 Antenna's (STUBY + LARGER)
2 batteries
1 rapid charger
Saber cables

All this I am selling it for.... $1000.00 + Shipping

Interested let me know... Jeffrey
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355. Re: New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5i3v96$rad@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 178610

macmike@netnitco.NET (Mike Hughes) wrote:
>I saw recently where the FCC has given each TV station a new Frequency
>for HDTV. Does anyone know what frequencies they will be power rating and other
>particulars.

All DTV will be in existing TV frequencies. Each station will be
assigned a second channel somewhere between channel 2 and channel 59.
This second channel will (in most cases) be used for DTV operation.

In the year 2006 (subject to review) the current analog system will be
shut down. At that time, channels 60-69 will be vacant. Four of
these channels (probably 60-63) will be given to public-safety
operations, and the rest auctioned. And, the FCC will use the
now-vacated NTSC assignments to "compact" the spectrum assigned to TV.
They will clear channels 52-59 and either 2-6 or 47-51 of stations,
and auction these too.

At least on UHF, stations will be assigned a minimum ERP power of 50KW
and a maximum of 1000KW.

356. FS: AEA PK232 MBX WITH THE LATEST AND THE GREATEST FIRMWARE!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: timber@megalink.net
Message-ID: <5i45gj$76g@news.megalink.net>
Source record: 178611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio

HI THERE I HAV E FOR SALE ONE AEA PK232MBX
MULTIMODE CONTROLLER IN EXCELLENT SHAPE AND WORKING CONDITION COMES
WITH PAPERWORK/MANUAL/ORIGINAL CARTON TOO!
I AM ASKING 190.00 PLUS SHIPPING

INTEREST SEND REPLIES TO : TIMBER@MEGALINK.NET
THANKS ALOT
MIKE

357. Re: HELP ASTRON VLS-25M (Dont do is job)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5i4b1hdqj1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 178612

>Eric Vincent wrote:
>>
>> Anybody can help me, my power supply, ASTRON VLS-25M dont work very well. At
>> low current (3-5 amps.) it will be ok but when I want more current (5 and up)
>> the voltage and the current go down.
>>
>> If you have any hint, let me know.

If this additional current drain is from running an RF transmitter at
high power, the supply could be folding up because of local RF energy.

This can happen when the radio is sitting right next to or on top of
the power supply, and/or if there is no antenna or a very poor antenna
connection.

If it is a radio, then check the standing wave to make sure your
antenna is OK. If it isn't going out to the antenna, it is radiating
locally around the radio and can kill the supply.

Steve
WB7PSD

358. Re: Question about AEA Isoloop 10-30 HF Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsutton@erols.com
Message-ID: <3345c29e.28028996@news.erols.com>
Source record: 178613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 31 Mar 1997 01:25:21 -0800, Andrew Farmer
<andrew_farmer@bc.sympatico.ca> wrote:

>I have the above AEA loop antenna and can't get the VSWR below 3:1 using
>the LC-2 loop controller. The antenna is mounted horizontally on a 3 foot
>metal mast which is attached to the end of a wooden 8 foot garden shed.
>The shed is approx. 7 feet from the side of a 2 story house. I was under
>the impression that this antenna was designed to be mounted in small
>spaces such as this and still work well and be able to get a VSWR below
>2:1. I have taped both the controller cord and RG-58 coax to the mast as
>specified in the instuctions but this made no difference.
>I am using a Kenwood TS-440SAT and have disabled the internal tuner.
>
>Thanks,
>Andrew, VE7AFX
****

As a guess I would say perhaps the metal support is causing the
problem. Loops of this nature cannot tolerate nearby objects of
metal. Try a temporary wooden support and see what happesn.

I would appreciate your comments if you try this scheme.

Good Luck

Jim/AC4CZ
jsutton@erols.com

359. Re: SEEKING ATLAS 210 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: leigh@rain.org
Message-ID: <5i48bg$1pr$1@news.rain.org>
Source record: 178614

Dan Walker (SciCon@ix.netcom.com) wrote:
: I've had a 210x for a number of years. It works great on AC
: power but not very good on battery. The CW transmit switch is
: a pain to use.

Agreed.. my 210x works well off an external 13.8v power supply, but on a slightly low car battery the voltage drop has given me several complaints on SSB. If you use it for mobile SSB, then certainly keep the engine going.

FWIW, my Icom 735 will put a full hundred watts into a 40m Hustler coil, but my Atlas 210x will plummet to QRP levels with the same antenna, unless I use a small MFJ tuner inline.

: Still, I've almost got my WAS using this radio on CW. The reciever
: is very good.

My 210x does not have the sidetone option, but using it for CW I've learned to send decent code without a sidetone. A noisy key like a surplus J-37 (black phenolic base and stamped steel arm) works fairly well: a dit's a "click" and a dah's a "clunk!

--Leigh Marrin/KM6JE.

360. WTB Hallicrafters SX-122 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5i4m7d$jj5$1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 178615

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Wanted

Hallicrafters SX-122 or SX-122A HF receiver.

If you have one for sale, please reply with condition and price
to csc@smartt.com

Colin
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361. FS: ICOM AT-500 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd4zhz@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3345df20.23826148@news.rdu.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 178616

I have an AT-500 Auto-tuner for sale. Ranks as 9 out of 10 for looks.
Works flawlessly. Asking $350.00 / shipped lower 48.

e-mail me at KD4ZHZ@bellsouth.net

362. Mod for Standard C150 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwowen@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405053400.AAA08901@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178617

I have a Japanese model Standard C150, I had been using it for 2M, and the freq range was RX 130.000 ~ 164.000 with TX 132.000 ~ 164.000. Now, somehow, the CPU got reset and it only allows 144.000 ~ 146.000 (Japanese 2M) with NO repeter offsets! Anybody out there got any ideas?

Please help, this is my only radio!!

C W Owen
N3YYP
==========
Clifford W. Owen
N3YYP

My thoughts are my own, and NO ONE can control them!
Protect "Freedom of Speech" and oppose "Censorship"!
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363. Question regarding YAESU FT-747-GX modification! (Both e-mail addresses are invalid!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwcomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405053100.AAA08717@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178618

Subj: Please tell me more!
Date: 97-04-04 23:35:35 EST
From: DW Comm
To: pzs@mercury.mceo.dg.com
CC: pete_simpson@dgc.mceo.dg.com

Hello, I found this information on the www.qrz.com Web page, and I'm
wondering:
What's the difference between making the modification and not making it,
if the radio will only receive on 1.8 - 30 mhz?
Does the radio transmit on all of these frequencies without the
modification?
The reson I'm asking is that I have purchased one, however, it was
received damaged and I'm in contact with UPS concerning the matter. I'd
like to have it repaired. I have not had an oppertunity to actually use
this radio yet.
Sincere 73 to you, Dale
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Date: Sat, 29 Jul 89 09:55:06 edt
Reply-To: PZS@mercury.mceo.dg.com
From: Pete_Simpson@dgc.mceo.dg.com
Subject: General coverage mod for YAESU FT-747GX
CEO file contents:

General Coverage Mod for YAESU FT-747GX

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1) Remove top cover.
2) On backside of display unit, there is a brown jumper
wire near the large ribbon cable.
3) Cut the brown jumper wire.
4) Turn the radio on and set the frequency to 12,345.6 KHz,
then turn the radio off, then on again.
5) This enables the general coverage mode and a GEN display
will come on and stay on at the top of the LCD display.
6) Reassemble the unit. It will now transmit everywhere it
receives, however, Yaesu recommmends that it only transmit
between 1.8 - 30 MHz.
Disclaimer: I'm passing this on from someone who owns one of these
and
has done the mod. I have not done or tested this mod. You do it

at your own risk.

Copied from the QRZ! Windows Ham Radio CDROM

Viset the Dale Wein Communications WEB page at,
http://home.aol.com/dwcomm
for the latest info on photo scanning & printing services.

364. FS Kenwood TS-520 transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5i4p4dkln1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 178619

For Sale

Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver.

Covers 80m through 10m plus 10 Mhz WWV band receive

It has the optional CW crystal installed.

Overall condition and tubes are very good.

$275 US plus shipping.

If interested please reply to csc@smartt.com

Colin

365. Re: Yaesu FT-8000R questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwcomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405045700.XAA06450@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178620

I'm looking at the Yaesu FT-8000R as one that I'd like to buy sometime
(perhaps when a used one comes on the market).
My question is, I like the extended receive range, but is there any way
to UNBLOCK the cellular phone frequencies (I don't know exactly which ones
they would be) ?
Sincere 73s to everyone!
Dale

Viset the Dale Wein Communications WEB page at,
http://home.aol.com/dwcomm
for the latest info on photo scanning & printing services.

366. Re: 2 Meter Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcs@cmcorp.com
Message-ID: <5i5aah$44r$1@newsie.cent.net>
Source record: 178621

Lee Henry <gtsi@flash.net> wrote:

>I'm looking for info on 2 Meter repeaters. Whats the best setup, radio,
>antenna, phone patch and etc. Please help with any info of where I can
>find the info.

Until you KNOW you can get co-ordination, don't bother!

I have built all my repeaters from Motorola radios.

The latest (W1DVC) is from a Motorola MITREK.

I prefer my own controller, but the S-Com line is good.

I found that that the Jap junk is NOT suitable for repeater service
even when they call it a "repeater" antenna, there is NO substitute
for Phelps-Dodge, Cellwave, Station Master etc for antennas.

Yoour biggest headache may be cavities. Again, having tried the
"usual" providers, there is NO substitute for Sinclair cavities.

Height is everything, be REAL sure about following Gary Cofman's rules
for lightning protection.

Good Luck!

>Thanks

>kc5zrr

367. Re: 2 Meter Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5i5dd9$k91@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178622

Tom Sefranek <tcs@cmcorp.com> wrote:
: Lee Henry <gtsi@flash.net> wrote:

: >I'm looking for info on 2 Meter repeaters. Whats the best setup, radio,
: >antenna, phone patch and etc. Please help with any info of where I can
: >find the info.

: Until you KNOW you can get co-ordination, don't bother!

NOT so anyone can put up a repeater. But you are obliged to change
frequency if you conflict with a co-ordinated repeater.

368. MODS FOR KENWOOD TS570 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <tech@thereporter.com>
Message-ID: <5i4932$9kn@lacy.zippo.com>
Source record: 178623

I've had my 570 for 6 months or so now, and am interested in increasing output power a bit to better drive my linear amps, also interested in the extended coverage transmit mod, if anyone has the info...

thanks!

--
Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
==========
NRA: No Real Action
No Rational Accomplishments
Not Regarded Affectionately
==========Gun owners deserve *BETTER* than the NRA!====

369. Re: PHOENIX-SX Need Help !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405122201.HAA23650@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178624

Suggest you also check out Ericsson-GE new web site at www.ericsson.com
(?)
There is a complete index of GE radio manuals and tech publications that
you can download. I also strongly suggest checking out the site of Niles
Radio in
Flagstaff, Arizona. They sell a RIB bos that makes it possible to program
the
Phoenix with a PC. Otherwise the radio must be programmed with GE's
TQ3310
programmer and software which is rare and expensive. Hope this helps.

370. dualbander reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc41d5$6231c680$21f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 178625

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i still have the yaesu ft-4700rh
ist's in good condition,,used daily
i'll shipp anywhere in 48 us for 275.00

thanks
k9dzd@netusa1.net
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371. Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334650F8.2BF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178626

Ken Jones wrote:
>
> GJUDD wrote 9 lines on the subject: Re: New Radio Shack Dual Band HT
> coming soon.; here's some of it:
>
> >>"stunt" is the perfect term for it. Once Radio Shack gets wise to the
> >gang who use it for 30 days and bring it back, they will modify their
> >policy, or drop the ham radio stuff all together.
>
> Where have you been?
>
> Far as I know, we've been doing the thirty-day rental routine for
> years. The return policy mentions new and resaleable condition.
> But basically, it's a matter of customer satisfaction.
>
> BYW, it isn't hams who abuse the 30-day rule, to my knowledge. Hams
> are a huge benefit to the Shack: they talk to other customers, they
> have expertise, enthusiasm, empathy with the un-initiated. I like
> them in the store. I think RS likes them a lot.
>
> Check out Ring Type Five of the CT-354 one-cent cell phone... it
> calls CQ.
>
> And, just to get almost back on topic, my HTX-204 survived its first
> belt to ground drop test with no damage noted.
>
> 73,
>
> Ken Jones, KB3JA
> --
> mailto:sparks@tech-center.com -- Maidenhead Grid: FM19mu
> PGP Fingerprint 0xFE99B25D; key avail on public servers
> Personal opinions...nothing to do with Tandy corp...blah, blah
I agree. I like Radio Shacks return policy.I have only needed to use it
once but I like knowing it is there if I need it. The majority of Ham
stores have NO return policy and if they do You pay a 15% return fee.

372. WTB: ATLAS 210X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405134700.IAA26863@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178627

Must be EXCELLENT to MINT condition with manual. DC cable and Mic would be nice. Not interested in the A/C console. Tnx es 73,

Van
E-mail wb0nzv@aol.com

373. TS-690 any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405141501.JAA28327@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178628

I am considering replacing my Icom IC-740 and Kenwood R-1000 with a
Kenwood TS-690. What do you like or dislike about the '690? Is there a
6khz
filter for AM built in? Please send me your opinions!

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

374. FOR SALE MFJ 1278B MULTI MOD TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: lisa lowell <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc41fe$80b25240$a8d5dacd@lisa-lowell>
Source record: 178629
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.packet

For sale:

MFJ 1278B MULTI MOD TNC with 1284 3/12 and 5 1/4 IBM starter pack disks and all manuals.
Includes the above with computer and radio cables. Excellent condition. 3 yrs old.

Asking $150.00

Contact at ka0nno@cswnet.com or 501-389-6516

375. FD Yaesu FT-2005 Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Snowman <salle_g@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bc41d2$01fb1120$834c8bc0@salle>
Source record: 178630

Yaesu FT-2005 2m handheld transceiver
hard leader case
antenna, one 600mAh battery, external speakermic, charger
the faceplate on the keypad has fallen off, but the buttons are marked
power switch 2/5W
unit is jumper unlockable for RX/TX through the whole frequency range
$250 CDN o.b.o

376. Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@psyber.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4190$0d1c8440$57c087cf@packard-bell>
Source record: 178631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Hello out there:

I'm trying to figure out the lineage and features
of the Kenwood HF products. The question is
"Which came when, and what did it do? (and
what did/do you think of it?)".

For example, (with apologies to all Kenwood
owners; this is from memory!) the TS-520
came out in the late '70's, "old" ham bands
only (no WARC coverage), put out about 100
watts with tube finals. Outboard VFO
available for split frequency operation.

The TS-520S(?) was pretty much the same,
but had the digital readout (?).

The TS-820 came out in the late '70's shortly
after the 520. "Better" receiver, "old" ham
bands only (no WARC coverage), about 100
watts out from tubes (pair 6146?). Digital
display, outboard VFO available for split
frequency operation.

TS-830, then TS-850. (Here my rusty and
bent stack pointer fails!) Coverage, features,
and options unknown.

What followed? How did the features and
performance stack up between the different
models? What were the features of each,
and which model followed which?

Please mix your opinions in with whatever
facts you have, as your opinions are very
interesting and valuable to me.

Yes, you have guessed it; I want to finally
upgrade the operation here, and I'd really like
your comments and opinions! Especially the
opinions!

Thanks in advance for reading this, and for
your time.

John WB6GHA
occupant@psyber.com
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377. Radio Shack DX-394 H.F. Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab510@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <5i5qrv$5cl@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 178632

I am thinking about purchasing a RS-DX394 receiver. It is on sale this month for $329 Canadian. It is any good? Comments welcome.

George, VE3KIA Ottawa, Canada.

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GEORGE ATTALLAH - VE3KIA -OTTAWA CANADA
THE LAST SURVIVOR OF THE GROUP OF ONE
THE ONLY ONE IN CAPTIVITY

378. FS: 51 years of QST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil <neil@avalon.net>
Message-ID: <33467412.52D8@avalon.net>
Source record: 178633

I have QST starting at Jan of 1946 through Dec of 1996 complete in excellant condition. All issues have been stored in Magafile containers through the years with no dog-ears or tear outs. Local pickup at Sioux City, Iowa only as the set weighs over 400 lbs. Will sell as a complete set only. Neil K0NH

379. SRI HF receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ranickel@mwci.net
Message-ID: <5i5tds$jb0$1@hihat.mwci.net>
Source record: 178634

Looking for information on SR-502-1 HF receiver made by Scientific
Radio Industries for gov't/mil applications.

Thanks and 73,

Bob W9RAN
ranickel@mwci.net

380. Regency UHF Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ranickel@mwci.net
Message-ID: <5i5tj9$jb0$2@hihat.mwci.net>
Source record: 178635

It's been a long time since I've messed with repeaters! Can anyone tell me if a Regency UHF repeater model MCCU15RA built for 450-470 Mhz (working now on 460) will come down to the ham band with minimal trouble?

Thanks for any help!

73, Bob W9RAN
ranickel@mwci.net

381. Help: Icom IC-2AT Tech advise!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Nathan Hinkle" <dnhinkle@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <33466C6E.1E0B@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 178636

HI,
My Icom IC-2AT went dead on me the other day. It will turn on but it won't receive or transmit. Any sugestions where to start? Does anyone have a Technitions manual? Please, Help if you can.

Thank You,
Nathan Hinkle N6CCR
dnhinkle@humboldt1.com

382. FS: TS940SAT MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc424e$0dedc5a0$6e50b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 178637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I Have forsale a Very MINT TS940SAT. There is not a mark on this rig anywhere. It has had very very little use and has been covered and in storage for several years.

I have the original box and manual.

$1175 plus shipping.

Call 520-284-6848 or nu6x@sedona.net.

Mark NU6X

383. Re: NII/SUPERNet devices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwclark@rwclark.seanet.com
Message-ID: <3346904b.2361164@news.seanet.com>
Source record: 178638
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,sci.electronics.equipment

On Fri, 04 Apr 1997 23:00:27 -0500, "Andrew M. Appel"
<aappel@duncan.nac.net> wrote:

>Have you heard that the FCC has made available 350 megahertz of spectrum

snip
>
>NII/SUPERNet devices would provide short-range, high-speed wireless
>digital information transfer and could support the creation of new
>wireless local area networks (LANs) as well as facilitate access to the
>National Information Infrastructure without the expense of wiring.
>These devices may further the universal service goals of the
>Telecommunications Act by offering classrooms, libraries, health care
>providers, and other users inexpensive networking alternatives which may
>access advanced telecommunications services.
>

Hi Andrew,

Given the frequency and application, you may wish to see what
modulation modes are allowed. My hunch is that it will be spread
spectrum. Not a simple task to build these systems much less the RF
plumbing at 5 Gigs.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

384. G.E. UHF MVP REPEATERS/SALE/TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Frovik <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bc41b8$6a10b900$2a7cc6cd@n0mnb.ppp>
Source record: 178639

FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR MOTOROLA JX 1000 OR SIMALAIR HT UHF.
OR COLOR LAPTOP.

I HAVE TWO GE MVP 20 WATT MOBLIE REPEATERS W/2PPM OVENS .
ONE HAS DUPLEXER ONE WITH OUT..

ALSO LOOKING FOR 2MTR ALL MODE...

N0MNB@MINN.NET

612-754-8765
PAGER 24 HOURS 280-0591

385. 4-SALE VUF/UHF EQU

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: josh kayson <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <33465979.665A@total.net>
Source record: 178640

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B. MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled mobile transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. @ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used W/HX- 300V.
Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. @ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - 6 channel.
No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig indoors. @ $ 75.00

1EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO BOX.
May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held portables.
(Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. @ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

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386. th28a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: lecourss <lecourss@total.net>
Message-ID: <33467E68.72AB@total.net>
Source record: 178641

I will like a copy of the service manuel for th28a .
Thank you send my a email:lecourss@total.net
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Stephane Lecours
VE2JTX
Quebec contest group
http://www.riq.qc.ca/users/mcaron/qcg

387. WTB: TS 711A Tone Board TU-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: RZVB03A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5i67jr$1184@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 178642

Looking for a TU-5 for Kenwood TS711A Please EMC2 Pat RZVB03A@Prodigy.com
Thanks

388. Air Radio help wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Hildner <hild8942@tao.sosc.osshe.edu>
Message-ID: <3346B15D.54F2@tao.sosc.osshe.edu>
Source record: 178643

Hey people!
I'm not sure if this is primarily a ham radio group, or general radio group. I am starting a small pirate radio station, and I need help understanding the basics of equipment, maintenance, and other useful info. If someone would kindly offer their counsel, or suggest a book, newsgroup, or web-page, I would surely appreciate it.

-Ben (please email: hild8942@tao.sosc.osshe.edu)

389. FS: VHF Packet Radio Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcfuzz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405202700.PAA22328@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178644

FOR SALE:

ICOM 25A/E 25W VHF Mobile Radio
AEA PK-88 Packet Controller
Pyramid Gold Series 12V 10 Amp continuous Power Supply
Cable for Icom & PK-88
All Manuals Included

EVERYTHING IN EXCELLENT SHAPE AND FULLY FUNCTIONAL.

A Complete Packet Station Ready To Run Out Of The Box!

$200 plus shipping

Call Bob (KA2ZBO) at 201-768-6796
or send email to robert_cauttero@s-plus.com

Complete specs and photos will be sent upon request.

390. WTB -- Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Beazell <WD8CEB-1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <022c5f77$aae1dac0$570392cf@default>
Source record: 178645
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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Looking for a crank-up tower. It must be in good shape.
I would prefer something in the Lynchburg, Virginia area but would consider
pick up within 150 miles. If you have such an item for sale contact me via
a replay here or WD8CEB-1@worldnet.att.net

Thanks,

Dick
------=_NextPart_000_022C5F4D.C20BD2C0

Looking for a crank-up tower. It must =
be in good shape.
I would prefer something in the Lynchburg, Virginia =
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a replay here or =
WD8CEB-1@worldnet.att.net

Thanks,

Dick

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391. PAGER SERVICE $48 FOR A YEAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: m <global07@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4201$f5fe1040$867074cf@697142723>
Source record: 178646

I have a great pager service $48 for the year. See

www.angelfire.com/biz/pager/index.html

392. ICOM A22/A3 Battery Packs, Better and Lower Priced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Burget <ddb@pe.net>
Message-ID: <3346B43C.27BD@pe.net>
Source record: 178647

If you want to buy a rechargeable battery pack for the Icom A22/A3 airband HT, contact the company listed below. They sell an exact replacement for the CM-166 pack but theirs is NiMH and has 1000 mah capacity (instead of only 600 mah) in the same size!! Their price is much lower than ICOM's too!

Call:
Mr. Nicad, E.H. Yost & Co.
Ph. (608)831-3443

393. FS: Yaesu FT757GX HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: w_hutch@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <MPG.db05db1fb7ab056989680@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:
1 Yaesu FT757GX 10-160m HF Transceiver.
1 Yaesu FP757HD 20a Heavy Duty Power Supply.
2 Yaesu MH-1b8 Handheld microphones.

Original box's, service manuals, and in excelent condition.
$750.00 OBO

If interested please call or write bill @:
702-896-0353
w_hutch@accessnv.com
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394. IC-720A and relay current ratings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark David <mjdavid@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <01bc41e6$f764e780$LocalHost@squbbsy>
Source record: 178649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi,
I'm trying to breath some new life into an old Icom 720A transceiver by replacing the faulty rotary relay in the band pass filter unit.
Working on an article written by WB0GAZ in 1993 I'm hoping to replace the relay with indivdual band switching relays, of which some 14 are required (to switch filter input and output).
Space constraints dictate these relays should be as small as possible, which then limits the current rating of the relay.
The question is, am I right in assuming the current rating of the realy can be calculated (using formula P=I^2 R, P=100W, R=50ohms) to be 1.4A, and therefore a relay rated at 2A AC will work, or am I missing something?
Put the question another way, what relay current rating should I use to handle 100W?

Thanks

Mark
G4MEM
mjdavid@ibm.net

395. Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kpodd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970405211700.QAA25755@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178650

My father (W2KX) died 7 years ago. Alot of old ham gear remains. The best of the newer transmitters, receivers and transceivers sold shortly after his death. What remains is all of the old stuff. We also have lots, let me repeat, lots and lots of radio tubes.
Is there a market for this stuff or should it be discarded. After seven years we don't want it any more. Besides, my mother wants to move and we have to clean out the basement.

any suggestions would be appreciated
thanks
daughter of W2KX

396. !! test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: m <global07@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4207$91f3a780$867074cf@697142723>
Source record: 178651

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test
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397. Re: Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@mail.cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3346C815.3E90@mail.cadvision.com>
Source record: 178652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Kenwood was first marketed under the name Trio. They made tube type
equiptment. One of their products was a 550 kcs-30 mcs receiver that
resembled the S38. However it had a power supply, an RF stage and two IF
stages.
Later the name Trio-Kenwood was used. Peter Christensen VE6LP
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> --

398. AA!MODS!MODS!MODS!MODS!MODS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jake Marble <bmarble@cache.net>
Message-ID: <3345FE1F.6456@cache.net>
Source record: 178653

!MODS!MODS!MODS!MODS!MODS!

This place has had all but one mod that I have needed so far. From
Kenwood to Icom, Kantronics to Uniden! It's a great one!
ftp://ftp.barc.org/pub/hamradio/mods/
--Jake Marble, KC7GQM

399. Kenwood repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: louis@mail.snider.net
Message-ID: <5i6ne9$9gl@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 178654

A friend of mine has a Kenwood TS450 that needs repair. Anybody know where a good place to have it fixed may be? The last repair I had done to Kenwood was by Kenwood in Ca several years ago.

Thanks for any input
louis@mail.snider.net
N5NEJ

400. Help in Pricing Estate Items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: skhowell@geocities.com
Message-ID: <3346e161.655593677@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178655

My Dad recently passed away. He had been a ham for the last 7 years. I'm needing some help in getting a valuation on his equipment so that I can pay my mother. (Rather than her sending it to a dealer, I told her I'd like to pay her for it myself and keep it as a set ... thought I'd go ahead and get a technician plus ticket)

The items included:

-Yaesu FT-707 (HF SSB transceiver) with docs
-Belmoor 60388 (precision regulated 13.8v 20A low ripple power supply) w/out docs
-Kantronics KAM (all mode TNC, firmware version 5.0) with docs and DOS software
-MFJ Versa Tuner II model MFJ-941D (antenna tuner/selector swr meter) with docs
-MFJ Econo Keyer II w/out docs
-Vibroplex no. 04703 (keyer - brass racer?) w/out docs
-MFJ-260 (300 watts Dry Dummy Load)
-Radio Shack HTX-202 (2M VHF-FM handi-talki) w/out docs
-Radio Shack Pro-2025 (12v 16 channel UHF/VHF scanner) with docs
-Mobile type scanner antenna (multi-loaded whip)
-HF antenna of unknown manufacture (vertical pole, apx. 22 feet overall, 3 loads in middle section, 6 - 14" radials about 3/4's up, 3- 7" radials near top, with top load and 30" whip on top)
-Small wire & insulator dipole (overall length aprox. 16')

If anyone can place a rough package price on the bundle for me, I'd appreciate it. Information on individual item pricing would also be valuable.

Thanks

Nick Howell
skhowell @ ix.netcom.com

401. Re: Air Radio help wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "DR X." <DRX@futile.com>
Message-ID: <3346E6E1.67E0@futile.com>
Source record: 178656

Ben Hildner wrote:
>
> Hey people!
> I'm not sure if this is primarily a ham radio group, or general radio
> group. I am starting a small pirate radio station, and I need help
> understanding the basics of equipment, maintenance, and other useful
> info. If someone would kindly offer their counsel, or suggest a book,
> newsgroup, or web-page, I would surely appreciate it.
>
> -Ben (please email: hild8942@tao.sosc.osshe.edu)

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You can buy an FM broadcast band TX kit from Ramsey for $200. It is PLL synthesized and full stereo. The power is low but if you use an FM broadcast receiving yagi antenna, you should get a pretty good signal in one direction. Also, the higher the antenna is, the further the station will transmitt.

402. Re: How do you tell UHF from VHF Micor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346F1FE.5D27@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178657

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> If it is in the range of 30 to 300 Mhz it is VHF. If it is in the
> range of 300 to 3000 Mhz it is UHF.
>
> ====================================

Ahhh thanks but that was NOT his question; he wanted to know how to tell a VHF MICOR from a UHF MICOR without having to look inside....he got his answer without having anyone give him a lesson in the electromagnetic spectum and its acronyms

Chris

403. Re: HELP!!! Phelps Dodge 4-Bay Commercial Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346F188.6C9F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178658

Scott Sidener wrote:
>
> HI, I have a problem that I need help with.
>
> Here it is: I just got a Phelps Dodge Commercial antenna that I believe
> is tuned for the 160MHz band.
>
> Phelps Dodge does not make antennas anymore so I can't get any info from
> them.

Yes, they DO....but their name is now called CELWAVE....look for their
web page (I dont recall their URL..) and they are still in Marlboro, NJ.

>
> The antenna is approx 20 feet tall and has 4 loops attached to it they
> alternate sides. The wiring harness is inside the poleas opposed to
> being outside where I can see it.
>
> I want to convert this antenna to the 2 meter band.

If its really 160 Mhz, forget it!!! Not worth the trouble...
>
> How can I make a new wiring harness for it and do I have to change the
> size and or spacing of the loops?

You would have to change EVERYTHING...spacing of the dipoles, length of
each dipole, and length of the coax harness in every section...
>
> I don't even know what impeadance the loops are.

50 ohms nominal....this antenna is same theory as the one in the ARRL
Handbook and FM/Rptr handbook
>
> How do I find out and how do I make the harness? 1/4 wave lengths? etc.
>
> Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Scott Sidener N0WFL sidener@umr.edu

73
Chris
WB5ITT

404. Re: HELP!!! Phelps Dodge 4-Bay Commercial Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346EFEF.78C6@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178659

Scott Sidener wrote:
>
> HI, I have a problem that I need help with.
>
> Here it is: I just got a Phelps Dodge Commercial antenna that I believe
> is tuned for the 160MHz band.

Do the standard 468/length = freq....you'll find the folded commercial ones end up showing to be 10 Mhz higher using this formula than they actually are...
so if the tip to tip length of one dipole shows it to be say 170Mhz by the above formula, chances are it is 160 Mhz...
>
> Phelps Dodge does not make antennas anymore so I can't get any info from
> them.

Not so...Phelps Dodge was spun off and CHANGED their NAME to Celwave..
they still make that antenna...

> The antenna is approx 20 feet tall and has 4 loops attached to it they
> alternate sides. The wiring harness is inside the poleas opposed to
> being outside where I can see it.

DB makes a similar model called the DB264 (harness is inside..the DB224 has it outside)

> I want to convert this antenna to the 2 meter band.

GOOD LUCK!!!

> How can I make a new wiring harness for it and do I have to change the
> size and or spacing of the loops?

BEst to find one cut for 150-160 OR 140-150 Mhz....it isnt worth it trying to modify it..
sell it to someone who needs an antenna in the 160 Mhz band (like the Weather Svc or railroad...FBI, Secret Svc, etc)
>
> I don't even know what impeadance the loops are.

50 ohms nominal......

> How do I find out and how do I make the harness? 1/4 wave lengths? etc.

The harness is likely 70ohm coax...each run is a multiple 1/2wave length to transform the 50 ohm dipole feed to 100ohms....then they combine to make 50ohms again...then this is repeated once more for the main antenna input....
2 dipoles at 50ohm...both go to 100 ohm thru the coax xfmr...paralleled together, they form a 50ohm match again....then the two PAIRS of dipoles are tied this way to again form 50 ohms for the main feed...
>

> Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Scott Sidener N0WFL sidener@umr.edu

Contact CELWAVE for more info....Dont have their web URL handy but I think they have a web page..
73
Chris
WB5ITT

405. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3346F5EB.1C8D@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178660

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subscribe cboone@earthlink.net
subscribe cboone@abc.com
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406. Re: INFO on YEASU 5100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: poseidon@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <3347d416.72062766@news.ziplink.net>
Source record: 178462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I am planning to buy this radio. It sells for less than $400. Is it
capble of 9600 baud operation with packet?

If it needs to be modified for such operation, has anyone done that
iwth success and is there info avalable anywhere?

thanks you for any reply.
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| Benedict P. Barszcz amatuer radio callsign: kb2qzv |
| poseidon@ziplink.net linux fan |
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407. OMNI-VI spec's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bram Bottema (SM0FLY)" <bram.bottema@medonic.se>
Message-ID: <3347C16D.5067@medonic.se>
Source record: 178463

Hi,

I wonder if anyone has done an inhouse test on the OMNI-VI transceiver
regarding the dynamic-range and IP / noise-floor on each band.
Would be nice to take a look these spec's before considering buying one.

73/Bram

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e-mail : bram.bottema @ medonic.se
URL : http://www.pi.se/sm0fly/
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408. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <tech@thereporter.com>
Message-ID: <5i76v9$i4j@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 178464

kpodd@aol.com (KPodd) wrote:
>My father (W2KX) died 7 years ago. Alot of old ham gear remains. The best
>of the newer transmitters, receivers and transceivers sold shortly after
>his death. What remains is all of the old stuff. We also have lots, let me
>repeat, lots and lots of radio tubes.
>Is there a market for this stuff or should it be discarded. After seven
>years we don't want it any more. Besides, my mother wants to move and we
>have to clean out the basement.
>
>any suggestions would be appreciated
>thanks
>daughter of W2KX

No one can answer that question from a distance. There is good interest
in *SOME* old stuff, but much is just plain junk. You should seek a local
ham radio club for assistance in determining exactly what you have.

--
Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
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NRA: No Real Action
No Rational Accomplishments
Not Regarded Affectionately
==========Gun owners deserve *BETTER* than the NRA!====

409. Kenwood R-1000 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970406190200.PAA08428@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178465

I have a Kenwood R-1000 receiver for sale. It is not a stock unit. There were a
number of mods done to it by the now defunct Radio West. It has switchable
AGC, 12khz AM filter, 6khz AM filter, 2.7khz SSB filter and a Collins 1.9khz
mechanical filter. Also included is the DC power option and a weighted
spinner type vfo knob (Kenwood KB-1) and the original shipping box. I just
had some work done on it by Kenwood and they said that it met all specs. I am
asking $425.00 for the above which includes shipping.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR
413 Vester
Ferndale, MI
48220-1955
810-541-1740

410. FS: Ten Tec Scout Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwebster@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dwebsterE88GrK.BFA@netcom.com>
Source record: 178466

FOR SALE: Ten Tec Scout 555 Station. 50 watt ssb/cw xcvr. Includes all 9 modules 160-10 meters, mike and manual. Also includes Ten Tec model 291 Antenna Tuner and TPS 11 amp power supply (small only 5.5" x 5.5" x 3"). All items in excellent physical and electrical condition. Want to sell as a package $625.00. Price includes shipping in CONUS.

Dennis Webster
dwebster@netcom.com

411. Re: G.E. UHF MVP REPEATERS/SALE/TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <334801DB.7F9@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178467

Bill Frovik wrote:
>
> FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR MOTOROLA JX 1000 OR SIMALAIR HT UHF.
> OR COLOR LAPTOP.
>
> I HAVE TWO GE MVP 20 WATT MOBLIE REPEATERS W/2PPM OVENS .
> ONE HAS DUPLEXER ONE WITH OUT..
>
> ALSO LOOKING FOR 2MTR ALL MODE...
>
> N0MNB@MINN.NET
>
> 612-754-8765
> PAGER 24 HOURS 280-0591

How much for the MVPs?

Chris
WB5ITT

412. WTB: Antique meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Kruid <surtech@io.com>
Message-ID: <334815EA.412D@io.com>
Source record: 178468

WTB: Antique (pre 1910)meters, motors, fans, lightbulbs, high voltage apparatus, trade catalogues, engines, wireless, wind chargers, or any other technology related item.

413. anyone figure out how to change tm-732A tx offset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Montbach/Bartlett <caspar@tiac.net>
Message-ID: <3348168B.6D49@tiac.net>
Source record: 178469

I would like to be able to change the transmit offset in my 732A. The manual does not specify how to. Anyone had any luck? tnx in advance. 73, Will, N1PXA

414. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33481E50.2410@ibm.net>
Source record: 178470

sean hall wrote:
>
> On 1 Apr 1997 16:57:32 GMT, davidosbo@aol.com (DavidOsbo) wrote:
>
> >Sean,
> > I'm curious: What about them makes them junk? Is it that they are
> >not broadband, or that they are inefficient, or that they won't handle
> >power, or what?
> >73,
> >David, N8DO
>
> I found them very inefficient. I tried them with both a tripod
> mag-mount and a trailer tongue and it was about the same. 100 watts
> in; maybe 35 watts out. For 10-15-20, they're not bad, but 40-160 is
> a waste of money. I always thought HF mobile was like trying to put
> a square peg in a round hole, anyway. No whip will give you much in
> terms of bandwidth, and efficiency seems to relate to frequency with
> hamstick-type antennas. Though the big screwdrivers are ominous
> looking, they DO seem to work well, and actually get out on 40-75-80.
>
> I've heard mixed reviews about the Outbacker line. Again; if you're
> working high bands, no problem. But below 40 is like trying to
> squeeze marzipan through cheesecloth.
>
> Ironically, the Hustler wide-band resonators seem to work fairly well.
> Maybe it's the center loading. QST did a mobile antenna test about a
> year ago. The tunable screwdrivers won, hands down, but the Hustler
> was next in efficiency, with the hamsticks at the bottom of the list.
> I guess nothing beats a full-wave dipole. After my experiments with
> HF mobile, I keep my rig at home.
>
> 73/sean hall
> w1swh
Lakeview Company (Hamsticks) was at Timonium hamfest this
weekend. They told me a 40 meter antenna on a small trunk
lid would not work very well.

For normal size lids ther should be no problem. No problem at
20 meters and up. They recommend bonding any trunk lid to the
carr body with coax braid.

I have used Hustler antennas on 40, 20, 17 with a large 4-piece
mag mount, both on roof and on trunk lid (no bonding). Worked
great on all bands.

Larry

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E-mail: larrygibbs@ibm.net

Amateur Radio W3UIO, Operating Ten-Tec

Running Netscape at OS/2 Warp 4

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415. size of fuse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jabrams@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.970406181249.10270A-100000@hoflink.com>
Source record: 178471

What size fuse is needed for a 4 watt Motorola HT 440. I found
the cause of the short (loose antenna connector nut) after I replaced the
fuse, and do not have a spare. Radio Shack (through their mail order)
appears to have various size subminature axial fuses for 89 cents each.

-Jerry Abrams

416. Who sells "Screwdriver" antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33482134.7CB4@ibm.net>
Source record: 178472

There has been some recent discussion of Texas Bugcatcher and
Screwdriver mobile antennas.

From where is there info on the screwdriver?

TNX ES 73, Larry
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E-mail: larrygibbs@ibm.net

Amateur Radio W3UIO, Operating Ten-Tec

Running Netscape at OS/2 Warp 4

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417. Re: On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZygomaD & Darkezza <do_not@spam.here>
Message-ID: <3347959F.50F0@spam.here>
Source record: 178473

Les Wilson wrote:

> It's a Larsen UHF on-glass antenna.
>

Les... I've sold and installed lots of Larsen UHF and 800 antennas.
When I have to remove them, I just use a thin, flexible putty knife and
work my way in from a corner. It doesn't usually take more than
1/2-inch or so before a little pressure will pop the antenna (or inside
coupler) off the glass cleanly. As for re-installing, get the
re-install kits from Larsen (they're about $5 each). Larsen's in
Vancouver, WA and has a 1-800 number (which escapes me at
5:25am...sorry!). They can point you to a local dealer who can supply
the kit, or probably sell you one directly, and you can ask them about
removals, too. We use mostly Larsen and Maxrad antennas here, except
for very specialized applications, and have been very happy with the
factory support on both brands. Hope this helps.
--Barney Wilborg--
Owner, Borealis Communications
kl7hny@qsl.net
Soldotna, Alaska, USA

418. Re: No smoking, or No Sal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
Message-ID: <3d9_9704061343@magsystems.com>
Source record: 178474

LG>As far as I am concerned, no rig owned by a smoker is
>in saleable condition.

I am not a smoker but I am sure that there are smokers that take very good care of their equipment and clean it regularly as I do. I would not have a problem with buying from a smoker as long as the rig were clean and in good working condition.

OLX 1.53 PRIVATE REPLY? E-MAIL ME AT: NK2U@JUNO.COM

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|Fidonet: Roland Stiner 1:2604/151
|Internet: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

419. Info FT-470 reception & service manual...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Are S." <AreS@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <33484F8F.39B0@hotmail.com>
Source record: 178475

Hi..

Would anybody know the full possible range of reception for a Yaesu
FT-470(a protable dual bander) in both VHF & UHF...and also maybe where
to get a service manual for it??

Thanks in advance.

420. $$$ Give This A Try $$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: colear@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <colear-0604971511150001@206.30.241.41>
Source record: 178476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Want to make MONEY fast?????

A little while back, I was browsing these news groups, just like you are now, and came across an article similar to this that said you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $5.00! So I thought, "Yeah, right, this must be a scam!" as most people probably thought. But also like most people I was curious, so I kept reading. Anyway, it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 5 names and address stated in the article. You then place your own name and address in the list at #5, remove the #1 person, and move everyone up a position, and post the article in at least 200 news groups. (There are more than 18,000 of them). No catch, that was it.

So after thinking it over, and talking to a few people first, I thought about trying it. I figured what do I have to lose except 5 stamps, envelopes, sheets of paper and $5.00, right?

Like most of us I was still a little skeptical and a little worried about the legal aspects of it all. So I checked it out with the US. Post Office (1-800-725-2161) and they confirmed that it is indeed legal.

Then I invested the measly $5.00.................

Well GUESS WHAT!!!.. .Within 7 days, I started getting money in the mail! I was shocked! I still figured it to end soon, and didn't give it another thought. But the money just kept coming in. In my first week, I made about $20.00 to $30.00. By the end of the second week I had made a total of just over $ 1,000.00!!! In the third week I had over $5,000.00 and it was still growing. This is now my fourth week and I have made a total of just over $20,000.00 and it's still coming in......

It's certainly worth the $5.00 and 5 stamps. I spent more than that in one week on the lottery!!!

Let me tell you how this works and most importantly, why it works... also, make sure you print a copy of this article NOW, so you can get the information off of it as you need it. The process is very simple and consists of 3 easy steps:

STEP 1: Get 5 seperate pieces of paper and write the following on each piece of paper, "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST." Now get 5 $1.00 bills and place ONE inside EACH of the 5 pieces of paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelopes to prevent thievery (THIS STEP

IS VERY IMPORTANT!!!). Next, place one paper in each of the 5 envelopes and seal them. You should now have 5 sealed envelopes, each with a piece of paper stating the above phrase and a $1.00 bill inside. What you are doing is creating a service by this. THIS IS PERFECTLY LEGAL!

Mail the 5 envelopes to the following addresses:

1) I. Guest
1800 A Hillcrest Rd.
Columbia Mo, 65203
USA

2) B. Gelsleichter
RR2 Box 272
Tunkhannock, PA 18657
USA

3) J. Hurless
3649 Yorktown Way
Boise, ID 83706
USA

4) C. Lanning
101-1537 Burnaby St.
Vancouver, BC V6G 1X1
CANADA

5) A. Cole
2580 W. State Road 28
Tipton, IN 46072-9787
USA

STEP 2: NOW take the #1 name off the list that you see above, move the other names up (5 becomes 4, 4 becomes 3, etc...) and add YOUR NAME as #5 on the bottom of the list.

STEP 3: Change anything you need to, but try to keep this article as close to original as posible. Now, post you amended article to at least 250 news groups. All you need is 250, but remember the more you post, the more money you make! Don't know HOW to post in the news groups? Well do exactly the following:

FOR NETSCAPE USERS,

1) Click on any new group, like normal. Then click on "To:News", which is in the top left corner of the news group page. This will bring up a message box.

2) Fill in the SUBJECT with a flashy title, like the one I used, something to catch the eye!!!!

3) Now go to the message part of the box a retype this letter exactly as it is here, with the exception of your few changes. (remember to

add your name to #5 and move the rest up.)

4)When you're done typing in the WHOLE letter, click on "FILE" above the send button. Then, "SAVE AS..." DO NOT SEND YOUR ARTICLE UNTIL YOU SAVE IT!!! (so you don't have to retype this 250 times!)

5) Now that you have saved the letter, go ahead and send your first copy! (click the "SEND" button in the top left corner)

6) This is where you post all 250! OK, go to ANY news group article and click the "TO:NEWS" button again. Type in your flashy subject in the "SUBJECT BOX", then to the the message and place your cursor here. Now click on "ATTACHMENT" which is right below the 'SUBJECT BOX". Click on attach file then find your letter wherever you saved it. Click once on your file then click "OPEN" then click "OK". If you did this right, you should see your filename in the "ATTACHMENT BOX" and it will be shaded.

NOW POST AWAY!!!

IF YOU'RE USING INTERNET EXPLORER:

It's just as easy, holding down the left mouse button, highlight this entire article, then press the "CTRL" key and "C" key at the same time to copy this article. Then print the article for your records to have the names of those you will be sending $1.00 to.

NEXT

Go to the news groups and press "POST AN ARTICLE" type in your flashy subject and click the large window below. Press "CTRL" and "V" and the article will appear in the message window. ***BE SURE TO MAKE YOUR ADDRESS CHANGES TO THE 5 NAMES!!*** Now re-highlight the article and re-copy it so you have the changes...then all you have to do for each news group is "CTRL"and "V" and press "POST". It's that easy!!

THAT'S IT! All you have to do is jump to different news groups and ost away, after you get the hang of it, it will take about 30 seconds for each news group! ***REMEMBER, THE MORE NEWS GROUPS YOU POST IN, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE!! BUT YOU HAVE TO POST A MINIMUM OF 250***

421. Wanted: Alignment info for 75/S3 Collins Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Braden <lbraden@mail.utexas.edu>
Message-ID: <33482899.6AC2@mail.utexas.edu>
Source record: 178477

Hello -

I need the alignment info/procedures for a 75/S3 Collins receiver. Does anyone have this? It would sure help get my receiver up to snuff.

73

Larry Braden
KC5CWG

422. Re: FS: Ten Tec Scout 555

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wink <wink@rpa.net>
Message-ID: <3347B26F.562@rpa.net>
Source record: 178478

Alright! Maybe my price was a bit too high!

Let's deal!

I've also got Hamstick antennas, 10 thru 80 meters

Make an offer!
Gary Winkelman wrote:
>
> FOR SALE:
>
> Ten Tec Scout 555 50 watt cw/ssb transceiver
>
> Accessories:
> 40 Meter Band Plug-in Module
> 20 Meter Band Plug-in Module
> 297 Noise Blanker
> 296 Mobile Bracket
> 700C Handheld Microphone
>
> Original boxes and Manual
>
> New condition, used very little!
>
> $640 original Asking $500
>
> Call Gary, N2UM at (716) 544-0773 after 4:00 est
>
> E-mail to wink@rpa.net (my home address)
>
> Tnx!

423. Testing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David L. Quinlan" <poulsen@intercall.net>
Message-ID: <334786C5.356C@intercall.net>
Source record: 178479

WTB ICOM R 5000

424. Z-Bridge Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <markw@Iconnect.net>
Message-ID: <3347CEFB.4B97@Iconnect.net>
Source record: 178480

I have acquired a Knight RF Z-Bridge which I have a few questions about.
1) How do you use it?
2) Is it a usefull tool?

A brief description:
It has a dial marked from 20 to 400 ohms, and there are 3 points which I imagine are sockets for either signal sampling or injection. They are marked "signal adjust" "ground" and "null" There are also 2 so-239 connectors for the antenna.

Any and all comments are appreciated, especially if they are helpful!

73'S N9OHS

425. Z-Bridge Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <markw@Iconnect.net>
Message-ID: <3347CEF5.EF0@Iconnect.net>
Source record: 178481

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2) Is it a usefull tool?

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Any and all comments are appreciated, especially if they are helpful!

73'S N9OHS

426. ICOM R9000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David L. Quinlan" <poulsen@intercall.net>
Message-ID: <33478C56.4C0A@intercall.net>
Source record: 178482

WTB ICOM R9000 or R 7100

427. Re: Info YAESU ft-50 Dual-band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo1@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3347294b.24125007@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178527

"Eric Bouchard" <bouch@videotron.ca> wrote:

:It's very confusing while a read all responses to this question;

It's very confusing to try to read your response.

:What dual band signification ? (or perhapse repeater feature);
:
:For me, Ft-50 is a dual band but not a repeater capable dual band
:
:yes it can receive on a band and transmit on the same or the other band in
:Duplex mode.
:-1- In VLO mode put transmited frequency on VLO,
:-2- Change VLO and set the received frequency

VLO?

:-3- Go to the menu and set VDUP "on"
:Go you are in dual band com.
:
:but no, you can't received and REtransmit on the same or the other band,
:it's not a repeater. You can't activate both VLO in the same time. If you
:need repeater mobile rig is more appropriate the handheld rig (the deliver
:more power). There's no advantage taking 5w handheld radio as repeater.
:
:5w = double the distance; 5w to repeater and 5w to destination
:45w => 5w to repeater and 45w to destination

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Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
Responses to my article are welcome.

428. Re: A Question on FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo1@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33472a64.24406722@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178528

malverne@ix.netcom.com(MALVERNE POLICE DEPARTMENT) wrote:

: Looking for instructions on modifying the FT-50R to transmit in
:the 150's and 450's (yes --- I'm allowed to be there!) Thanks for any
:help.
:
:Glen (the cop...KEB455)

What allows you to operate on those frequencies with non type approved
equipment?

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Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
Responses to my article are welcome.

429. WTB: 28 VDC @ 10 A Reg. Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5i6qcs$6qi@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 178529

Looking for a regulated supply, 10 Amps at 24-28 VDC. What have we out there ?? 73 de Dick, W1KSZ

430. Re: WTB: 28 VDC @ 10 A Reg. Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sparkes@fast.net
Message-ID: <5i6utp$4e7@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 178530

> w1ksz@juno.com (Richard W. Solomon) writes:
> Looking for a regulated supply, 10 Amps at 24-28 VDC. What have we out
> there ?? 73 de Dick, W1KSZ
>
>
>>>>
Fair Radio sells exactly what you need for $49.95 + shipping. They are Elpac 24 VDC, 10 amp regulated
supplies, new and in a sealed bag. They need to be wired for the AC and a few jumpers, instructions are
included.
They are GREAT supplies. I have 2 to power my mil surplus VRC-12 equipment. They are not pretty (no
panel meters or even nice cabinet) but they work very well. Best 50 bucks I ever spent at Fair Radio.

Ned Parkes - N3LKT

431. DX Engineering Speech Processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: payne@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5i6ta9$7b0_001@ind-0014-1.iquest.net>
Source record: 178531

Hi All. I have a Drake TR4X and have heard about the DX
Engineering speech processor. Was this an internal mod or external
add-on? Where do they insert in the circuit and why are
these considered so great with Drake fans? Are there any
still around, perhaps at Dayton? Also, what kind of mike
works good with the TR4X? I want to try a D-104 because it's high
impedance and would match good with the tube input of the rig.
Thanks for your comments.

Don
WB5IQV

432. WTB MFJ 748(B)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rein0zn@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5i6tee$rjp@dfw-ixnews1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178532

Greetings,

Looking for a MFF 748(B)

Rein Smit

http://www.nitehawk.com/rasmit/

433. Help; GMRS gear & info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug LaGrone <dlagrone@nol.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4235$d74ed920$03267ece@dlagrone.nol.net>
Source record: 178533

Want to buy new or used hand held GMRS stuff; Maxon, Motorola, Uniden, etc.
Also looking for info on GMRS base stations, antennas and Houston GMRS
repeater access. Thanks!

434. Help; GMRS gear & info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug LaGrone <dlagrone@nol.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4236$21a8a960$03267ece@dlagrone.nol.net>
Source record: 178534

Want to buy new or used hand held GMRS stuff; Maxon, Motorola, Uniden, etc. Also looking for info on GMRS base stations, antennas and Houston GMRS repeater access. Also good Houston area radio dealers. Thanks!

435. WTB Collins KWM-380 Desk Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5i736e$r32@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178535

Want to buy Collins KWM-380 desk mike. State condition and price. Thank you. E-mail tbolt@ix.netcom.com

436. Want Collins KWM-380 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5i73lo$t0q@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178536

Want: Collins KWM-380 Mods. I thank you. E-mail tbolt@ix.netcom.com

437. code3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Serge <sergy@rinet.ru>
Message-ID: <3347C816.664F@rinet.ru>
Source record: 178537

Can anyone send me schematic diagram of LF3 demodulator of Code3
software?
Also, if it possible send me please additional files for recieving
Torg 10/11 and pactor.
Thanks,
Sergy

438. WTB:Yaesu FT1000MP or FT990AC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5i7cds$m6t$1@peach.america.net>
Source record: 178538

Want to be either a FT1000MP or second choice FT990AC for a back up rig. Want either of these fine radios from original owner, non smoker, and all manuals and boxes. Looking for the radios to be in mint to excellent condition and please be fair with price as I know new and used market value on both of these radios. Please E-mail me with your response or call me at 540-890-1453 if you have one of thse rigs. Thank you for reading this posting. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

439. WTB: Kenwood SWC-2 couplers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: louis@mail.snider.net
Message-ID: <5i7d9a$hvu@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 178539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: SWC-2 couplers for the Kenwood SW-200 SWR meter. Working or not. Will buy meters also if necessary..

louis@mail.snider.net
N5NEJ

440. Re: YAESU FT-890AT $825

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ewolf36483@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970406065901.BAA05844@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178540

is the radio still available? please email me at kb8wlu@tir.com this is my freinds aol address thanks paul

441. Re: TEN TEC PARAGON II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33475459.9842046@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178541

On Tue, 01 Apr 1997 20:02:46 -0500, "K.R.FRALEY"
<fraley@planetc.com> wrote:

>DOES ANYONE HAVE THE MARS CAPS MOD FOR THIS RIG?I HAVE OWNED ONE FOR A
>COUPLE OF YEARS,BUT CAN FIND VERY LITTLE ABOUT IT.ANY INFO WILL BE
>HELPFUL! THANKS RODNEY KE4NWI
>

General information:

If you are looking for M.A.R.S. (Military Affiliate Radio
System) or C.A.P. (Civil Air Patrol) modification
information for -->any<-- radio, send a copy of your
M.A.R.S. or C.A.P. license directly to the manufacturer (in
the case of TenTec or gear obtained off the "used market")
or directly to the dealer (for equipment purchased new from
a dealer) ... they will be more than happy to provide you
with the information!

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

442. Re: Opinion Please: Kenwood TS-930S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robjohn@chesco.com
Message-ID: <5i7ccr$j3r$1@news.chesco.com>
Source record: 178542

billv21572@aol.com (BillV21572) wrote:

>Hello All,

>Under the assumption that propagation will improve in the next year or so
>and the HF bands will pick up (ha ha), I'm in the mood for a new rig to
>replace my trusty 520S. Requirements would be all transistorized/no tune
>finals, cover the WARC bands, and general coverage receive. The Kenwood
>TS-930S looks like it would do perfectly for me, but a buddy of mine seems
>to recall some sort of problem with it, and felt I should keep looking.
>Anybody with any first hand knowledge of the performance of this radio,
>and caveats, etc? I'd appreciate the help.
>73 de Bill KI0HL

>p.s. pardon me if this was double-posted; again, messages disappear into
>"aol-land".....

>Bill Vanstralen KI0HL St. Paul, MN (612) 688-2552 billv21572@aol.com

Hi Bill,
The TS930 is a fine rig. There were many problems with early units.
Most were corrected with a major re-design above S/N 3,100,000. The
rig does have problems with plated-through holes on double-sided PC
boards common to all Kenwood rigs of that era. This affects primarily
the logic and final boards in the 930. Also, the low-beta MRF422
finals are no longer made, making final replacement a more expensive
proposition as time goes on.(these were also used in the 940) The rig
puts out a clean 120 watt+ signal sufficient to drive almost any amp
to the legal limit. If you're interested in computer interfacing, I
would recommend a newer rig. The 930 is selling in the $750-900 range
at the moment which is a lot of bang for the buck. For a couple
hundred more you could shop in TS940,TS850 territory. They are both
also fine rigs. The 940 is basically an updated 930 with a few more
bells and whistles and the 850 requires a separate power supply.
Hope that helps, I'm sure there are many more opinions out there.
Best 73 Greg K3EWZ

443. Re: TS-820S display woes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33474c78.11424715@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178543

On Fri, 04 Apr 1997 10:12:42 -0600, Clark Thompson
<cmthomp1@facstaff.wisc.edu> wrote:

>Greetings,
>
>The digital display on my Kenwood TS-820S periodically goes nuts. It
>will be fine for days or weeks, and then one or two digits will go out
>or it will start displaying garbage. In some cases, it has even gone
>completely out except for two decimal points.
>
>I have tried reflowing the solder connections on all the multi pin
>connectors on the boards of the counter unit and have used "DeOxit" on
>all connectors associated with the display. I know I have read
>somewhere in the past about a notorious problem with this display.
>Anyone have that info?
>
>Thanks & 73,
>
>Clark, KD9QI
>
>cmthomp1@facstaff.wisc.edu

General information ...

The digital display board on this radio is prone to this
type of problem.

This was Kenwood's first venture into double-sided PC boards
with plated thru holes ... and some of the "plated thru"
wasn't really plated thru very reliably!

The fix is to re-flow solder on all connections on both
sides of the board - not just on the connectors ...
sometimes that will bring the display back operational!

Good luck, and very 73,

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

444. CRETE HOLIDAYS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: MANOS NERANTZULIS <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc4264$c0521960$e8915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 178544

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS.OPEN FROM 14/4/97 TO 31/10/97.FOR INFORMATIONS CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA EMAIL OR FAX AT ++30 81 761382.

445. WHO KNOWS E-MAIL FAX ADDRESS OF WELZ.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: MANOS NERANTZULIS <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc4267$8739ad20$e8915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 178545

WHO KNOWS E-MAIL FAX ADDRESS OF WELZ.

446. WTB: IC900/IC901 Band Units

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Curry <recurry@insighttec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc425b$5c04b200$5ba19ecd@expressp5.insighttec.com>
Source record: 178546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I'm interested in the above units or whole radios. Please reply via email.

Thanks,
Ron

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Ron Curry
KE6WED
recurry@insighttec.com

447. WTB: Motorola Spectra 900mhz mobile radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Curry <recurry@insighttec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc425b$fdad9540$5ba19ecd@expressp5.insighttec.com>
Source record: 178547
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm an amateur and am converting these for use on the 900mhz ham band. I'm looking for used radios, trade-ins, etc. any model. If you have any to sell or know of any please reply via email with model numbers and asking price.

Thanks you,

Ron

--
Ron Curry
KE6WED
recurry@insighttec.com

448. FM Booster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland Horak <rhorak@netway.at>
Message-ID: <334784BC.6FDE@netway.at>
Source record: 178548

Has anybody a construction manual (PCB-Layout) for a good FM Booster?
Or a good site where I can find something like that?

I have a Ramsey FM25 and I am dissapointed about its signal strenght.
It only reaches about 300ft and I need the unit working for approx.
900ft or more.

Thanks in advance
Roland.

449. Re: TS-520S want/question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: w8pu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970406114200.HAA14133@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178549

Jonesy
Thanks for your reply...do me a favor if you would. Tune in the
calibrator on a few bands on each radio and let me know what your s-meter
readings are, just for comparison.

450. Hal P-38 owners/users - help please...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@psyber.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4289$7e109520$4dc087cf@packard-bell>
Source record: 178550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello:

Is there any software out there, other than
the factory Hal stuff, that will run the P-38?

If so, what is it called, where can it be found,
and most importantly, what did/do you think
of it?

Thanks in advance for your time

John
(Why does P-38 remind me of probably one of
the most incredible aircraft that ever flew? <G>)
--
occupant@psyber.com

451. FS: AEA PK232 MBX WITH THE LATEST AND THE GREATEST FIRMWARE!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: timber@megalink.net
Message-ID: <5i89af$fcv@news.megalink.net>
Source record: 178551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio

HI THERE I HAV E FOR SALE ONE AEA PK232MBX
MULTIMODE CONTROLLER IN EXCELLENT SHAPE AND WORKING CONDITION COMES
WITH PAPERWORK/MANUAL/ORIGINAL CARTON TOO!
I AM ASKING 190.00 PLUS SHIPPING

INTEREST SEND REPLIES TO : TIMBER@MEGALINK.NET
THANKS ALOT
MIKE

452. Re: Hal P-38 owners/users - help please...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rolfe Tessem <rolfe@ldp.com>
Message-ID: <33479EC8.15A0@ldp.com>
Source record: 178552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A Redshirt wrote:
>
> Hello:
>
> Is there any software out there, other than
> the factory Hal stuff, that will run the P-38?
>
> If so, what is it called, where can it be found,
> and most importantly, what did/do you think
> of it?

Yes, two of the best, both of which support Windows, are XPWin 1.1.7 and Express 3.6. XPWin supports most popular modems while Express supports only the Hal units. A demo version of XPWin is available at:

http://www.goodnet.com/~gjohnson

I don't have a current site for Express 3.6 but, since it's a commercial package, I don't believe there is a demo available in any case.

Both work well, but have somewhat different approaches and interfaces. Express has some features usable in Clover that are unavailable in XPWin.

Rolfe, W1VC

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Rolfe Tessem | Lucky Duck Productions, Inc.
rolfe@ldp.com | 96 Morton Street
(212) 463-0029 | New York, NY 10014

453. Re: Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: billv21572@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970406141000.KAA19469@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178553

My 2 cents:

The 520 came out first, for 80 - 10 meters ham bands only plus WWV at 10.000 MHz, no WARC bands, tube finals, 200 watts PEP input on ssb, 160 watts on cw. The standard filter for ssb was 2.4 kHz
wide, with an option for a 500 Hz cw filter.

The 520S was the same plus 160 meter operation was added.

The 520SE is the -S without the finals "heater" switch and the dc converter terminals. Advertised as "an economical new version of the 520S".

None had onboard digital readout, but an accessory DG-5 digital readout was available to give you the frequency down to .1 kHz. Other options were the VFO-520 and 520S External VFO for split
frequency operation, the AT-200 Antenna Tuner, and the SP-520 External Speaker. This is a real workhorse of a rig, with I'm sure hundreds in operation yet daily. My 520S is.

73 de Bill KI0HL

more or less.......
Bill Vanstralen KI0HL St. Paul, MN (612) 688-2552 billv21572@aol.com

454. Re: Hal P-38 owners/users - help please...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2up@op.net
Message-ID: <5i8b83$70c@picasso.op.net>
Source record: 178554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"A Redshirt" <occupant@psyber.com> wrote:

>Hello:

>Is there any software out there, other than
>the factory Hal stuff, that will run the P-38?

>If so, what is it called, where can it be found,
>and most importantly, what did/do you think
>of it?

>Thanks in advance for your time

>John
>(Why does P-38 remind me of probably one of
>the most incredible aircraft that ever flew? <G>)
>--
>occupant@psyber.com

I use Express, written by Peter Schulze, TY1PS. I don't have his
e-mail address handy, but you can probably find some info on
www.n2hos.com.
GL/Barry, W2UP

455. Re: A Question on FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3347B394.8A0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178555

Great, here we go again!!!

456. IC706,Mods wanted Please **********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter@miniman.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <3347b51e.1715385@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 178556

Hi There anybody know any mods for the icom ic706?

pls email me with them

Peter@miniman.demon.co.uk

457. FS: Icom IC-740

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970406152800.LAA23528@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178557

I have an Icom IC-740 all mode HF transceiver for sale. It includes the
following installed options:
PS-35 internal power supply (rig operates from either DC or AC)
EX-241 Marker unit
EX-242 FM unit
EX-243 electronic keyer
FL-44 2.4khz SSB filter
FL-45 .500khz CW filter (9mhz)
FL-52 .500khz CW filter (455khz)
Hand mic, accessory plug. manual, service manual, reviews, etc.
It has a few minor scratches on the case.
This rig still has a great receiver. Check out the following specs from
QST;
minimum signal -133, blocking DR 130db, 2 tone 3rd order IMD DR 95db,
3rd order intercept +9.5db. All of the above are without the preamp on.
I am asking $725.00 for the above which includes shipping.

73 Zack Schindler, N8FNR
413 Vester
Ferndale, MI, 48220-1955
810-541-1740

458. *** 3 NEW Email Reflectors: Books, Software, Mobile/Portable ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3347CB4A.5475@primenet.com>
Source record: 178558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

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Ham-Books is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to the literature
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If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Mobile-Portable is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to mobile
and portable operation of amateur radio (QRP and QRO, HF and VHF+):

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TO: mobile-portable@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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459. FS: FT-8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Manley <bman@webmart.net>
Message-ID: <3347ACB9.5630@webmart.net>
Source record: 178559

I have a FT 8000 for sale. It has the mars mod and also has full 800 mhz
recieve. The radio is about 2 months old, and works great. Want to get
the tribander from standard. Will take the best offer.
Ben

460. Want info/opinions on Create Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: no9z@prairienet.org
Message-ID: <5i8jt1$86f@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>
Source record: 178560

Any comments on the Create line of rotors? Reliability, service availibility, problems? Your input appreciated. Who are the dealers that handle these?
73 Lynn
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461. WWVB signal strength?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary Mitchelson"@usa.racal.com
Message-ID: <33494a7d.10720275@news.racal.com>
Source record: 178262

Does anyone have a chart that shows WWVB's signal level into the
Washington DC area?

Gary Mitchelson
gary_mitchelson@usa.racal.com
N3JPU@erols.com

462. Re: FT-50 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33495026.6022@hevanet.com>
Source record: 178263

Assaf Rozenblatt wrote:
>
> Hi and thanx for reading.
>
> I just bought the FT-50R and was dissapointed to find out that the
> Battery cannot be charged OFF the radio.
>
> The only way I can charge the batteries off the radio as far as I know
> is to but that $100 Rapid charger.
>
> Does anyone know a cheaper (less than $50) way to charge the batteries
> seperately????
>
> Thanx again
>
> Assaf Rozenblatt
> KB2UZX
> assaf@idt.net
Here's what I did.
Take a small piece of 2x4 wood. Route a cavity the size of the battery
laying on it's face. Take a small piece of circuit board material
and cut the foil trace into two sections with an Xacto knife. solder
two small contacts (one to each isolated part of the circuit board)
distance apart to match the contact width on the battery. I used
fingers
cut from emi gasket material, but any springy metal will do.
Since I couldn't find a socket to fit the plug on the wall charger, I
used a 12V wall charger from the junk box. Put a light bulb in series
and a diode to prevent discharge when it's unplugged. Size the light
bulb to match the charging current you want.
Glue the board material in the right spot in the cavity in the wood.

Now you just lay the battery down in the cavity. Light tells you that
you've made contact. Works great for the AA pack too.
Price-Costco sells a set of 4 AA cells rated 1100 MAH for about $15.
miker

463. 2 Meter Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: twp@glenqcy.glenayre.com
Message-ID: <5ibksp$pq0@babylon5.glenqcy.glenayre.com>
Source record: 178264

Standard C1208DA 144 MHz Transceiver for sale.
It has a 50W Tx and can receive 144.0 to 147.995 and
420.0 to 449.995

The controls and display are in the hand mic.

I have used it for only ONE year and is in excellent
condition. With original manual, box and hardware.

Asking $350 + shipping. If you are interested please
drop me an email. Hay make a offer.

Thank you and 73,
twp@glenqcy.glenayre.com
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- Terry

464. Re: Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@dlep1.itg.ti.com
Message-ID: <5ibld2$ppa@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 178265

Joe, you forgot a few, otherwise your list is very complete:

TS-511 (possibly their first HF rig on the US market, ca. 1970)
T-599 and R-599 (predecessors to the "D" models)
R-820 (high-end HF receiver)
TS-120V (10 Watts, otherwise same as TS-120S)
TS-130V (10 Watts, otherwise same as TS-130S)
TS-660S (15/12/10/6m quad-bander)
TS-680S (not sure what features/bands this one offered)
TS-950S (top o' the line super-rig)
TS-950SDX (additional filtering, optional DSP)
R-1000 (HF SWL receiver)
R-2000 (HF SWL receiver)
R-5000 (HF receiver, based on TS-440S transceiver)
RZ-1 (mobile HF SWL receiver for in-dash mounting, DIN chassis size)

Also...
On the TS-520S, the DS-1A DC convertor became an option.
TS-450S and TS-850S had optional DSP unit (model DSP-100)
TS-570 and TS-870 models have DSP built-in from factory

73!
Dean K5DH (ex KC5NG, TI Lewisville)

In article <3345D54A.6133@transend.com.tw>, joentam@transend.com.tw says...
>
>Ah...Kenwood HF. As I recall (not a historian)...
>
>TS900 275 watts, 80 thru 10, no warcs, silver color, external vfo
>R599D/T599D twins 6146B (S2001)finals. Competes with Drake C Line.
>TS520 80 thru 10, no WARC, 6146B (S2001) no processor, 12VDC ready
>TS520S 160 thru 10. heater switch, processor, adds a spinner knob.
>TS520SE took off the fan, economy model of TS520S
>TS820 if shift, notch, slightly better RX than 520. 12VDC capable.
>TS820S adds the integrated blue digital freq reqdout still no WARC
>TS120S first all solid state rig (1979). 80 thru 10, no WARC, no proc
>TS180S dream rig -- top of the line. PS30/VFO180/AT180/MC60. This
> offered an electronic DFC VFO, 2 memories, etc. $1200 for just
> the rig back in 1979.
>TS530 Stripped down TS830...integrated power supply. 1980 or 1981
>TS830 Solid state equivalent to 180S (with WARC capability). The best
> kenwood RX ever made. External VFO req'd for split, 6146B
>(S2001) tube finals. 1981
>TS130S same as TS120, but adds warc bands, fan, and speech processor.
> still only 1 VFO and no memories. VFO180/AT130/SP30/PS30.

>TS130SE same as TS120/TS130 but made the fan optional. "economy" model
> of TS130S.
>TS830S slight circuitry improvements
>TS530S slight circuitry improvements
>TS530SP adds the notch filter to the TS530S
>TS600 Quad bander (solid state, 10W output on 40/15/10/6 meters)
>TS930S / AT first general coverage RX. Internal power supply, solid
> state. 100W, Early models plagued with problems. 28VDC final.
> first Kenwood HF rig that will do FM. Dual VFO's. etc.
>TS430S first general coverage mobile transceiver. FM optional with
> FM board. No internal ATU capability. Relay problems in some
> early models.
>TS940S / AT Flagship radio for about 10 years. 100W hf, slope tuning,
> all solid state, internal tuner can be added.
>TS440S/ AT - most popular radio Kenwood has made.
>The rest are relatively modern -- check back issues of QST for details.
>TS140S
>TS450S/ TS690
>TS50
>TS850
>TS870
>TS570D/S
>
>73,
>Joe
>BV/N0IAT

465. Re: INFO: CRYSTALS FOR KENWOOD TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tomb@lsid.hp.com
Message-ID: <5ib8rm$9d9@hpcvsnz.cv.hp.com>
Source record: 178266
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Garth KA7MHN (garth@alinc.com) wrote:
: Thanks in advance for your replys,
: I am looking for a suppier or retail outlet for purchase of crystals for
: my TS-520. The freq range from what I understand should be from 4.900 to
: 5.500 MHz, in a HC-25/u type holder. Any info would be appriciated.
: Again thank you for your help.
: 73...Garth KA7MHN

Try JAN Crystals, International Crystal Manufacturing, Bowmar, ... Too many
to list! JAN can be reached at 1-800-JAN-XTAL, and are reasonably economical.
(But custom crystals aren't exactly cheap.)

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Cheers,
Tom
tomb@lsid.hp.com

466. Re: FYI: 1277 Links To DX & Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.junk.mail@starbase.net
Message-ID: <33495eed.6166339@news.dial.pipex.com>
Source record: 178267
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote (in one of his frequent advertisements
for his Web pages):

>The Mega-Prefix list covers the weird ones and new UK calls.

Yeah ... it's a pity most of the new UK ones are wrong, though.

My prefix (MX0) is omitted altogether. The country listing for other
calls in the M* and the 2* series of prefixes is a load of rubbish.

73 de MX0ADJ

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Walt Davidson E-mail: walt@dial.pipex.com
walt@enterprise.net
walt.d@virgin.net

467. Re: WTB: 28 VDC @ 10 A Reg. Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Buck <jrbuck@interpac.net>
Message-ID: <33493DA9.FC6@interpac.net>
Source record: 178268

They are sold out. I called this morning, Monday, Apr 7.
John KH7T

468. Re: Henry Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: grhosler1@mmm.com
Message-ID: <5ibbvs$pe6@dawn.mmm.com>
Source record: 178269

hcc24@airmail.net (William B. Chapman) wrote:

>What's this I hear that Henry Radio will no longer conduct retail
>business? Effective when? Will parts for amplifiers remain available?

>Bill-W5YJB

They are still in the Amplifier business but will suspend the retail
operation.

Gary KN0Z

Opinions expressed herein are my own and may not represent those of my employer.

469. Re: New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5ibp3d$o9s@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 178270

"Christoper W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net> wrote:
>> All DTV will be in existing TV frequencies. Each station will be
>> assigned a second channel somewhere between channel 2 and channel 59.
>Ahh you mean 7 and 51 dont you????? NO HDTV will be on 2-6 or 51 and up...

No, I mean 2-59. The FCC seems to have changed their mind last week
about low-band VHF, though that isn't final. They may still delete
2-6. As for 52-59, there will need to be temporary assignments there
as there aren't enough other UHF channels to accomodate everyone.
Once NTSC shuts down (theoretically in 2006) the old NTSC UHF
assignments will become available. Those stations operating DTV in
52-59 (or 47-59 if they decide to keep 2-6) will move to new
assignments in 2-46 or 7-51.

>> At least on UHF, stations will be assigned a minimum ERP power of 50KW
>> and a maximum of 1000KW.
>I saw in the R&O allocation at a local SBE meeting that some VHFs would only use
>8KW ERP ....compared to their current 216KW video and 100Kw audio! and I thought I
>saw lower levels on UHF than 50 KW...

There's also been a last-minute change here. I'm still waiting on the
final text here. Under the original plan, current UHF stations
assigned VHF channels for DTV would have rather low ERPs, 8KW or less.

Also, the new power limits are based on replicating a station's
existing licensed coverage -- not the maximum coverage for the channel
used. So if a UHF station is currently licensed for, say, 600KW ERP,
it would be assigned a DTV power enough to duplicate the 600KW
coverage. (and NOT enough to duplicate what it would have if it used
the 5000KW UHF NTSC limit. NTSC stations are currently protected from
interference as if they were running 5000KW even if they aren't.)

73 Doug

470. HF Linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <334982C6.5903@millcomm.com>
Source record: 178271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a very nice late model SB1000 HF linear amp for sale. I have
purchased a new amp, and would like to find a good home for this one.
In the event you're not familiar, the SB1000 is the Heath version of the
AL80A. The amp is clean and the tube is bright. Adequate power supply
and delivers 850+ watts on 10-160 meters (actually 1kw on 40-160 CW).
Very linear and clean. I also have a qsk board for it for an extra $75

Specs:

Late model run, very well built by extra class fussy ham
Clean. A very few minor scratches on the top...screw on my watt meter
did it.
Single 3-500 Eimac tube
10-160 operation
Can UPS ship but prefer location within 100 miles of Minneapolis
You pay shipping if you're out of this range...I'll pay to package it
well.
All documentation, including building specs and instructions.

This is really a nice amp for new ham or for cramped quarters. Runs on
either 120 or 240 volts.

Email me if you'd like to talk further.

Larry Menzel N0XB
Northfield, MN
lmenzel@millcomm.com

471. MINIATURE FM STEREO TRANSMITTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Katinsky <eeinch@cyberenet.net>
Message-ID: <33492C60.3A2F@cyberenet.net>
Source record: 178272

Miniature Stereo Transmitter plugs into any earphone jack or audio source including Walkman, CD, TV, Electronic Keyboard, Computer, and sends signal to any FM Radio or Walkman.
Operates on 2 - "AAA" Batteries (included) Only $24.95 + S&H

Suggested Uses: Play portable CD or Tape through car radio or Stereo System

Private listener (Wireless Headphone for TV)

Listen to computer sound through stereo system

Wireless music throughout your home

Play electronic keyboard through your stereo system

Transmit sound for hearing impaired

Check it out at http://www.cyberenet.net/~eeinch

472. Yaesu 1000 MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Waits <RAWAITS@BELLSOUTH.NET>
Message-ID: <33498B82.684@BELLSOUTH.NET>
Source record: 178273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur

Is the YAESU 1000MP a gud radio? I have opportunity to a buy mint used
one. What is it worth? What is a fair price to pay?
Is it inferior to the 1000d, or better?
I know it has less power, but otherwise, please comment.......?

Thanks,
Rick
N4RW

473. FT-50RD: Cool Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam D. Shapiro" <kb1bcf@contesting.com>
Message-ID: <33498BAA.6CF@contesting.com>
Source record: 178274

Hi All...thanks for reading,

Just purchased a new Yaesu FT-50RD last Thursday. Wow what a radio. I really do like the receiver (also the intermod rejection could be better) but it still beats the heck out of any Icom I've ever owned. I got the 5 watt battery with it (FT-50RDHP) and used it at a flea market on 1-watt setting all Sunday. Lasted from 6:30 A.M. to about 6 P.M on a full charge. By the way, the charger situation is a real pain having to charge the battery without being able to use the radio.

Still, I'm pretty impressed. It also saves me the trouble of carrying around my scanner (which by the way has no better receiver than the Yaesu.) By the way, has anyone actually found an IMPORTANT use for the digital voice recorder?? I'd be curious to hear some practical uses.

My verdict: cool radio. The price is good, and it does what I need it to do. The real test will be the Boston Marathon in a few weeks..we'll see how it holds up. Your comments are welcome.

73,

Adam/KB1BCF

474. Re: FT-50 DVRS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Scott <pwscott@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33498136.54FB@erols.com>
Source record: 178275

Assaf Rozenblatt wrote:
>
> Does anyone know how many seconds of voice the FT-50R Deluxe can hold??
>
> Is it just a few seconds???
>
> thank-You
> Assaf Rozenblatt
> KB2UZX
If I remember correctly it's 20 seconds, and can be divided into two 10
second slots.

Phil N3KDJ

475. Re: FT-50 DVRS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.FRALEY" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <33498EDF.4B15@planetc.com>
Source record: 178276

Assaf Rozenblatt wrote:
>
> Does anyone know how many seconds of voice the FT-50R Deluxe can hold??
>
> Is it just a few seconds???
>
> thank-You
> Assaf Rozenblatt
> KB2UZX
It will hold 2- 10 seconds of voice as REC1 REC2!

476. Re: Air Radio help wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Volz <mvolz@avci.net>
Message-ID: <33496F09.6247@avci.net>
Source record: 178277

Ben Hildner wrote:
>
> Hey people!
> I'm not sure if this is primarily a ham radio group, or general radio
> group. I am starting a small pirate radio station, and I need help
> understanding the basics of equipment, maintenance, and other useful
> info. If someone would kindly offer their counsel, or suggest a book,
> newsgroup, or web-page, I would surely appreciate it.
>
> -Ben (please email: hild8942@tao.sosc.osshe.edu)

This belongs in news:alt.radio.pirate
73,
Mike

477. VOX for Kenwood TS-790

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald M. Ross" <dross@sirinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc43ad$4262b6a0$0d5003cf@nl7co-computer>
Source record: 178278

A friend of mine has a TS-790 and wants to put VOX on it. We haven't seen and VOX options and were wondering if anyone else has.

Thanks

Don, NL7CO

478. HAM IV ROTOR FOR SALE CHEAP CHEAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc43c5$9963bcc0$6c6674cf@default>
Source record: 178279

HAM IV HEAVY DUTY ROTOR FOR SALE $175.00 OR BEST OFFER CALL GABE
AT 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL AT

gmelo@worldnet.att.net

479. Premier/ADI AT-600 Info!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: davros@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu
Message-ID: <5ic40d$kp1@piglet.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 178280

Hi folks,

I just got off the phone with a really nice young lady at Premier Communications, the folks who sell the AT-600 dual-band radio, very similar (but way cheaper than!!) to the Radio Shack dual-band HT. I posted on Saturday regarding how friendly this radio is for a blind person to operate. I got a couple of good responses to this question, and Premier was able to find out some more for me as well...actually, my questions caused the young lady I talked to to learn some stuff herself, as she was familiarizing herself with the radio.

(BTW...Yes, it *is* available for $299 at HRO!...the web says so anyway)

Power Settings:

When selecting a power setting, the keyboard beeps are the same for high and low power. However, medium power does have a lower-pitched tone, and the power setting cycle around from high to medium to low...or maybe it's the other way 'round. At any rate, if you know where medium is, you can easily select the power setting you want. Also, memory channels store power setting. The VFO may or may not store the power setting; however, since you can always find one using medium power (the different tone) as a reference, it doesn't really matter.

Setup menu: It appears the only two things on the setup menu that should have to be messed with for more than the first time you set up the radio, are the PL tone settings and the dual watch function (listening to both bands at once). The other stuff can be set once and probably, for the most part, forgotten. ...Oh, and of course the cross-band repeat stuff as well. At any rate, there is a convenient beep at the beginning (or end) of the menu when it cycles around. That means that when you've reached the end (or beginning) of the menu, the radio beeps, so you can always find the menu setting you want if you know how far from the end it is. The FT-51 doesn't do this nifty little trick, and it sure would be handy. I forgot to ask about the keyboard lock function though. Oh, and the radio also remembers what the lastmenu setting you used was...the Yaesu FT-51 does also, and my work-around for no beginning beep is to keep the menu set to battery voltage...but then, I don't have to mess with anything on the menu anyway.

Setting PL tones: This (and the menu, and the band selection which i'll get to in a minute) is something that the person I talked to learned about the radio. When selecting a PL tone, the radio beeps at 110.9. So if you know how far from 110.9 the tone you want is, you can find it. None of the Yaesu HT's I've owned have done this trick either, and it sure would be handy.

Band selection: When you select 2 meters, the radio beeps once. When you select 440, the radio beeps twice. That's good!

Very important stuff here:

The radio has a metal belt clip! This was very important to me, because I really hate!!!! the plastic belt clip on my '51.

I also forgot to ask for an opinion on the speaker, but that wouldn't have done much good. Anyone who owns this radio...how's the audio, in comparison to other HT's? (Receive audio, from the speaker)

Overall...it really sounds like this radio (especially for the price!) is extremely blind user friendly. When I'm ready to replace my current HT, I may well buy one of these.

73,

--Buddy

480. Re: FYI: 1277 Links To DX & Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334998B0.5E0C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178281
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Walt Davidson wrote:
>
> AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote (in one of his frequent advertisements
> for his Web pages):
>
> >The Mega-Prefix list covers the weird ones and new UK calls.
>
> Yeah ... it's a pity most of the new UK ones are wrong, though.
>
> My prefix (MX0) is omitted altogether. The country listing for other
> calls in the M* and the 2* series of prefixes is a load of rubbish.
>
> 73 de MX0ADJ
>
> --
> Walt Davidson E-mail: walt@dial.pipex.com
> walt@enterprise.net
> walt.d@virgin.net

Hi Walt -- you are the first in 6 months to note this. These were taken
from one of the widely published Ham magazines (name omitted). I would
be most happy to correct them if you can supply the correct information
or tell me where they can be found.

Any help would be appreciated.
73
Rod
--
AC6V DX Reference Page
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
Main Page: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Index: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

481. Re: FS: FT-8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <33499CDB.3864@southeast.net>
Source record: 178282

Ben Manley wrote:
>
> I have a FT 8000 for sale. It has the mars mod and also has full 800 mhz
> recieve. The radio is about 2 months old, and works great. Want to get
> the tribander from standard. Will take the best offer.
> Ben

Ben,

Please tell us how you restored full 800mhz receive on your FT-8000.

Thanks,

Jim..

--

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

482. How to contact AES in LV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970407175631.17440A-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178283

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* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
* My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This *
* is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. *
* To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! *
* My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com *
* When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, *
* not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. *
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *

(Written at 00:57 UTC on Tuesday, April 8, 1997)

Does someone here have the www address for AES in Las Vegas?

How about an 800 number other than (800) 634-6227,(which might not
be the right number, because no voice-mail or announcement answers
after hours as one might expect from a big company).

Ted <ted@caprica.com>

* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
* My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! *
* I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever *
* sends unsolicited advertizing via Email risk prompt *
* cancelation of internet service without refund and *
* possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! *
* Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied *
* to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. *
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* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
* My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! *
* Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html *
* Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! *
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
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* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
* Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! *
* It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html *
* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
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483. newby needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: calljeff@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970407190400.PAA01688@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178284

Hi All,

My son and I are going for our "No-Code Tech" license. I am wondering what would be a good radio to start with that has the bands allowable for that level.

Thanks,

Jeff

484. Re: Keyers - what's new?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Shearer <Timothy_Shearer@mk.com>
Message-ID: <3349416E.62D1@mk.com>
Source record: 178285

Bob Witte wrote:
>
> Jim Johnson (jjohnson@hpl.hp.com) wrote:
> : I'm wondering what's new in the world of electronic keyers. I'm
> : realizing how out-of-touch I am when I thumb through Web pages and
> : magazine ads looking for things like keyers and phone patches. Is
> : MFJ the only manufacturer of keyers these days? There used to be
> : a keyer chip (Curtis?) available as a kit - is it passe also? Maybe
> : keyers are always included in new equipment now ... hmm, new
> : equipment ... there's a thought. What are you doing for a keyer?
> : Go ahead, I have my armor on ... let me have it!

I just built a keyer from the '92 ARRL handbook. It uses 4 CMOS IC's and a bunch of discrete parts. It took some time to get it to work (timing problems, etc) but it seems to work pretty well. I etched my own board so its not too complex. You can still buy the pcb from FAR circuits although, $5 or $6 I think. Total cost was $5 out of pocket (good junk box supplies.)

If I were to do over I think I would go for the Curtis chip at $20 and eliminate the tedious work of debugging the timing problems. I had a oscilloscope to help out with this but everyone might not. I spent as much time debugging it as I spent etching a board and building it.

And for about $75 to $100 I could have built the CMOS III as others have mentioned here. It would have given me memories, beacon mode, etc. Many handy things the simple keyers cannot do.

The next problem is to learn how to use the paddle...thats another skill that has to be learned to second nature level...just like learning the code in the first place.....

Tim KF8XW

485. WTB LOWE HF150/PR150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carel van den Burg <cvdburg@zeelandnet.nl>
Message-ID: <33494CCA.302C@zeelandnet.nl>
Source record: 178286

I am looking for this set. Also interested in HF150 only.
Offers please. Regards Carel van den Burg

486. Re: WWVB signal strength?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Van Baak <tvb@veritas.com>
Message-ID: <33499B69.45BA@veritas.com>
Source record: 178287

Gary Mitchelson wrote:
>
> Does anyone have a chart that shows WWVB's signal level into the
> Washington DC area?
>
> Gary Mitchelson
> gary_mitchelson@usa.racal.com
> N3JPU@erols.com

General WWVB information:
http://www.bldrdoc.gov/timefreq/pubs/sp432/s_wwvb.htm

Signal strength map:
http://www.bldrdoc.gov/timefreq/pubs/sp432/f5a.gif

/tvb

487. Re: FM Booster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Rhea <randall@informix.com>
Message-ID: <3349B745.14@informix.com>
Source record: 178288

Roland Horak wrote:
>
> Has anybody a construction manual (PCB-Layout) for a good FM Booster?
> Or a good site where I can find something like that?
>
> I have a Ramsey FM25 and I am dissapointed about its signal strenght.
> It only reaches about 300ft and I need the unit working for approx.
> 900ft or more.

Go to http://www.ramseyelectronics.com, and you will notice that they
also sell a broadband amplifier, the LPA-1, which is designed for
ham applications but will work with the FM25 as well. Be sure
to read the "Important FCC Information" at the top of the page.
Amplifying the signal of the FM25 is probably illegal.

What sort of antenna are you using? Maybe you should check out their
antenna too.

488. Re: IC706,Mods wanted Please **********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Rhea <randall@informix.com>
Message-ID: <3349B9AA.6352@informix.com>
Source record: 178289

Peter scott wrote:
>
> Hi There anybody know any mods for the icom ic706?

Try my web site at

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/rhea/icom706.htm

489. Info:repeater control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew Hudak <aa1gk@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3349874A.5CF4@snet.net>
Source record: 178290

Thanks for reading this message,

Myself and a few friends that are lucky enough to have good UHF locations are looking to put up a few repeaters. We are looking for any information (personal expierence) that you may have with repeater controlers. We would like to try to build them if you may have info on plans for one. If not, any suggestions on commercialy produced controlers would be appreciated.

Thanks.....Matt
k1sp@snet.net

490. JST 135 gen. cov. mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Boden <xgs26@dial.pipex.com>
Message-ID: <334919BB.7061@dial.pipex.com>
Source record: 178291

anyone know the user definition to permit general coverage transmission
on th JRC JST 135 de G4XCK

491. Re: Air Radio help wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: loushery@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <3349C4EF.6E4D@pacbell.net>
Source record: 178292

Go for the Ramsey part 15 radio transmitter. They have it in either AM
or FM. Weve beem using the ramsey FM10 tansmitter for 2 or 3 years at
our school. Have about a 1/2 mile range. I know you want more range.
The problem with the FM 10 is frequency drift. Ramsey has a new FM 25
out with PLL. Should solve the problem.
Good Luck

492. Re: WTB: Type "HN" coax adaptors (connectors)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. W. Balinski" <eugeneb@nni.com>
Message-ID: <3349B277.1BB@nni.com>
Source record: 178293

Ray LaRue wrote:
>
> PKluwe wrote:
> >
> > WTB: Type "HN" coax adaptors (connectors): need right angle "HN" male to
> > "HN" female, also need straight "HN" male to "N" female adaptor. Please
> > advise condition and price to : paul@kluwe.com
> >
> > Thanks & 73, Paul Kluwe, W8ZO
>
> I have a supply of new straight, RG 8/u to HN, male connectors. Can you
> use them? I've never seen a HN to N adapter. Always have made it up
> with a short piece of coax.
> 73,
> Ray, W4BYG

The type "N" to "HN" adapters DO exist. You just don't want to
pay for them. They are expensive new...

73
K1NR/3

493. Re: SEEKING ATLAS 210 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <334953C2.7EFD@hevanet.com>
Source record: 178294

Leigh wrote:
>
> Dan Walker (SciCon@ix.netcom.com) wrote:
> : I've had a 210x for a number of years. It works great on AC
> : power but not very good on battery. The CW transmit switch is
> : a pain to use.
>
> Agreed.. my 210x works well off an external 13.8v power supply, but on a
> slightly low car battery the voltage drop has given me several complaints
> on SSB. If you use it for mobile SSB, then certainly keep the engine
> going.
>
> FWIW, my Icom 735 will put a full hundred watts into a 40m Hustler coil,
> but my Atlas 210x will plummet to QRP levels with the same antenna, unless
> I use a small MFJ tuner inline.
>
> : Still, I've almost got my WAS using this radio on CW. The reciever
> : is very good.
>
> My 210x does not have the sidetone option, but using it for CW I've
> learned to send decent code without a sidetone. A noisy key like a
> surplus J-37 (black phenolic base and stamped steel arm) works fairly
> well: a dit's a "click" and a dah's a "clunk!
>
> --Leigh Marrin/KM6JE.

Main advantage of Atlas 210x is price. You can get 'em for under $50
with the noise blanker and AC power supply/console. Make sure you get
the noise blanker for mobile use. My Dodge Motorhome puts out so much
ignition noise that I can't hear anything with the blanker off.

I've found that the continuously
variable antennas like the "screwdriver" go a long way to solving
the problem of rapid power drop with increasing SWR. Unless you
stick on only one frequency, don't even try to run one mobile without
a tuner or remotely tunable antenna.

Bottom line" if you have to pay more than $100 for the Atlas, you're
probably better off with a real radio.

494. Wanted: Yaesu FT-50R software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Philippe B." <f1loo@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <01bc43a8$5a03daa0$73cd75c2@194.150.9.193.hrnet.fr>
Source record: 178295

am looking for a Windows based program that can control a Yaesu FT-50R

If you think you can help, please contact me to email
f1loo@club-internet.fr

Thanks!
73,
Philippe

495. FS: VHF Mobile and HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <jbert@dialnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc43a4$5802b040$93fa41ce@default>
Source record: 178296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

Midland 70-336B
VHF
30 Watt
8 channel
2 scan banks
CTCSS (encode and decode)
eprom programable (will program freqs for you)
bracket, mic, power cord included
excellent condition
$200.00 firm

AND

Maxon SP2550 VHF
(same radio as a GE Monogram)
VHF
10 channel
programable
5 watt
speaker mic
belt clip
2 batteries
rapid charger
antenna
$225 firm (programed to your freqs)

WILL SEND COD

Contact bwm653s@nic.smsu.edu or jbert@dialnet.net

496. WTB: Drake R7 or R7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephen scheel <sncscheel@hypercon.com>
Message-ID: <3349E4B6.4BEF@hypercon.com>
Source record: 178297

Looking to purchase a Drake R7 or R7a. I you have one for sale or know where I might find one please E-mail. Thank you.

497. Re: Keyers - what's new?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Johnson <jjohnson@hpl.hp.com>
Message-ID: <334976BE.1A91@hpl.hp.com>
Source record: 178298

Thanks to everybody who emailed and posted about the keyer question
I had. It looks like the CMOS Superkeyer III is by far the frontrunner.
I will look into the Palomar suggestion too. If there are any more
suggestions, please keep them coming by email or Usenet. Thanks to
Mike, Nick, and Bob for the latest posts.

73,

Jim W6SC
Home: jjoker@dxhound.com
Work: jjohnson@hpl.hp.com

498. Heathkit Monitor Scope HO-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garth KA7MHN <garth@alinc.com>
Message-ID: <3349D9DE.7939@alinc.com>
Source record: 178299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hi and thanks for reading,
I would like to obtain a copy of or purchase original manuals for this scope. Thanks again for your help.
73...Garth KA7MHN

Please reply e-mail thanks

garth@alinc.com

499. Re: How to contact AES in LV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Chueh <williamc@maha-comm.com>
Message-ID: <5icnm2$ald@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 178300

Dear Ted,

You can find AES's homepage at

http://www.aesham.com

73,
William Chueh
williamc@maha-comm.com
Maha Communications, Inc.
http://www.maha-comm.com

Ted wrote in article ...
>* *
>* My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This *
>* is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. *
>* To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! *
>* My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com *
>* When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, *
>* not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. *
>* *
>
>(Written at 00:57 UTC on Tuesday, April 8, 1997)
>
>Does someone here have the www address for AES in Las Vegas?
>
>How about an 800 number other than (800) 634-6227,(which might not
>be the right number, because no voice-mail or announcement answers
>after hours as one might expect from a big company).
>
>Ted <ted@caprica.com>
>
>* *
>* My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! *
>* I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever *
>* sends unsolicited advertizing via Email risk prompt *
>* cancelation of internet service without refund and *
>* possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! *
>* Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied *
>* to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. *
>* *
> *
>* *
>* My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! *
>* Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html *

>* Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! *
>* *
> *
>* *
>* Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! *
>* It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html *
>* *
>
>

500. wanted: mt.top repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Dube <dandube@mail.island.net>
Message-ID: <334973C6.5B9C@mail.island.net>
Source record: 178301

The Queen Charlotte Island Amateur Radio Club is looking to purchase a
mountain top repeater for the 2 meter band. Email replies to:
dandube@mail.island.net
73's Dan ve7vot

501. Re: HTX-204 BNC connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97040718290712076@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178302

> Just a note about the HTX-204 BNC connector - (I assume
> this would apply to the ADI versions): The locking ring
> on my HTX-204 BNC connector was not very secure - after
> 3 weeks the connector suddenly became very loose and the
> internal antenna connection broke.
> The local Radio Shack replaced the radio.

>>If you baught the radio at a Ham Radio Store they would have said :
>>"You baught it now you are stuck with it."

Absolute rubbish, of course. My local HRO would gladly exchange the unit
for a new one with no hassles whatsoever.

Don't lay your prejudices on us...we know better.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
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502. Re: Quit whining!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970407180510.17440B-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178303

On Fri, 4 Apr 1997, John L. Sielke wrote:

> Now this is a psychotic, paranoid idiot!
>
> John L. Sielke zygodactyl@bigfoot.com

Yeah? If that's true then maybe it would be more healthy for you if you didn't annoy me, huh?

Especially since this "psycho" is a gun-totin' marksman,(avgerage shot groupings: sidearm: 4" at 75', rifle: 2" at 300'), with both bounty hunting and combat experience, a former postal worker, a former body guard of a certain Sicilian celebrity, an active militia officer, and (of course), a "right-wing" NRA supporter.

And damn proud of it all too!

Now go back to playing with yourself, boy, and leave grown folks alone.

Ted

* *
* My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! *
* I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever *
* sends unsolicited advertizing via Email risk prompt *
* cancelation of internet service without refund and *
* possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! *
* Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied *
* to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. *
* *

503. Re: size of fuse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Brinkley <brinkley@ols.net>
Message-ID: <3349D96A.2AC9@ols.net>
Source record: 178304

jabrams@hoflink.com wrote:
>
> What size fuse is needed for a 4 watt Motorola HT 440. I found
> the cause of the short (loose antenna connector nut) after I replaced the
> fuse, and do not have a spare. Radio Shack (through their mail order)
> appears to have various size subminature axial fuses for 89 cents each.
>
> -Jerry Abrams

Should be a 5 amp fuse, Motorola P/N 6505214E02?? if my memory serves me
right

Andy Brinkley
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brinkley@ols.net

NC Certified Firefighter III / Instructor II / EMT-A
FCC Licensed Technician
Amateur Call N4ROX

504. Scanners-UNIDEN/WINRADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg <gchatten@universalsewing.com>
Message-ID: <3349A022.16CF@universalsewing.com>
Source record: 178305

I ordered a BC-235XLT (trunk-tracker)and WINRADIO from Advanced Digital Systems - they got Grove beat to death on prices !

Just wanted to let you scanner buffs know the WINRADIO is awesome since you can control it with the PC & the BC-235, well, they will be out in APril but I'm told they will auto-follow all Motorola trunking systems !

Mick.

505. Ground Plane Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <334951BA.605@flash.net>
Source record: 178306

I need advice on placing a 2m mobile antenna an fiberglass, what do I need to do about the ground plane? Is there antenna that don't need metal for mobile application? Do they work?

Thanks

Lee H.

506. Trade Laptop for HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3349BA1D.2D39@flash.net>
Source record: 178307

Compaq lte 4/25 210HD, 4 Ram, trackball, lots of software, great computer to take on the go. Battery has long life, ac plug. Good quality grey screen. Should sell for about $450.

Want to trade for 2M HTs or dual band HT or mobile. Send info lets talk.

73s
KC5ZRR
Lee H.

507. Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3349BAC2.7F1E@flash.net>
Source record: 178308

I looking to get a HT need advice. Whats you preference and why?

Thanks.

508. FT50R .RDF/.TPL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5iapa2$q07$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 178309

Hi,can sameone please send me via Email a unmodified .RDF or .TPL file !

It should be a file from a totaly unmodified and unused FT50R.

"You buy it, put it on and make the .RDF (.TPL)"

If sameone has such a .RDF (.TPL) samewhere, please !!!

Thanks in advance, Indi.

509. Kenwood modification TM-241a recherche...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: pascal <va2aba@microtec.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4307$437f9cc0$8a05bace@default>
Source record: 178310

Bonjour je cherche les modifications pouvant etre fait sur un Kenwood TM-241a

Merci 73,s de va2aba va2aba@microtec.net

510. Re: DX Engineering Speech Processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nate Dixon <nated@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <01bc43a6$4a78e3c0$9ca8369d@nated-2.dns.microsoft.com>
Source record: 178311

The DX Engineering speech processor for the Drake line used RF compression techniques. The audio driver tube was removed, the speech processor inserted in its place and the tube went into the speech processor. They worked very well.

-Nate
N7OS

Don Payne <payne@iquest.net> wrote in article
<5i6ta9$7b0_001@ind-0014-1.iquest.net>...
> Hi All. I have a Drake TR4X and have heard about the DX
> Engineering speech processor. Was this an internal mod or external
> add-on? Where do they insert in the circuit and why are
> these considered so great with Drake fans?
<snip>
> Don
> WB5IQV
>

511. FS: HTX-202 & accessories....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard K. Adkins" <radkins@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5i9dgb$e4l@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178483

HTX-202, charger, both battery packs (nicad & AA), includes speaker/mic, & original box with manual. $140.00 includes shipping. Email if interested.

512. Re: radiosonde

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc42f5$127046a0$940f2399@peter->
Source record: 178484

Dr. Detlef Bunk <tjp010@sp2.power.uni-essen.DE> wrote in article
<3342DADF.3D5@sp2.power.uni-essen.de>...
> Dear Members,
>
> some time ago I found a German weather-radiosonde for air-borne (baloon)
> measurements, Type E076. I could reactivate it because of only minor
> damages.
>
> My questions:
> Who knows more about the details of receiving and decoding the
> transmitted data?

In many countries you are not *supposed* to operate on the specified
frequency.
So don't get caught.

The easiest way to run the thing is to (on the ground) try to get the
sensors to
show different conditions then receive the signal then run a FFT on the
audio to
separate the tones and decode them. You will need a lot of points to get
high
resolution, but you can use a sound card in your computer. To get useful
info,
you will need to calibrate the device. So stick it in your refrigerator
with a
thermometer and find out which tone changes and by how much. Do this at
a few points and hopefully it has a linear response and you're all set.
Pressure
is more difficult, but can be done if you are determined by finding an
aluminum
aircraft shipping container and using a small pump to lower the pressure
then
using a gauge you can get that relationship. Humidity is tough since
sensors
usually aren't too accurate; you'll have to rely upon weather reports and
check
out the tone range on wet and dry days.

...Good luck

513. FOR SALE: Icom IC-2GXAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kevin W. Beam" <kbeam@novia.net>
Message-ID: <01bc42f7$13b7cfe0$c619f8cc@quark>
Source record: 178485

For sale: Icom IC-2GXAT 2m handheld.

Great condition. Bought in July 1995--Rarely used.
Asking: $250 OBO

Kevin Beam, N0EAK
kbeam@novia.net

514. FOR SALE: Icom IC-2GXAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kevin W. Beam" <kbeam@novia.net>
Message-ID: <01bc42f7$35574b80$c619f8cc@quark>
Source record: 178486

For sale: Icom IC-2GXAT 2m handheld.

Great condition. Bought in July 1995--Rarely used.
Asking: $250 OBO

Kevin Beam, N0EAK
kbeam@novia.net

515. WTB: Xtra long mic cord for Yaesu FT-5100 Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: titanic@gate.net
Message-ID: <33484dcf.4971097@news.gate.net>
Source record: 178487

I'm looking for an extra long mic cord for my Yaesu FT-5100 Dual Band
Mobile Transceiver. Will also consider an extension for my existing
cord. Must be at least 8-10 feet long.
If you can help, please drop me a line, tnx, Doug
titanic@gate.net

516. WAONTED:VFO-120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3xof@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970407021400.WAA11756@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178488

Wanted external VFO-120
Walt N3XOF@aol.com

517. watch out for out-of-band cross-repeating

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: enboe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970407044200.AAA23611@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178489

The HTX-204 will cross-repeat out-of-band reception to an in-band transmission (ex. police on 900 MHz to 2m). The Standard 568A locks this out. Beware this FCC-violating "feature".

518. FS: Ten Tec Scout Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwebster@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dwebsterE893wz.B63@netcom.com>
Source record: 178490

FOR SALE: Ten Tec Scout 555 xcvr. 50 watt SSB/CW. Includes all
9 modules 160-10 meters, mike, manual, and a Ten Tec mod. 291 Antenna
Tuner. Also have a TPS AC 11 amp power supply used with the station,
(small 5.5" x 5.5" x 3"). All items in excellent physical and
electronic condition. Want to sell as a package $575.00 w/o supply or
$625.00 with supply. Price includes shipping in CONUS.

Dennis Webster WJ6H
dwebster@netcom.com

519. WTB-Icom RC-12 remote controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kin Ho <bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5i9uhk$l17@mtinsc05.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178491

For Icom R-7000 receiver. Please e-mail condition and price.

520. INFO: CRYSTALS FOR KENWOOD TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garth KA7MHN <garth@alinc.com>
Message-ID: <33489489.DC2@alinc.com>
Source record: 178492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks in advance for your replys,
I am looking for a suppier or retail outlet for purchase of crystals for my TS-520. The freq range from what I understand should be from 4.900 to 5.500 MHz, in a HC-25/u type holder. Any info would be appriciated.
Again thank you for your help.
73...Garth KA7MHN

521. WTB. Kenwood TS-530S manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Barlament <kc9id@netnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4316$01bc7240$4c4546c6@kc9id.netnet.net>
Source record: 178493

I am looking for a service manual and a owners manual for a Kenwood
TS-530S. If you have one or both and are interested in selling them please
e-mail me. thanks for reading this.
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Jim Barlament
kc9id@netnet.net

522. FS: RS Pro43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Cox <i2567@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <33484116.7548@netnitco.net>
Source record: 178494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Excellent condition, Unmodified (date code 8A2, Ser# 13708) includes manual, leather case, Rubber duck antenna. $250 shipped to your door.

Ed

523. FS: Ant/Tower in Wichita, KS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: garwonko@msn.com
Message-ID: <00001fed+00005229@msn.com>
Source record: 178495

Need to sell Rohn 25G Tower and Cushcraft Quad-Band Four Element Beam (A4S) plus Rotor, 17-Meter Inverted-V and Ham IV Rotor in Wichita, KS. Highest Bid.

Dr. Gar Ko
garwonko@msn.com
komudo@juno.com

524. Re: Kenwood repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim scheer <jim.scheer@gtri.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <3348D579.7CBD@gtri.gatech.edu>
Source record: 178496

louis wrote:
>
> A friend of mine has a Kenwood TS450 that needs repair. Anybody know
> where a good place to have it fixed may be? The last repair I had
> done to Kenwood was by Kenwood in Ca several years ago.
>
> Thanks for any input
> louis@mail.snider.net
> N5NEJ

I just had my TS-520S gone over by Milton Lord, Ham Radio Repair, (770)
422-1415, 12S Ridge Trail, Cartersville, Ga. 30120, also at (770)
966-1166. Highly recommended.

525. FT-50 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Assaf Rozenblatt <assaf@idt.net>
Message-ID: <3348FE00.38AB@idt.net>
Source record: 178497

Hi and thanx for reading.

I just bought the FT-50R and was dissapointed to find out that the
Battery cannot be charged OFF the radio.

The only way I can charge the batteries off the radio as far as I know
is to but that $100 Rapid charger.

Does anyone know a cheaper (less than $50) way to charge the batteries
seperately????

Thanx again

Assaf Rozenblatt
KB2UZX
assaf@idt.net

526. Re: FT-50 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjm@shore.net
Message-ID: <5iao48$rri@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 178498

The CA-15 will allow you to use the charger that comes with the radio
to charge the battery separately. If you are interested in rapid
charging then you'll either need the NC-50 with the CA-14 adapters or
the MAHA MH-103Y.

Assaf Rozenblatt <assaf@idt.net> wrote:

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>I just bought the FT-50R and was dissapointed to find out that the
>Battery cannot be charged OFF the radio.

>The only way I can charge the batteries off the radio as far as I know
>is to but that $100 Rapid charger.

>Does anyone know a cheaper (less than $50) way to charge the batteries
>seperately????

>Thanx again

>Assaf Rozenblatt
>KB2UZX
>assaf@idt.net

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Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
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527. Prophecies of ages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ben@light.co.za
Message-ID: <5ianrj$svg@news1.saix.net>
Source record: 178499

You are sincerely invited to visit our non-commercial web site
entitled "Prophecies of the Ages", Based on quotes from major world
religions and famous seers.

This brief but unsolicited invitation is being sent to you, once only,
with the hope of increased harmony among people.

http://www.light.co.za/

(You are also welcome to delete this message even before browsing the web sight.)

Thank you.

528. FS: Motorola System Saber +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970407122800.IAA09779@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178500

Hello,
I am selling my Motorola System Saber with all the features inside of
it. Also, with it..

Public Safety Mic
Regular Mic
2 Antenna's (STUBY + LARGER)
2 batteries
1 rapid charger
Saber cables

All this I am selling it for.... $1000.00 + Shipping

Interested let me know... Jeffrey
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529. WTB: S40A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <3348ecb7.2065549@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 178501

If you have one in good condition, please e-mail condition, price and location. Thanks in advance.
VE2ATD
dussault@vipxlnet.com

530. Re: Kenwood repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33490128.7459@onramp.net>
Source record: 178502

louis wrote:
>
> A friend of mine has a Kenwood TS450 that needs repair. Anybody know
> where a good place to have it fixed may be? The last repair I had
> done to Kenwood was by Kenwood in Ca several years ago.
>
> Thanks for any input
> louis@mail.snider.net
> N5NEJ

Have him call me at 1-800-214-5779. We can discuss the problem and
maybe fix it on the phone.

Otherwise my rates are cheaper than Kenwood and a lot closer to 5 land.
I am in Irving, Tx.

Check my web-site for more info.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid/

531. FS or FT -- Toshiba Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <334bf593.193967193@news.usit.net>
Source record: 178503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a T1900 Toshiba laptop for sale or trade. 486/20, 4 meg ram,
200MB hd (doublespaced to 385MB), monochrome VGA, quickport
trackball pointing device, 14.4 PCMCIA fax/modem, briefcase style
carrying case.

Charging circuit is going out -- will boot from charged batteries,
but not from AC/DC adapter. After booting, AC/DC adapter can be
used. Won't charge batteries.

All for $300 plus shipping, as is, or would prefer trade for
Oscilloscope, >40MHz dual trace, with 1x/10x probe. Multi-band QRP
equipment also considered.

E-mail interest only, please. Snail address is no good in Callbook,
and I have no phone in my name.

If trade, we'll each ship our own stuff.
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Marty, KM7W

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Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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532. FYI: 1277 Links To DX & Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334904DE.53EB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

From Ham 'Accessories to Zones' the DX Reference Guide has expanded to
60 pages and 1277 links. An index is now available for quick clicking to
the subject desired.

The Technical Reference Page now includes links to Amplifier Theory,
SWR, S-Units, dB tables, Antennas and much more.

The origin of '73' and the term 'Ham' are covered along with some
dubious humor and links to a list of 'Famous Hams'.

DXpeditions past and future are summarized and linked.

An extensive search came up with around 40 ham and electronic kits,
components, and circuit boards for homebrew projects.

The Mega-Prefix list covers the weird ones and new UK calls.

Good DX
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V DX Reference Page
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

533. yeasu 3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kconstance@juno.com
Message-ID: <860293410.16267@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178505

Have problem with mars mod on the yeasu 3000.

After cutting the green wire, does anybody know the correct way to reset the radio?

Pressing F1 and F2 while turning radio on does not reset this unit and open up the new frequencies.

Would appreciate any helpful input on this subject.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

534. Want to know : ICOM 738 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John C. Ko" <johnck@wwsubnet.com>
Message-ID: <33490E30.65E1@wwsubnet.com>
Source record: 178506

I can not find which diode should I cut to expand its TX Freq. in logic board. Anybody has idea ?

I appreciate very much.

John N2FNO

535. tm-v7a is it good for 9600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: poseidon@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <33492c69.8512930@news.ziplink.net>
Source record: 178507

I was wondering whether it is true what kenwood says about its tm-v7a
as being ready for 9600?

thanks for any reply.
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| Benedict P. Barszcz amatuer radio callsign: kb2qzv |
| poseidon@ziplink.net linux fan |
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536. Motorola test set R/220/A PSU WANTED.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <xZDKkPA4FQSzEwDj@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 178508

Does anyone have a plug in PSU module for the above PMR/SMR test set,
mines blown !
I'll pay shipping by UPS to the UK if the price is right.

73

Phil G4ZOW/M extreme. e-mail me direct: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk

Turnpike evaluation. For information, see http://www.turnpike.com/

537. Want comments/opinion on Emoto rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: no9z@prairienet.org
Message-ID: <5ibben$t3a@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>
Source record: 178509

Your input about Emoto rotors would be appreciated. Good/bad , service problem-
lems, clam failures appreciated. 73 Lynn
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538. Price Reduction! Yaesu 2-meter FT-11R/38 High Power Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Message-ID: <3349439c.21984518@news.netins.net>
Source record: 178510

Price Reduced, AGAIN!

Yaesu FT-11R/38 2 Meter Hand-held Rig for sale. Optional 9.6 volt 600 mAh rechargeable battery included for a full 5 watts power output even while handheld. 4 selectable power modes and Automatic Power Off.

Two independent VFOs, 150 memories, call channel, alphanumeric naming of frequencies, DTMP message paging (10 memorized messages can be stored and sent), 10-memory-15 digit DTMF autodialler. Selectable lighting modes on keypad and display and more.

Package includes the PA-10 mobile adapter, the FBA-14 "AA" Battery Pack and the CSC-61 vinyl case. Original cost of equipment over $400.00.

Very light usage. Perfect shape and like brand new. All original boxes and manuals. $250.00, buyer to pay shipping.

KG0UK Don Peaslee

email don.peaslee@ncn.net
phone 712-852-3018
Emmetsburg, Iowa
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Don Peaslee (Radio Op: KG0UK) Mail: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Emmetsburg, Iowa 50536-8506 Voice/Fax: 712-852-3018
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539. Yaesu FL-110 info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lew28@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970408001000.UAA22834@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178312

Does anyone have any experience with the FL-110 amp from Yaesu? I have a Yaesu FT-301SD that I want to use it with. Is there a connection needed from the accessory jack on the rig to the amp? The only wires going from the rig to the amp are 13.5V and the ground on a rectangular connector. The other pins don't seem to be used. I'm not sure how to get the PTT relay to trigger the amp. Any help would be appreciated. Please e-mail LEW28@AOL.COM

540. Re: FT-50RD: Cool Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: davemix@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <5ic9np$2ks@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 178313

Mine seems to charge when I am using it, just not as fast. Except for the
strange plugs, I am very happy.
73

In a previous article, kb1bcf@contesting.com ("Adam D. Shapiro") says:

>Hi All...thanks for reading,
>
> Just purchased a new Yaesu FT-50RD last Thursday. Wow what a radio. I
>really do like the receiver (also the intermod rejection could be
>better) but it still beats the heck out of any Icom I've ever owned.
>I got the 5 watt battery with it (FT-50RDHP) and used it at a flea
>market on 1-watt setting all Sunday. Lasted from 6:30 A.M. to about 6
>P.M on a full charge. By the way, the charger situation is a real pain
>having to charge the battery without being able to use the radio.
>
>Still, I'm pretty impressed. It also saves me the trouble of carrying
>around my scanner (which by the way has no better receiver than the
>Yaesu.) By the way, has anyone actually found an IMPORTANT use for the
>digital voice recorder?? I'd be curious to hear some practical uses.
>
>My verdict: cool radio. The price is good, and it does what I need it
>to do. The real test will be the Boston Marathon in a few weeks..we'll
>see how it holds up. Your comments are welcome.
>
>73,
>
>Adam/KB1BCF
>
--
David L. Mix, KC7SDL

541. Re: FT-50RD: Cool Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5icao8$r14@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178314

Other than the including the FTT-12 keypad that used to be an
option is there any difference between the FT50D and the FT50R?

Thanks

542. WTB:MFJ 1272MYV TNC/MIC switchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1nfc@callsign.net
Message-ID: <3349a466.0@199.76.206.53>
Source record: 178315

I am looking for the subject equipment. Please reply if you have one for sale

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
LT. NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
Kingsland, GA 31548 :n1nfc@aol.com
Home: 912-729-5287 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
Data: 912-729-6067 NAVY:ETC_Carreira@trfkb.navy.mil
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm
"THE STUPID SHALL BE PUNISHED"

543. FS: Yaesu FT-2200 2M High Power Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor D. Mete" <KE4QJK@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc43c7$8ae8d980$f86692cf@AT&TWorldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:
Yaesu FT-2200 2M Mobile

MINT condition
Compact size
Backlit DTMF Keypad
50 memory channels
call channel
priority channel
AM aircraft receive
Extended transmit
Built-in DTMF paging and coded squelch
Box, Manual, pwr. cable and mobile mount (never used)
used only 8 mo. (replaced it with a dual band)
You will REALLY like this radio!

$225 shipped COD

Vic, KE4QJK
KE4QJK@worldnet.att.net
954-974-9136
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544. FS: Swan 250C 6 meter transceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: vfo@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3349d8ab.3551615@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178317

Swan 250C 6 meter transceiver for sale. This radio is in excellent physical condition, with microphone. Unit turns on, but has not been tested for transmitting. Price is $115 plus transportation.

If interested, please call Tony at (315) 363-3644.

Please do not reply to this e-mail address, as I am posting this for Tony.

Thanks..... Bill

545. Re: Yaesu FT-50 - Speaker Mike & Ear Piece Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Heraghty <georgehe@unix.asb.com>
Message-ID: <E8AwGo.6Fo@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 178318

Chris Mullis wrote:
>
> Can anyone comment on the quality and performance of these microphones for
> the Yaesu FT-50?
>
> Speaker/Mike MH-34A2B
>
> Ear Piece Mike MH-37A2B
>
> Specifically,
> 1) How good is the audio on each of these?
> 2) How well does the mike on the Ear Piece peform?
> 3) Do they firmly connect into the FT-50 and are not subject to
> accidently falling out?
> 4) Does the Ear Piece Mike utilize the PTT button on the FT-50 or
> is an addtional PTT switch provided?
> 5) Are there any other attractive mic options that folks have found for
> the FT-50 (throat mikes, etc.)?
>
> Thank you for your comments.
>
> Aloha,
> Chris KH7CL
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> | CHRISTOPHER R. MULLIS |
> | Institute for Astronomy email mullis@ifa.hawaii.edu |
> | University of Hawaii phone (808) 956-7682 |
> | 2680 Woodlawn Drive fax (808) 956-9590 |
> | Honolulu, HI 96822 USA radio KH7CL on 146.88- MHz |
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> | Institute for Astronomy email mullis@ifa.hawaii.edu |
> | University of Hawaii phone (808) 956-7682 |

The Yaseu adapter is a platic module that plugs into the side with
the fancy 4 pin plug, it is molded (2 pieces held with screw) plastic
that comes to the top of the radio, hooks on to the antenna, and has
two jacks level with the top face.

Then I plug in my cheap Radio Shack speaker/mic and it does fine.
Have used extension speakers on it too.

73, George

546. Swan 500C when was it made?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jamesd@sonic.net
Message-ID: <5ickbb$906$2@ultra.sonic.net>
Source record: 178319

I just bought my first HF radio. It is a Swan 500C and I was wondering what year these were made in. My guess is the late 60's or early 70's.

James Dean
KF6DHB
jamesd@sonic.net

547. manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ulysses@direct.ca
Message-ID: <334bdd4b.14164617@news.direct.ca>
Source record: 178320

Looking for Grundig 6099 Shgortwave manual and schematics in English.
Also, manuals for Trio (Kenwood) Transeiver 9A-590S.

Please email me if you have them.

Nick
Ulysses@direct.ca

548. FS: Kenwood TM-455A mint condition $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cc013@ccosmo.NET
Message-ID: <19970408053951157.AAA114@alan>
Source record: 178321

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For Sale: Kenwood TM-455A UHF All Mode, 100 memories, detachable front
panel, SSB CW FM... 9600 buad packet... $575.00 73, Lee cc013@ccosmo.net
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549. Yaesu Ft-530 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc43da$522ddc40$fabe2299@Earthlink.net.gottria>
Source record: 178322

I have a Yaesu ft-530 that has the expanded transmit and receive mod done to it but it wont transmit above 459Mhz. Every mod I've seen says transmit to 470Mhz. Jumper 13 was removed and thats all, and it does receive full 800Mhz. Any Ideas???

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
E-Mail: Gottria@Earthlink.net
1996 Sea Doo GTX

550. Trade: Computer Memory for Scanner/Ham Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: joshin@cats.ucsc.edu
Message-ID: <5icq5h$svr@darkstar.ucsc.edu>
Source record: 178323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Hi,

I have 4 32M 70pin parity simm modules (60ns) that I'm looking to trade for either a scanner (ex: AOR8000) or HF rig (ex: IC-725). The memory modules are unopened and are labeled Kingston KTH32000/486.

E-mail me or call me at (408)222-7005.

Thanks,
Josh

551. MICROSOFT BUS MOUSE CHEAP CHEAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc43cb$9bfcf680$1a2d74cf@default>
Source record: 178324

MICROSOFT BUS MOUSE FOR SALE NEW IN BOX NEVER OPEN $50.00 CALL
GABE AT 1-401-434-2606 OR E-MAIL

gmelo@worldnet.att.net

552. Yaesu8500dual,Auto-patch,Pentium....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970408012000.VAA28599@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178325

$559 - Yaesu FT-8500 with the MH-39 Smaller one touch FULL-FUNCTION mic, Dual band Mobile. Name readout with frequency numbers displayed, spectra analyzer, Big "OMNI GLOW" remotable display. Imaculate.

$329 - Connect Systems CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO PATCH. Hurry! 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed. Built in programable keypad OR on-air program. Needs only a mic and audio out conection.

$159 - Mother board PENTIUM 90 mhz, PCI & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade special.

$69 - Card - SVGA PCI high quality video. $49 with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem w/manuals

553. Re: FYI: 1277 Links To DX & Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.junk.mail@starbase.net
Message-ID: <3349f0d0.1773513@news.dial.pipex.com>
Source record: 178326
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Hi Walt -- you are the first in 6 months to note this. These were taken
>from one of the widely published Ham magazines (name omitted). I would
>be most happy to correct them if you can supply the correct information
>or tell me where they can be found.
>
>Any help would be appreciated.

Hi Rod!

OK ... here goes. My source is the *current* UK amateur license
booklet, published by the Radiocommunications Agency.

G England
GB Special Event Stations anywhere in the UK, Channel Is or Isle of
Man. (Not just England)
GD Isle of Man
GI Northern Ireland
GJ Jersey
GM Scotland
GU Guernsey & Dependencies
GW Wales

2E England (Novices)
2D Isle of Man (Novices)
2I Northern Ireland (Novices)
2J Jersey (Novices)
2M Scotland (Novices)
2U Guernsey & Dependencies (Novices)
2W Wales (Novices)

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MD Isle of Man
MI Northern Ireland
MJ Jersey
MM Scotland
MU Guernsey & Dependencies
MW Wales

GX, MX England (Clubs)
GT, MT Isle of Man (Clubs)
GN, MN Northern Ireland (Clubs)
GH, MH Jersey (Clubs)

GS, MS Scotland (Clubs)
GP, MP Guernsey & Dependencies (Clubs)
GC, MC Wales (Clubs)

The meaning of the numeral after the prefix is rather complex, but is related to the License Class. Class A = full privileges, all bands. Class B = no code, for 50 MHz and higher frequency bands only.

1. All calls with one-letter and 2-letter suffixes are Class A.
2. For calls with 3-letter suffixes:
2, 3, 4, 0 after the prefix signify Class A.
1, 6, 7, 8 after the prefix signify Class B.
(At present, there are no 3-letter-suffix callsigns issued containing the numeral 5 and 9)
3. These rules apply to Novices (Class A and B) as well as Full Licenses (Class A and B), but Novices are only allowed to use small sub-bands within the "full" allocations.
4. There have been many "oddities" in respect of GB (Special Event) callsigns, for example GB800, GB100, GB50, GB9, etc. For these calls, it seems "anything goes"! Special Event calls are issued by the RSGB; all others are issued by the Radiocommunications Agency.

Hope this helps.

73 de MX0ADJ (Squarebashers DX Group)

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Walt Davidson E-mail: walt@dial.pipex.com
walt@enterprise.net
walt.d@virgin.net

554. Re: yeasu 3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: 209-4868@mcimail.com
Message-ID: <3349fce0.667064@news.worldaccess.nl>
Source record: 178327

On Mon, 07 Apr 1997 09:51:45 -0600, kconstance@juno.com wrote:

>Have problem with mars mod on the yeasu 3000.
>
>After cutting the green wire, does anybody know the correct way to reset
>the radio?
>
>Pressing F1 and F2 while turning radio on does not reset this unit and
>open up the new frequencies.
>
>Would appreciate any helpful input on this subject.
>
>--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

For god's sake don't cut any green wire ! The mod is a bit more
complex than that, you need to remove a couple of jumpers (behind the
display panel) depending on the mod you want.

Herwig

555. FS: Kenwood TM331 220mhz rig >SE Wisconsin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpainter@execpc.com
Message-ID: <3349c115.11124324@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 178328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale:
Kenwood TM 331 220MHZ rig. Very low hours, like new condition.
Never mobile, was used for a brief period of time on the DX cluster
for packet radio.
Non-smoker (no cats either!!!)
$350.00

Thank you.
Ron
de N9GKH

556. Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter <gremlin@iaccess.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bc43fd$24f42c20$864a05cb@gremlin>
Source record: 178329

TEST

557. Re: Help Kenwood 742 problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROUXEL Yvan <f5suy@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <01bc4402$2a895d40$LocalHost@rouxelyv>
Source record: 178330

Fred Lux <flux@gatecom.com> a crit dans l'article
<33439D8F.1102@gatecom.com>...
> Help! My Kenwood 742 has developed the following problem(s). When you
> turn it on, it comes up in the crossband mode with the remote function
> enabled. It will not accept any input from the control head, except to
> change power levels and to turn the function mode on and off. Pressing
> any other button results in the radio beeping at me. It will accept no
> input at all from the buttons on the microphone.
>

Hi,

I think, you have just the transceiver in cross-band repeater mode. For confirme this, see the point on all number after Mhz. For disable this, push the F touch for more 1 second and push the Mute button.
Personnaly, i use this transceiver for local CROSS-BAND REPEATER.

Best Regards from F5SUY Yvan...

558. Re: FS: Kenwood TM-455A mint condition $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bhaskins@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <bhaskins-0804970652140001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 178331

In article <19970408053951157.AAA114@alan>, cc013@ccosmo.NET (Cosmo Computers) wrote:

> For Sale: Kenwood TM-455A UHF All Mode, 100 memories, detachable front
> panel, SSB CW FM... 9600 buad packet... $575.00 73, Lee cc013@ccosmo.net

Yeah but they closed them out @ 595.

559. Re: tm-v7a is it good for 9600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frans Lowiessen <lowiess@pi.net>
Message-ID: <334A38ED.1BC9@pi.net>
Source record: 178332

Benedict P. Barszcz wrote:
>
> I was wondering whether it is true what kenwood says about its tm-v7a
> as being ready for 9600?

according to the manual it is possible but in general a pll tranceiver
is not the best choice for packet unless the modulater uses a cristal

I am using a modified nokia carphone (nmt2) it uses a pll plus a cristal
osc for modulation also a siemens capone is useable there cheap to get
and
easy to modifie (approx $100)

560. Heath SS9000 Value ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1el@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970408113400.HAA03267@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178333

Does anyone have any idea what a Heath SS9000 transceiver is worth ?
This is the 1983 vintage 160 to 10 m SSB/CW transceiver sold assembled.
It's claim to fame is being completely computer controllable. The one I am

thinking about buying is in good shape, a 7 out of 10, and has a complete
set of operating and service manuals. It also includes the matching power
supply. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
Thanks, Steve K1EL

561. Motorola Syntor - Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rainsberger@attmail.com
Message-ID: <860499436.21839@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178334

I need help!

Looking for any technical information on using the Motorola Syntor radio on the amateur 2 meter band. I have one and need more info on programming the prom used for frequency selection. I have contacted Motorola about the service manual and it is very costly and is printed only on request. Can anyone provide me with a old copy or the tuning section.

I can be reached by mail at:
Ed Rainsberger - KD4CBD
4715 Kentwood Lane
Woodbridge, VA 22193

or

rainsberger@attmail.com or erainsberger@juno.com

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562. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Raymond L. Mitchell" <mitchell@kdsi.net>
Message-ID: <334A4A4B.4A42@kdsi.net>
Source record: 178335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

timbo wrote:
>
> > You cat junkies need to realize that your cat ownership destroys
> > electronics over time, the same way it destroys your lungs, your mice,
> > and your health. Besides the annual hundreds or thousands of dollars
> > you spend up in cat products, you're also causing hundreds or thousands
> > of
> > dollars' damage to your electronics. And think about this -- you
> > now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems
> > control. If your cat's in your car, you're destroying those
> > electronics too. But like everything else associated with your
> > addiction, I know you'll find a way to rationalize destroying
> > your car, same as your ham shack, your health, and your financial
> > freedom.
> >
> > FWIW, I am an ex-cat owner and I don't have to rationalize my
> > holier-than-thou attitude. There is no rationalization for a
> > clear understanding that cat ownership is wasteful, unhealthy,
> > and offensive. And any excuse you can make that you "can't quit"
> > is a rationalization -- you CAN quit, and it WILL be very
> > difficult. Cat ownership is more addictive than heroin, perhaps more
> > addictive than any other commonly available drug on Earth.
> > And yes, it took me several tries before my will power overcame
> > my cat addiction just before midnight on Guy Fawkes day, 1976.
> >
> > Bob
> > wb4mnfI agree! I was once an owner of these useless vermin but after going
> through a 12 step program I know see the error of my ways. Cats are only
> good for stir-fry and nothing else.

Hi all: Personnally I like Cats 10 times better than people. Man is the
true distroyer of things, not Cats.....de Raymond......

563. Motorola Micor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rainsberger@attmail.com
Message-ID: <860499783.22023@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178336

I am looking for a better way to align a 2-meter Motorola Micor. I have the service manual but I do not have the alignment set it refers to. Does any one have one cheap. I want to do this right.

I can be reached at:
Ed Rainsberger - KD4CBD
4715 Kentwood Lane
Woodbridge, VA 22193

or

rainsberger@attmail.com or erainsberger@juno.com

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

564. Icom A20 discriminator help please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scanner_man@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <860500059.22106@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178337

I hope somebody maybe able to help:

I am trying to take the above output from an Icom A20-MK11 (Aviation tranceiver). I am led to beleive this is from Pin 9 on IC4 however I would appreciate if anybody could confirm this and also what the best wiring arrangement would be.

Should I include a Resistor or Cap anyplace on the line out.

Help much appreciated.

Thanks.

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565. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Burrows <S.Burrows@mailbox.uq.edu.au>
Message-ID: <334A26F8.421A@mailbox.uq.edu.au>
Source record: 178338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Raymond L. Mitchell wrote:
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> true distroyer of things, not Cats.....de Raymond......

HEY! Cats are great on cat farms! You grow them for their fur and make
nice coats, handbags and catgut!

Steve B.

566. Re: Anti-Spam Measures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970407183453.17440C-100000-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178339

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* My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This *
* is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. *
* To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! *
* My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com *
* When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, *
* not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. *
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On Fri, 4 Apr 1997, Clint Bradford wrote:

> >>The above is only ONE FORTH of my sig file!
>
> You seem to be proud of this...

You better hurry up and know it.

> the vast majority of participants here
> abide by simple rules of etiquette, and place 2, 3, or 4-line SIG at the
> *END* of our posts.

Tough tetrodes, pal. As always, I'll continue to do it my way.

> You think too highly of yourself.

Yeah? Well guess how highly I think of you.

> Did you ever think that if your posts
> were a little more coherent and if you used standard conventions for
> Internet Newsgroup participation, that you wouldn't have to worry about
> a deluge of Replies?

You must be a newbie who never tangled with junkmail robots before... if so, you'll find out soon enough! And there are no "standard conventions" in unmoderated newsgroups,(from what I see), or else those dunces who post vague For Sale ads that mention no more than a make & model number wouldn't be tolerated by so many liberal-thinking slouches.

> >>I think my method is the more common, and more practical...
>
> Again, your ego is getting in the way. 99.9% of the world performs
> one way...you act in another manner - and want the world to adapt to
> your silliness.

BTW... You can go shove your insults up your opinion-hole.

> Ain't gonna work, "Ted."

That's one phrase that is considered as "profanity" to anyone who has
"an engineer's mind"!

Ted <ted@caprica.com>

FACT: More often than not, "intolerance" is a GOOD thing!

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* My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! *
* I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever *
* sends unsolicited advertizing via Email risk prompt *
* cancelation of internet service without refund and *
* possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! *
* Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied *
* to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. *
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* My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! *
* Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html *
* Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! *
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* Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! *
* It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html *
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567. Re: tm-v7a is it good for 9600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: poseidon@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <334a55a2.1911613@news.ziplink.net>
Source record: 178340

On Tue, 08 Apr 1997 14:24:13 +0200, Frans Lowiessen <lowiess@pi.net>
wrote:

>I am using a modified nokia carphone (nmt2) it uses a pll plus a cristal
>osc for modulation also a siemens capone is useable there cheap to get
>and
>easy to modifie (approx $100)

Hi Frans,
forgive my ignorance, is your nokia operating on only one freqency or
you are capable to tune to other freqs, also?

On what freqency this nokia can work?
Is seamens available in USA?
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568. Motorola Syntor X - how to reporgram it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: poseidon@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <334a56f2.2247849@news.ziplink.net>
Source record: 178341

Hi,
has anybody tried to reprogram Motorala Syntor X radio. It operatates
on 450 and above. I heard that it is possible to set it to work within
the amatuer band using a software.
This motorola has 110Watt power output.

Any info will be much appreciated.
Thank you
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569. HTX 204 - reply to questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@saddlecrk.COM
Message-ID: <s34a206b.029@dsm-usa.com>
Source record: 178342

davros@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu sayeth thus:

>Does anyone actually have one of these radios?

Yes. I bought a R-Shack HTX 204 about 3 weeks ago.

>separate volume/squelch knobs (real knobs?)

Yes, real knobs. Each band has a separate knob with two parts, an upper part for volume and a lower part (easily discernable by touch) for squelch.

>* Do the buttons beep when you press them? (Even better, do the buttons beep with different pitches?)

Yes, the buttons beep. There is a different pitch if you press an incorrect function sequence. When you switch between bands, there is a single beep for 2 meters and a double beep for 70 cm. Now that you have asked the question, I notice that there is a way of telling the status of most functions audibly by scrolling through them. Nice touch.

>* Is there a readily identifiable way (audibly) to tell things like high or low power, for instance? Keyboard lock status? Etc.?

Yes, as above, there seems to be an audible reference point for most functions, so once you learn the keypad and sequence you should be able to operate the radio by sound only.

>* What is on the setup menu?

Lots and lots of stuff. Here is a partial list:
AM mode on/off
Automatic Power Off on/off
Automatic AM on/off
Automatic Repeater Shift on/off
Keypad Beep on/off
Clone on/off (you can transfer all settings from on HTX 204 to another)
CTCSS frequency
DTMF Transmit Speed
Dual Watch Speed (a monitoring function)
Duplex on/off
1k Digit Display on/off
Repeater Offset
Page Ring on/off
Page Squelch on/off
Repeater Delay on/off (for crossband repeater function)
Crossband Repeater on/off
Speaker Mode (how the internal speaker behaves with an external connected)

Each of these functions are separately settable for each band. There are others I left out of this list, but not many. There are other functions and settings entered directly through the keypad rather than the setup menu.

>* Does the setup menu beep at the beginning or ending entry? (This would be useful...unfortunately, none of my Yaesus did this...but they did have a different beep for each key, and beeped higher for high power than for low power, and some other useful things...like you could tell if the keyboard was locking or unlocking, direction of scan, what band you were switching to, etc. etc. by the tones...)

Yes, there is a beep at the beginning entry of the setup menu so you would be able to tell what function you were on by counting up or down from the beep point. I can't hear any prompt to differentiate between directions of scan.

>* Is the system for directly entering frequency or memory channels intuitive?

Yeah, pretty much so. You can tell when you are in memory mode or not by the beeps, and you can press the Clear key to get out of memory mode or any of the several scan modes. Seems like you might be able to get by OK by sound alone. There are lots of features and functions so learning them all (especially by sound) is a formidable process even for a propellor head like me.

I think this is a pretty good radio. The little rubber antenna doesn't do very well, I've already replaced it and it receives much better now. The RS guy (didn't I see him cooking fries in McDonalds last week?) said they were coming out with better antennas soon. Right. Modifications to this unit can be done via hardware or software, but I don't know any reason to snip wires if you can accomplish the same thing by pushing buttons. The manual came with mods for expanding rx frequencies, I found mods for expanding tx frequencies on the web. I am not yet licensed to transmit on any amateur frequency, so I don't. I'm studying for my novice ticket now (and learning code, thank you very much).

Good luck. I, by the way, am in no way associated with Radio Shack or ADI or any other company or organization that has anything to do with radios or communications or anything else under the sun for that matter. I just like toys and had enough time to respond to your questions this morning. You're welcome. ;-) Uh, that was a winking, smiling emoticon I just typed, in case you are using a text-to-speech program.

570. Recommedation?? Small VHF for Volvo 850 (limited space)??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: grand_wazoo@geocities.com
Message-ID: <334d4b46.218866787@news.idt.net>
Source record: 178343

I have a new Volvo 850 wagon that I would like to add a 2 meter rig (permanent mount). Does anyone
have recommendations on a good performing and small unit??

571. Information needed on Hallicrafters SR400 Cyclone TXCVRb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: grand_wazoo@geocities.com
Message-ID: <334e4b76.218915286@news.idt.net>
Source record: 178344

I'm looking for the owner's manual or any write ups on this tranceiver produced by Hallicrafters in the late 50's or early
60's. Please Please email if you can help. I will pay for copies and shipping... or

N8TLK

572. Re: tm-v7a is it good for 9600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc43e6$f416b840$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 178345

Hi,

9600 I don't know since I only have a 1200 baud modem, which works great !
Even with the --data-- band mode, allowing packet on one band and a normal
QSO on the other. Nice rig, the TM-V7, and don't mind about the comments
made by people that don't own one....

73's, ON1DJU

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The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

573. 440 repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbays85518@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970408154400.LAA15150@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178346

complet 440 repeater 40 w. out put 19 inch. rack mount with rack
pepeater has tone panel / cw. ider / duplexers / power supply
$400.00 + shipping
phone (317) 855-5474 10:30 am. to 5:00 pm.
william bays N3FGD

574. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: docdc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5idnnm$mbd@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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>> good for stir-fry and nothing else.
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>Hi all: Personnally I like Cats 10 times better than people. Man is
the
>true distroyer of things, not Cats.....de Raymond......

Obviously you've never seen a cat around a mouse or a pheasant.

575. Re: Regency UHF Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbays85518@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970408160100.MAA16203@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178348

YES THE REPEATER WILL TUNE OK. I HAVE ONE I JUST PUT IT ON
FOR SALE. HAVE FUN . WILLIAM BAYS N3FGD.

576. NOISY ASTRON POWER SUPPLY << YOUR INPUT, PLEASE! >>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjacob@iofc.com
Message-ID: <860516492.357@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178349

I would like to know if anyone else out there has had a problem with noise generated by the Astron power supplies.

I used Astron switching and linear power supplies to power a Yaesu FT-900/CAT, and experienced noise problems that were most evident on 160 meters and 80 meters. No problem receiving stations that boomed in at 20 over 9, but weak sigs were covered by a "hash" noise that seemed to be generated by the Astron supply.

Problem went away when I switched over to 12 volt auto storage battery.

Anyone?

Please reply to me direct, as I have been having some problems with newsgroups from my current ISP.

73s,

Jacob Worthington
AA4FM
Conway, Arkansas, USA

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

577. Space Arts '97

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark W. Curtiss" <mcurtiss@excite.com>
Message-ID: <334A6F14.45C0@excite.com>
Source record: 178350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space

Maximov Publications and Leonardo

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Space Arts Workshop '97

On April 13, 1997, a select group of artists and scientists from around the world will be gathering in Paris, France to discuss the social and cultural aspects of exploring space.

Seventeen individuals will be presenting their works of art, speaking as artist as space explorers. Among these people, is artist Arthur Woods whose work, "Cosmic Dancer" flew aboard the Mir Space Station. Also speaking will be Richard Kriesche, artist of the first art project in the history of the Russian space flight, to fly aboard the space station Mir (1991).

The event will be broadcast over the Internet via Maximov Publications Special section on the Mir Space Station (http://www.maximov.com/Mir/). You can view the preliminary pages at

http://www.maximov.com/Mir/mirspaceart.html

The space arts meeting is being organized by ars astronautica, Leonardo - the Journal of the International Society of the Arts, Sciences and Technology, Maximov Publications, and the OURS Foundation.

Workshop members will go online to answer questions from users (April 13, 1997 at 4PM to 9PM GMT).

During the event, Amateur Radio Operators around the world will be relaying questions to cosmonauts aboard the Mir Space Station. In order to get the questions to amateur radio operators we are asking for submissions before April 13th.

*** CALL FOR QUESTIONS ***

We are requesting questions for both workshop members and cosmonauts. Please submit your questions to Mark W. Curtiss via email (mcurtiss@excite.com) or via the online form (http://www.maximov.com/Mir/mirspaceartstalk.html). Results for these pages will remain posted at this site for future reference.

Thank you

Mark W. Curtiss
Mir Space Station Web Developer
mcurtiss@excite.com
http://www.maximov.com/Mir/

Space Arts '97 -- http://www.maximov.com/Mir/mirspaceart.html

ars astronautica -- http://www.spaceart.net/
Leonardo (French) -- http://www.cyberworkers.com/Leonardo/
(English) -- http://www-mitpress.mit.edu/Leonardo/home.html
Maximov Publications -- http://www.maximov.com/
OURS Foundation -- http://www.ours.ch/

578. Help:TS-830S analog dial problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <334A8C6B.5AF5@vbe.com>
Source record: 178351

My "new" TS-830S has an analog dial problem. The digital display is right on but the corresponding reading of the analog dial is about 15 kHz too low. From what I gather this is not an uncommon problem (probably why they no longer put the analog dial marks on transceivers <grin>). The manual and service manual cover calibrating the digital display to WWV (what the heck does "adjust the IF for a low AF" mean and why do it ??) which is easy to understand with the above exception. Manual also has a section on adjusting the analog reading by going to 50 analog and then adjusting TC1 in the VFO Unit to make the digital display also read 50..... then checking again at 450 analog, if the display is off from analog 450 they say to adjust the TC1 plus or minus the error and then adjust L3 back up to 450.... (in essance)

Why do that if all that is out of whack is the analog dial (as I said WWV comes in right on 10.000.0 digital and the cal checks (25 kHz) out too)... wouldn't this adjustment procedure also screw up the analog readings ??? Can't you just adjust the analog scale (dial) to the proper point to read accurately ?? If the above is "necessary" do you access the VFO unit board from bottom.... can't see it with the top removed. What might I be missing or misreading here ??

Sorry for the long post....

73 de Mike Melland
badger@vbe.com

579. Re: Motorola Micor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Soderback <Cliff-s@worldnet.nospam.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc443c$a9b88520$107893cf@cliffs>
Source record: 178352

rainsberger@attmail.com wrote in article <860499783.22023@dejanews.com>...
> I am looking for a better way to align a 2-meter Motorola Micor. I have
> the service manual but I do not have the alignment set it refers to. Does
> any one have one cheap. I want to do this right.
>
> I can be reached at:
> Ed Rainsberger - KD4CBD
> 4715 Kentwood Lane
> Woodbridge, VA 22193
>
>
Your don't need a Moto test set to align
your Micor any voltmeter will due. You will
need a good stable signal gen and a Bird watt meter(or equiv) and
a FM dev. meter.
Hi-Band Micors come is 3 different band splits, so be sure
yours is the 138mhz to 153 mhz or you will have to change many caps
in the transmitter. The 170mhz split isn't worth modifying as it takes too
many changes. If you don't already have any of this
equipment you local Motorola shop will be happy to
re-align the Micor and it will cost a good deal less
than buying the test equipment.

Cliff, W7VVA

580. wtb: Clipper L amp...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: vigilant <vigilant@cetlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc443c$2c901d60$98681fce@mjsdt>
Source record: 178353

looking to buy clipper L amp....without tubes or bad tubes
preferable....tnx Jer/ae4pb

581. problems with 756?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sc@netcom.com
Message-ID: <scE8Bwoz.H25@netcom.com>
Source record: 178354

has anyone heard of problems with the Icom 756?
sc@netcom.com

582. Re: Z-Bridge Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Loranger <we6w@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <334A8673.3F1E@qsl.net>
Source record: 178355

Impedance bridge are a must for any ham.
Basically they use an input signal which may be
external or internally generated (by a chopped noise source
and perhaps amplifier.) This signal is developed across
a 50 ohm load at the antenna terminal while monitoring
a receiver for noise at the 'null' port. Minimum noise
is 'Calibrated' for 50 ohms and make sure the dial display
50 at the pointer.
Now the test: connect your antenna to be tested at the
antenna/load connector. Connect your receifer to the null
port. rotate knob to either max or min and inject your
test signal at the frequency you want the antenna to be cut
to. Turn knob to minimum received noise as picked up by
receiver, which incedentally, the receiver should be tuned
to the EXACT frequency of your injected signal. If the null
is not equal to 50 ohms, set the bridge to 50 and tune receiver
until you find the frequency of the null. IF the Frequency is
higher -- antenna is too short, etc....

good luck!
-Ed Loranger
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72/73 de WE6W QRP .3W QSX 7040 KHz SK ee (First and Last callsign!)
OHR-100, Pixie2, Johnson Viking II w/VFO.
mailto:we6w@qsl.net QRP-L member #1068.
http://www.qsl.net/we6w

583. Re: newby needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Shearer <Timothy_Shearer@mk.com>
Message-ID: <334A7AC3.4840@mk.com>
Source record: 178356

calljeff@aol.com wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> My son and I are going for our "No-Code Tech" license. I am wondering what would be a good radio to start with that has the bands allowable for
that level.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Jeff

Hi Jeff,
You can get handhelds radios for 2 meter band (the busiest band) pretty cheap on the used market. Listen to your local swap and shop net on a repeater if you have a scanner or read the rec.radio.swap newsgroup for deals.

If possible get a radio(s) with ctcss (or PL as its also known) with both encode and decode. You'll need encode to get into many repeaters and decode is very nice to have to shut the radio up when it gets overloaded by local paging transmitters etc (assuming the repeaters are sending a PL tone for your use).

Memories in the radio are real nice but having only 10 or 20 will suffice because you will find that you will use 2 or 3 repeaters almost exclusively. The other memories are nice for scanning purposes etc.

Standard battery packs of 7.2 volts (or less now with newer radios) can deliver 2 watts out of a handheld usually. This is plenty for most repeaters maybe 10 miles aways or more depending on your local terrain.

Battery packs wear out. Dont be suprised if a used radio comes with a pack that wont hold a charge for more thatn a day (needs daily charging). Battery packs can and must be replaced every so often. I bought my last pack for $25 from ... Mr Battery ... can't remember exactly but it wasn't too expensive. You can go for the latest Nickel Metal Hydride if you want and rapid (1 hour chargers) but the old wall cube type charger suffices for most hobby type radio-ing and it usually comes with the radio free.

If you can spend more, get a dual band radio. Its nice to have 2 Meter(146 Mhz) and 70 Centimeter(440 Mhz) bands available. 2 M is crowded these days. 70 cm is close behind.

I you want more power or long range communications back to the house then you may consider buying one mobile radio for its high power capabilities. One mobile in the car and one handheld at the house is a common setup especially if you have gotten the wife to go for her license too.

Good luck and If you don't pass the first time find the next test session and try again. Radio is great for kids. Encourage them a little and they may pass you up with all the free time they have.

Have fun.

Tim, KF8XW, VE

584. Icom 756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sc@netcom.com
Message-ID: <scE8C06q.Bw0@netcom.com>
Source record: 178357

Has anyone heard if there are problems with the Icom 756?

sc@netcom.com

585. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kory Hamzeh <kory@avatar.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.91.970408110358.16218B-100000@avatar.avatar.com>
Source record: 178358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 8 Apr 1997, Raymond L. Mitchell wrote:

> timbo wrote:
> >
> > > You cat junkies need to realize that your cat ownership destroys
> > > electronics over time, the same way it destroys your lungs, your mice,
> > > and your health. Besides the annual hundreds or thousands of dollars
> > > you spend up in cat products, you're also causing hundreds or thousands
> > > of
> > > dollars' damage to your electronics. And think about this -- you
> > > now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems
> > > control. If your cat's in your car, you're destroying those
> > > electronics too. But like everything else associated with your
> > > addiction, I know you'll find a way to rationalize destroying
> > > your car, same as your ham shack, your health, and your financial
> > > freedom.
> > >
> > > FWIW, I am an ex-cat owner and I don't have to rationalize my
> > > holier-than-thou attitude. There is no rationalization for a
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> > > and offensive. And any excuse you can make that you "can't quit"
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> Hi all: Personnally I like Cats 10 times better than people. Man is the
> true distroyer of things, not Cats.....de Raymond......

The only good cat is a dead cat.

586. HomeBrew Reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <334A7EDB.1673@primenet.com>
Source record: 178359

HomeBrew is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to amateur radio
and electronics experimentation and construction:

* building kits
* scratch construction
* radios, antennas, widgets
* design
* accessories
* station construction
* digital, analog, uP
* repair, modification, surplus

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe homebrew

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe homebrew

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: homebrew@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

587. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Shadow <shadow@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <334A3C48.7FE0@ricochet.net>
Source record: 178360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Obviously you've never seen a cat around a mouse or a pheasant.
Well
I have 2 Birds that Just Live Cats
They Hunt Them and Eat Them
Mice are to Small and Pheasants are No Fun.

588. Wanted: Kenwood manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidj@salsgiver.com
Message-ID: <334c88f0.1719518374@news.alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 178361

I am looking for the following original or reprinted copies of the
following Kenwood equipment: I will also pay shipping and copying
costs if anyone has any of these manuals..

Kenwood TS-700SP - 2m ALL MODE TRANSCEIVER
need service manual

Kenwood TS-600 - 6m ALL MODE TRANSCEIVER
need owners manual and service manual

Kenwood R-599D - COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVER
need operators manual and service manual

Kenwood T-599D - SSB TRANSMITTER
need operators manual and service manual

Also, if you know of anywhere I can obtain these, please let me know
via email.

Thanks,

Dave

589. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frankeia@netcom.industry.net>
Message-ID: <334ABB2E.5F0D@netcom.industry.net>
Source record: 178362

Hi Gary:
At least KENWOOD acknowledged a problem and recalled them back! Some of the other manufacturers let us just complain on the internet about problems with the newest radios, eg, fan noise, intermod on 2 meters, etc. Too bad AES didn't let you know though. BTW, I love my new Kenwood low band radio. Frank KG9H

590. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <334AB4A9.510E@onramp.net>
Source record: 178363

Gary F. Franklin wrote:
>
> I purchased a new TS-570D in January and it recently went on the
> blink! Shipped it back to AES.... Four weeks later I inquired want
> its repair status was and they told me Kenwood has requested these
> rigs be shipped to them for warrenty work..... AES was not anxious to
> give me much info..... Can anyone out there shed a little light on
> possible TS-570D problems??
>
> Gary K8BKB

If there is a recall on the TS570D then Kenwood has not let this service center know about it. Sounds like AES couldn't fix it or didn't know how.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid/

591. TEKTRONIX 2445 SCOPE FOR HF RIG.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jposlus@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970408184700.OAA26098@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178364

WILL TRADE OR SELL MY TEKTRONIX 2445 SCOPE, 150MHz 4 CHANNEL WITH TWO
TEKTRONIX PROBE.

TRADE FOR CURRENT HF MOBILE TRANSCIEVER OR SELL FOR $1200

E-MAIL JPOSLUS@AOL.COM

592. Re: Motorola Syntor X - how to reporgram it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Brinkley <brinkley@ols.net>
Message-ID: <334AE794.680D@ols.net>
Source record: 178365

Benedict P. Barszcz wrote:
>
> Hi,
> has anybody tried to reprogram Motorala Syntor X radio. It operatates
> on 450 and above. I heard that it is possible to set it to work within
> the amatuer band using a software.
> This motorola has 110Watt power output.
>

The SYNTOR X requires a Motorola R-1801 suitcase programmer to be
reprogrammed.

If you have the newer EEPROM memory module, I can program it for $20.00
plus shipping.

Andy Brinkley
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brinkley@ols.net

NC Certified Firefighter III / Instructor II / EMT-A
FCC Licensed Technician
Amateur Call N4ROX

593. WTB: YAESU FV-102DM DIGITAL VFO AND FT-102 OPTIONAL AM/FM BOARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb6elm@juno.com
Message-ID: <5iecjk$298@poisson.nosc.mil>
Source record: 178366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

Hi,
I recently purchased a YAESU FT-102 transceiver. What a fantastic piece of equipment! Now I am seriously looking for the optional AM/FM Module that goes in the bottom of the YAESU FT-102. Also looking for the matching remote FV-102DM Digital VFO for the FT-102.

Rubin
wb6elm@juno.com

594. FS: Yaesu 747, 220 Gear, Laser Printer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ronald Kruml <kb7jcp@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5ie5en$l0b@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178367

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HF, 220 Mhz and Computer Peripherals for Sale
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The following items for sale include original shipping/storage containers
and manuals.

Please contact me at the my e-mail or packet address for further
information:

Internet kb7jcp@scn.org

Packet (AX 25) KB7JCP@N7UDO.#WWA.WA.USA.NOAM

Yaesu HF Transceiver FT-747..... $ 500.00
(Modified for General Coverage - Navy MARS)

Yaesu Desk Microphone MD-1 ..... 40.00

B&W Antenna Tuner VS300A..... 30.00

Astron Power Supply RS-20A..... 40.00

Kenwood TM3530A 220 Mhz Mobile ..... 250.00

ICOM 03AT 220 MHZ Portable ..... 200.00
ICOM Speaker/Mike
AEA 220 Hot Rod Antenna
AA Battery Pack
Neoprene Case
Vehicle Mounting Bracket
Cigarette Lighter Power Cable

Complete Communicator PC Fax/Modem/Voice Mail Board $ 45.00
2400 modem/9600 Fax/999 password protected
voice mailboxes
Software included (DOS and Windows 3.X)

Brother HL-630 Laser Printer ..... 250.00
New toner cartridge installed

I'm willing to arrange shipping/insurance world-wide provided
buyer pays the cost.

Thanks and 73.

Ron Kruml, KB7JCP
Redmond, Washington, USA
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595. Re: What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5ifo38$13g_001@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 178368

In article <5ieful$jh5@canyon.sr.hp.com>,
donrm@sr.hp.com (Don Montgomery) wrote:
>I read on one of the other amateur NGs that AEA is out of business.
>Anyone know what happened and if anyone is going to pick up their
>product line?
>
>73 from K6LTS
>Don Montgomery
>donrm@sr.hp.com
>

The packet product line was purchased by Timewave, and the antenna line went to m2 (?).
Stay tuned - the future isn't that bleak.

Patrick
WB9IQI

596. Yaesu FT 530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicholas Belback <nbelback@gslink.com>
Message-ID: <334A6663.524A@gslink.com>
Source record: 178369

I have a yaesu FT-530 I have the FNB-25 stock battery/FNB-27 High Capacity Battery/MH-29 LCD display mike/NC-28B stock Charger/NC-42 Quick Charger/the stock antenna/ the ft-530 is a Dual band UHF/VHF radio it has been modded to these specs Rec. 110mhz to 175mhz 300mhz to 500mhz and 800mhz to 950mhz Trans. 130mhz to 163mhz 410 to 460mhz . It has also had to quick scan mod and battery saver mod. it has a 3 scrathes on the battery and one on the radio at the speaker. the radio has not been used very much that is why i am selling it. i would like $450 for it or best offer.will ship COD
Email me at
nbelback@gslink.com

597. Re: WTB. Kenwood TS-530S manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbdye@speakeasy.org
Message-ID: <5ie9t2$55q@eve.speakeasy.org>
Source record: 178370

Jim Barlament (kc9id@netnet.net) wrote:
: I am looking for a service manual and a owners manual for a Kenwood
: TS-530S. If you have one or both and are interested in selling them please
: e-mail me. thanks for reading this.

Like Jim, I also have a TS-530S and am interested in finding an owners manual
and service manual for it. If you happen to respond to him via mail, and chance
upon my follow-up, I'd appreciate the info, too :-)

Thanks very much for your assistance!

Chris KC5YGP/7

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Christopher B. Dye "If God had intended for us to walk,
cbdye@blarg.net he wouldn't have invented roller skates."
www.pixi.com/~cbdye - Gene Wilder
PhredJonz on IRC - Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory

598. Heathkit HW-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicholas Belback <nbelback@gslink.com>
Message-ID: <334A6798.4EEB@gslink.com>
Source record: 178371

i have a heathkit hw-100 i have all the tubes and owners/instruction manuals. with power supply. it needs a couple new tubes 6ea8's 3 of them that is about it and the reciver needs to be alligned other than that it works fine.
Best Offer
nbelback@gslink.com

599. Re: A Question on FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <334AD5D0.3724@icss.net>
Source record: 178372

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> malverne@ix.netcom.com(MALVERNE POLICE DEPARTMENT) wrote:
>
> : Looking for instructions on modifying the FT-50R to transmit in
> :the 150's and 450's (yes --- I'm allowed to be there!) Thanks for any
> :help.
> :
> :Glen (the cop...KEB455)
>
> What allows you to operate on those frequencies with non type approved
> equipment?
>
> ====================================
> Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
> Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
> Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
> Responses to my article are welcome.
Glen The Cop may be allowed there, but Yaesu The FT50 ain't. Brian

600. F/S B&k PROFESSIONAL TRANSISTOR TESTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: 8uhz@concentric.net
Message-ID: <860546108.22881@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178373

PROFESSIONAL B/K TRANSISITOR TESTER .. IN THE CIRCUIT OR
OUT.. MODEL 520..LIST PRICE OVER $350.00 WILL SHIP FOR $65.00
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601. Re: Help:TS-830S analog dial problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big_BEEPER <pwentzel@minn.net>
Message-ID: <334AEF27.C23@minn.net>
Source record: 178374

Hi Mike,

Just grip the knurled back portion of the tuning knob, hold it firmly while turning the front portion of the knob. This will adjust the analog dial to where it should be. Good luck.

73,

Paul K0PW

602. 9600 bps with IC-207H?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: poseidon@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <334aaba4.23932751@news.ziplink.net>
Source record: 178375

Hi everybody,
does anyone know how well icom-207h performs at 9600 bps packet radio?

So many manufacturers announce that their radios are "9600 ready" but
life shows that many of them are NOT.

Does it apply to IC-207H?

Thank you for any answer.
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| Benedict P. Barszcz amatuer radio callsign: kb2qzv |
| poseidon@ziplink.net linux fan |
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603. Re: FT-50 Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan E. Hodel" <aehodel@mcs.RemoveThis.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.95.970408191246.16500A-100000@Venus.mcs.net>
Source record: 178376

I bought a Mastercharger IIa ($39) from W & W Associates which allows
me to slow-charge the FNB-41 Battery independently of the FT-50B. Works
great! See Web Site: http://wwassociates.com/chargers.html

Alan

On Mon, 7 Apr 1997, Assaf Rozenblatt wrote:

> Hi and thanx for reading.
>
> I just bought the FT-50R and was dissapointed to find out that the
> Battery cannot be charged OFF the radio.
>
> The only way I can charge the batteries off the radio as far as I know
> is to but that $100 Rapid charger.
>
> Does anyone know a cheaper (less than $50) way to charge the batteries
> seperately????
>
> Thanx again
>
> Assaf Rozenblatt
> KB2UZX
> assaf@idt.net
>
>

Please send personal replies to the following e-mail address:
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Alan E. Hodel | Internet e-mail: aehodel@mcs.com
KW9T | Home Page: http://www.mcs.net/~aehodel/
PGP Public Key | FTP: ftp.mcs.com /mcsnet.users/aehodel
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604. Re: New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <334AF50B.49A5@acm.org>
Source record: 178377

Doug Smith wrote:
>
> macmike@netnitco.NET (Mike Hughes) wrote:
> >I saw recently where the FCC has given each TV station a new Frequency
> >for HDTV. Does anyone know what frequencies they will be power rating and other
> >particulars.
>
> All DTV will be in existing TV frequencies. Each station will be
> assigned a second channel somewhere between channel 2 and channel 59.
> This second channel will (in most cases) be used for DTV operation.
>
> In the year 2006 (subject to review) the current analog system will be
> shut down. At that time, channels 60-69 will be vacant. Four of
> these channels (probably 60-63) will be given to public-safety
> operations, and the rest auctioned. And, the FCC will use the
> now-vacated NTSC assignments to "compact" the spectrum assigned to TV.
> They will clear channels 52-59 and either 2-6 or 47-51 of stations,
> and auction these too.
>
> (snip)

Gee if they shutdown channels 2 through 6, maybe 6 meters will become
usable in areas (like NYC) where channel 2 is in use. Maybe 6 meters
can get some more spectrum (hah) :-)

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****
* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * *
* (914) 425-9819 * [This space for rent] *
* mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org * *
****

605. Re: Icom 756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <5ieasa$p0d@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 178378

sc@netcom.com wrote:
>Has anyone heard if there are problems with the Icom 756?
>
>
>sc@netcom.com
>
>

NO.

606. MAJOR Richard Estes ANTIQUE RADIO AUCTION 4/12 Medina OH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Heckler <wheckler@traveller.com>
Message-ID: <334B1B2C.6357@traveller.com>
Source record: 178379

Announcing a MAJOR Richard Estes ANTIQUE RADIO AUCTION for Saturday
April 12 10AM At the SEVILLE ANTIQUE AUCTION BARN in Medina, OHIO
Featuring over a hundred antique radios INCLUDING:
Radiola AFM Clap Easton Type HR Receiver, AK Breadboard AK-10, National
Velvet Power Supply, RADA Westinghouse Unit, MANY Horn Speakers, Radiola
24, Deforsts D-12, National SW3 Receiver, National AB Power Supply A,
MANY Battery Sets, Console Radios, Table Type and Tombstone Radios, and
many more

607. What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <5ieful$jh5@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 178380

I read on one of the other amateur NGs that AEA is out of business.
Anyone know what happened and if anyone is going to pick up their
product line?

73 from K6LTS
Don Montgomery
donrm@sr.hp.com

608. Trade: Yaesu Charger For Desk Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Baker <gbaker@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <334B03C6.5991@pacifier.com>
Source record: 178381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary here,
I have a Yaesu NC-42 Drop-in quick charger that I no longer use.
It will work for the following radios: Ft-530, Ft-416, Ft-415.
I would like to trade it for a Desk mic that would fit my Yaesu Ft-890.
I think it is a MD-1c8 desk top mic.

609. Yaesu FT-50R - Opinion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Walsh <emw-1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <334B0794.6311@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178382

Can anyone who owns and is using a FT-50R share their feelings about this radio? RX sensitivity? Volume? Distortion?

Thanks for any feedback!

Ed Walsh
emw-1@worldnet.att.net
mailto:emw-1@worldnet.att.net

610. Trade Yaesu Charger For other Yaesu Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Baker <gbaker@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <334B066E.7038@pacifier.com>
Source record: 178383
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an NC-42 drop-in desk top charger that I no longer use and would like to trade for any of the following accessories that might not be in use by another ham.

FTS-22 Tone decode module for the Yaesu FT-5100, FT-5200, or the Ft-8000

MD-1c8 Desktop microphone for the FT-840, FT-890 or newer radio

FIF-232C Cat System Interface

If you might have any of the above and are not using, maybe we could work a deal?.
73
Gary Baker
N7GB

611. FS: 2 Meter Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net>
Message-ID: <334B1A0D.22FA@bmi.net>
Source record: 178384

For Sale: I have an Icom 25A 2 meter mobile radio (25 watts 5 memories),
Kenwood 215 A 2 meter hand held with speaker mike, 2 power cables 2
mobile mount brackets (needs a new battery for sustained portable use)
and an AEA PK 88 packet controller. I will ship to U.S. address.

Also would like to sell Cushcraft 15 element 2 meter beam with rotor,
cable, and coax (you figure out shipping).

Please E-mail if interested.
--
Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

612. EAR PIECE INFO..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Medine <bumper09@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4161$9c6aa840$763e5dcf@bumper09.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178385

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see us @ http://www2.netcom.com/~bumper09/small.html

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613. Re: FT-50RD: Cool Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.FRALEY" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <334B10C7.41FA@planetc.com>
Source record: 178386

tnic wrote:
>
> Other than the including the FTT-12 keypad that used to be an
> option is there any difference between the FT50D and the FT50R?
>
> Thanks
None at all!!!!!! Rodney KE4NWI

614. Re: WTB. Kenwood TS-530S manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenwood Customer Care <cuyeda@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334AB9E4.3091@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178387

Christopher B Dye wrote:
>
> Jim Barlament (kc9id@netnet.net) wrote:
> : I am looking for a service manual and a owners manual for a Kenwood
> : TS-530S. If you have one or both and are interested in selling them please
> : e-mail me. thanks for reading this.
>
> Like Jim, I also have a TS-530S and am interested in finding an owners manual
> and service manual for it. If you happen to respond to him via mail, and chance
> upon my follow-up, I'd appreciate the info, too :-)
>
> Thanks very much for your assistance!
>
> Chris KC5YGP/7Try Howard W. Sams Co., for copies of the discontinued manuals.

800-428-7267

615. modification to ALINCO DJ-S41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: newsnet@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5iehp1$5dc@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178388

Scott Steffan, Harrisburg PA.

I just purchased the ALINCO DJ-S41 transceiver and I need to use it above 445.000 MHz for my job. I have a few repeaters up at 466.000 MHz. Does anybody have a modification to this unit that I could use this radio in higher bands?

616. WTB: Kleinschmidt TTY Machine

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5iekd9$qka@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 178389

Looking for a Kleinschmidt TTY Machine, Model TT-4 or TT-98 or similar. Anyone have one ?? Tnx es 73 de Dick, W1KSZ.

617. FS:PRO-2004.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: avrial@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <334ad2a2.2797983@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178390

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For sale: Radio Shack Pro-2004
Full Cellular.
400 Channel.
Box, manual, .
Excellent condition.
$220.00 Plus S/H.
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618. Trade Timewave DSP59+/TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <334bd6cf.2004293@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178391

I have a new Timewave DSP-59+, in the box with all paperwork, I bought
it ...but received a surprise Anniversary present a 599zx.
I would like to trade for a late model all mode TNC - with dual
receive!, with manuals, software and cables!!
Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

619. Yaesu FT-8500 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Message-ID: <334AF08F.1A2E@Nantucket.Net>
Source record: 178392

VHF is nearly deaf on recieve. UHF is fine though.
Any ideas on what the problem could be?
Should i send it to Yaesu Service Center?

Thanks, Mark, N1XYY

620. FS AutoPatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Winkler <Wink@smag.com>
Message-ID: <334A6031.3AE8@smag.com>
Source record: 178393

ForSale, CS-900 simplex AutoPatch Interconnect.
Paid $360.00 used for only a month. Have all manuals ect..Unit is in original box just like it was brand new. I'll take $225.00 or best offer.

Joe Winkler
(904) 381-6539
jw@smag.com

621. Help With Henry Tempo 2002 Amp needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveb@buffnet.net
Message-ID: <5iceke$e7c$1@buffnet2.buffnet.net>
Source record: 178394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.hombrew

Hi Folks,

I recently acquired a Tempo 2002 Henry Amp. The amp loads perfectly
(L4 link inductor) with the safety cage (internal) off. In fact the
link is well above the top of the cage when properly loaded.
L4 does not appear to be the OEM part. It was hand formed (poorly) and
is too large.

A call to Henry didn't help. No replacement part or dimension drawing
is available.

Just to confirm what I thought I formed another which is smaller
overall and now loads in a much better position (physically lower).
Problem is with the cage back on the situation is better but not quite
right.

I'm hoping some kind soul who owns one of these beasts could provide
the dimensions (or a photo with the cover off) of L4.

Thanks .....

daveb@buffnet.net

622. Kenwood TR7400 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <334AC27F.78C7@flash.net>
Source record: 178395

This unit has no volume even when no squelch, meter showss no TX or RX movement on radio, swr/power meter shows no movement either. Any suggestions? Any experience with this type of problem?

Thanks
Lee H.

623. Please Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommy Rogers <trogers@dreamscape.com>
Message-ID: <334B05A9.3745@dreamscape.com>
Source record: 178396

Hello,
I'm just getting started in Ham and I would like to know if there is any mags or catalogs that have equiptment at good prices and all that good stuff. If you know of any could you please contact me with the info or if you would like to send some old ones to my house I would pay for shipping and stuff. Thanks for any help you can give me!!

Tommy Rogers
trogers@dreamscape.com

624. Re: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Roe <johnr@bicnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4550$769afbe0$2b24c6cf@jrr>
Source record: 178213

Hi Chad,

The individual below has setup a reflector just for the IC-756. Ask him to sign you up and send you the old mail messages. I think you will find them useful.

Bob Nagy-AB5N- Chief Engineer KVRX 91.7 / KVR TV9
Trustee 442.15/R 1292.15/R
Nagy's "Down Home" Page-
http://bluebonnet.pai.utexas.edu/Facstaff/stfpages/bnagy/
Vocab+: " tavaszi nagytakaritas" Spring Cleaning- in Hungarian

73's John KE1CQ

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> wrote in article
<01bc4528$c2c91e20$554e99ce@chadj>...
> I've got a friend interested in the Icom IC-756. I've run across a few
> negative comments about that rig, and would appreciate anyone giving the
> details of why they DO or DO NOT like that radio.
>
> Also, if you DON'T like the 756, let me know what you'd recommend in its
> place.
>
> Please email me directly in addition to any posts on this newsgroup!
>
> Thanks in advance, and 73.
>
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
>
>

625. Re: Kenwood TR7400 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <334C1D24.6786@onramp.net>
Source record: 178214

Lee H. wrote:
>
> This unit has no volume even when no squelch, meter showss no TX or RX
> movement on radio, swr/power meter shows no movement either. Any
> suggestions? Any experience with this type of problem?
>
> Thanks
> Lee H.

Is the little red light between the 100kc and 10kc knobs light up??
If so the pll is unlocked. Otherwise start looking at the switched 8v
line (R8 and T8) where it goes into the relay. Or try the CB line (9v)

I could go on forever so give a few more clues..

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

626. Re: New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5ih1i8$74p@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 178215

martin@osuunx.ucc.okstate.edu (Martin McCormick) wrote:
>>> these channels (probably 60-63) will be given to public-safety
>>> operations, and the rest auctioned. And, the FCC will use the
>>> now-vacated NTSC assignments to "compact" the spectrum assigned to TV.
> Here's what I don't understand. Why not give channels 66-69 to
>public safety agencies since that dovetails nicely with the existing use
>that the old channels 70-83 went to some time in the late seventies.

I think the cellular-phone operators will have more clout, and will
want 64-69 because it's closer to their existing spectrum. Of course,
it's also closer to 800MHz public-safety spectrum, but they don't have
much political clout.

I should emphasize, the list of channels to be reserved for
public-safety are my speculation, nothing official from the FCC. They
have officially specified they plan to reserve 4 channels, but they
haven't officially specified which 4.

> It would also seem to me that we should make a clean break with
>the past and convert all frequencies in the present 12 VHF channels to
>expansions of the present VHF low and VHF high bands for public service,
>amateur, and commercial service.

A certain number of channels are necessary to provide
interference-free TV service. The FCC feels we need to start with 59
channels at the beginning of transition, and end with 45 when
everything's converted to digital. (some would argue that isn't
enough, but I won't debate that here...)

We could convert the VHF channels to two-way use, which was indeed the
original FCC plan. However, that would require us to keep 12 more UHF
channels. My guess is the two-way interests feel the UHF channels are
more valuable than the VHF ones.

73 Doug

627. Help Please - Cushman CE-4000 Service Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Harper <dharper@kumc.edu>
Message-ID: <334C0B29.1DC8@kumc.edu>
Source record: 178216

Hello,

My CE-4000 service monitor has been having power supply problems. At the onset the scope intensity dims. As things get worse a pulsing unlock condition leads to power supply failure.
I have repaired various semiconductor components in the power supply several times. I have replaced them with either identical or equivalent per documentation from Cushman.
What I would like to know is if anyone out there has had similar problems like something drawing too much current and zapping the power supply. Any insight appreciated.

Thanks for reading. Please e-mail directly.

73's de N0USP, Dick
dharper@kumc.edu

628. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbv@flash.net
Message-ID: <5ih8ht$e7e@library.airnews.net>
Source record: 178217
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

DOS programs are OK, but since there are Win95 programs
available to perform the same functions (and auto-install too)
I'll stick with them.

Ken K5MBV

629. Speaker mic with ant connection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka3uqq@erols.com
Message-ID: <334c2696.2100475@news.erols.com>
Source record: 178218

I am looking for an HT speaker mic that was put out by I think
Periphex that also had a connection for an ht ant on it (ala
commercial gear). Are they still available or made by another
company?

thanks
will
ka3uqq@erols.com

630. Re: FS: Ant/Tower in Wichita, KS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mc@dreamland.org
Message-ID: <5ih66j$nkc@opal.southwind.net>
Source record: 178219

In article <00001fed+00005229@msn.com>, garwonko@msn.com says...
>
>Need to sell Rohn 25G Tower and Cushcraft Quad-Band Four Element Beam
>(A4S) plus Rotor, 17-Meter Inverted-V and Ham IV Rotor in Wichita,
>KS. Highest Bid.
>
>Dr. Gar Ko
>garwonko@msn.com
>komudo@juno.com

How much tower is there? Is it in the air? Would you sell tower and rotor
seperate from antennas?

631. Re: Is there a "Bad trader" listings page?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nit@wit.com
Message-ID: <5ih8h6$n41$3@thor.atcon.com>
Source record: 178220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ed Cummins <mrmicro@techie.com> wrote:

>Jerry Flanders wrote:
>>
>> >jbrower@voicenet.com
>>
>> >BTW, just in case you wanted to know what happened to me, I sold a
>> >Kenwood TS-520S to Susan Driggers, KF4OBL for $300. I sent her the
>> >radio, which was in fine working condition, back in November. Here it
>> >is March, and I still haven't seen a dime from her. <snip>
>> ==

>You can start with her QRZ listing and post it right here.

> Susan R. Driggers
> P.O. Box 6488
> Marysville, TN 37802
> insight@cris.com

>I notice there is no street address. That's always a danger signal.
>Are there any hams in or close to Marysville that can help?

Yes I would have to say,send a item COD of that size,is there a
listing for her at www.qrz.com and hopefully you can get some local
hams around that area to verify if she exists,you should have done
this beforehand,but where one does not suspect something,you don't
think of it,so it only goes to say,you gotta be alert in this biz.
VE1ELK...and when I say I'll pay for something!! I do by mail or in
person!!

>Ed Cummins
>W5CE@usa.net

To avoid net email spambots from getting my address,please
reply to elkeeble@atcon.com and thanks

632. WTB - Inline RF Sampler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <334d279f.3975207@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178221

Loking for an inline (coax) RF sampler.
Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com
http://www.iloveusa.com/nuview

633. FS Hf\6m Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Dropp <ddropp@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <334C35FA.51EB@execpc.com>
Source record: 178222

I have for sale a Kenwood TS-690AT 9 band Xcver w/6m/SW/. Comes complete

with :

AT-450 Internal Antenna Tuner

PS-53 Heavy Duty Power Supply

SP-23 External Speaker

TU-8 CTCSS Tone Board

YK-88SN-1 1.8 Khz SSB Filter

Service Manual

Standard Mic.

All boxes and manuals

All equipment is in mint condition with very little use,no scratches and

from a non smoker. If you have an intrest I can be e-mailed or called in

Milwaukee at 414-321-5310 Asking 1400.00 73's Dave

634. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <tech@thereporter.com>
Message-ID: <5igiji$q84@lois.zippo.com>
Source record: 178223

franklin@net-link.net (Gary F. Franklin) wrote:
>I purchased a new TS-570D in January and it recently went on the
>blink! Shipped it back to AES.... Four weeks later I inquired want
>its repair status was and they told me Kenwood has requested these
>rigs be shipped to them for warrenty work..... AES was not anxious to
>give me much info..... Can anyone out there shed a little light on
>possible TS-570D problems??
>
>Gary K8BKB

"WENT ON THE BLINK" isn't much info - other 570D owners (like me!) would
appreciate a bit more detail, since if there IS a design problem needing
monitoring or checking, we would sure like accurate direction...
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Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
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NRA: No Real Action
No Rational Accomplishments
Not Regarded Affectionately
==========Gun owners deserve *BETTER* than the NRA!====

635. Keyers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jetleb@netcom.ca
Message-ID: <334C7133.5D1C@netcom.ca>
Source record: 178224

Hi everyone! I'm new to this so forgive me if I screw up. There seem to be some interest in building keyers, so I thought I would throw my latest project out for anyone who is interested. While getting my 5WPM endorsement in November, it occured to me I had nothing to practice sending with and since I had missed all the flea markets, I was in dire straits so I built my own. I know, I could have bought a new one, but I'm too cheap :-), and besides, I don't even have an HF radio to use it with, so I'd best save my pennies for that.

Anyway, this particular keyer should cost no more than about $20CDN ($15US), depending on where you get your parts (a lot cheaper if you have a well stocked junk box). All of the parts except the processor are available from Radio Shack if your wallet is deep enough. It handles the four main types of keys (straight, bug, paddle and squeeze) and automatically configures it self for the type of key and the operator's preference for right or left handed operation. You can set the code speed, tone and volume and it will key a radio, but there are no other "features" (beacons, etc.)

I also had to build my own key which I used to pass my test. Plans for it are in the documentation for the keyer, if anyone is interested. I should point out that I'm an electronics technologist who is "temporarily" working in a completely different field. Back when I was working for an industrial controls company, we kept meticulous technical documentation on all our products, and, having been out of my field for a few years, I decided I needed the practice. I also decided that since several local hams were interested in my project, and that since they were not all of the same technical background, it would be prudent to accomidate them in the documentation as well. Consequently the documentation runs at about 5M bytes, uncompressed (2.something when zipped), so it is nothing if not thorough.

The entire project was done in Windows95. This includes product photos, mechanical and schematic diagrams (done with Autosketch R2.1) and, of course, the text. I can convert this to Windows3.1 format or straight text (minus the diagrams and photos) for those that are using Windows3.1 or MSDOS.

If anyone is interested, Jump up and down, or email me at JETLEB@NETCOM.CA

Oh, and as I said at the beginning, I'm new to this newsgroup thingy, so if you want me send you the complete plans, you're going to have to teach me how to do it :-0. I don't think that at 5Mb, I should dare to "attach" it here.

Regards
Matthias Jetleb VA3-MWJ

636. Re: On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jetleb@netcom.ca
Message-ID: <334C7255.2A24@netcom.ca>
Source record: 178225

With regard to the question of how to mount a glass-mount antenna, may I suggest going to your local windsheild replacement shop and have them glue it on? My mirror fell of last summer so I went to one of the above shops and they glued it on - no charge. It's only a few drops of glue to them.

Matthias Jetleb VA3-MWJ

637. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: debryrw@ucunix.san.uc.edu
Message-ID: <5igvb5gbl1@news.ececs.uc.edu>
Source record: 178226

In article <334BE3F4.4352@lathropeng.com>,
>All this criticizing and none of you can spell worth a damn!

Yep - grammer advice is free, but correct spelling runs extra.

638. Re: FT-50RD: Cool Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Toscano" <tosca005@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <334C55D9.797F@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Source record: 178227

Adam D. Shapiro wrote:

> P.M on a full charge. By the way, the charger situation is a real pain
> having to charge the battery without being able to use the radio.
>

I bought the Vertex CA-15 charging stand and a second battery. One battery is on the radio, the other is in the charging stand (it uses the charger that came with your FT-50), and by the time one battery is run down, the other one is ready to go. This is a lot cheaper than going to the rapid-charger system, and might even result in longer-lasting batteries. By the way, you can set the entire radio with its battery attached into the charging stand, which might be preferable if you are trying to get by with a single battery...

John (KB0ZEV)

639. Alinco DJ-580

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: norik@flanker.broadcom.com
Message-ID: <5igvho$5vp$1@fortress.broadcom.com>
Source record: 178228

I have a well taken care of DJ-580 For Sale.
Has wide bandwidth receive mod in place.

Make offer..

--
Norik Dzhandzhapanyan
VLSI Test Engineering
BROADCOM Corporation
norik@broadcom.com

640. Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4528$c2c91e20$554e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 178229

I've got a friend interested in the Icom IC-756. I've run across a few negative comments about that rig, and would appreciate anyone giving the details of why they DO or DO NOT like that radio.

Also, if you DON'T like the 756, let me know what you'd recommend in its place.

Please email me directly in addition to any posts on this newsgroup!

Thanks in advance, and 73.

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

641. FS CW STATION IDENTIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka2qep@webspan.net
Message-ID: <5ihkqp$eim@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 178230

** FoxGap CW Station Identifier **

This unit is great for repeater identification, when your machine is up and running, or when you are down for repair and want to maintain a presence on a desired frequency. Also it is perfect for beacon use, just add a transmitter. For beacon use it will control your PTT on your FM rig, or key your output in sideband mode.

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* Adjustable code tone, 200 to 1200 Hz.
* 55 character message buffer, plus.
* 55 character alternate message buffer.
* Repeat message time, 1 minute to 24 hours.
* Programmable from your IBM computer.
* Windows 3.1 or Win 95 compatible.
* Adjustable audio output.
* PTT output and Key (or beacon) output.
* Programming cable supplied.
* Small size, 3"L x 1.25"W x .75"H
* Standard 12 volt operation.
* Under 50ma. current consumption.

Programming requirements: IBM or compatible computer with a mouse and one 3.5" HD floppy drive, running Windows 3.1, Win 95, or higher. And a second COMM. port (2,3, or 4).

The FoxGap CW Station Identifier lists for $69.95 For a limited time the intro offer is $50.00 Shipping extra. We can ship UPS COD cash only, MO, or certified check. For further information contact Jim at 610-588-0282
Fax 610-588-0253 Or email n2gkw@epix.net

642. Re: Yaesu FT-50 - Speaker Mike & Ear Piece Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Toscano" <tosca005@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <334C5984.6DC2@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Source record: 178231

Joseph Kral wrote:
>
> I use the speaker/mike all the time. It works great. Audio, both receive
> and transmit is excellent. The mic has a PTT on it, both PTT on the radio
> still functions also. It comes with a clip that secures it to the antenna
> so its not easy to pull the plug out.
>

I agree, the speaker/mike works great when I use my FT-50 in the car
with
the cigarette-lighter socket power adapter and an externally mounted
dual-
band antenna. I broke the little plastic clip that secures the cord to
the antenna within the first 2 weeks, but I tossed it out and have never
missed it -- the plug fits into the radio plenty snugly, and has never
even come close to being accidentally pulled out. (I broke it in the
process of repeatedly opening and closing it to detach/attach the mic to
the radio, NOT by tugging on the mic cord too hard while the whole thing
was assembled and in use.)

It would be neat if there was a speaker/mic with a DTMF keypad, as I
find
it basically impossible to keep one hand on the steering wheel, one hand
on the mic/PTT, and reach over with the other (?) hand to work the DTMF
keys on the radio, but... considering that the entire FT-50 (exclusive
of the rubber duck, of course) is about the size of some DTMF mics, I
can't complain too loudly about that; besides, even with the keypad on
the mic, it would still be kinda awkward to dial an autopatch while
driving.

John (KB0ZEV)

643. Re: WTB: Straight Key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mitch, W4OA" <w4oa@vibroplex.com>
Message-ID: <334C0CD6.5AF26726@vibroplex.com>
Source record: 178232

Tony T. Hwang wrote:
>
> Hello, looking for a straight key.
> Heavy duty with heavy base for
> base station use. Please respond by e-mail.
> Thanks
> Tony, VE6CGX

hi tony...

you might want to check out the vibroplex straight key...
you can look at it on our web page or give us a call
and we will send you a catalog...

mitch, w4oa
--
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Felton "Mitch" Mitchell, W4OA email: w4oa@vibroplex.com
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Orders 800-840-8873, Info 334-478-8873, FAX 334-476-0465
Visit our web site: http://www.vibroplex.com/

644. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <334C60AF.87E@hevanet.com>
Source record: 178233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Randy J Wesson wrote:
>
> > Carl Hodder wrote:
> > >
> > > BOB DUCKWORTH (bob@atl.org) wrote:
>
> > > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your
> equipment
> > > because they don't mix.
>
> HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
> RADIO IS LOCATED

The issue is not what you would do to take care of your equipment. The issue is what the previous slob did with/to the equipment you're gonna buy. And there are a lot of people who live like slobs...a lot...

I've been in the TV repair business. I've had girlfriends with cats and had to fix stuff around their houses. In all cases, the cat hair gets into everything. It gummms up the ventillation. Humidity makes it conductive and messes up high volgage stuff. Once the arc thru the hair makes a carbon track on the ECB, it's too late. It's gonna fail sooner or later, no matter how much you try to clean it.

645. Re: Icom 756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mitch, W4OA" <w4oa@vibroplex.com>
Message-ID: <334C0C5F.79C65133@vibroplex.com>
Source record: 178234

sc@netcom.com wrote:
>
> Has anyone heard if there are problems with the Icom 756?
>
> sc@netcom.com

hi! mitch here at vibroplex...

you might want to subscribe to the 756 mail list... lots of
good info and insights regarding the 756...

send mail to ic756@access.spring.com

mitch, w4oa
--
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646. Re: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409213700.RAA02607@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178235

I've got a friend interested in the Icom IC-756. I've run across a few negative comments about that rig, and would appreciate anyone giving the details of why they DO or DO NOT like that radio.

Also, if you DON'T like the 756, let me know what you'd recommend in its place.

Please email me directly in addition to any posts on this newsgroup!

Chad, you will find there are as many opinions as there are people. If you're really interested in the IC-756, check into or listen to the ICOM net on 14.317Mhz every Sunday at 1700Z usually hosted by Adam, AB4OJ in BOCA RATON, FL. He and the people on the frequency are very knowledgeable on Icom radios past and present and will give you an unbiased opinion. Good luck in your search and 73 de Van.

647. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith McQueen <keithm@enol.com>
Message-ID: <334C6AFF.68D5@enol.com>
Source record: 178236

tnic wrote:
>
> I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.
>
> BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it
> pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.
>
> When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.
>
> I am powering the radio directly from the car battery.
>
> I tried a Mag mount and a trunk mount and 2 antennas. Same readings.
>
> Any opinions why?
>
> Thanks & 73
>
> tnic@idt.net

I can think of three possible reasons for this:

1. The voltage is lower on the battery in your car (or there is more
voltage
drop between the battery and the radio).

2. The antenna system in the car is not up to snuff causing the radio to
go into
"SWR foldback" (reducing power to accomodate a high SWR).

3. There is RF getting back into the radio due to the positioning of the
radio
and antenna system causing it to THINK there is a high SWR so that it
reduces power.

--
Keith McQueen, N7HMF Work: (801) 225-6248
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648. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy J Wesson <rwesson@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <334C0CC1.37C2@scrotonet.com>
Source record: 178237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> Carl Hodder wrote:
> >
> > BOB DUCKWORTH (bob@atl.org) wrote:

> > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your
equipment
> > because they don't mix.

HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
RADIO IS LOCATED

649. Re: Yaesu FT-50 - Speaker Mike & Ear Piece Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kral@hpl.hp.com
Message-ID: <5ih3je$r5r@hplms2.hpl.hp.com>
Source record: 178238

In article <5huq1f$83d@news.hawaii.edu>,
Chris Mullis <mullis@galileo.ifa.hawaii.edu> wrote:
>Can anyone comment on the quality and performance of these microphones for
>the Yaesu FT-50?
>
>Speaker/Mike MH-34A2B
>
>Ear Piece Mike MH-37A2B
>
>Specifically,
> 1) How good is the audio on each of these?
> 2) How well does the mike on the Ear Piece peform?
> 3) Do they firmly connect into the FT-50 and are not subject to
> accidently falling out?
> 4) Does the Ear Piece Mike utilize the PTT button on the FT-50 or
> is an addtional PTT switch provided?
> 5) Are there any other attractive mic options that folks have found for
> the FT-50 (throat mikes, etc.)?
>

I use the speaker/mike all the time. It works great. Audio, both receive
and transmit is excellent. The mic has a PTT on it, both PTT on the radio
still functions also. It comes with a clip that secures it to the antenna
so its not easy to pull the plug out.

650. Re: Need SVC MANUAL for HEATHKIT HW202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven J. Feinsmith" <sfeinsmi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <334C533C.5E68@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 178239

Hal Rosser W4PMJ wrote:
>
> This was my dad's rig when he was alive, and I need a service manual.
> I can't bring the silent key back to life, but i can bring his rig
> to life, I hope.
> Can someone please point me to where I can get the service manual?
> A copy would be ok.
> -- Heathkit 2 meter rig HW202
> Advance thanks for any help.
> HAL W4PMJ
> hmrosser@csranet.com

You can request Heath Company to copy from their library for a fee.

Check with http://www.heathkit.com and follow the instruction to
place an order.

Good Luck,
Steven

651. Re: Yaesu FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net>
Message-ID: <334C7553.10E7@bmi.net>
Source record: 178240

Kenneth M Gianino wrote:
>
> Would an FT-50 owner kindly tell me if the radio will tune the whole
> military aircraft band (225-400MHz) after modification? It's important
> that the sensitivity be reasonable and that the detector be switchable
> between AM and FM.

I use the ADMS software to get the freeband coverage on a new FT-50R.
It will tune everything from 50 - 999 mhz except 540-590. I do not know
how the sensitivity is but in the 225-400 range you can choose Wide or
Narrow FM and AM. AM is the default.

> I've read about the "remove the jumper" and "remove the resistor"
> modifications, and I'll assume I can perform them with no difficulty.

Tiny parts. Need steady hands.

> I'd really prefer not to have to buy the software to do the freeband
> mod. There have been so many postings that I am now a little confused
> about which mod does what. If it makes any difference, reception of the
> blocked cellular frequencies is of no interest to me.

The MARS /CAP mod (remove solder jumper)enables expanded transmit from
120-232 & 313-507. The Freeband hardware mod (remove resister) allowes
you to switch to any of several band plans storred in ROM. One of these
is the HAM bands only set up (mine came this way out of the box) another
is Freeband. With the resister removed you can switch to these bands by
a combination of key strokes/power up.

There is a Software only mod that allows both the MARS/CAP TX
frequencies and the Freeband mod. It involves modifying a file created
with the ADMS software with a hex editor. This takes about 60 seconds
and doesn't necessate opening your radio and voiding the warranty. The
result is the same with either approach except that with the software
only mode you can not switch band plans with key strokes. You must
modify a file and upload it to the radio.

You should consider the ADMS software even if you make the hardware
mods. It is very useful for programming th 100+ memories and allows you
to save as many setups as you want. You could have a diferent setup for
ham, scanning, etc or one for each area you travel in. It is so much
easier to set up every thing and just dump it into the radio. It sure
beats pushing the tiny little buttons a thousand times!!

Good luck what ever you choose. They are great radios.

--
Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

652. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Keeley <rkeeley@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <334C694D.69D1@dibbs.net>
Source record: 178241
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

Brian E. Cauchi wrote:
>
> Hello fellow WEFAX FAX SSTV RTTY enthusiasts.
>
> I've just updated by FTV program - current release is 0.98f
> Download it from http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/2504
>
> For the first time, I have released the software as full-featured
> shareware.
>
> FTV brings innovative digital signal processing and analysis techniques to
> your multi-media PC. It can be used to receive images from Weather
> Satellites and Terrestrial Facsimile Stations, text transmissions from
> radio telex services, as well as Amateur Radio FAX, SSTV and RTTY signals.
> It can also transmit Amateur Radio FAX and SSTV (Slow Scan Television). No
> external hardware, other than a radio, is required, as all the necessary
> signal processing is implemented in software.
>
> FTV uses a SoundCard to decode:-
> WEFAX weather photos from weather satellites
> FAX wirephotos and meteorological maps (Supports FAX transmission)
> SSTV pictures in monochrome and colour (Supports SSTV and SSTV COLOUR
> transmission)
> Baudot text (RTTY)
>
> Here is a run down of soem of its hot features:
>
> (1) It keeps the demodulated signal in memory, so that the signal can be
> analysed again at a different keying rate or polarity! Garbage can be
> resampled on the fly, which means that minutes of received signals decoded
> at the wrong baud rate or keying polarity are recovered, on the fly, while
> still receiving.
>
> (2) Keying rate and polarity are analysed automatically - standard baud
> rates are automatically set following analysis (assuming you have
> calibrated your system as described in the documentation file
> 'readme.txt').
>
> (3) Tuning oscilloscope available at all times, without loss of copy.
>
> (4) Program works in real time.
>

> Take a look at my web site for futher details, at:
> http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/2504
>
I went there and got a msg saying file not there. Sighhhhh....

--
73's

Roy KC4IMC

rkeeley@dibbs.net
kc4imc@maf.wa4wbi.ampr.org
Snail Mail = 10675 Salt Aire Rd, E., Theodore, AL 36582, USA

653. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970409221952.17995F-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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+-----------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
+-----------------------------------------------------+

On Wed, 9 Apr 1997, Keith wrote:

> I am going to shoot my cat RIGHT NOW!
>
> Carl Hodder wrote:
> >
> > BOB DUCKWORTH (bob@atl.org) wrote:
> > : It's not just the issue of resistance, it's that cat residue contains a
> > : number of corrosive chemicals, and this residue has hygroscopic
> >
> > Yes, I heard that it's an acid type of chemical and can be VERY
> > corrosive to more then just electronics. This is even worse then
> > the damaged caused by smoking.
> >
> > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your equipment
> > because they don't mix.
>
> --
> Keith - KT4VQ
>
>
Like I said before, it's okay if you own a cat if you don't let it near
things you don't want a cat near. The same goes for dogs or any other
animal that can't be kept in a cage or an aquarium all the time. I like
cats but I personally feel it's abusive to keep them in your house if
they're not sick. They are animals, not human beings. Nature gave them a
fur coat instead of the ability to build a house because nature intended
for them to live OUTSIDE. Besides... fleas can't get in the house if the
animals stay out!

BTW... I bet there's more that one person out here who could tell several
"old war stories" about the dog who liked to chew on coax.

Ted (ted@caprica.com)
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+-----------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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654. Re: What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970409220848.17995E-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178243

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+-------------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
+-------------------------------------------------------+

On 8 Apr 1997, Don Montgomery wrote:

> I read on one of the other amateur NGs that AEA is out of business.
> Anyone know what happened and if anyone is going to pick up their
> product line?

If you mean AES,(Amateur Electronics Supply), they are open and will
continue to be. Their URL is:

http://www.aesham.com/

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

+-------------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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655. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970409233750.17995G-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On Wed, 9 Apr 1997, Randy J Wesson wrote:

> HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
> RADIO IS LOCATED

Maybe after buying that $7000 rig and accessories they can't afford
things like doors or tables or other rooms and have to sit the radio on
the floor of their one room motel room next to the litter box. Heh-heh!

Dogs drool, but cats rule!

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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656. WTB Drake TR-7A - R-7A Twins +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <334C230A.13FD@mail.org>
Source record: 178245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,erc.radio.amateur.boatanchors

If you have a pair of Drake 7A twins for sale, I'm interested in purchasing them. Will also purchase other accessories you may have for sale. Joe, K4JJ in Roswell, Georgia - 770-998-0111

657. Re: New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5ih0rm$6pp@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 178246

"Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org> wrote:
>Gee if they shutdown channels 2 through 6, maybe 6 meters will become
>usable in areas (like NYC) where channel 2 is in use. Maybe 6 meters
>can get some more spectrum (hah) :-)

There's still about a 50/50 chance 2-6 will indeed be removed from TV.
If that happens, I do think amateur radio stands some chance of
getting some of the band. (my guess is something in the vicinity of
70MHz as British hams already have a band there)

73 Doug

658. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc453c$b90b2180$6aa745cf@enterprise>
Source record: 178247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> > > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your
> equipment
> > > because they don't mix.
>
> HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
> RADIO IS LOCATED
>

Would you guys please explain just what your cats are doing to your equipment? I have three cats, one of which sleeps on top of an SW4A, and have never had any damage, stain, smell, or anything to poorly effect my radios. I do have to dust the equipment once a week to rid cat hair but I assume most people dust once a week anyway. I have had both cats and shortwave radios for 25 years with zero problems. Maybe it is true that pets take on the habits and actions of their owners. :-)

Being from the heart of tobacco country (now there is an ironic juxtaposition) however, I agree that tobacco smoke is a problem to clean. Pro409 does do the job with just a little effort.

Mark

659. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa744@james.freenet.hamilton.on.ca
Message-ID: <5igdfb$mnn@james.freenet.hamilton.on.ca>
Source record: 178248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In <334A4A4B.4A42@kdsi.net>, "Raymond L. Mitchell" <mitchell@kdsi.net> wrote:
> timbo wrote:
> >
> > > You cat junkies need to realize that your cat ownership destroys
> > > electronics over time, the same way it destroys your lungs, your mice,
> > > and your health. Besides the annual hundreds or thousands of dollars
> > > you spend up in cat products, you're also causing hundreds or thousands
> > > of
> > > dollars' damage to your electronics. And think about this -- you
> > > now have a lot of electronics in cars, under the dash for systems
> > > control. If your cat's in your car, you're destroying those
> > > electronics too. But like everything else associated with your
> > > addiction, I know you'll find a way to rationalize destroying
> > > your car, same as your ham shack, your health, and your financial
> > > freedom.
> > >
> > > FWIW, I am an ex-cat owner and I don't have to rationalize my
> > > holier-than-thou attitude. There is no rationalization for a
> > > clear understanding that cat ownership is wasteful, unhealthy,
> > > and offensive. And any excuse you can make that you "can't quit"
> > > is a rationalization -- you CAN quit, and it WILL be very
> > > difficult. Cat ownership is more addictive than heroin, perhaps more
> > > addictive than any other commonly available drug on Earth.
> > > And yes, it took me several tries before my will power overcame
> > > my cat addiction just before midnight on Guy Fawkes day, 1976.
> > >
> > > Bob
> > > wb4mnfI agree! I was once an owner of these useless vermin but after
> going
> > through a 12 step program I know see the error of my ways. Cats are only
> > good for stir-fry and nothing else.

> Hi all: Personnally I like Cats 10 times better than people. Man is the
> true distroyer of things, not Cats.....de Raymond......
Tooo bad you missed the original thread,,,I to have been trying to give up
cats!
Fred VE3FCX

660. Re: Motorola Syntor - Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa744@james.freenet.hamilton.on.ca
Message-ID: <5igdfe$mnv@james.freenet.hamilton.on.ca>
Source record: 178249

Hi de ho neighbour;

> Looking for any technical information on using the Motorola Syntor radio
> on the amateur 2 meter band. I have one and need more info on programming
> the prom used for frequency selection. I have contacted Motorola about the
> service manual and it is very costly and is printed only on request. Can
> anyone provide me with a old copy or the tuning section.

> I can be reached by mail at:
> Ed Rainsberger - KD4CBD
> 4715 Kentwood Lane
> Woodbridge, VA 22193

I just bought a Syntor 6m rig that the local hydro utility "throws" away.
I paid a good price for the rig,and only 50 bux for a preprogramed eprom.
It works really great,and also has 10m in the one bank.
If nobody can help you there ,,we have a progrmmer wizard here that
has done 2m,and 6m syntors.He tried to explain it to me but it was
all Greek to me,,,something about "hex",,,I told him that I didn't
want no hex on my radio!
Fred VE3FCX

661. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <334C4F21.5CEF@radia1.com>
Source record: 178250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Mark Bryant wrote:
>
> > > > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your
> > equipment
> > > > because they don't mix.
> >
> > HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
> > RADIO IS LOCATED
> >
>
> Would you guys please explain just what your cats are doing to your
> equipment? I have three cats, one of which sleeps on top of an SW4A, and
> have never had any damage, stain, smell, or anything to poorly effect my
> radios. I do have to dust the equipment once a week to rid cat hair but I
> assume most people dust once a week anyway. I have had both cats and
> shortwave radios for 25 years with zero problems. Maybe it is true that
> pets take on the habits and actions of their owners. :-)
>
> Being from the heart of tobacco country (now there is an ironic
> juxtaposition) however, I agree that tobacco smoke is a problem to clean.
> Pro409 does do the job with just a little effort.
>
> Mark
>
>
Does Pro409 work on lungs?

662. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <334C4FFC.5A9E@radia1.com>
Source record: 178251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Randy J Wesson wrote:
>
> > Carl Hodder wrote:
> > >
> > > BOB DUCKWORTH (bob@atl.org) wrote:
>
> > > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your
> equipment
> > > because they don't mix.
>
> HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
> RADIO IS LOCATED
I have a pet hamster that lives in my antenna tuner. It really works
out quite well. He uses the roller inductor as an exercise wheel. I
clean the tuner twice a week.
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663. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Lang <elang@cstone.net>
Message-ID: <334C4F72.4593@cstone.net>
Source record: 178252
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

Ken Durham wrote:
>
> DOS programs are OK, but since there are Win95 programs
> available to perform the same functions (and auto-install too)
> I'll stick with them.
>
> Ken K5MBV

Ken or someone

Please post a few of the Win95 software packages locations so I can look
at them. I am just getting back into radio after a perion of QRT.

Thanks

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Ed Lang - KC4YLX
elang@cstone.net

664. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinsona@rl.af.mil
Message-ID: <5igpug$jb2@news.rl.af.mil>
Source record: 178253

In message <0513.199704091219.03BED8A8@macgroup.org>, Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG (Bill Combs) writes:

>I have recently decided I need a 2 meter/440 rig. I was looking at the Kenwood TM-733A-BLMD, which has been discontinued but some outlets have a few left for around $450. It would seem to have everything I need. I assume it works as a >crossband repeater, which I want. However, I notice it cannot receive on VHF and UHF at the same time.

The 733 CAN receive simultaneously on both bands, if programmed to do so. I personnally prefer the mute feature.

I wonder how well owners like this rig. Is the new TM-V7A that much different?

I own a 733 and enjoy it. The TM-V7A? Well, its more expensive.
>
>I was also considering the Yaesu FT-8000R. It has extendend receive which the Kenwood does not.....

Well, what do you define as extended Rx? On UHF, the K'wood goes up to 470Mhz, and on VHF it goes into the 170's.

(and more expensive). I am kind of intrigued by the extended receive (can the celluar freq. be opened up?) though I noticed that QST said the >sensitivity up there was not all that good. I wonder how that works out in actual practice (maybe all these rigs with extended receive suffer from poor sensitivity?). Any comments on these rigs or other dualbanders.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Bill Combs
>W8BC

Al, W2JUV

665. Heil Audio Equilizer Info Wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Message-ID: <334C017B.476F@gorge.net>
Source record: 178254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Greetings to All,
I have heard that Heil made an Audio Equilizer at one time. Can't seem to find any information on them? Does anyone know if they are still being made? Any opinions on their performance,price,etc? Would appreciate any info you might offer.
Thanks in advance
73
Tim,KC7QOM

666. WTB: Kenwood DG-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <334C5D23.6F03@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greetings. I am looking for a Kenwood DG-5. If you have one in need of a home, please reply via E-Mail with your asking price.

Thanks in advance,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

667. Packet Speed and Bandwidth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Irvin <irvind@seds.lpl.arizona.edu>
Message-ID: <5iend4$s4e$1@news.ccit.arizona.edu>
Source record: 178397

Anyone know of any really fast TNCs (56000+baud) and radios that can
handle that kind of bandwidth??

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| Irvin
| UASEDS/UAARC
| Phone: 520.695.0676
| CallSign: KC7VDD
| E-mail: irvind@seds.org
| URL: www.seds.org/~irvind
|
| "There is no off position
| on the genius switch."
| - David Letterman
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668. Re: FS or FT -- Toshiba Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <334de6ff.321326761@news.usit.net>
Source record: 178398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 07 Apr 1997 13:32:33 GMT, mdwatt@usit.net (Marty Watt)
wrote:

>I have a T1900 Toshiba laptop for sale or trade. 486/20, 4 meg ram,
>200MB hd (doublespaced to 385MB), monochrome VGA, quickport
>trackball pointing device, 14.4 PCMCIA fax/modem, briefcase style
>carrying case.
Thanks for the interest, the laptop is gone.

72 es 73 de
Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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669. Re: FS: Kenwood TM331 220mhz rig >SE Wisconsin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpainter@execpc.com
Message-ID: <334b0480.2796746@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 178399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Thanks for your interest. Unit has been sold
4/08/97 7:00 PM CDT
Ron
de N9GKH

670. Re: Radio Shack New Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: km4my@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409012900.VAA26582@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178400

Where in Fl?, I live in the Ft. Laud. area and have not seen them yet.

671. Extender board, Heathkit SB104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: georgie@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <5ieur7$cm8@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 178401

Does anyone have an Extender board for a Heathkit SB104. A friend
of mine was given a partially completed 104 and has it finished
but needs the extender to do the alignment. Thank you.

George in Phoenix

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672. Re: Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: RABDRH <rabdrh@rmitcc.its.rmit.edu.au>
Message-ID: <334BF050.63B@rmitcc.its.rmit.edu.au>
Source record: 178402

Dean Hemphill K5DH wrote:
>
> Joe, you forgot a few, otherwise your list is very complete:
>
> (snipped)
> R-1000 (HF SWL receiver)
> R-2000 (HF SWL receiver)
> R-5000 (HF receiver, based on TS-440S transceiver)
> RZ-1 (mobile HF SWL receiver for in-dash mounting, DIN chassis size)

There was also the R600 - low-end HF SWL rxcr - released between the
R1000 and R2000.

Dave VK3MLY

673. 10/11 meter recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: CBERRY@ALOHA.INTel.COM
Message-ID: <9704090338.utk26748@ALOHA.intel.com>
Source record: 178403

Seeking recommendations for a 10-11 meter radio for my motor home. Below is a list of the features that I am looking for:

10 meter
all mode
repeater offset
pl encode

11 meter
preferably deaf, only use is in caravan situations.

Band and memory scan would be nice.

Thanks for your response,
Chuck Berry
n7chs

674. Re: A Question on FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <334BAE9B.1E53@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178404

Brian wrote:
>
> Barry O'Grady wrote:
> >
> > malverne@ix.netcom.com(MALVERNE POLICE DEPARTMENT) wrote:
> >
> > : Looking for instructions on modifying the FT-50R to transmit in
> > :the 150's and 450's (yes --- I'm allowed to be there!) Thanks for any
> > :help.
> > :
> > :Glen (the cop...KEB455)
> >
> > What allows you to operate on those frequencies with non type approved
> > equipment?
> >
> > ====================================
> > Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
> > Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
> > Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
> > Responses to my article are welcome.
> Glen The Cop may be allowed there, but Yaesu The FT50 ain't. BrianYes, but Glen has a big gun, and you do not.
How's that for logic.

675. Re: Seeking KENWOOD H.F. product line info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5if4nt$iij@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 178405

In article <3345D716.1C87@transend.com.tw>,
Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:

>OOPS...should say tube equivalent to 180S.
>
>
>> TS830 Solid state equivalent to 180S (with WARC capability). The best
>> kenwood RX ever made. External VFO req'd for split, 6146B
>> (S2001) tube finals. 1981
>> 73,
>> Joe
>> BV/N0IAT

I have a bad memory with 180S. Couldn't keep the finals.
Kept blowing up. Did not have good protection circuit then.
BTW, TS-520 was double conversion, 820 was single conversion
design. My base station rig is still Trio TS-820S(JA version
of Kenwood TS-820S). It has a reduced 10M output but a jumper
took care of that. And added WARC band mod. a few years back
based on QST article. Never quits keeps on working.
Tony, VE6CGX

676. Re: 2 Meter Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <334b157a.3482597@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178406

On Sat, 05 Apr 1997 10:36:30 GMT, tcs@cmcorp.com (Tom Sefranek) wrote:

>Lee Henry <gtsi@flash.net> wrote:
>
>>I'm looking for info on 2 Meter repeaters.

> be REAL sure about following Gary Cofman's rules
>for lightning protection.

Another very good source of lightning protection (and devices for such activities is http://www.polyphaser.com/ - they have an excellent line of lighning protection devices, and a very good book on the subject.

Their web site is currently under construction, and several of the links are not yet operational, but it looks like the text of their excellent book on the subject, "The Grounds for Lightning and EMP Protection" will be available at this site.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

677. WTB: Straight Key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5if54k$jd3@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 178407

Hello, looking for a straight key.
Heavy duty with heavy base for
base station use. Please respond by e-mail.
Thanks
Tony, VE6CGX

678. WTD 1.2 gig mobile verticle antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: davemar278@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409045700.AAA13865@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178408

Hello, All

I'm looking for a 1.2g vertically polarized mobile antenna. Wound want
something rather inexpensive, unobtrusive and something that if I got
ripped off would not be too far off.

Would accept plans for a homebrew as well!!

Looking to mount on the car. prefer not to drill a hole.

thanks and 73 de n0xlw
dave

email to N0XLW@juno.com

679. Re: FT-50RD: Cool Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <334b21ba.6618257@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178409

On 8 Apr 1997 02:32:40 GMT, tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>
>Other than the including the FTT-12 keypad that used to be an
>option is there any difference between the FT50D and the FT50R?
>
>Thanks

None whatsoever ... the price of the "RD" is about $40 above
what the "old" version is; the FTT-12 sells for $62.95.

There are still a (very) few "old" units left in dealer
stocks.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

680. Re: What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <334b245a.7290646@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178410

On 8 Apr 1997 22:34:06 GMT, mai@iquest.net (Patrick Croft)
wrote:

>In article <5ieful$jh5@canyon.sr.hp.com>,
> donrm@sr.hp.com (Don Montgomery) wrote:
>>I read on one of the other amateur NGs that AEA is out of business.
>>Anyone know what happened and if anyone is going to pick up their
>>product line?
>>
>>73 from K6LTS
>>Don Montgomery
>>donrm@sr.hp.com
>>
>
>The packet product line was purchased by Timewave, and the antenna line went to m2 (?).
>Stay tuned - the future isn't that bleak.
>
>Patrick
>WB9IQI

More info on the Timewave section of the deal, and a
reference to the California company that picked up the
antennas and antenna analyzer lines, is available at the
Timewave web site:
http://www.timewave.com/amprods.html
last updated April 3, 1997.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

681. Club Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: todd@crenshaw.reno.nv.us
Message-ID: <334b1b40.3470423@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 178411

You're invited to check out our clubs recently revised web page
at http://wadg.greatbasin.net

You're also welcome to connect to our packet internet server
via any internet packet gateway at wadg.ampr.org

73'
KB7UYR
Todd Crenshaw, Secretary
The Wide Area Data Group, Inc. Amateur Radio Club
Reno, Nevada

682. FS: Yaesu FT-2400 & Larson Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwebster@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dwebsterE8CwGB.I7s@netcom.com>
Source record: 178412

For Sale: Yaesu FT-2400 2 meter commercial grade transceiver.

50 Watt output
31 memories
Priority Channel
CTCSS encoding
Expanded receive
DTMF microphone

Rig is in excellent condition. Used as my home station, only taken mobile on a couple of occasions (vacations). Package includes a Larson 1/2 wave mobile antenna and mag mount.

$225.00 and I will pay UPS shipping in CONUS.

Dennis Webster WJ6H
dwebster@netcom.com

683. Re: What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <334b2615.7733660@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 178413

On 8 Apr 1997 22:34:06 GMT, mai@iquest.net (Patrick Croft)
wrote:

>In article <5ieful$jh5@canyon.sr.hp.com>,
> donrm@sr.hp.com (Don Montgomery) wrote:
>>I read on one of the other amateur NGs that AEA is out of business.
>>Anyone know what happened and if anyone is going to pick up their
>>product line?
>>
>>73 from K6LTS
>>Don Montgomery
>>donrm@sr.hp.com
>>
>
>The packet product line was purchased by Timewave, and the antenna line went to m2 (?).
>Stay tuned - the future isn't that bleak.
>
>Patrick
>WB9IQI

More information on the Timewave acquisition of AEA's
digital products line, along with information about the
acquisition of AEA's line of antennas and antenna analyzers
by Tempo Research Corporation of Vista, CA,is available on
Timewave's website at:
http://www.timewave.com/aea.html.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

684. Re: IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970409000100.5862A-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178414

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You can access Yeasu's webpage and many others from my webpage,(see the second box below for the address).

If you see any links you like, feel free to save them to your bookmark file.

Ted <ted@caprica.com>

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685. HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970409001237.5862C-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 178415

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2 Cases in point:

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Bottom line: HRO is lying and probably has been for years!

I thought Jun's was a rip-off... then I went thru HRO's catalog and saw HRO wrote the book on rip-offs! It wasn't hard to bust them in their lie because all the manufacturers are now on the internet.

If you want to pat a company on the back, look to Ten Tech or AES. They are two of the most straight-forward companies around and they deserve a pat on the back.

You guys know by now that I am a master at fault-finding and criticism, so if I tell you that a company is okay, then you can bet your fuzzy butt that I HAVE scrutinized them and that they ARE okay! Because if they are not right you can believe I'd verbally rip them to shreds and enjoy it! There's nothing a man who is dirt poor hates more than someone trying to rip off what little he has or who is not giving him his money's worth!

And HRO is a sad case too. They are so big that they can afford to be straight with us but I guess maybe greed has blinded them to the fact that hams are not stupid and we eventually find out when a company is full of crap and most importantly, we the consumers made HRO as big and successful as they are and we the consumers can put HRO back in the poor house just as quickly. That goes for any company.

I don't get any money from any ham equipment maker or distributor so I have no bias in my critique or my praise of a company. I call em like I see em... and if they don't like it they can go straight to hell.

Ted <ted@caprica.com>

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686. Re: Wanted: Yaesu FT-50R software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbaldock@pcug.org.au
Message-ID: <334e3b61.1781790@newshost.pcug.org.au>
Source record: 178416

The ADMS software/connection cable is very good.

You are better off buying the package as the cable would be somewhat difficult ot make.

If you are really desperate to see the software, I could proably email it to you.

You can make the freeband mods without the software if you have one of the later radios.

On 7 Apr 1997 23:05:25 GMT, "Philippe B." <f1loo@club-internet.fr> wrote:

>
>am looking for a Windows based program that can control a Yaesu FT-50R
>
>If you think you can help, please contact me to email
>f1loo@club-internet.fr
>
>Thanks!
>73,
>Philippe
>

687. Re: Radio Shack New Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb0vof1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409013200.VAA26875@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178417

Also seeing them in Denver, though they seem to sell as fast as they get
them.

688. Icom T2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dedger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409014000.VAA27559@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178418

I saw the new Icom T2A two meter HT on display at a hamfest last
weekend. Has anyone used this radio who would care to comment on it?
73, Dave

689. kenwood vfo820 kenwood mc50 mic f.s.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9iif <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4489$3923ff40$4c794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 178419

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i have for sale a kenwood vfo-820 very nice with cable....$75.00
also mc-50 mic very nice....$50.00
thanks jack cmb@mc.net
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690. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikey@feist.com
Message-ID: <5if559$rmg@wormer.fn.net>
Source record: 178420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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In article <5i43jh$jmn$1@mack.rt66.com>, kc5nzr@rt66.com says...
>
>You're kidding, right? Someone would have to use the gear in question AS a
>litter box to be contaminated the way you are talking about.
>
>Now, about that barking dog next door, where are the shells for my shotgun??
>
>
>Richie Allen --- Albuquerque New Mexico --- USA
>KC5NZR --- email: kc5nzr@rt66.com ---
>
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AW, "Cmom Don't use a Shotgun... how a M-203 with a flare... 'Oughta light up
that dog real nice and bright ! :-)

Oh well, either way problem solved...

Mike McGINLEY
N0JVT

mikey@feist.com
n0jvt@aol.com
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On Tue, 8 Apr 1997, Raymond L. Mitchell wrote:

> timbo wrote:
> > Cats are only good for stir-fry and nothing else.

As everyone knows... Only the two legged cats are good for eating!

> Hi all: Personnally I like Cats 10 times better than people. Man is the
> true distroyer of things, not Cats.....de Raymond......

Raymond, You got that right! Cats are my favorite people! And clean too!
They don't leave something around for you to step in like dogs do... they
bury it! If these guys bring the cats in the house that's their mistake,
not having a cat but where you have a cat. Mine live outside my front
door with a fence between them and the guard dogs. I allow no animals IN
the house, but they are great to have around outside and to care for. And
since the cats love to climb on the roof, I never have birds pirching on
my beam to poop on whatever or whoever is underneath! That is a problem
lot's of hams have... but if they got a cat they'd lose those feathered
bombers!

Ted <ted@caprica.com>

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692. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334B822D.766C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178422

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abolutely true. HRO JACKS up the "LIST PRICE" and charges more than
the other guys for the same thing. If you see a "LEGITAMATE" price that
is lower elseware they will match it. BUT WHY GO TO THE TROUBLE?
Buy from the guy who is happy to sell it to you for his low price.
Lets get more Ham Dealers in the Business! If HRO keeps buying up the
small guys they will be so big that they will charge whatever they
want and we will be powerless!!!!

693. WTB- AEA SWR-121-HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: donstone@gate.net
Message-ID: <5ifv24$1p8a$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 178423

I'm looking for an AEA antenna analyzer, Model SWR-121-HF. Anything available out there? Reply to donstone@gate.net. Tnx es 73 Don, W6TNS

694. Re: Ground Plane Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Maciorowski <wa1jhk@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334B8E98.7ADA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178424

Lee H. wrote:
>
> I need advice on placing a 2m mobile antenna an fiberglass, what do I
> need to do about the ground plane?

On my Jeep I glued aluminum to the underside of the roof and connected
it to the shield of the coax.

>Is there antenna that don't need metal
> for mobile application? Do they work?

Antenex makes mobile antennas that work without a ground plane. They
are typically used on trucks, schoolbuses, etc., that have fiberglass
roofs.

Dave Maciorowski, WA1JHK
Colorado Repeater Association, Inc.
Serving Colorado with Voice and Data, 6-Meters to 1.2 Gig

Internet: wa1jhk@ix.netcom.com or wa1jhk@amsat.org
CRA: http://www.rmsd.com/hamradio/cra/

695. Re: Packet Speed and Bandwidth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Maciorowski <wa1jhk@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334B909A.3841@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178425

Dana Irvin wrote:
>
> Anyone know of any really fast TNCs (56000+baud) and radios that can
> handle that kind of bandwidth??

Barry McLarnon, VE3JF, maintains a list of equipment available
for 9600 baud and faster at

http://hydra.carleton.ca/articles/hispeed.html

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696. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

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Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@dlep1.itg.ti.com
Message-ID: <5ig3ht$inf@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 178426

With regard to all of this "HRO bashing"...

I have been buying gear from HRO for several years. I have seldom been able to beat their prices, no matter who I call. I have always received prompt, courteous service over the telephone, and my order has always been shipped immediately, from the closest store. I like their policy of offering free shipping on orders over $100 (important when you order an HF rig that weighs 40 pounds or so).

I can't dispute the numbers that these fellows have been quoting on the prices of Standard HTs. I couldn't begin to justify why HRO's catalog contains seemingly bogus MSRPs. I really don't care. Maybe it was one of those cases where "prices are subject to change without notice" and the catalog had already been printed? This has happened before. With the violent fluctuations of the dollar vs. the yen, it's happening more frequently than ever before. Something to consider.

I've bought Kenwood, Icom, and Alinco rigs, and accessories from several manufacturers, from HRO, and I am completely satisfied with their service and their prices. The only new rig I've bought anywhere else in the last several years has been a Kenwood TM-261A, which I bought at AES. It was on sale for $20 less than HRO, and even though I had to pay the shipping, I saved about $12. Other than that one instance, I couldn't beat HRO's prices at the time I was ready to buy.

I'm sorry to see the discrepancy in the Standard HT prices. However, I will continue to buy from HRO as long as they continue to offer me the best prices and great service.

Note that I have no complaints about the service that AES offers either. They are a great bunch of folks, and I have done business with them many times over the years as well. It's just that HRO nearly always beats their prices on the items I've wanted to buy. Your experiences may vary.

This is not an invitation to "flame" me. If you have a differing opinion on this subject, that's fine (this IS still America, and we ARE allowed to have our own opinions). I will not argue with anyone about who is right and wrong on this issue. I just wanted to offer my experiences to those who might be interested.

73,
Dean Hemphill, K5DH

697. Re: HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5ig4ml$qm7@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178427

"Michael J. Wade" <wade@iquest.net> wrote:

>Having recently passed the test for General, I am looking for a HF rig, and
>would like to solicitate some opinions from the group. I only have a few
>hundred I can put into this radio right now. I am considering the following
>radios:

>MFJ-9420 - 20 Meter SSB
>Hallicrafters SR-150 80 to 10 Meter SSB / CW
>Hallicrafters HT-32 80 to 10 meter ssb / cw

>Anyone use any of these, or have any comments or suggestions.

>I would like to contact some people in SA. I will probably only be able to
>put up a dipole antenna. I appericiate your help.

>73 de kb9kdg

You might think of building your own.

That can save you a lot of money.

A 12-inch TV set can turn into a 30-watt CW
transmitter by the addition of a crystal and
coil and PI network, and of course clip some
of the existing circuits.

I made a Trx out of a TV a kid got out of a garbage can.

Is that cheap enough?

Gud Luk.

73, de WB0NRU

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

698. Re: CW transceiver made easy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5ig4mr$qm7@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

"Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net> wrote:

>Roy Lewallen wrote:
>>
>> In article <5hmgvm$bih@news1.mnsinc.com>,
>> bry@mnsinc.com (Brian Carling (Radio G3XLQ / AF4K)) wrote:
>>
>> >. . .
>>
>> >ALSO, you can go to -
>> >
>> >http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm
>> >
>> >and click on KITS for a huge list of suppliers! Thankfully their are
>> >many many small companies selling such kits these days!
>> >
>> >Homebrewing seems to be very popular now!
>>
>> It also has changed somewhat. Back when people bought an HW-8, followed the
>> step-by-step instructions, poked the components into the holes, and soldered
>> them, they would tell you they were using a "Heath HW-8". Apparently, this would
>> now be a "homebrew" rig.
>>
>> Admittedly, this is slightly more complex than taking a rig out of a box and
>> turning on a switch, and I'm surely in favor of kit building. But is it
>> now "homebrew"?
>>
>> Roy Lewallen, W7EL

>Hi Roy,

>I would call it a KIT. However, I do not believe you have to design the
>rig in order for it to be homebrew. Perhaps it starts being homebrew
>when you layout or make the circuit board and housing- a few mods would
>certainly qualify. Call it what you want- it should be encouraged.

>As an aside- I never met a more genuine group of courteous and
>knowledgeable (sp?) hams than at the Dayton QRP get togethers- old time
>ham radio.

>Dale
>W4OP- another ELNEC user

entire original postings kept.

If you get a package from the grocery store,
and cook it and serve it, was it "heat and serve"
or did you have to mix it up and cook it from raw?

If you made a HW-8 I believe it was Homebrew.
If you made a rig from an ARRL handbook schematic,
That too was homebrew.

If you started with a piece of paper, and a pencil and
designed the whole thing, that was RARE ! ! !

Ciao

73 de WB0NRU

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

699. FS: Kenwood TK-330 UHF HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409135001.JAA03137@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178429

FS: Kenwood TK-330 10 channel UHF handi-talkie. Commerical grade and
includes speaker/mic, drop-in charger, and metal porta clip....$350

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

700. FS: MFJ-208 VHF SWR analyzer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409135300.JAA03310@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178430

FS: MFJ-208 VHF SWR analyzer. Powered by 9 volt battery or adapter.
Great condition and includes manual....$50

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

701. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo1@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <334bf896.17614544@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.nospam> wrote:

:click here: mailto:nessman@servtech.com

You have the newsgroups confused with the WWW.

Clicking on your click here has no effect whatsoever.

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Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
Responses to my article are welcome.

702. Re: FT-50RD: Cool Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam D. Shapiro" <kb1bcf@contesting.com>
Message-ID: <334BA667.1956@contesting.com>
Source record: 178432

Dale (Squeak) Porray, AD7K wrote:
>
> On 8 Apr 1997 02:32:40 GMT, tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:
>
> >
> >Other than the including the FTT-12 keypad that used to be an
> >option is there any difference between the FT50D and the FT50R?
> >
> >Thanks
>
> None whatsoever ... the price of the "RD" is about $40 above
> what the "old" version is; the FTT-12 sells for $62.95.
>
> There are still a (very) few "old" units left in dealer
> stocks.
>
> 73 to all!
>
> "Squeak" Porray, AD7K
> Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

Thanks all for the comments!! They are greatly appreciated. Have fun
with the HT's.

-Adam/KB1BCF
kb1bcf@contesting.com

703. Re: tm-v7a is it good for 9600?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frans Lowiessen <lowiess@pi.net>
Message-ID: <334BAAFC.5B21@pi.net>
Source record: 178433

>
> Hi Frans,
> forgive my ignorance, is your nokia operating on only one freqency or
> you are capable to tune to other freqs, also?
>
> On what freqency this nokia can work?
> Is seamens available in USA?
Hi Benedict

I normal use it at one freq which is put into a eprom but it would be
possible to put 8 freq in one eprom the circuit i use is a modified
morse keyer

It can work on freq from 430 to 440 70cm ham band in the netherlands
it should also be possible to use it other 70cm freq used in the USA
I do not know if this phone is sold in the USA.

73 Frans Lowiessen PE1RCU

BTW i am still looking for mods for the 7mv

704. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bo Henderson <bo@physitron.com>
Message-ID: <334B97EA.997@physitron.com>
Source record: 178434

Larry Gibbs wrote:
>
> sean hall wrote:
> >
> > On 1 Apr 1997 16:57:32 GMT, davidosbo@aol.com (DavidOsbo) wrote:
> >
> > >Sean,
> > > I'm curious: What about them makes them junk? Is it that they are
> > >not broadband, or that they are inefficient, or that they won't handle
> > >power, or what?
> > >73,
> > >David, N8DO
> >

I also recently did some experimenting and research on mobile antennas. WHat you say is very true. Another example of the same effect is to use a rubber duck antenna on 2 meters and then change to a 1/2 wave antenna. You will see a tremendous difference due to capture area. That is, a bigger antenna collects more signal on receive and puts out more on transmit. As you said, hamsticks are very poor radiators below 7 MHz. THe reason is the losses in the tightly wound coil. The larger the coil and better core material the less loss you have. I did an experiment comparing a reasonably small diameter bug catcher (2.5 inches) to a ham stick. There was no difference above 40 m. At 40 m the bug catcher was 1 S unit better than the Hamstick and at 80 m the bugcatcher was 3 S units above the hamstick. These tests were done on transmit. I also learned thru experimentation and on the air discussions that a capacitor is required between the base of the antenna and ground for 40 m and 80 m. This corrects for the excess inductance present due to the loading coil. For my vehicle the value was 700 pF. You can't fool mother nature. The larger the antenna the better the performance. If you don't like big ugly antennas on your car you might as well stay off of 80 m. You can stand the 1 S unit loss on 40 m but the 3 S units on 80 m is hard to overcome. The higher bands are a lot of fun and the sun spots will soon bring them to life. I have had many years of great fun on HF mobile. 20, 17, 15, 12, and 10 will be great fun real soon. Regards Bo
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OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION YOU MAY NEED TO KNOW !

Mr. T.G. "Bo" Henderson Bo Knows Physics.....
Physitron, Inc. Located in the Beautiful Tennessee Valley.
3304A Westmill Dr.
Huntsville AL 35805 Rocket City USA

205-534-4844 Where the Sky is NOT the Limit !
205-534-4846 FAX
E-mail: bo@physitron.com WORK
E-mail: bo@being changed HOME
Also checkout the Webpage at http://www.physitron.com

705. IC-24AT HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: evincent@mediom.qc.ca
Message-ID: <5ig6s9$a7o$1@wagner.spc.videotron.ca>
Source record: 178435

I have one ICOM IC-24AT and I don't know for what reason the processor will work like an IC-24ET. The range of TX freq. is 144-146 mHz VHF and 430-440 mHz UHF. Originaly this radio will be trnasmit over the US range.

If you have any hint, e-mail me at evincent@mediom.qc.ca

Thank you.

706. FS: Yaesu FT-470 dual band HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409135200.JAA03236@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178436

FS: Yaesu Ft-470 dual band handi-talkie. UHF side dead due to improper frequency conversion attempt but VHF side and all other radio features unaffected. Includes "aa" battery case, drop-in rapid charger, soft case, antenna, belt clip, manual, and origional box....$240 obo.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

707. Re: Yaesu FT-8500 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <334BA842.FFB@concentric.net>
Source record: 178437

Mark S. Conway wrote:
>
> VHF is nearly deaf on recieve. UHF is fine though.
> Any ideas on what the problem could be?
> Should i send it to Yaesu Service Center?
>
> Thanks, Mark, N1XYY

A bigger problem must be developing here. I just had to take my FT-8500 in for the very same thing, works great on UHF but couldn't hear much on the VHF band.

Bill WA8INZ

708. FS: Larsen UHF antennas.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409135500.JAA03399@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178438

FS: Four Larsen 5/8 wave UHF antennas with spring, model NMO-UHF....$30
for all or $10 each.

FS: Six Larsen 1/4 wave UHF antennas.....$30 for all or $8 each.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

709. HEATH Electronic Keyer ?'s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: todd <tboyer@erols.com>
Message-ID: <334BA8C6.538C@erols.com>
Source record: 178439

Hello Group,
I was recently came across an old Heath HD-10 electronic keyer
for CW. I wonder if anyone happens to still have the wiring
configuration(s) for this puppy?
I think this unit can be wired to produce a practice key as well.

Thanks for any help. Post here or e-mail below.

todd
tboyer@erols.com
(no call YET!)

710. Yaesu FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <334BB1FF.BF9@notify1.com>
Source record: 178440

Would an FT-50 owner kindly tell me if the radio will tune the whole military aircraft band (225-400MHz) after modification? It's important that the sensitivity be reasonable and that the detector be switchable between AM and FM.

I've read about the "remove the jumper" and "remove the resistor" modifications, and I'll assume I can perform them with no difficulty. I'd really prefer not to have to buy the software to do the freeband mod. There have been so many postings that I am now a little confused about which mod does what. If it makes any difference, reception of the blocked cellular frequencies is of no interest to me.
Thanks,
Ken - WB0QNA
ken@notify1.com

711. Re: Help:TS-830S analog dial problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <334BCBC5.446@vbe.com>
Source record: 178441

Big_BEEPER wrote:
>
> Hi Mike,
>
> Just grip the knurled back portion of the tuning knob, hold it firmly
> while turning the front portion of the knob. This will adjust the
> analog dial to where it should be. Good luck.
>
> 73,
>
> Paul K0PW

Thanks Paul but that don't work on this radio.... several others have suggested that but the inner dial of the vfo and the main tuning knob are solidly attached....only the outer silver ring will move as you suggest and this has no effect on the inner analog dial scale. Short of screwing with the tracking adjustments of the vfo.... I've been told that one can take the main knob off etc... and loosen a screw to turn the dial to match the display .... better advise may be to leave it alone and just use the digital display (which is right on).

73 de Mike

712. Re: Wanted: Kenwood manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <334BBD9F.1287@techie.com>
Source record: 178442

Kenwood manuals are available from the Kenwood authorized distributor:

Pacific Coast Parts
15024 Staff Court
Gardena, CA 90248
(310)515-0207
htt://www.pacparts.com
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Ed Cummins
W5CE@usa.net
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713. Re: WTB. Kenwood TS-530S manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <334BBD78.686@techie.com>
Source record: 178443

Kenwood manuals are available from the Kenwood authorized distributor:

Pacific Coast Parts
15024 Staff Court
Gardena, CA 90248
(310)515-0207
htt://www.pacparts.com
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Ed Cummins
W5CE@usa.net

714. DG5 for TS520 WANTED !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus <markusschm@metronet.de>
Message-ID: <01bc44f9$99b5b860$3665a8c0@markus>
Source record: 178444

Hi,
I am looking for a DG5 (digital display) for my TS520.
Has anybody a DG5 for sale ?

73`s Markus DJ5PS

715. Re: Help: Icom IC-2AT Tech advise!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5ige21nah1@mhadf.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 178445

hi I have a svc. manual ... if u decide to sell rig as salvage let me know
de steve kz1x/4 sjackson@baynetworks.co
--
73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

716. IC-781 mods, reflector, info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k3bu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409163100.MAA12134@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178446

Looking for Icom IC781 modifications, improvements, problem reports.
Is there reflector, home pages etc. ? I checked ICOM forum on Compuserve.

Thanks, Yuri K3BU

717. FS: TS-940SAT MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4516$72a5d940$aa50b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 178447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have forsale a Very MINT TS940SAT. There is not a mark on this rig anywhere. It has had very very little use and has been covered and in storage for several years.

It has the internal auto antenna tuner.

I have the original box and manual.

$1175 plus shipping.

Call 520-284-6848 or nu6x@sedona.net.

Mark NU6X

718. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith <kt4vq@bellsout.net>
Message-ID: <334BDCEF.1428@bellsout.net>
Source record: 178448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am going to shoot my cat RIGHT NOW!

Carl Hodder wrote:
>
> BOB DUCKWORTH (bob@atl.org) wrote:
> : It's not just the issue of resistance, it's that cat residue contains a
> : number of corrosive chemicals, and this residue has hygroscopic
>
> Yes, I heard that it's an acid type of chemical and can be VERY
> corrosive to more then just electronics. This is even worse then
> the damaged caused by smoking.
>
> If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your equipment
> because they don't mix.

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Keith - KT4VQ

719. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: debryrw@ucunix.san.uc.edu
Message-ID: <5igp5jejr1@news.ececs.uc.edu>
Source record: 178449

Someone please stop me! - Oops! Too late (sometimes I just can't help
myself :)

In article <334c7246.13906829@news.fastlink.com.au>,
Barry O'Grady <barryoXX@fastlink.com.au> wrote:
>kpodd@aol.com (KPodd) wrote:
>
>:My father (W2KX) died 7 years ago. Alot of old ham gear remains. The best
>
>Hi there. What do you mean by "alot"? Since it is not a real word I need
>to know what it means to you and also I am curious as to what made you
>decide to use a non-word in preferance to a real word.
>
>Barry

Hi Barry,

I do not understand what you mean by your third sentance (the run-on
one, that is). "Since" refers to time, so I must surmise that you mean
that "alot" previously was a word. Perhaps you could assume that the
author prefers to use this (apparently) archaic meaning. Or, perhaps
you really meant "because." I doubt that, however, as it is usually
considered to be poor construction to begin a sentance with "because."
But, just in case, may I suggest the following version of your erudite
criticism of the original author:

Hi there. "Alot is not a real word, therefore I need to know what it
means to you. Further, I am curious why you decided to use a non-word
in preference to a real word.

Notice how this version contains no run-on sentances and is shorter
than your version. Yet, this version carries the same pedantic message
as the original.

No charge for the grammatical advice (this time).

Cheers, Ron

720. Re: No Smoking, No Cats, No Problem!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jstrohm@taxes.net>
Message-ID: <334B8DE7.5341@taxes.net>
Source record: 178450

Carl Hodder wrote:

> If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your equipment
> because they don't mix.

If your rig has tube finals and your cat likes to sleep on top of
the rig because it's warm, it's likely you'll get rid of the
cat and the rig at the same time.

721. ICOM 701 HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbays85518@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970409171200.NAA14676@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178451

I HAVE A IC701 HF MOBLE RIG.
10 to 160 ssb. cw 200w. rig needs to be realined but woorks fine.
it is in faire cond. form a 1 to 10 it would be a 8 .
$225.00 + shipping

william bays N3FGD
(317) 855-5474
WBAYS85518@AOL.COM

722. DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
Message-ID: <0513.199704091219.03BED8A8@macgroup.org>
Source record: 178452

I have recently decided I need a 2 meter/440 rig. I was looking at the Kenwood TM-733A-BLMD, which has been discontinued but some outlets have a few left for around $450. It would seem to have everything I need. I assume it works as a crossband repeater, which I want. However, I notice it cannot receive on VHF and UHF at the same time. I wonder how well owners like this rig. Is the new TM-V7A that much different?

I was also considering the Yaesu FT-8000R. It has extendend receive which the Kenwood does not (and more expensive). I am kind of intrigued by the extended receive (can the celluar freq. be opened up?) though I noticed that QST said the sensitivity up there was not all that good. I wonder how that works out in actual practice (maybe all these rigs with extended receive suffer from poor sensitivity?). Any comments on these rigs or other dualbanders.

Thanks,

Bill Combs
W8BC

723. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5igiis$o8m@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 178453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

BOB DUCKWORTH (bob@atl.org) wrote:
: It's not just the issue of resistance, it's that cat residue contains a
: number of corrosive chemicals, and this residue has hygroscopic

Yes, I heard that it's an acid type of chemical and can be VERY
corrosive to more then just electronics. This is even worse then
the damaged caused by smoking.

If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your equipment
because they don't mix.

724. IC 471h extend frg pse ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sylvain <cmsylvain@infonie.fr>
Message-ID: <01bc451d$92545620$2e55c00a@bielle>
Source record: 178454

I have an ICOM ic 471 h The range of frg is from 430 to 440 mhz.
Is it possible to extend the range and how?
Tnx F5OQA
--

cmsylvain@infonie.fr

725. SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian E. Cauchi" <gcauchi@keyworld.net>
Message-ID: <01bc451e$dbce5840$0101a8c0@gcauchi.keyworld.net>
Source record: 178455
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

Hello fellow WEFAX FAX SSTV RTTY enthusiasts.

I've just updated by FTV program - current release is 0.98f
Download it from http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/2504

For the first time, I have released the software as full-featured
shareware.

FTV brings innovative digital signal processing and analysis techniques to
your multi-media PC. It can be used to receive images from Weather
Satellites and Terrestrial Facsimile Stations, text transmissions from
radio telex services, as well as Amateur Radio FAX, SSTV and RTTY signals.
It can also transmit Amateur Radio FAX and SSTV (Slow Scan Television). No
external hardware, other than a radio, is required, as all the necessary
signal processing is implemented in software.

FTV uses a SoundCard to decode:-
WEFAX weather photos from weather satellites
FAX wirephotos and meteorological maps (Supports FAX transmission)
SSTV pictures in monochrome and colour (Supports SSTV and SSTV COLOUR
transmission)
Baudot text (RTTY)

Here is a run down of soem of its hot features:

(1) It keeps the demodulated signal in memory, so that the signal can be
analysed again at a different keying rate or polarity! Garbage can be
resampled on the fly, which means that minutes of received signals decoded
at the wrong baud rate or keying polarity are recovered, on the fly, while
still receiving.

(2) Keying rate and polarity are analysed automatically - standard baud
rates are automatically set following analysis (assuming you have
calibrated your system as described in the documentation file
'readme.txt').

(3) Tuning oscilloscope available at all times, without loss of copy.

(4) Program works in real time.

Take a look at my web site for futher details, at:
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/2504

What can I say ? Try it, it's free, and may you have as much fun as I am
having...
And, keep me posted... If you have suggestions, you have got to let me

know!

73's from Brian.

726. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Lutzinger <rickl@lathropeng.com>
Message-ID: <334BE3F4.4352@lathropeng.com>
Source record: 178456

RONALD W DEBRY wrote:
>
> Someone please stop me! - Oops! Too late (sometimes I just can't help
> myself :)
>
>
>
> Hi Barry,
>
> I do not understand what you mean by your third sentance (the run-on
> one, that is). "Since" refers to time, so I must surmise that you mean
> that "alot" previously was a word. Perhaps you could assume that the
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> you really meant "because." I doubt that, however, as it is usually
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> in preference to a real word.
>
> Notice how this version contains no run-on sentances and is shorter
> than your version. Yet, this version carries the same pedantic message
> as the original.
>
> No charge for the grammatical advice (this time).
>
> Cheers, Ron

All this criticizing and none of you can spell worth a damn!

727. FS: TS-830s w/filters, VFO-230, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic Rosenthal <rakefet@rakefet.com>
Message-ID: <334BFABD.529@rakefet.com>
Source record: 178457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap

I have for sale the following:

Kenwood TS-830s with two optional CW filters....$600
Kenwood VFO-230.....$175
Package deal.....$750 AND I'll throw in a
Shure 444 desk mike.

All equipment is in excellent electrical and cosmetic condition,
operation and service manuals included. Non-smoker. Prices are firm,
you ship COD or postal money order (or pick up in central CA).

I'd prefer the package deal, so I'll save all replies in the order
received for a couple of days before splitting it up.

For further information, send email.

Vic Rosenthal K2VCO
Fresno, CA

rakefet@rakefet.com

728. Kenwood 733A Mod Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aw1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <334BFA4C.487A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178458

Hello,

I need to modify the UHF side of my mobile rig to receive 450 - 470 mhz.
Where can I get reliable instructions to accomplish this modification.
Please e mail them to me if you have them, I would be most appreciative.

KA6LXQ

729. Re: Kenwood 733A Mod Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aw1@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <334BFBAD.72E2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 178459

aw1@earthlink.net wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I need to modify the UHF side of my mobile rig to receive 450 - 470 mhz.
> Where can I get reliable instructions to accomplish this modification.
> Please e mail them to me if you have them, I would be most appreciative.
>
> KA6LXQ

Sorry, it's a 732A

730. Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew <murdock@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <01bc452b$913967e0$c9c9cfcf@murdock>
Source record: 178460

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hello everyone
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731. Re: New TV Frequencies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin@osuunx.ucc.okstate.edu
Message-ID: <5igo58$q7i@news.cis.okstate.edu>
Source record: 178461

In a previous posting, somebody wrote:
>> these channels (probably 60-63) will be given to public-safety
>> operations, and the rest auctioned. And, the FCC will use the
>> now-vacated NTSC assignments to "compact" the spectrum assigned to TV.

Here's what I don't understand. Why not give channels 66-69 to
public safety agencies since that dovetails nicely with the existing use
that the old channels 70-83 went to some time in the late seventies.

It would also seem to me that we should make a clean break with
the past and convert all frequencies in the present 12 VHF channels to
expansions of the present VHF low and VHF high bands for public service,
amateur, and commercial service.

There might be room in there also for digital audio
broadcasting. That's my $.02

Martin McCormick WB5AGZ Stillwater, OK 36.7N97.4W
OSU Center for Computing and Information Services Data Communications Group

732. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.com
Message-ID: <334d63df.26878238@news.syspac.com>
Source record: 178113

debryrw@ucunix.san.uc.edu (RONALD W DEBRY) wrote:

>In article <334BE3F4.4352@lathropeng.com>,
>>All this criticizing and none of you can spell worth a damn!
>
>Yep - grammer advice is free, but correct spelling runs extra.
>

My grammer on my muthers side was a good speller. Thats where I got
my speshal abilitie.

733. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbv@flash.net
Message-ID: <5ihofv$aq4@library.airnews.net>
Source record: 178114
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

>Please post a few of the Win95 software packages locations so I can look
>at them. I am just getting back into radio after a perion of QRT.
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Ed,

The K2TL homepage: http://members.aol.com/jkktl/ham.htm has the
program WxSat which uses your soundcard to decode the Polar Orbiters
and Meteosats then displays the WAV file as a BMP. An excellent
compilation of SSTV programs is found at http://www.qsl.net/n9ngf/
Some of the programs are DOS and some are Win95. There are
descriptions and shareware to be downloaded directly from the site.
I'd have to do a search to find some other sources and my
ISP server is running s..l..ooo..ww.. tonight. Just search using
Webcrawler or Yahoo to find SSTV software, RTTY software, and
Wxsat links.

73 Ken K5MBV
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734. Re: Yaesu FT-50 - Speaker Mike & Ear Piece Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5ihnt0$hbq@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178115

I have the clip on speaker mike. Its pretty good BUT
I prefer the ear piece lapel mike gizmo.

Its not nearley as rugged as the speaker mike,

Its a single wire with an ear phone and hanging a little further down the wire is a dime sized mike with a PTT on it.

The advantage is you don hve to have the speaker blaring at you over the car noise or other noise. It also is more private. Though you may seem more like secret service than police!

To talk you just grab the little hanging mike and press the ptt. it works fine from my bicylce which is usually too noisy to hear the speaker unless its way up.

735. Lowered Price. Yaesu FT-890 AT Compact HF Rig $825

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Message-ID: <334c66de.53066125@news.netins.net>
Source record: 178116

Lowered Price! Yaesu FT-890 AT Compact HF Rig with built in Automatic Tuner. Extremely light use. Approximately 30 total contacts is total usage. In perfect shape, like brand new with all the original boxes and packing.

100 watts power on all HF bands. IF shift and IF notch filter. Four microprocessors provide the easiest possible control interface. Two independent VFOs for each band (20 total) hold their own frequencies and modes as well as clarifier offsets and repeater shifts. 32 memories store data for the VFOs giving a total of 84 independent sets of frequency, mode and other selections. Noise blanker, all mode squelch, 4 function multimeter, and AF speech compressor with adjustable IF passband shift. Iambic memory keyer for CW with dot-dash memory.

Top panel heatsink allows this radio to run cool at all times and with an internally switched fan, it allows full transmitter output without any rear panel protrusions.

Add CAT control to hook this fine radio up to your computer.

Perfect shape and like brand new. $825.00, buyer to pay shipping.

KG0UK Don Peaslee

email don.peaslee@ncn.net
phone 712-852-3018
Emmetsburg, Iowa
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Don Peaslee (Radio Op: KG0UK) Mail: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Emmetsburg, Iowa 50536-8506 Voice/Fax: 712-852-3018
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736. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc456a$a6a7dc80$57a745cf@enterprise>
Source record: 178117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> >
> > Would you guys please explain just what your cats are doing to your
> > equipment? I have three cats, one of which sleeps on top of an SW4A,
and
> > have never had any damage, stain, smell, or anything to poorly effect
my
> > radios. I do have to dust the equipment once a week to rid cat hair
but I
> > assume most people dust once a week anyway. I have had both cats and
> > shortwave radios for 25 years with zero problems. Maybe it is true
that
> > pets take on the habits and actions of their owners. :-)
> >
> > Being from the heart of tobacco country (now there is an ironic
> > juxtaposition) however, I agree that tobacco smoke is a problem to
clean.
> > Pro409 does do the job with just a little effort.
> >
> > Mark
> >
> >
> Does Pro409 work on lungs?

No, Pro409 does not work on lungs but I doubt that you could sniff enough latent tar from a radio to fill your lungs, but hey, some people have stranger hobbies.

With all of this talk of tobacco and cats, you aren't cleaning radios that you purchase by licking them are you?

Mark

737. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc456b$b6d71f20$57a745cf@enterprise>
Source record: 178118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

>
> The issue is not what you would do to take care of your equipment. The
> issue is what the previous slob did with/to the equipment you're gonna
> buy. And there are a lot of people who live like slobs...a lot...
>
> I've been in the TV repair business. I've had girlfriends with cats
> and had to fix stuff around their houses. In all cases, the cat hair
> gets into everything. It gummms up the ventillation. Humidity makes
> it conductive and messes up high volgage stuff. Once the arc thru the
> hair makes a carbon track on the ECB, it's too late. It's gonna fail
> sooner or later, no matter how much you try to clean it.
>

Please don't tell my SW4A that. It has been slept on for over 20 years and has not failed. And the Mac amp has been glowing away for nearly 30 years with just one tube change. Maybe it was a different thread (the one about inventing stuff) but they made this neat thing called a vacuum cleaner that eliminates that little hair problem.

Housekeeping is not the cats problem.

Mark

738. Wanted: Icom IC-2SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: megaman@cupid.com
Message-ID: <E8ECv9.Cwv@ocnet.co.orange.ca.us>
Source record: 178119

I have an Icom IC-2SAT 2m that has a cracked circuit board in it. I love the radio and would like to find another as I still have a rapid charger and an almost new battery. Please e-mail if you have one in good to excellent shape (even if the battery is not good)

KE4PAU

739. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Lorona <al_lorona@hp.com>
Message-ID: <334C77EE.CF9@hp.com>
Source record: 178120

Ted wrote:
>

> Did you know that HRO LIES to hams in their catalog about many factory
> suggested retail prices?
>

I just had to post my own experiences gathered over two decades of doing business with HRO's Southern California locations.

Every time I go in there, unless I announce my intention to spend hundreds of dollars, I am treated on a low-priority zero courtesy basis. They simply have no time to bother with someone who is merely buying the new repeater directory, or whatever. Once, I purchased the ARRL Antenna Book, brought it home, found the floppy disk with the software on it was missing, and drove all the way back only to be accused (in full voice) of stealing it! Can you imagine this? The condescending manner in which the manager "listened" to my complaint was pitiful. No, the customer is definitely always WRONG at Ham Radio Outlet.

I challenge any ham in SoCal to walk in on a busy Saturday, stand around politely waiting to be served, and inquire about a relatively inexpensive item. See what happens. You get faster, more courteous service at a self-serve gas station, for heaven's sake.

The sad footnote to this story is that, in the 70s when Henry Radio was the established (read 'arrogant') ham store in town, an upstart shop opened up down the street, offering customer service and friendly hams behind the counter. We were very excited, hopeful. The company? HRO... And we all know what eventually happened to Henry Radio...

Al W6LX

740. FS: CS900 autopatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hbcsc274@huey.csun.edu
Message-ID: <334c7ad8.0@130.166.1.64>
Source record: 178121

I have a used Connect Systems CS-900 simplex autopatch for sale.
It is about 3 years old and works fine.
You hook it up to the mic and speaker jacks of your radio, and connect a
telephone line to it. Then you can make phone calls from your radio in
the car, or an HT.
The price is $200 firm + $10 shipping.
If you are near Los Angeles, you can come pick it up.
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Jerry Wang, KE6UUX | California State University Northridge
jerw@usa.net | School of Engineering and Computer Science
http://www.csun.edu/~hbcsc274 | Northridge, California, USA

741. TUBES FOR SALE 4B32 MV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip@faroc.com.au
Message-ID: <5ih670$um6@demeter.omen.com.au>
Source record: 178122

RCA SINGLE PLATE. 2A3, X1 USED. GOOD CONDITION TESTS 45MA-5.2MA
/VOLT. $US50-00.
WESTERN ELECTRIC 350B XI USED TESTS 50MA-6MA /VOLT
NATIONAL UNION WE TYPE 350B USED TESTS 50-6MA/VOLT
NATIONAL UNION WE TYPE 350B USED TESTS . WEEK. BEST OFFER FOR THE
THREE.
STC 4B32 MERCURY VAPOR RECTIFIER NOS. CV2518. $US15-00 EACH OR BEST
OFFER
TYPE 45. USED. $US 15-00. OR BEST OFFER.
6550A GE NOS. US$ 35-00.
.
CCA. E88CC NOS. ZEARIX ENGLAND, US$15-00 GOLD PINS.
7027A NOS. SYLVANIA, ECG. US$ 30-00.CAN SUPPLY MATCHED.
TUNGSOL. 6L6WGB. NOS,US$25-00
7581-KT66.GE.NOS US$ 25-00
PO BOX 268 MAYLANDS WEST AUSTRALIA. 6051

742. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 178123

HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
$20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter. The entire
filter, including box, extra packing, shipping, etc should not
have been more than 3 bucks tops -- the box it came in was 2 inches by
3 inches, and less than an inch thick. I was angry as hell when I
got the mastercard bill for 119.95 (99.95 for the filter, 20
bucks for shipping).

No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
Joe

Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China

http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html

ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.
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743. FT2200 mod request

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: presleyr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970410000600.UAA13997@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178124

Does anyone have the extended TX mod for Yaesu's FT2200, all help greatly appreciated. Thx de KB5MBC (Rick) Plz reply PresleyR@aol.com

744. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kodis@kodis.jagunet.com
Message-ID: <slrn5kpjq9.s4f.kodis@kodis.jagunet.com>
Source record: 178125
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

Previously, regarding some soundcard demodulator, tkrempa wrote:

>it sucks, brian....its been done ...and better...

Thanks for the product review. This would be more helpful if you
could specify were it's been done, which products you find are better,
and why. Care to try a follow-up?

-- John Kodis.

745. FS Collins RE 75S-3C - Excellent A+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <334CD57D.3F3C@mail.org>
Source record: 178126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I am considering selling my Round Emblem Collins 75S-3C which is in A+ superb condition. It's just been recently aligned, and includes the 2.1 kHz SSB and 500 Hz CW filters. It is a superior example of the last S-Line receiver built by Collins Radio. I'm taking email offers due to the fact that I do not know the market value of units like this one. If you buy it, you cannot be disappointed because of its extraordinary electrical and physical condition. Will consider trades including Rockwell Collins KWM-2A - 312B-5 or Collins KWM-380. Joe in Roswell, GA

746. Re: On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Canopus <be459@lafn.org>
Message-ID: <334CD233.6A79@lafn.org>
Source record: 178127

Jetleb@netcom.ca wrote:
>
> With regard to the question of how to mount a glass-mount antenna, may I
> suggest going to your local windsheild replacement shop and have them
> glue it on? My mirror fell of last summer so I went to one of the above
> shops and they glued it on - no charge. It's only a few drops of glue to
> them.
>
> Matthias Jetleb VA3-MWJ

I found that the GE silicone glue (I used the bathroom caulking and the general purpose type. Other types should work as well.) worked very well for mounting the rear view mirror. I used the special glue for the mirror from an automotive shop once and failed. I used the GE glue on three different cars and had not have any failure during my ownership of the cars.

747. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <334CD3A4.3438@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 178128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ted wrote:
>
> On Wed, 9 Apr 1997, Randy J Wesson wrote:
>
> > HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
> > RADIO IS LOCATED
>
> Maybe after buying that $7000 rig and accessories they can't afford
> things like doors or tables or other rooms and have to sit the radio on
> the floor of their one room motel room next to the litter box. Heh-heh!
>
> Dogs drool, but cats rule!

Right on, Ted! I've got 3 cats myself and have never had a problem.
I just remember to keep the door closed at all times (whether I'm
operating or not). One of the cats (a long hair) hears the voices
coming from the speaker and sometimes scratches on the door for me to
let her in. I let her in, she sits on the florr for a couple of
minutes, listens to the traffic, makes a few cat comments, and leaves.
My shack is nothing fancy (basement location, walled-off with a 2x4
stud wall covered on the outside with paneling, door is paneling
reinforced with 2x4's), and the operating desk is an old hollow-core
door on a frame of pressure-treated 2x4's. Cheap, quick, and it
work's!
BTW, had a dog (dachshund), but it died. Was I happy the day it went
toes-up. Got another cat to replace the dog.
--
Jack
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
ARRL - N2MPU
NRA & NRA-ILA

748. WTB: TM-733ABLMD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Message-ID: <334CD8BA.4524@Nantucket.Net>
Source record: 178129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Please email with the info......

Thanks, Mark, N1XYY

749. Re: WTB - Inline RF Sampler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <334cdc61.46055645@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178130

A little more info as to what you are looking for might help you get what you want. Like frequency range, power handling ......

kc4pe@mindspring.com (NuView) wrote:

>Loking for an inline (coax) RF sampler.
>Thanks,
>Bill
>kc4pe@mindspring.com
>http://www.iloveusa.com/nuview

750. Re: Yaesu FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip Nichols <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <334CDCAB.76BD@gatecom.com>
Source record: 178131

I prefer the hardware mod because if I should have to reset the radio
I would then hate to be away from my computer and lose the mod until
I can reload the file. Thye hardware mos was not that hard and is
permanant.
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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx#semi.mi.usa.noam

751. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <334C9501.9D@atl.org>
Source record: 178132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Mark Bryant wrote:
>
> With all of this talk of tobacco and cats, you aren't cleaning radios that
> you purchase by licking them are you?
>

Should I be surprised at the comments posted by folks who have not
followed the entire thread and all it's bifurcations.
^^^
For all who can do without 'te pusi' long enough, I suggest a visit
to www.dejanews.com and a trip back to the origin of this thread.

yours truly,

ropati (friend of rat) e vica na i sau na ga

752. Ham Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Fleenor <johnf@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <334CFED7.41D0@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 178133

http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf

753. help and info on alinco dr-610

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: thunter@powerup.com.au
Message-ID: <5iiqo6$5vo$1@grissom.powerup.com.au>
Source record: 178134

am about to purchase one of these babies and was wondering what mods are around
and what extra coverage you get??????

SPUD

754. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.com
Message-ID: <334cf5fb.3654470@news.syspac.com>
Source record: 178135

Al Lorona <al_lorona@hp.com> wrote:

>Ted wrote:
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>
>> Did you know that HRO LIES to hams in their catalog about many factory
>> suggested retail prices?
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>
>I just had to post my own experiences gathered over two decades of
>doing business with HRO's Southern California locations.
>
>Every time I go in there, unless I announce my intention to spend
>hundreds of dollars, I am treated on a low-priority zero courtesy basis.

[bunches snipped]

Come to the Phoenix store. Gary, Wendell and the crew are always courteous and easy to deal with, even with a $0.20 sale. Mebbe it is the california water?

No...I do not work for HRO.

cdn

C. Dean Norris, K7NO
e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com

755. Kenwood 950SD,850SAT,AR3500 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LOTUS <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <334D1A19.4377@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 178136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Kenwood 950SD Digital HF, 150 watts, DSP-10 built-in,
mint condition, original boxes,mic,manual,service manual.
$1500. Unit was $3495 new.

Kenwood 850SAT, 100 watts,slope tuning,excellent condition,
Kenwood IF 232 interface,mic,manual $1100.

Ranger 3500 30 watt model,AM/FM/SSB/CW excellent condition
26-30mhz, $175.

Kenwood SW2100 SWR/Power meter 200/2KW setings. Mint in box. $100

Will take a mint Kenwood TS50 or Icom 706 in towards the
850SAT or 950SD.

E-Mail to 74364.207@CompuServe.com or call 201-328-3581

756. WTB: Kenwood CW Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: burnett@wizard.net
Message-ID: <334D5C5C.51D3@wizard.net>
Source record: 178137

Looking for TS-950/850/450 series filters:

YG455C-1
YG-455CN-1

Thanks,
Burt
W3IO

757. GE Master II VHF & UHF Mobiles sale - NEW REDUCES PRICES!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbw <rbw@testengeer.com>
Message-ID: <01bc45bd$6b8bf0c0$6c78f3cf@primary>
Source record: 178138
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Geradios.txt

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758. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale! NO MORE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc45c6$b5eed2a0$46a745cf@enterprise>
Source record: 178139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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But I have followed this thread from the beginning. Sorry for your
misinformed assumption.

Mark

BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org> wrote in article <334C9501.9D@atl.org>...
> Mark Bryant wrote:
> >
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> yours truly,
>
> ropati (friend of rat) e vica na i sau na ga
>
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759. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cedric Roberts <crob@hoclim.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <vtgwPBAmIRTzEw6b@hoclim.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 178140
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

In article <5ihofv$aq4@library.airnews.net>, Ken Durham <mbv@flash.net>
writes
>
>>Please post a few of the Win95 software packages locations so I can look
>>at them. I am just getting back into radio after a perion of QRT.
>~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> Ed,
>
> The K2TL homepage: http://members.aol.com/jkktl/ham.htm has the
>program WxSat which uses your soundcard to decode the Polar Orbiters
>and Meteosats then displays the WAV file as a BMP. An excellent
>compilation of SSTV programs is found at http://www.qsl.net/n9ngf/
>Some of the programs are DOS and some are Win95. There are
>descriptions and shareware to be downloaded directly from the site.
> I'd have to do a search to find some other sources and my
>ISP server is running s..l..ooo..ww.. tonight. Just search using
>Webcrawler or Yahoo to find SSTV software, RTTY software, and
>Wxsat links.
>
>73 Ken K5MBV
To all of you radio amateurs out there ! A plea for help from
someone bogged down at the moment.
I have obtained the wxsat software which works perfectly with
prepared .wav or .bmp files. I have also obtained a sound card (Idema
sound card series Schubert which is a 16bit ES1868 card) This has been
set up with port 220H, interrupt 10 [to avoid clashes with network card
set to 5] and DMA 1. It is set for wave file processing at 11.025kHz,
mono, 8 bit
No matter how I try I cannot produce a .wav file from the system
even though the input (into the audio plug on the card) produces sound
from the monitor speakers. I can also play CD's via the CD player,
but....NO .wav file at all. I have tried live signals, and recorded
signals all to no avail. I have even tried to contact ESS technologies
in the States by e-mail but have had the message returned with this
address unknown. So at the moment I am having to suck my thumb, mainly
since I am neither a radio amateur or a computer "literate". The
setting up of the system was done for me as I am essentially an amateur
climatologist (retired).
So, can any of you boffins out there throw any light on my
problems and even suggest what I can do to get a .wav signal. Have I
got a duff sound card ??
Thanks for any help or guidance,

--
Cedric Roberts

760. 8 Conductor mic cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsutton@erols.com
Message-ID: <334d14ff.15948737@news.erols.com>
Source record: 178141

Would appreciate any suggestions as to where to buy 8 conductor mic cable - such as that used by Yaesu - and others. Would rather have straight cable - but could get by with coiled type.

Many thanks for your help.

73/Jim/AC4CZ

761. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale! NO MORE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <334CCE12.15D9@atl.org>
Source record: 178142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Mark Bryant wrote:

> BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org> wrote in article <334C9501.9D@atl.org>...

> > Mark Bryant wrote:
> > >
> > > With all of this talk of tobacco and cats, you aren't cleaning
> > > radios that you purchase by licking them are you?
>
> But I have followed this thread from the beginning. Sorry for your
> misinformed assumption.
>

Mark and any who would misunderstand his position in this meowling,

The attributed qoute should make it clear that Mark has the capacity
to follow the this once humorous thread and I apologize profusely for
any suggestion otherwise that may be attributed to me.

Before a simple lampoon degenerates to mass caterwauling, it might
^^^
be prudent to offer some stuff up for swap.

4-1000 new, original box destroyed by water
4-1000 pull, good for testing
4-1000 socket, used good shape
4-1000 filament transformet, new and correct for single tube

all are smoke, cat, rat, snake, insecticide, meat, fur, CB,
airforce, cult, bgh, o'possum, and humor free.

all the above to sell for $200 plus shipping from Atlanta
or swap for Geloso gear or excellent ICIR 200 transceiver.

Hint: A pair of microwave oven trransformers will get you the HV
to run a 4-1000 they can be found on the roadside.

-bob

762. FS: Motorola System Saber +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970410165601.MAA08179@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178143

Hello,
I am selling my UHF Motorola System Saber with all the features inside
of it. Also, with it..

Public Safety Mic
Regular Mic
2 Antenna's (STUBY + LARGER)
2 batteries
1 rapid charger
Saber cables

All this I am selling it for.... $950.00 + Shipping

Interested let me know... Jeffrey

763. HP 1743A Manual Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Manuel A. Maseda" <mmaseda@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5ij860bim1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 178144

I'm looking for a manual for an HP 1743A scope.

Manuel

764. WTB Kenwood VFO-520 remote vfo for TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <5ija12$826@nntpb.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 178145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Kenwood TS-520 transceiver and am trying to locate the remote VFO (Kenwood VFO-520) for it. If anyone has one that they want to get rid of, please let me know.

Thanks,

Joe Levantino
KB2FSH

765. WTB:Icom Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: picture@fosston.polaristel.net
Message-ID: <picture-1004970741200001@erskine-31.dialup.means.net>
Source record: 178146

I am in need of the FL53 (250 Hz CW) filter for the Icom 751A. E mail me if you can part with yours.

766. FS: Yaesu Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: picture@fosston.polaristel.net
Message-ID: <picture-1004970742560001@erskine-31.dialup.means.net>
Source record: 178147

I have an International Radio Corp. filter for sale. It is a 2.1 SSB that fits the Yaesu 757GXII. $25.00 Please E-mail if interested.

767. YAESU FP-800 POWER SUPPLY << your input, please >>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjacob@iofc.com
Message-ID: <860696000.18316@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178148

I originally posted to this newsgroup with a question about some noise problems I was experiencing with the ASTRON switching and linear power supplies. For those of you who may not have seen the original posting, here is a recap:

When using the Astron SS-30 and (later) the RS-35M with my FT-900/CAT, I experienced transient or switching noise that made copying weak signals on 160 and 80 nearly impossible. Some of this noise appeared every 38 Khz or so. This noise problem vanished when I switched over to a 12 volt automotive storage battery. There were no computers or television sets involved with this noise problem.

I would like to say thanks to all who responded to my original posting. The responses ran about 50 / 50 "for" or "against" the ASTRON supplies.

A NEW APPROACH --

Now I am looking for input from those of you who are currently using or have used the YAESU FP-800 power supply. Although this supply is quite a bit more expensive than the equivalent ASTRON, I am wondering whether it, too, is noisy. I am particularly interested in your experiences with this supply when operating 160 meters and 80 meters HF. If you have had some experiences with this supply (positive or negative) I would certainly welcome your input and feedback on this subject.

73s,

Jacob Worthington
AA4FM
Conway, Arkansas, USA

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

768. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion**@capital.net
Message-ID: <334d3560.4411096@news.capital.net>
Source record: 178149

On Thu, 10 Apr 1997 16:10:45 -0700, Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
wrote:

>HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
>A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
>price was 99.95.
> But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
>$20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter. The entire
>filter, including box, extra packing, shipping, etc should not
>have been more than 3 bucks tops -- the box it came in was 2 inches by
>3 inches, and less than an inch thick. I was angry as hell when I
>got the mastercard bill for 119.95 (99.95 for the filter, 20
>bucks for shipping).
>
>No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
>Joe
>---
>Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China

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Hey, I know why you were charged so much, Joe. They sent the part via
a slow boat to China!

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73,
Butch N2YMJ
To send mail, delete
the two stars from
my address.

769. FS: RS Pro43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Cox <i2567@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <334CCB85.1DF4@netnitco.net>
Source record: 178150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have one in excellent condition. It is unmodified, but I believe it can be. Serial# 13708, FCC-AA20-300, Date Code 8A2. Includes leather case, manual, Original "rubber duck" antenna. Price $230 Shipped to your door.

Ed

770. Getting rid of mics ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <334d43cb.7338936@news.usit.net>
Source record: 178151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm unloading all my microphone-laden equipment ...

Telex Contester Headset with boom mic, very little use. Model
62400-155. $65

Heil BM-10 Boomset, double-ears, needs new coverings on ears. HC-4
DX element. With adapter for Kenwood radios. $50

Shure 444 mic (Swan label!), wired for Kenwood currently. $30.

Shipping additional -- your method (USPS, FedEx, UPS).

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Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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771. Re: Yaesu FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ozcar Cortez <coredump@euphoria.vt.com>
Message-ID: <334D2512.489E@euphoria.vt.com>
Source record: 178152

Mark Grandstaff wrote:
>
> The MARS /CAP mod (remove solder jumper)enables expanded transmit from
> 120-232 & 313-507. The Freeband hardware mod (remove resister) allowes
> you to switch to any of several band plans storred in ROM. One of these
> is the HAM bands only set up (mine came this way out of the box) another
> is Freeband. With the resister removed you can switch to these bands by
> a combination of key strokes/power up.
>
> There is a Software only mod that allows both the MARS/CAP TX
> frequencies and the Freeband mod. It involves modifying a file created
> with the ADMS software with a hex editor. This takes about 60 seconds
> and doesn't necessate opening your radio and voiding the warranty. The
> result is the same with either approach except that with the software
> only mode you can not switch band plans with key strokes. You must
> modify a file and upload it to the radio.
>

Where could I find the isntructions for the MARS/CAP mod via ADMS? I
have seen the Freemod using a hex editor, however I haven't seen the one
for the MARS/CAP.

772. FS ICOM IC2350H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LEE <K6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <334D28DF.7349@pacbell.net>
Source record: 178153

Ihave for sale an icom ic2350h in like new condition.It has never been installed or used in a mobile.It has the tone remote option installed allowing remote control from a ht.It has the tx and rcv frequencies expanded.Price $375.
AL

773. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5ijhsm$8o0@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178154

I own both the 733 and the TMV7A Kenwoods. Forget the 733 its a pain to use, the button are too small and the screen display characters are too small to read while driving. The programming is impossible without the manual.

The TMV7A is much much easier to use. You dont need the manual and the display is easy to read even while driving. The Buttons are large enough to be used by normal sized American hands. Its not a perfect radio but I looked at many and found this one to be better *for me* than the others. Alpha memory names makes it practical to put in loads of repeater memories and still know what repeater your blabing on.

=73=

robinsona@rl.af.mil wrote:
: In message <0513.199704091219.03BED8A8@macgroup.org>, Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
: (Bill Combs) writes:

: >I have recently decided I need a 2 meter/440 rig. I was looking at the Kenwood
: TM-733A-BLMD, which has been discontinued but some outlets have a few left for
: around $450. It would seem to have everything I need. I assume it works as a
: >crossband repeater, which I want. However, I notice it cannot receive on VHF
: and UHF at the same time.

: The 733 CAN receive simultaneously on both bands, if programmed to do so. I
: personnally prefer the mute feature.

: I wonder how well owners like this rig. Is the new TM-V7A that much different?

: I own a 733 and enjoy it. The TM-V7A? Well, its more expensive.
: >
: >I was also considering the Yaesu FT-8000R. It has extendend receive which the
: Kenwood does not.....

: Well, what do you define as extended Rx? On UHF, the K'wood goes up to 470Mhz,
: and on VHF it goes into the 170's.

: (and more expensive). I am kind of intrigued by the extended receive (can the
: celluar freq. be opened up?) though I noticed that QST said the
: >sensitivity up there was not all that good. I wonder how that works out in
: actual practice (maybe all these rigs with extended receive suffer from poor
: sensitivity?). Any comments on these rigs or other dualbanders.
: >
: >Thanks,
: >
: >Bill Combs
: >W8BC

: Al, W2JUV

774. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Troy Wolford <wolford@ti.com>
Message-ID: <334D656B.4364@ti.com>
Source record: 178155

tnic wrote:
>
> I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.
>
> BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it
> pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.
>
> When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.

Is the engine running? If not, finals only get 12VDC. Most 12v power
supplies
running off of 110v AC mains supply 13.8V and well regulated. 1.8v less
is about
13% so 35 instead of 45 and 25 instead of 30 is resonable. Try your
power level
readings with the engine runnung at fast idle speed and I think the
numbers
will come up some.

Good luck
73
Troy
KC5KDM
Dallas, TX.

775. Icom 251A frequency mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5ijh3k$756@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 178156

Is there any extended frequency mods for the Icom IC-251A
2m all mode transceiver?

776. WTB> IC251A internal PS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5ijh1j$756@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 178157

Wanted an internal power supply for an Icom IC-251A 2m all mode transceiver.

777. Kenwood TR7500 Any mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5ijgvj$756@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 178158

I have a Kenwood TR-7500 2m mobile transceiver. Is here any mods out for this radio like extended frequency, home made tone board, etc?

778. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: louis@mail.snider.net
Message-ID: <5ijj6r$51n@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 178159

Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG (Bill Combs) wrote:

>I have recently decided I need a 2 meter/440 rig. I was looking at the Kenwood TM-733A-BLMD, which has been
>.discontinued but some outlets have a few left for around $450. It would seem to have everything I need. I assume it works as a
>crossband repeater, which I want. However, I notice it cannot receive on VHF and UHF at the same time.
> I wonder how well owners like this rig. Is the new TM-V7A that much different?

>I was also considering the Yaesu FT-8000R. It has extendend receive which the Kenwood does not (and more expensive).
> I am kind of intrigued by the extended receive (can the celluar freq. be opened up?) though I noticed that QST said the
>sensitivity up there was not all that good. I wonder how that works out in actual practice (maybe all these rigs with extended
>receive suffer from poor sensitivity?). Any comments on these rigs or other dualbanders.

>Thanks,

>Bill Combs
>W8BC

My Kenwood 733A seems to receive 2M and 70CM at the same time just fine..
N5NEJ

779. WTB: Hallicrafters S40A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <334d2d64.16553433@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 178160

Looking for a good to excellent working S40A. Please advise via e-mail
on condition and $ wanted.
VE2ATD
dussault@vipxlnet.com

780. FS: Kenwood YK-455C-1 500Hz Filter , Lower priced.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: grainone@caserta.peoples.it
Message-ID: <334c2180.546659@news.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 178161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Specially dedicated to TS-140/680, but VG also for lot of others KW
rtx.I sell it tested OK, like new for $ 70 shipped to your door.
e-mail me to:
grainone@caserta.peoples.it

73 de Vanni - I8JJB
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Vanni R.
Caserta,Italy

781. FS: YAESU, HEATH, DRAKE, HAMMARLUND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce J. Howes KG2IC" <bhowes@buffnet.net>
Message-ID: <334D57A6.5F01@buffnet.net>
Source record: 178162

I am posting this for a friend, do NOT respond to me, see the end of the
list for his contact info. Thanks!

YAESU FT101 HF RIG: 160-10M CW, AM, SSB. WITH SPEAKER AND YAESU YC601
DIGITAL DISPLAY, MANUAL. EXCELLENT
CONDITION. $500

DX100 160-10M CW AND AM TRANSMITTER. VERY GOOD CONDITION. $150

HAMMARLUND 129X WITH SPEAKER AND MANUAL. $100

HEATHKIT:
WARRIOR KILOWATT LINEAR AMP $75
MOHAWK RECEIVER $100
APACHE TRANSMITTER $100
-ALL HAVE MANUALS

WILL TRADE ALL THIS FOR KENWOOD 930.

CONTACT BOB AA2ZW AT 716/681-4008
LANCASTER, NY.

THANK YOU!
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: Bruce J. Howes KG2IC email:kg2ic@amsat.org :
: Grid FN03pa web:www.buffnet.net\~bhowes :
: East Amherst, NY 14051 sat:FO-20, UO-22, KO-23 :
: AMSAT-NA Area Coordinator fax:(716) 689-2880 :
: ARMY MARS AAR2AJ :
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782. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5ijcfocpd1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 178163

It takes MANY months to do all the layout for a catalog, and there is usually a cutoff date for changing information so they can get it printed.

By the time YOU get a catlog, the information can be as much as 12 months out of date depending on the catalog's production cycle. In today's dynamic marketplace, a catalog cannot hope to compete with an instantly upgradable web page.

Even HRO doesn't use their own catalog to check or confirm CURRENT pricing, they use a computer database!

Steve
WB7PSD

783. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5ijcnicpd2@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 178164

barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady) wrote:

>kpodd@aol.com (KPodd) wrote:

>:My father (W2KX) died 7 years ago. Alot of old ham gear remains. The best
>
>Hi there. What do you mean by "alot"? Since it is not a real word I need
>to know what it means to you and also I am curious as to what made you
>decide to use a non-word in preferance to a real word.
>
>Barry

>===================================
>To reply via email please remove the XX from my
>return address.

I want to know why you neglected to spell "preference" correctly.
Does it mean something different to you spelled in this fashion?

Get a life, there are more important things going on than to be ANAL
about someone else's typing skills on an informal forum such as this.

Steve
WB7PSD

784. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Havener <mhavener@peinc.com>
Message-ID: <01bc45e5$7717b140$e5deb7ce@qe-001>
Source record: 178165

In my experience with HRO, I've found that if you bring an AES catalog with you, they will discount the price on the spot to match AES. I can't underdstand why HAMs must go through these shinanigans, especialy if they have that much margin in the price. My advice is to get even with the SOB's and bring the AES catalog with you next time. If they still treat you linke dirt, buy it from AES!

Mike

Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote in article
<334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>...
> HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
> less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
> a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
> I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
> $20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter. The entire
> filter, including box, extra packing, shipping, etc should not
> have been more than 3 bucks tops -- the box it came in was 2 inches by
> 3 inches, and less than an inch thick. I was angry as hell when I
> got the mastercard bill for 119.95 (99.95 for the filter, 20
> bucks for shipping).
>
> No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
> Joe
> --
> Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China
>
> http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html
>
> ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
> Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.
> --
>

785. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenwood Customer Care <cuyeda@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <334D5F0D.119A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178166

It is unfortunate that this message was not elaborated. I am not sure what kind of problem Gary has but, I can tell you that Kenwood has had a couple of reports about the TS-570D turning ON when the power supply is turned on. The Power On switch is not a mechanical switch and therefore gets fooled into being turned on.

Even when the switch is not turned on intentionally. Kenwood has found that in a couple of (specific cases) situations the lithium battery may be depleted. This situation is being looked at very closely to determine if there is genuine concern. If there is anyone who has a similar occurence, please call Kenwood's customer service.

Gary - KJ6Q wrote:
>
> franklin@net-link.net (Gary F. Franklin) wrote:
> >I purchased a new TS-570D in January and it recently went on the
> >blink! Shipped it back to AES.... Four weeks later I inquired want
> >its repair status was and they told me Kenwood has requested these
> >rigs be shipped to them for warrenty work..... AES was not anxious to
> >give me much info..... Can anyone out there shed a little light on
> >possible TS-570D problems??
> >
> >Gary K8BKB
>
> "WENT ON THE BLINK" isn't much info - other 570D owners (like me!) would
> appreciate a bit more detail, since if there IS a design problem needing
> monitoring or checking, we would sure like accurate direction...
> --
> Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!

786. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin@osuunx.ucc.okstate.edu
Message-ID: <5ijf9e$pge@news.cis.okstate.edu>
Source record: 178167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I was a service technician with Oklahoma State University's
Audio Visual center for 7 years and think that if I were going to write
a chapter in one of those servivalist garilla manuals as to how to
stealthily destroy electronic equipment, I would suggest that the
saboteur should take up heavy smoking around the gear to be destroyed.
The residue is a little sticky so dust will stay firmly attached to any
surface in contact with the smoke and the smoke will leak in to the
smallestholes and coat whatever lies inside. It always seemed to me
that equipment that had had the smoke treatment failed in more unusual
ways and was harder to repair than similar devices that hadn't been
fumigated with tobacco smoke. Besides, it stunk also.

Martin McCormick

787. FS Kenwood TR-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa1jwc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970410231000.TAA02382@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178168

http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=vqs45349

Thanks 73

788. RCI 2900 Schematic..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: lenrev@wwa.com
Message-ID: <334d7400.9905221@news.wwa.com>
Source record: 178169

Anyone have, or know where I can get a copy of schematic and /or book
for an RCI 2900??

TIA

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*********************************
| Len Revelle lenrev@wwa.com |
| Illinois CIS 72607,1320 |
| N9IJ AMA 60055 |
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789. RE: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970410183531121 90@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178170

>>Did you know that HRO LIES to hams in their catalog about many factory
>>suggested retail prices?

And you called Standard the same week of the year that the current HRO catalog went to press? You can therefore PROVE that HRO is INTENTIONALLY attempting to deceive us?

>>You guys know by now that I am a master at fault-finding and
>>criticism...

I only know you as an arrogant, Internet-abusing moron, "Ted."

- Clint Bradford

790. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jf30@dial.pipex.com
Message-ID: <334d42af.36375323@news.dial.pipex.com>
Source record: 178171
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

mbv@flash.net (Ken Durham) wrote:

> The K2TL homepage: http://members.aol.com/jkktl/ham.htm has the
>program WxSat which uses your soundcard to decode the Polar Orbiters
>and Meteosats then displays the WAV file as a BMP.

An Excellent program.
Now if only Christian Bock could add RTTY to WxSat that would be
perfect!

Phil L.

791. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <334D9DA6.4C1A@iu.net>
Source record: 178172

Joe wrote:
>
> HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.

i'd hold that anyone willing to sell radio accessories is taking a big gamble.
it's a low volume, high markup game.

> A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
> less, (but were out of stock).

i have 'em for $2 each but i'm always out of stock. if they don't have any
they can say they'll have 'em for any arbitrary price and then tell you the
"right" price later...just to keep you from buying else where until they can
get an order in.

> I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
> $20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter. The entire

what way was the package sent? parcel post or fed ex or ups red?
priority mail
would be like $3...i bet they have to either fab a box or come up with the stuffing to put the small box in a larger box. wouldn't do to have a filter arrive broken..

Due to a special offer from BMG a few years ago, i get offered music CDs for free during the year, but i have to pay S/H..so it's about $4 a disc.

the real lesson is to get the delivered price when doing mail order so they tell you what they'll be adding on for the guy who makes sure it's in the day's outbound shipments.

792. Kenwood filters YKK88C & YK88SN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5ijpol$5te@lois.zippo.com>
Source record: 178173

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For sale Kenwood YK88C, $50, YK88SN, $50.
Thanks for reading from Marshall, K4YQ.
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793. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <5ijkbv$gib@news02.comp.pge.com>
Source record: 178174

Troy Wolford <wolford@ti.com> writes: > tnic wrote:
> >
> > I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.
> >
> > BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it
> > pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.
> >
> > When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.
>
> Is the engine running? If not, finals only get 12VDC. Most 12v power
> supplies
> running off of 110v AC mains supply 13.8V and well regulated. 1.8v less
> is about
> 13% so 35 instead of 45 and 25 instead of 30 is resonable. Try your
> power level
> readings with the engine runnung at fast idle speed and I think the
> numbers
> will come up some.
>
> Good luck
> 73
> Troy
> KC5KDM
> Dallas, TX.

794. Yaesu FT-415 has no tone encode after servicing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Vincent Craven <paul_craven@raccoon.com>
Message-ID: <01bc45f3$68cd8480$704798cc@rdpc2992>
Source record: 178175

I have an FT-415 I sent in to get the lithium battery replaced. ($64! Ouch!) Now it can't do tone encoding. Anyone know if there is a mod I should check?

As a side note, I removed the decode board for the 415 and placed in my FT-3000M. It still encoded fine after that, but it hasn't since coming back from Yaesu service.

I'd also recommend against ever getting a handheld whose lithium battery requires a trip to the shop to get replaced.
--
Paul Vincent Craven, AA0PE
paul_craven@raccoon.com
http://www.raccoon.com/~pcraven

795. WTB TR-7 FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Johnson <BP93@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <334DB603.137E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178176

NEED SL-1800, SL4000 & SL6000 FILTERS FOR MY TR-7

PLEASE ADVISE PRICE

TNX,S BOB K7EYT

796. SWRMeters, Why 20/200W???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <334DC444.5B0B@icss.net>
Source record: 178177

Why is it that most of the manufacturers of power/swr meters are selling us equipment in the 20/200(/2000) watt range? When was the last time you saw a 20 watt handheld or a 20 watt mobile radio?
If your handheld does 2 to 5 watts on high power, your needle in the 20W setting is just barely moving. When testing your mobile radio, after first bending the needle on the 20 watt setting, you reset the meter to 200 watts scale, and same thing.
Of course, the real market is probably the million or so Japanese 10 watt No Code HF licencees, and 10 watts being mid-scale for these meters, is just abought right.
Hmmm. Just a thought.
Brian

797. FS:RF CONCEPTS 2 MTR. AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970410222000.SAA28467@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178178

FOR SALE: RF CONCEPTS MODEL RFC 2-417 2MTR AMP. IT IS VERY CLEAN IN PERFECT WORKING ORDER. 40IN FOR 170 OUT. 10 IN FOR APPROX 70 OUT. WITH BUILT IN PREAMP AND ALL DOCUMENTATION-$190. I WILL INCLUDE THE FEDEX SHIPPING STEVE W1SN TEL 508-222-1261

798. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <334DBEAA.5CB8@icss.net>
Source record: 178179

Barry, please allow me to help you understand. By "alot," I believe
that the author of your clip meant somewhat more than "alittle." Time
to clean your "tummy-plex" so you can see where you're going.
Some people's kids...
Brian

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> kpodd@aol.com (KPodd) wrote:
>
> :My father (W2KX) died 7 years ago. Alot of old ham gear remains. The best
>
> Hi there. What do you mean by "alot"? Since it is not a real word I need
> to know what it means to you and also I am curious as to what made you
> decide to use a non-word in preferance to a real word.
>
> Barry
>
> ====================================
> To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> return address.

799. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Demolition Man <nospam.demoman@rollanet.org>
Message-ID: <334DADA1.7B16@rollanet.org>
Source record: 178180
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

John Kodis wrote:
>
> Previously, regarding some soundcard demodulator, tkrempa wrote:
>
> >it sucks, brian....its been done ...and better...
>
> Thanks for the product review. This would be more helpful if you
> could specify were it's been done, which products you find are better,
> and why. Care to try a follow-up?
>
> -- John Kodis.

i must have missed this program. i've got a fairly decent morse decoder
for my sbAWE32 but would like that other stuff up there in the subject
line
--
A.C.Curtis
KB0WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman/

800. Kenwood TM-V7A/E Modifications !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4589$49b3fda0$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 178181

Following modifications are possible:

1. Wide band reception (Conversion A) - K destinations outside 800Mhz band support
2. Cross band repeater (Conversion A and B) - Completed with K destination measures
3. Page answer back (Conversion A and B) - Completed with K destination measures
4. DTMF remote - Operates even without conversion, but some items function when Conversion A and B are made.

Conversion location:
Remove the power cord from the main unit, remove the upper/lower case, flip down the panel, then operate.

Factory setting destination jumper table
Bit Destination (K, M, E)
3 R542 (W501) O X O
2 R543 (W502) O X O
1 R544 O X X
0 R546 O X O

(O: Jumper, X: No jumper)

Conversion A - Reception wide band (already dealt with for M destinations)
E destinations - Eliminates mounted chip jumper resistor R546 (0 Ohm)
K destinations - Cuts the mounted jumper wire (W501)
Conversion B - Repeater/answer back (Already dealt with for K destinations)
Chip jumper resistor 0 Ohm added (R92-0670-05) - The chip removed in Conversion A can be used in Conversion B. When adding or eliminating the chip jumper resistor, be careful not to peel off any of the printed cicuit pattern and not to harm any other parts.

ALL THESE MODIFICATIONS ARE THE RESPONSABILITY OF THE OWNER !

73s - ON1DJU

The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

801. Updated Web Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <334D487B.47AE@primenet.com>
Source record: 178182

Just completed major updates to my web page:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

Please set a bookmark!

73, Brian K7ON xKE7GH

802. TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian W. Haren" <bharen@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <334D6B41.12E6@n-link.com>
Source record: 178183

Two days ago I called Ten Tec to order on of their SWR/Wattmeter kits. The guy on the other end of the phone explained that they were on back order and would not be available again for two weeks. He said that if I wanted he would take my order and ship one to me as soon as it was available, or I could simply wait and call them back in a few weeks. I figured I had nothing to lose by ordering one and waiting.

Fifteen minutes ago the UPS guy rings my doorbell and hands me a package from Ten Tec with my kit in it!

Damn, now instead of mowing the lawn I'll have to spend Saturday putting this thing together and trying it out. Thanks Ten Tec, for screwing up my weekend! ;-)

Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?

They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in business.

Brian
KC5YNP

803. ICOM IC-707 4 SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: N2MUK <soyboy@inx.net>
Message-ID: <334C77B3.8FE@inx.net>
Source record: 178184

Hi. I have a IC-707 HF�radio in mint condition...transmitted twice to check SWR on Dipole only.
Make me a reasonable offer.. Need to liquidate this soon because I am getting married

Ken
soyboy@inx.net

804. Re: FS: Motorola System Saber +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt <chaka@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <334D504E.59BF@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 178185

Vic wrote:
>
> Jay B wrote:
> >
> > $950, wow, they are less than that new.. i dont get it...
>
> Less than that new!? No way. New, from Motorola cost is in the
> thousands... Might be a bit steep, but if that is what he wants,
> he has the right to ask...
> --
> VG

Pardon me, but I don't believe they make Sabers any longer. Haven't for years.

Astros are the replacement. I know several places that wanted Sabers but had to fork over the $3000+ for an Astro 1. No other choice if you want to use all the same chargers, batterys, holsters and extras.

Oh well.

MattD.
--
"If people in this city realized what was going on here every night, they'd get the hell out." LAPD Crime Scene Photographer.

805. Re: Anti-Spam Measures

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <334c7238.13893302@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178256

Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card> wrote:

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:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
:* My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This *
:* is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. *
:* To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! *
:* My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com *
:* When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, *
:* not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. *
:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
:* My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! *
:* I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever *
:* sends unsolicited advertizing via Email risk prompt *
:* cancelation of internet service without refund and *
:* possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! *
:* Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied *
:* to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. *
:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
: *
:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
:* My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! *
:* Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html *
:* Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! *
:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
: *
:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
:* Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! *
:* It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html *
:* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
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That is an obscene amount of sig file that is going to make you
very unpopular. You should have some consideration for people
if you want them to have consideration for you.

It would be very easy for someone who is offended by your absurd
sig file to subscribe you to lots of advertising services.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.
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806. Re: Old equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <334c7246.13906829@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 178257

kpodd@aol.com (KPodd) wrote:

:My father (W2KX) died 7 years ago. Alot of old ham gear remains. The best

Hi there. What do you mean by "alot"? Since it is not a real word I need
to know what it means to you and also I am curious as to what made you
decide to use a non-word in preferance to a real word.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

807. Kenwood TS140S Transmit everywhere / Dial speed?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andreas Triller <la0058@stud.uni-wuppertal.de>
Message-ID: <334C448C.9A6F2AE@stud.uni-wuppertal.de>
Source record: 178258

Hello all,

my father is an active OM (DL5EBO), but he doesn't have an EMail-adress,
so I post this question for him:
Is it possible (and how) to make a change to a Kenwood TS140S so that it
will send on all the frequencies where you can receive?
(It's not about pirate transmissions, just to be able to cheat the
antenna-tuner in abnormal wheather conditions it would be good to tune
the antenna a bit off the band).

Another interesting thing would be to set the speed of the
frequency-knob to 1/10.
The bigger Kenwood tranceivers allow this via a switsch, perhaps this is
also possible in the 140 and somebody knows where to connect an external
switch?

Thanks a lot for all answers!

Andreas Triller, Germany

808. 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5ihi21$1va@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178259

I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.

BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.

When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.

I am powering the radio directly from the car battery.

I tried a Mag mount and a trunk mount and 2 antennas. Same readings.

Any opinions why?

Thanks & 73

tnic@idt.net

809. Kenwood TS-120S FOR SALE!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <334CEB49.9A4@polarnet.com>
Source record: 178260

This KENWOOD rig is BEAUTIFUL!
Very clean model. Everything works great!

Comes with Hand mic, desk mike, DC power cord,
Manual.

Mind you this is the 200 WATT version and not
the 100 WATT.
Asking price is $420 (I pay shipping)
Reason for getting rid of this rig is....
I NEED TO PAY MY INSURANCE! DOH!

Don't worry, I have a 2 meter mobile to keep me company.

If interested please e'mail me at beaudrlt@polarnet.com

810. Re: IC-24AT HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <334c6028.1790691@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 178261

On 9 Apr 1997 13:51:05 GMT, evincent@mediom.qc.ca (Eric Vincent)
wrote:

>I have one ICOM IC-24AT and I don't know for what reason the processor will
>work like an IC-24ET. The range of TX freq. is 144-146 mHz VHF and 430-440 mHz
>UHF. Originaly this radio will be trnasmit over the US range.
>
>
>If you have any hint, e-mail me at evincent@mediom.qc.ca

Most likely a bad job of trying to modify the radio. Seen many
attenpts where the person doing the modification recreated the
Japanese diode matrix which limits VHF transmit to 144-146 Mhz.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

811. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: docdc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ileq8$hkd@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178063

In <860757631.25589@dejanews.com> hopewell@ctg.net writes:
>
>In article <334D5F0D.119A@ix.netcom.com>,
> Kenwood Customer Care <cuyeda@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>>
>> It is unfortunate that this message was not elaborated. I am not
sure
>> what kind of problem Gary has but, I can tell you that Kenwood has
had a
>> couple of reports about the TS-570D turning ON when the power supply
is
>> turned on. The Power On switch is not a mechanical switch and
therefore
>> gets fooled into being turned on.
>
>To whom it may concern --
>
>I've owned a TS-570D since mid-January and it's been a perfect rig. No
>problems here at all. In reference to Kenwood's comment above, the
>manual states that once you have turned the rig on, you can then turn
>it on and off using the switch on your power supply (as long as you
>don't switch off the main power switch on the rig). It was unclear to
>me in the above posting whether this was a case of equipment
malfunction
>or the operator not knowing about this function.
>
>I have seen several posts regarding TS-570Ds that have lost their
>memories using the Kenwood power supply (I'm not sure which model).
>I use an Astron RS-20A. Knock on wood, I haven't had the first
>problem with my TS-570D and I would recommend the rig to anyone.
>
>73,
>
>Meade, KA4RQB
>Richmond, Virginia
>
>e-mail: hopewell@ctg.net
>
>--------------------==== Posted via Deja News
====----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

I've had mine since December, and as the post above, had not one
problem. I guess like everything else though, no manufacturer sends out

100% flawless items. The other 570 owners I know of also have had zero problems. I'll also knock on that wood.

Dale KC8FAQ

812. FT-8000r problem? Scanning beep mixed with TX audio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Ho <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970411085228.11993A-100000@shell.one.net>
Source record: 178064

All FT-8000R OM's:

I don't know if this is an undocumented feature or a bug... Try this and please tell me what you think.

Transmit on your main-band and scan on your sub-band. When a signal appears on the sub-band, the "double beep" tone comes thru both the speaker *AND* the TX signal!

I had verified with another receiver that it's not the condensor mic piece that picked up the beep tone; instead, it's mixed with the TX audio. Loud and clear "beep-beep" when you talk! I use seperate speakers for each band; moreover, the beep tone comes out both speakers but not for the originating band.

Should I ship the rig back to Yaesu for a "Fix", if it is indeed a problem? Or am I hallucinating an undocumented feature as a problem?

It bugs me because it makes me telling people on a wide area repeater that I am doing heavy scanning while I am transmitting. Yeah every ham scans and so what? But others don't need to know, plus it affects my TX signal and that make it a problem for me.

Input! Input! Input! Thanks in advance.

Very best 73!

de AF4BH (VS6UE/W4)
David Ho
davidho@one.net

813. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbv@ti.com
Message-ID: <5ili6f$76d@dsk92.itg.ti.com>
Source record: 178065
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

,
>but....NO .wav file at all. I have tried live signals, and recorded
>signals all to no avail. I have even tried to contact ESS technologies
>in the States by e-mail but have had the message returned with this
>address unknown. So at the moment I am having to suck my thumb, mainly
> Thanks for any help or guidance,
>--
>Cedric Roberts
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Cedrick, When you say that you have the WxSat software, I
assume that you are talking about the Windows program. Are
you running Win95? If so you should be able to enable the
soundcard control panel from the tray. See if the WAV block
is disabled or if the WAV volume is turned all the way down.
Ken K5MBV
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814. TS-520S Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ernie@netvision.net.il
Message-ID: <334e441c.33227484@news.netvision.net.il>
Source record: 178066

Hi
Name here is Isaac.
I'm interested in the service manual for the ts520s xcvr and the
vfo520. I'll cover mail & photocopy cost.
Thanks in advance de Isaac, 4Z4TL

815. Re: Is there a "Bad trader" listings page?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <334f5895.29945248@news.usit.net>
Source record: 178067
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Wed, 09 Apr 1997 22:22:06 GMT, nit@wit.com (ELK,VE1ELK) wrote:

>Ed Cummins <mrmicro@techie.com> wrote:
>
>>Jerry Flanders wrote:
>>>
>>> >jbrower@voicenet.com
>>>
>>> >BTW, just in case you wanted to know what happened to me, I sold a
>>> >Kenwood TS-520S to Susan Driggers, KF4OBL for $300. I sent her the
>>> >radio, which was in fine working condition, back in November. Here it
>>> >is March, and I still haven't seen a dime from her. <snip>
>>> ==========
>
>
>>You can start with her QRZ listing and post it right here.
>
>> Susan R. Driggers
>> P.O. Box 6488
>> Marysville, TN 37802
>> insight@cris.com
>
>>I notice there is no street address. That's always a danger signal.
>>Are there any hams in or close to Marysville that can help?

FWIW, Maryville (no "s") is just south of Knoxville, so hams in that
area might be able to help.

Collection efforts have not been mentioned -- has contact been made
since receipt of the equipment?

We've had major problems with the USPS here in Tennessee within the
past year, including mail being stolen and poor delivery. I'm not
saying Ms. Driggers is without blame, just ensure all the options
are exhausted before blame is placed. I'm sure, in this case, the
options probably have been exhausted.

COD/money order first -- general rule. Sorry I couldn't be more
help.

72 es 73 de
Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt

"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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816. Re: systron donner 6054b microwave counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudolf Schaffer <info@asgalium.com>
Message-ID: <334E5C27.2F48@asgalium.com>
Source record: 178068

Walter Hanselmann wrote:
>
> I'm looking for a manual to fix my systron donner microwave

Walti,

Pour test uniquement 73 qro hb9ari rudi
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ASGALIUM UNITEC SA
Rue du Puits-Godet 10a
CH-2000 NEUCHATEL
tel 0041 32 7240066 fax 0041 32 7242250

817. systron donner 6054b microwave counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Hanselmann <info@microlink.ch>
Message-ID: <334E5947.3505@microlink.ch>
Source record: 178069

I'm looking for a manual to fix my systron donner microwave counter.The problem is temperature related, eg, the lock is lost after a while, is there someone with a good idea ? ?

Walt HB9AGE

818. Re: Motorola Syntor - Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: pbennett@macnet.com
Message-ID: <860771762.3457@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178070

In article <5ijvi5dhq1@news.wco.com>,
frog200@DELETE_CAPS_TO_REPLYjuno.com (Ed G.) wrote:
>
> >
> >> Looking for any technical information on using the Motorola Syntor radio
> >> on the amateur 2 meter band. I have one and need more info on programming
> >> the prom used for frequency selection. I have contacted Motorola about the
> >> service manual and it is very costly and is printed only on request. Can
> >> anyone provide me with a old copy or the tuning section.
> >
>
> The prom used for channel control in that version of Motorola Syntor (not
> the X variety) can only be obtained from Motorola. I don't know what the
> price is, but may not be too bad. There are a few enterprizing hams about the
> country who have broken the programming code in these proms, but very little
> info is public from them. Its probably not worth trying to go that route if
> you would be happy with 16 channels or less, anyway.
>
> Ed

Enterprizing Ham -> pbennett@macnet.com

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

819. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy_Shearer@mk.com
Message-ID: <334E60ED.2A08@mk.com>
Source record: 178071

Bill Combs wrote:
>
> I have recently decided I need a 2 meter/440 rig. I was looking at the Kenwood TM-733A-BLMD, which has been discontinued but some outlets have a few left for a
> crossband repeater, which I want. However, I notice it cannot receive on VHF and UHF at the same time. I wonder how well owners like this rig.
Is the new TM-V7
>
> I was also considering the Yaesu FT-8000R. It has extendend receive which the Kenwood does not (and more expensive). I am kind of intrigued by the extended rec
> sensitivity up there was not all that good. I wonder how that works out in actual practice (maybe all these rigs with extended receive suffer from poor sensiti
>
> Thanks,
>
> Bill Combs
> W8BC

The 733 is a V/U V/V U/U V/- -/U -/- radio meaning that you can turn either side of the radio on or off, you can listen to either band on either side and you can listen to the same band on both sides. Whatever you want to do.

The only drawback is reduced sensitivity when for example listening to vhf on the uhf side (maybe 1 or 2 db loss in receive capability). The radio reroutes the signal pathes internally such that this can be done. You can transmit on VHF from the UHF side and vice-versa.

The radio take the signals from the proper antenna when doing the above. It doesn't try to transmit on a uhf antenna while on the uhf side.

Tim

820. What happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ellis <jellis@lgc.com>
Message-ID: <334E63EC.5619@lgc.com>
Source record: 178072

AEA tncs and software were acquired by Timewave in Minnesota (check the http://www.timewave.com homepage). They will begin distributing the AEA line of tncs and software "later" in the spring.
The AEA antennas were picked up by an outfit in Florida. I don't remember the name, but it is listed by the Timewave home page. Hope this helps.

Joe
KN5Y
jellis@lgc.com

821. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Kreifels <Jerry_A_Kreifels@ccm.fm.intel.com>
Message-ID: <334E5D26.A64@ccm.fm.intel.com>
Source record: 178073

Joe wrote:
>
> HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter.
[snip]
> I was angry as hell when I
> got the mastercard bill for 119.95 (99.95 for the filter, 20
> bucks for shipping).
>
> No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
> Joe

I am very happy with my dealings with HRO. I surf their web site and use the search engine for pricing. Other comments in this thread about out of date pricing in printed catalogs are right on.

I purchased an Icom IC-281H in January when many dealers were closing them out. I got an "open box" unit (store demo) for $289.99 when the lowest price from any other dealer was $369 or so; most $379. I sprung for the CTCSS decode unit and sales tax, they paid UPS shipping.

The unit was represented to me as having "very minor scratches" on the display. It was in reality, near perfect. (You have to be at just the right angle to see anything. Never see it in use in the car.) Unit came with all paperwork, and a well-browsed manual (of which I had been fore-warned.) Only problem was no remote-function decal for the mic.

Called back, and they had Icom send me the mic decal within a week.

All very positive. I got my unit with CTCSS decode, tax, and shipping for the typical closeout price of the radio alone. I've seen this radio used on rec.radio.swap for more than I paid new. Good response to my problems. What can I say? I'll shop HRO again.

My $0.02. --Jerry, KO6JV
--
Jerry, KO6JV (Sacramento CA area)
Jerry_A_Kreifels@ccm.fm.intel.com
"My opinions, not my employer's."

822. Icom 251A external control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5ilp00$ej@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 178074

The Icom IC 251A can be controlled externally from a back connector
of the radio. Did Icom make any products to use this connector besides
the IC-EX1 or IC-EX2 which seem to be just an extention terminal (what
is this?).

The IC-251A is a 2m all mode and looks just like the IC-211 except
it's a newer version. Here's the order they were made and any external
devices or standards made by Icom for that radio in the order they
were made.

Icom IC-211 2m all mode - Had the RM-2 as an external control unit.
Icom IC-251A 2m all mode - Note in manual says IC-RM2/3 does not function
with the IC-251A/E.
Icom IC-271A/H 2m all mode - (UX-14 & CT-17 ?) CI-IV command standard.
Icom IC-275A/H latest 2m all mode - CT-17 and CI-V command standard.

Please note Icom made other 2m all mode transceivers but the ones above
replaced each other as models.

The Icom 251 is the only model that I don't know if Icom made any
external control devices. Can someone help me out? They must have made
something for it because all the units before it or after it did have
something and they made the IC-EX1 and IC-EX2 that connects to this
radio via the acc. jack.

BTW> I am looking for any repair info or ACCESSORY connector control
data/signals on the Icom IC-701 HF rig. The ACCESSORY connector is the
same as on the Icom IC211 or IC245. The data/signal info I need has
to do with information the IC-RM2 control unit is sending to control
the frequency, band, etc of the radio. I would like like to build a
computer interface so a IBM computer can control it instead of the
RM2 unit.

At one time Icom advertised of sending anyone who requested it
PIA (Parallel Interface Adaptor) spec's. I requested 17 years
after the fact from Icom but they don't keep info on models
that old.

Anyone get this info while Icom still had it back in 1980 for the
IC-701?

823. Re: FT-8000r problem? Scanning beep mixed with TX audio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411175500.NAA03541@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178075

First turn off the beep all together on the 8000 to stop beeps in the TX.
I noticed this on the 5100. I just used it as a code sender :) .
With the beep on, lock the keys and you will have various musical tones.
TX and use one for CW.
Have fun.
KC4SRN - Patrick

824. wtb: ft727 battery or case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: akrol29b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411184200.OAA06218@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178076

I need an alkaline case or an fnb4/4a pack in any shape
except cracked,got one of those leave email

825. Re: TEN TEC PARAGON II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <334E85CB.4BE3@notify1.com>
Source record: 178077

Dale (Squeak) Porray, AD7K wrote:
>
> On Tue, 01 Apr 1997 20:02:46 -0500, "K.R.FRALEY"
> <fraley@planetc.com> wrote:
>
> >DOES ANYONE HAVE THE MARS CAPS MOD FOR THIS RIG?I HAVE OWNED ONE FOR A
> >COUPLE OF YEARS,BUT CAN FIND VERY LITTLE ABOUT IT.ANY INFO WILL BE
> >HELPFUL! THANKS RODNEY KE4NWI
> >
>
> General information:
>
> If you are looking for M.A.R.S. (Military Affiliate Radio
> System) or C.A.P. (Civil Air Patrol) modification
> information for -->any<-- radio, send a copy of your
> M.A.R.S. or C.A.P. license directly to the manufacturer (in
> the case of TenTec or gear obtained off the "used market")
> or directly to the dealer (for equipment purchased new from
> a dealer) ... they will be more than happy to provide you
> with the information!
>
> 73 to all!
>
> "Squeak" Porray, AD7K
> Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

Did you call Ten-Tec? They are usually happy to discuss their
equipment. If it's any help, the Paragon (original) had a jumper that
needed to be cut. It was clearly marked in the schematic and stenciled
"GEN" on the board.
-Ken

826. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <334E629B.CE2@wco.com>
Source record: 178078

tnic wrote:
>
> I own both the 733 and the TMV7A Kenwoods. Forget the 733 its a pain to
> use, the button are too small and the screen display characters are too
> small to read while driving. The programming is impossible without the
> manual.

I also own both and have to disagree. While the PM button should be moved away from the power button (ARG!!!) I find that the 733 has a better receiver than the TM-V7a. But that the split PL tones (one tx another rx) is nice too. I miss the mute in the V7 (not there) as I do the cloning ability (also not there). And I am one of those rare (I guess) folks that don't use dual band antennas in the car, because I don't want diplexor losses, but with the V7 you have no choice (or you can run the diplexor backwards to two antennas, not really a choice). So I prefer to have two antenna ports (let the user decide what they want).

Since I own several other Kenwoods I haven't had a problem with the programming, they are failry consistent (except now the V7 has some new twists, you can only do some things via the menu setup or power on for other things that were button commands before).

> The TMV7A is much much easier to use. You dont need the manual and the
> display is easy to read even while driving. The Buttons are large enough
> to be used by normal sized American hands. Its not a perfect radio but I
> looked at many and found this one to be better *for me* than the others.
> Alpha memory names makes it practical to put in loads of repeater memories
> and still know what repeater your blabing on.

The display is generally nicer, but I still prefer the light background and black letters/number. The buttons ARE large, but again the PM button is right under the (raised) power button. And having to use the menu or do a power on command when you want to do things like enable cross band repeating is a pain.

> robinsona@rl.af.mil wrote:
> : In message <0513.199704091219.03BED8A8@macgroup.org>, Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
> : (Bill Combs) writes:
>
> : >I have recently decided I need a 2 meter/440 rig. I was looking at the Kenwood
> : TM-733A-BLMD, which has been discontinued but some outlets have a few left for
> : around $450. It would seem to have everything I need. I assume it works as a
> : >crossband repeater, which I want. However, I notice it cannot receive on VHF
> : and UHF at the same time.
>

> : The 733 CAN receive simultaneously on both bands, if programmed to do so. I
> : personnally prefer the mute feature.

Yes, it can do both and act as the cross band repeater (VERY useful) and
the mute is also very convenient.

I'd suggest that at the prices they are being sold for, that the 733 is
a better deal, but the V7 isn't a bad choice either if you have the
dollars. More memory, alpha display and some other things make it a
very nice radio.

> : I wonder how well owners like this rig. Is the new TM-V7A that much different?
>
> : I own a 733 and enjoy it. The TM-V7A? Well, its more expensive.
> : >
> : >I was also considering the Yaesu FT-8000R. It has extendend receive which the
> : Kenwood does not.....................
>
> : Well, what do you define as extended Rx? On UHF, the K'wood goes up to 470Mhz,
> : and on VHF it goes into the 170's.
>
> : (and more expensive). I am kind of intrigued by the extended receive (can the
> : celluar freq. be opened up?) though I noticed that QST said the
> : >sensitivity up there was not all that good. I wonder how that works out in
> : actual practice (maybe all these rigs with extended receive suffer from poor
> : sensitivity?). Any comments on these rigs or other dualbanders.
> : >
> : >Thanks,
> : >
> : >Bill Combs
> : >W8BC
>
> : Al, W2JUV

Rick, WA6NHC

827. 50.400 AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <*SPAMSAVER*booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <334E80CD.446B@pactitle.com>
Source record: 178079

Hello all,

Just for the heck of it I'll be monitoring 50.400 "AM" Sat and Sunday
from 1-2 pm and 5-6 pm West coast time.

Hope to hear someone out there.

Also I have made a web page for 50mhz am.
If anyone has a qso e-mail me the info and I'll post it on the page and
we can watch it grow.

http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

Any questions e-mail me at booth@pactitle.com

Have fun!!!!!!

kc6wfs dm04rk

Note the Spamsaver when replying!

828. New Ham C.D.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rur@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <33526927.1374717@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 178080

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829. ICOM R-100 SSB ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROBERT C JOHNSON <TELTEKUSA@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <334E99D9.2DC9@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178081

ARE THERE ANY MODS THAT CAN BE MADE SO THE R-100 WILL RECEIVE SSB????

TNXS BOB K7EYT

830. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5im5mh$jj@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178082

You dont have to use a power on sequence for dual band repeat or locked band repeat.

With the mic control on press D C to enable locked repeat. You can turn it on with an HT remotely. Check page 77 of the manual for a full description of the features you can do remotly.

=TOM=

Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com> wrote:

: The display is generally nicer, but I still prefer the light background
: and black letters/number. The buttons ARE large, but again the PM
: button is right under the (raised) power button. And having to use the
: menu or do a power on command when you want to do things like enable
: cross band repeating is a pain.

831. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jim Shaffer, Jr." <jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc45fd$97ef0e00$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 178083
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.sci.weather

Roy Keeley <rkeeley@dibbs.net> wrote in article
<334C694D.69D1@dibbs.net>...
> > Take a look at my web site for futher details, at:
> > http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/2504
> >
> I went there and got a msg saying file not there. Sighhhhh....

Keep trying! GeoCities has evidently been having some serious problems lately. Last night I couldn't even get to my own page the first time I tried. The problem seemed to come and go every few minutes, or less.

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"I don't want the world -- I just want your half."
--T.M.B.G.

832. Strange 8-pin DIN for Yaesu FT-1000MP ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom McDermott <mcdermot@aud.alcatel.com>
Message-ID: <334E833D.167EB0E7@aud.alcatel.com>
Source record: 178084

I have just acquired a Yaesu FT-1000MP. It has what appears to be an 8-pin DIN connector for providing transistor-level keying of a linear amplifier. However, the 8-pin DIN I purchased at Radio Shack does not fit! Two of the pins are in slightly different locations.

Is this connector special? Are there two different standards for 8-pin DIN connectors? Are these strange connectors available somewhere?

- Tom, N5EG

mcdermot@aud.alcatel.com

833. Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bnb@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <334ebb70.487294@news.atl.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178085

An ad I just saw says "... FM narrow and Wide for broadcast listening." Anyone verify that this is true? I'm not expecting high fidelity, just listenable FM broadcast.

Thanks, Bob, AB4G

834. G.E. MASTER II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blair Dyer <"bcdyer@spectra.net@bcdyer"@spectra.net>
Message-ID: <5imcf1$qu0@ns2.spectra.net>
Source record: 178086

I am looking for information on changing GE MasterII UHF mobiles too repeaters. If anyone has info on this that would like to share it please post or mail a reply. Thank You for any assistance.
bcdyer@spectra.net

835. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave eckhardt <davee@hp5800.desk.hp.com>
Message-ID: <334E8D3D.3A54@hp5800.desk.hp.com>
Source record: 178087

@comp.pge.com wrote:
>
> Troy Wolford <wolford@ti.com> writes: > tnic wrote:
> > >
> > > I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.
> > >
> > > BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it
> > > pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.
> > >
> > > When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.
> >
> > Is the engine running? If not, finals only get 12VDC. Most 12v power
> > supplies
> > running off of 110v AC mains supply 13.8V and well regulated. 1.8v less
> > is about
> > 13% so 35 instead of 45 and 25 instead of 30 is resonable. Try your
> > power level
> > readings with the engine runnung at fast idle speed and I think the
> > numbers
> > will come up some.
> >
> > Good luck
> > 73
> > Troy
> > KC5KDM
> > Dallas, TX.
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I would bet it's simply a matter of the voltage getting to the radio.
However, consider:

2-meters: 10log(35/45) = -1.09 dB
440: 10 log(25/30) = -0.79 dB

If I were doing EME, I'd be concerned. Since I'm not, I wouldn't be too
concerned. I doubt if a drop of 1 dB in output power is worth worrying
about! I doubt if the repeaters can even detect a drop of 1 dB on an FM
signal.

Dave - W6LEV

836. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1104970829230001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 178088

In article <334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>, Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:

>HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
>A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
>price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
>less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
>a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
>I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
>$20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter. The entire
>filter, including box, extra packing, shipping, etc should not
>have been more than 3 bucks tops -- the box it came in was 2 inches by
>3 inches, and less than an inch thick. I was angry as hell when I
>got the mastercard bill for 119.95 (99.95 for the filter, 20
>bucks for shipping).
>
>No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
>Joe
>---
>Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China
>
> http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html
>
>ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
>Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.
>---

Anybody else notice this guy is in China! $20 for shipping to Taiwan
sounds about right to me.
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

837. Re: WTB:Icom Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1104970834190001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 178089

In article <picture-1004970741200001@erskine-31.dialup.means.net>,
picture@fosston.polaristel.net (Greg Bruce) wrote:

>I am in need of the FL53 (250 Hz CW) filter for the Icom 751A. E mail me
>if you can part with yours.

Good news: ICOM has the FL-53 on closeout special for less than half-price.

Bad news: Your ICOM 751A takes an FL-53A that is not on sale. :)

Good luck.
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

838. RADIOS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <aknoll@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <334EFFCE.4709@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 178090

********** RADIOS FOR SALE **********

ICOM - IC-2SRA 2 meter xcvr/scanner - RX 25 to 950 mhz - No gaps
Icom BC-72 Rapid Charger. Original box and all other accessories.
Mint condition. Spare batteries included.
$250.00 plus shipping in CONUS.

YAESU - FT-815 UHF XCVR - EXPANDED RX & XMIT -400MHZ - 512MHZ
Yaesu NC-42 Rapid Charger. Original box and all other accessories.
Mint condition. Spare battery included.
$235.00 plus shipping in CONUS.

Phil - WB2VGK

EMAIL - <pknoll@juno.com>

839. Need manual for Heath HP-23 p/s (please read!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@dlep1.itg.ti.com
Message-ID: <5im7rd$ggl@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 178091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I need the manual and schematic for the Heathkit HP-23 power supply.

Note that this is NOT the same as the HP-23A, -23B, and -23C. The
HP-23 is an early model and it is different than the later models.

I already have the manuals for the HP-23A and HP-23B supplies.

If you have this manual, may I borrow it and make a copy? I will
pay all postage costs, treat it carefully, and return it quickly.

Thanks!
Dean K5DH

840. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <334EE69C.4739@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178092

Won't happen!!!!

841. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lawrence G. Dobranski" <va3lgd@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <334EFB3D.55F1@amsat.org>
Source record: 178093

I have no experience with the TMV7A but I am quite happy with my 733A.
I have it remote mounted in the trunk with the control head on the dash
in my Ford Taurus. Performance is good, my only complaints are that the
2 metre front end is quite wide open and intermode can be a problem, and
if you are not carefull with button pushs you can put the radio in a
mode that will require the manual to rescue.

I have not tried the 9600 baud packet port.

I have had it install as a mobile since the fall of 1994 with **no**
problems, including starting up cold in the Canadian winter at -30C. I
would not hesitate to recommend one.

Lawrence, VA3LGD

842. WTB: R-390A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Polizzo <ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <334EF83E.7909@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 178094

Hello,
i am looking for a R-390A Receiver. Working or not must be
in good condition and complete. (meters,covers,..)
Thanks Peter. ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us

843. Re: Strange 8-pin DIN for Yaesu FT-1000MP ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <334EA7CF.33AC@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 178095

Tom McDermott wrote:
>
> I have just acquired a Yaesu FT-1000MP. It has what appears
> to be an 8-pin DIN connector for providing transistor-level
> keying of a linear amplifier. However, the 8-pin DIN I purchased
> at Radio Shack does not fit! Two of the pins are in slightly
> different locations.
>
> Is this connector special? Are there two different standards for
> 8-pin DIN connectors? Are these strange connectors available
> somewhere?
>
> - Tom, N5EG
>
> mcdermot@aud.alcatel.com

There is indeed another plug that is available from Kenwood and Yaesu.
The Kenwood part # is E07-0851-05 and I got them from East Coast parts.
They take Visa and their PH # is 1-516-483-5742. The last price was
$5.23 each in 1994.

Chuck, KE9UW

844. Re: Yaesu FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net>
Message-ID: <334F0C95.7FEB@bmi.net>
Source record: 178096

Ozcar Cortez wrote:

> Where could I find the isntructions for the MARS/CAP mod via ADMS? I
> have seen the Freemod using a hex editor, however I haven't seen the one
> for the MARS/CAP.

The software mod does both (Freeband Rx and Tx). One stop shopping.

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Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

845. WTB: Gonset Communicator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Ingebretsen <aeronaut@aquila.wanet.com>
Message-ID: <334F0EA1.38C9@aquila.wanet.com>
Source record: 178097

Hey Guys...

I'm still looking for a 6 meter Gonset Communicator. If anyone has one out there I would like to open my search parameters a little and say that although I would prefer a very good to excellent unit.... I will consider a "fixer upper" if thats all that's out there. Must be a lot of folks on 6 meter AM somewhere, or maybe they really do make good boatanchors.

Let me know what you have got.

73's Dennis (N6TUQ)

846. 4 SALE 2E26 TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: josh kayson <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <334EC79B.B82@total.net>
Source record: 178098

I HAVE A QUANTITY OF TUBE TYPE 2E26 FOR SALE. ALL BRAND NEW IN RCA BOXES.

I WOULD LIKE TO SELL SAME SINCE I NO LONGER USE THESE.

I WOULD ENTERTAIN OFFERS. QUANTITY AVAILABLE COULD RUN TO 100 EACH.

JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

847. th 28a manuel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: lecourss <lecourss@total.net>
Message-ID: <334EF03D.2A58@total.net>
Source record: 178099

I will like one copy of the service manual for kenwood th28a.
Please send my a email!!!
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Stephane Lecours
VE2JTX
Quebec contest group
http://www.riq.qc.ca/users/mcaron/qcg

848. FS: uhf repeater $400.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbays85518@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411223101.SAA22191@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178100

I have a Regency MD# MCBU35A with 40 watt output. The rack is 2' high by 20" deep by 21" wide. It is on T442.250/R447.250. It has a communications specialists MD# TP38 tone panel and a TP-DCS. Duplexers are celwave 4 cans. Raycom CW IDer. 35A. Astron rack mount power supply. Unit needs a tune-up, but is in great shape. $400.00 plus shipping.

Or I will part it out as follows plus shipping:

Repeater $100.00
TP38-TP-DCS $200.00
Duplexers $175.00
Power supply $175.00
CW IDer $80.00
40 watt PA $75.00.....2MW in/40 out
Rack $50.00

Thanks. William Bays N3FGD
Centerville, IN (765) 855-5474
E-mail WBays85518@AOL.com

849. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave eckhardt <davee@hp5800.desk.hp.com>
Message-ID: <334E8DF8.478E@hp5800.desk.hp.com>
Source record: 178101

Troy Wolford wrote:
>
> tnic wrote:
> >
> > I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.
> >
> > BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it
> > pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.
> >
> > When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.
>
> Is the engine running? If not, finals only get 12VDC. Most 12v power
> supplies
> running off of 110v AC mains supply 13.8V and well regulated. 1.8v less
> is about
> 13% so 35 instead of 45 and 25 instead of 30 is resonable. Try your
> power level
> readings with the engine runnung at fast idle speed and I think the
> numbers
> will come up some.
>
> Good luck
> 73
> Troy
> KC5KDM
> Dallas, TX.
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Consider:

2-meters: 10log(35/45) = -1.09 dB
440: 10log(25/30) = -0.79 dB

If you would doing EME, I'd be concerned. Since you are not, why should
1 dB make a difference? I doubt if the repeaters can detect a 1 dB drop
in an FM signal.

Dave - W6LEV

850. Re: Yaesu FT-8000R questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Tucker <actucker@apk.net>
Message-ID: <334EDBDD.4E4F@apk.net>
Source record: 178102

Mike McLarty wrote:
>
> Mr. Edmund Burke jr (QESK41A@prodigy.com) writes:
> > Just a few questions on the FT-8000R.
> >
> > Is there a CTCSS decode module for this radio? I've seen mention of

SNIP...

> Intermod / crossmod rejection is not the best but not the worst either.
> Like I said ... you can't have everything for the price of this unit ...
> this is a really nice rig!!! BUT ... if your requirements are more toward
> VHF only with super I/M rejection ... you'll be disappointed.
>
> --
>
> :) 73 de Mike, VE3VP E-:-)

How about receiver sensitivity within the ham bands? Is it decent?

adam
KA8QNT

851. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <334E09F9.64DC@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 178103

Too bad it was shipped to my STATESIDE address! Joe

> >No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
> >Joe
> >--
> >Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China
> >
> > http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html
> >
> >ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
> >Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.
> >--
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> Anybody else notice this guy is in China! $20 for shipping to Taiwan
> sounds about right to me.
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852. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <334E43E3.6E77@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 178104

Clint Bradford wrote:
>
> Subject: Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!
>
> >>HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> >>A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> >>price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 > >> bucks or
> >>less, (but were out of stock)....
>
> Well, that says it all, doesn't it?!?!

I'm afraid not, Clint. You edited the rest of the comment, that being that I dont mind paying more if it means getting what I want when I want it.

> A mere 5% difference in price, and it's IN STOCK - and he's moaning.

You misread it, pal. I said the price itself was fine. I was complaining about $20 for shipping. HRO has a strange policy, I found out later; shipping is free ONLY for anything over $100 bucks. So, they charge 99.95 for the filter, and 20 bucks for shipping, which is total bullshit. The filter was shipped from Aneheim CA, to Dallas, TX, by UPS brown. Should NOT have been 20 bucks -- more like 3 or 4 tops.

> And he lives overseas, too...and bitches about a reasonable shipping
> fee. WHICH HE WOULD HAVE BEEN QUOTED ON THE PHONE, if he had asked.

Sorry, but in 11+ years as a ham, I've never dealt with a ham outfit that charged such rediculous shipping fees for a small item; I bought a complete C-line from a guy in CA and the thing only ran 25 bucks to ship to Texas. Now, a 1/4 ounce CW filter in a 1 x 2 x 3 inch box is crazy to charge 20 bucks shipping; I could have sent it FEDEX next day 10AM delivery for less. This is slime as far as I'm concerned.

Joe

853. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com
Message-ID: <5im7qm$79f$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 178105

: Troy Wolford <wolford@ti.com> writes: > tnic wrote:
: > >
: > > I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.
: > >
: > > BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it
: > > pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.
: > >
: > > When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.
: >

Are you using the cigarette lighter to power the thing?
The I**2R loses in *that* lash up could explain the difference.

73
Jonesy W3DHJ

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SK

854. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com
Message-ID: <5im0qb$42h$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 178106

: Troy Wolford <wolford@ti.com> writes: > tnic wrote:
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73
Jonesy W3DHJ

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SK

855. Auctions was:FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woody <rafman@kerrlake.com>
Message-ID: <334EAB35.4CE1@kerrlake.com>
Source record: 178107
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Burt Fisher, world renowned crap bag, Clinton lover, is at it
again. Burt, how about siting a source for your article? I know
you didn't write it all yourself. Fact is, that copyrighted
material is not supposed to be modified and you are supposed to
cite the source!

As far as LMDS, it operates in 28-30 GHz range. It works in
full rain and it has been working in Brighton Beach NY for
the last 5 years as a pilot. I worked on it for 4 years and
they do not need towers, rooftops work fine! 49 channels
in 20 MHz HDTV channels. Recieve antenna is a 6" square flat
panel. See Cellularvision.com for more details.

As far as seizing ham towers, who is kidding who? There
would be nothing of the sort. I feel like Burt might have
edited that in there. There would be no seizure.
Why add to the article Burt? Does it serve your purpose?
Your purpose was to make it sound like they are coming for
all amateur spectrum. Not yet! The fact about towers and
zoning is something I have first hand experience in. I have
built over 100 towers throughout the Northeast. You can
still construct them, but you might have to allow co-location
which is when several carriers locate on one tower.

Burt, you really are scum, just like that scum that lives
in the Whitehouse. No wonder why you would put up a picture
posing with him on your webpage! You are both twisted liars!

Burt Fisher <burtfisher@geocities.com>wrote:
> FCC Expected to Unveil Plans For Two Airwave Auctions
>
> WASHINGTON -- Federal regulators are expected this week
> to set plans for two long-awaited auctions of valuable airwaves,
> including one for an emerging wireless technology that could bring new
> competition to the local-telephone and cable-television businesses.
> Wireless operators, long-distance phone companies, electric
> utilities and telecommunications entrepreneurs are eager to bid for
> licenses to use huge chunks of the amateur radio spectrum to transmit
> voices, pictures and data.
> Wireless Auction
> Up for grabs: Licenses to use most of the amateur radio
> megahertz of electromagnetic spectrum in each of nearly 500 markets
> nationwide. Repeater frequencies are much in demand by those with the
> following: Uses: Transmitting voices, pictures and data via small, flat

> antennas that can rest on a windowsill. Expected bidders: All sorts of
> telecommunications companies -- but Baby Bells and cable operators will
> be barred from bidding on licenses in their home territories.
> "While the auctions for PCS frequencies were very specific
> about how the frequencies could be used, rules governing LMDS usage are
> more liberal and for a bigger chunk of amateur radio bandwidth," said
> Michael Sprayberry, director ofwireless strategy for MCI Communications
> Corp.
> New Radio Service
> The auction rules have been delayed in recent weeks because FCC
> commissioners couldn't agree on what amateur radio spectrum would be
> available.
> The technology operates with small, flat antennas that
> communicate with larger antennas mounted on towers. It has tended to
> work poorly in heavy rains and fog, but industry officials say they are
> working to fix the problem. Operators also could run into resistance
> from cities that increasingly are blocking the construction of new
> antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has
> decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
> necessity.
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856. Alinco DJ 580

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <334EF29A.4772@flash.net>
Source record: 178108

Any experience with this radio would be helpful. What do you think about it and whats it worth, near perfect cond?

857. Need Price for Collins KWM-380

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ik1ni$k73@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178186

I have a Collins KWM-380 that I may sell. The radio has the following Options, Noise Blanker, Speech Processor, Control Interface, Collins Digitran Pad, WARC?MARS coverage kit installed, 4 filters, AC-3810, 3811, 3812, 3913, Owners manual, Service manual, Factory Up-dates, Original Factory Shipping Carton. The radio is in Excellant Condition. Can anyone tell me the selling prices for this type of radio so equipped. I Thank You; E-mail tbolt@ix.netcom.com

858. Hallicrafters SR-150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher <grasim@enter.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4612$e28a4780$8146aacc@default>
Source record: 178187

I have a Hallicrafters SR-150 transceiver with power supply I would like to sell, but I really have no idea how much it might go for. It's in great condition. If anyone has any suggestions or is interested let me know. Thanks.

859. Re: Yaesu FT-8000R questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: aw560@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <5ik0ok$g7@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 178188

Mr. Edmund Burke jr (QESK41A@prodigy.com) writes:
> Just a few questions on the FT-8000R.
>
> Is there a CTCSS decode module for this radio? I've seen mention of
> encode, but never any mention of decode capabilities.

Yes!

> If there is a CTCSS decode module, what is the part number?

FTS-22

> If there is a CTCSS decode module, does it allow for efficient
> scanning? Right now I have an Alinco DR-600T in my truck, and although
> it works fine, it will stop on active channels even if the tone is
> incorrect.

Welcome to the club!! I've got a DJF-1T handie-talkie and although I like it a lot Alinco really screwed up on the tone squelch scan function. Don't worry about it with the FT-8000 though. It slows down very slightly when it encounters an emission without the tone, but it's smart enough to keep on scanning if the correct tone isn't present. And, it scans fairly rapidly besides! I'm impressed.

> I have a FT-50R with the FTT-12 keypad and it interogates
> CTCSS during scan and will not stop on a channel if the CTCSS doesn't
> match. I scan many different repeaters in the commercial bands, and
> need a radio that will continue scanning if the entered tone isn't
> active.

The Ontario Provincial Police utilize digital transmissions on various frequencies which cease when voice communications with CTCSS tone are present ... and the FT-8000 works like a charm on this! No problem here!

> What extra features do you get from the ADMS-2C software? Does it
> allow for limited alphanumeric channel tags?

I bought the ADMS-2C and wouldn't be without it if you change your listening habits at all or travel a bit. You can identify channels with a comment for each one but you can't add alphanumeric tags which appear on the display in the radio. It's nice when you print out your memory allocations though.

> That should just about do it for now, I've been looking at this radio
> for a while, and it looks like my next purchase. Thank you in advance
> for any and all replies.

Well, there are a few minor things I'm not crazy about with this unit but you can't have everything for this price ... and all things considered I think it's a pretty terrific little rig!!! I sure wouldn't trade mine.

As for cellular ... many ads say it can't be unblocked but it can. However, it's really not worth the effort since the image / spurious rejection outside the ham bands is pretty poor to say the least. Maybe it was designed this way intentionally (I mean ... who would ever want to listen to DMEs?). If you search in the DME / TACAN band between 1150 MHz and 1195 MHz you'll receive cellular transmissions with the same sensitivity as you will between 869 and 896 MHz. I admit it's nice to have the display read the fundamental frequency but it might not be worth taking a chance on voiding the warranty etc. just for this.

The smart search feature is the greatest thing since sliced bread. Every radio on the market should have this neat feature! And the memory for the smart search is non-volatile, which I just discovered recently. For example, you can set the band limits at 1150 and 1195 MHz ... set the RF squelch threshold at let's say 4 S-units ... invoke the smart search feature at continuous search ... and the radio with fill up the 50 (gravy) smart search non-volatile memory channels with the strongest cellular sites in the vicinity! Then all you have to do is hit the scan button and it'll scan these memories just as it would the main memory channels. Both the sub band and main band have 50 of these smart search memories available. And if you scan the ham bands it'll store the standard split repeater offsets to boot! I guess you can tell I'm pretty thrilled with mine. Hopefully the competition will take a hard look at this really useful feature.

Intermod / crossmod rejection is not the best but not the worst either. Like I said ... you can't have everything for the price of this unit ... this is a really nice rig!!! BUT ... if your requirements are more toward VHF only with super I/M rejection ... you'll be disappointed.

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:) 73 de Mike, VE3VP E-:-)

860. FT-8000R Receives Cellular!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: aw560@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <5ik1vg$16h@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 178189

A month ago when I purchased mine I was asking whether the cellular band could be unblocked, as I had heard conflicting information on this. Well, it can ... but it isn't really necessary.

I discovered the radio's image / spurious rejection is the pits outside the ham bands, which is bad in some respects but good in others (since I don't plan to listen to DMEs anyway). If you search in the DME / TACAN band from 1150 to 1195 MHz you'll find the radio will receive cellular transmissions with the same sensitivity as it will at the fundamental frequency assignments after the mod is done. I had the mod done anyway thinking the sensitivity would at least be improved, but it truly isn't. And it is fairly sensitive!

A suggestion is to use the Smart Search feature as follows: Set the upper and lower band limits at 1150 and 1195 MHz. Set the RF-Squelch to the 4 S-unit threshold (unless you're far from cell sites) and the smart search for continuous scan (as opposed to single sweep). Start the smart search and it'll store a maximum of 50 of the strongest cell sites in your area in the non volatile memories set aside specifically for this feature. Then all you have to do to listen to cellular is recall the smart search memory mode, hit the normal scan button, and you're in business! And this without wasting any of the 55 main UHF memory allocations.

No, I don't work for Yaesu ... I just like my FT-8000 a lot!

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:) 73 de Mike, VE3VP E-:-)

861. HP 141T,8552,4, spec.analyzer and manuals $995.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Reuber <breuber@mail.wcl.on.ca>
Message-ID: <5ik5tn$89q@nr1.toronto.istar.net>
Source record: 178190

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Still Available, Very Nice Hewlett packard analyzer,
well maintained with all manuals and application notes(100.00 value)
covers .1-1250 mhz,
8552B and 8554B plugins..

$995.00

you pay shipping..

Bill,.VE3WLR
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862. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <bill@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <01bc461a$6c516960$08213fce@bill.halcyon.com>
Source record: 178191

With an attitude like yours I'd put you on ignore also!

Bill
W7OO

863. TS-120S mistake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <334E4535.7D0F@polarnet.com>
Source record: 178192

I recently posted that I have
A Kenwood TS-120S that has
output of 200 watts....
This is incorrect.
The output is 100Watts with 200 watts INPUT.

I appologize for this careless mistake and would also like
to announce that the radio is still for sale and
I can be reached at... beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thank you,
Charles

864. Re: Motorola Syntor - Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog200@DELETE_CAPS_TO_REPLYjuno.com
Message-ID: <5ijvi5dhq1@news.wco.com>
Source record: 178193

>
>> Looking for any technical information on using the Motorola Syntor radio
>> on the amateur 2 meter band. I have one and need more info on programming
>> the prom used for frequency selection. I have contacted Motorola about the
>> service manual and it is very costly and is printed only on request. Can
>> anyone provide me with a old copy or the tuning section.
>

The prom used for channel control in that version of Motorola Syntor (not the X variety) can only be obtained from Motorola. I don't know what the price is, but may not be too bad. There are a few enterprizing hams about the country who have broken the programming code in these proms, but very little info is public from them. Its probably not worth trying to go that route if you would be happy with 16 channels or less, anyway.

Ed

865. FS Kenwood TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5ikf0cobg1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 178194

For Sale

Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver.

Covers 80m through 10m plus 10 Mhz WWV band receive

It has the optional CW crystal installed.

Overall condition and tubes are very good.

$245 US plus shipping.

If interested please reply to csc@smartt.com

Colin

866. FT-209-RH Instructions Needed Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marshall <marshal8@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4635$712396a0$8a6284a9@marshal8>
Source record: 178195

Yes I know that this is an OLD radio :)
But I am Hopeful that someone can help me so that I can help a potential
Ham (friend of mine who is currently studying for his first license). What
is needed is a copy of the manal or maybe a transrcipt of the instructions
for a Yaesu FT-209-RH. I have been at Yaesu's site with no success :(
Any help in this matter would be greatfully received.
Please send replies to:
marshal@mail.idt.net

867. Re: Getting rid of mics ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <3356d596.44667182@news.usit.net>
Source record: 178196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 10 Apr 1997 19:52:53 GMT, mdwatt@usit.net (Marty Watt)
wrote:

>I'm unloading all my microphone-laden equipment ...
>
>Telex Contester Headset with boom mic, very little use. Model
>62400-155. $65
>
>Heil BM-10 Boomset, double-ears, needs new coverings on ears. HC-4
>DX element. With adapter for Kenwood radios. $50
>
>Shure 444 mic (Swan label!), wired for Kenwood currently. $30.

The SHURE is spoken for ... the other boomsets remain available.

>Shipping additional -- your method (USPS, FedEx, UPS).
>
>72 es 73 de
>Marty, KM7W
>____
>Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
> http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
> "The Curmudgeon's Corner"
>NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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72 es 73 de
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Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
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868. Kenwood TH 79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Antun.Paulin@public.srce.hr
Message-ID: <334de81c.62173397@news.tel.hr>
Source record: 178197

Please if any one have some MODS for Kenwood TH79, to let me know.
Thanks in advance
Tony 9A6DQB

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869. News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0411040014 ELK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: 218@sandh.com
Message-ID: <5ikukl$12s@news.triton.net>
Source record: 178198

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look for, News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested in messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a search expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes both UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs binary files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they are available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images with quick-action keys to delete, view full size, and save to permanent collection.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of newsgroups, selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for the missing parts, and rebuilds the entire file when the last part arrives. It even combines parts found on different days and in different newsgroups.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your phone line only when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up the phone when it is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and news servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read messages and view pictures while it downloads and decodes more messages.

News Rover was designed and written by real-life Usnet newsgroup junkies! With News Rover the news is ready when you are!

To learn more and download your free demonstration copy, visit:

http://www.NewsRover.com

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0411040014 --

870. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Connelly <mole@eskimo.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.970411013208.26695D-100000@eskimo.com>
Source record: 178199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Wed, 9 Apr 1997, miker wrote:

> Randy J Wesson wrote:
> >
> > > Carl Hodder wrote:
> > > >
> > > > BOB DUCKWORTH (bob@atl.org) wrote:
> >
> > > > > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your
> > equipment
> > > > > because they don't mix.
> >
> > HAVE YOU MORONS EVER THOUGHT OF CLOSING THE DOOR TO THE ROOM WHERE THE
> > RADIO IS LOCATED
>
> The issue is not what you would do to take care of your equipment. The
> issue is what the previous slob did with/to the equipment you're gonna
> buy. And there are a lot of people who live like slobs...a lot...
>
> I've been in the TV repair business. I've had girlfriends with cats
> and had to fix stuff around their houses. In all cases, the cat hair
> gets into everything. It gummms up the ventillation. Humidity makes
> it conductive and messes up high volgage stuff. Once the arc thru the
> hair makes a carbon track on the ECB, it's too late. It's gonna fail
> sooner or later, no matter how much you try to clean it.
>
Well my shack is out in the barn with the sheep. Is my high tech
electronics safe around Fluffy?

If we ever have another copper shortage I'll just weave some wet cat hair
to take the place of a wire conductor. "Antenna here is a Siamese about
40 feet up in a tree."

And the only time my cat is in the car is when I send him to 7-11 for
more beer. (they won't sell to Fluffy cuz she's not old enuff).

871. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <bill@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <01bc461a$40e86f80$08213fce@bill.halcyon.com>
Source record: 178200

Who do you have to blame but yourself. Part of every deal is shipping when
you have something sent to you. If you don't ask you take what you get.

I have no idea what HRO's shipping policy is but when I buy from them I
ask. I get a prompt answer and can make my decision.

I am happy with everything I have purchased from HRO and they have treated
me very fairly.

Bill
W7OO

Reply to bill@halcyon.com

Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote in article
<334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>...
> HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
> less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
> a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
> I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
> $20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter.

snip

872. ICOM T-21A HT W/HS-51 HEADSET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3qxx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411025100.WAA20446@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178201

Icom T-21A: CTCSS, DTMF, TSQL, 99 memories with additional four masks.
Case, manual, box, nicad, wall charger.

HS-51 headset with protective pouch: VOX, PTT, TOT

$200.00 B/O

Can be reached at N3QXX@AOL..COM or phone at 410-667-0696.

Will ship COD. Located in Maryland.

73

Christopher (N3QXX)

873. wtb- General MC-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbgazette@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411111401.HAA15027@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178202

Looking for general MC-2 in good or better condition.
Tnx
Woody

874. wtb-Courier 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbgazette@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411111500.HAA15054@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178203

Looking for Courier 1 in good or better condition.
Tnx
Woody

875. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hopewell@ctg.net
Message-ID: <860757631.25589@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178204

In article <334D5F0D.119A@ix.netcom.com>,
Kenwood Customer Care <cuyeda@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> It is unfortunate that this message was not elaborated. I am not sure
> what kind of problem Gary has but, I can tell you that Kenwood has had a
> couple of reports about the TS-570D turning ON when the power supply is
> turned on. The Power On switch is not a mechanical switch and therefore
> gets fooled into being turned on.

To whom it may concern --

I've owned a TS-570D since mid-January and it's been a perfect rig. No problems here at all. In reference to Kenwood's comment above, the manual states that once you have turned the rig on, you can then turn it on and off using the switch on your power supply (as long as you don't switch off the main power switch on the rig). It was unclear to me in the above posting whether this was a case of equipment malfunction or the operator not knowing about this function.

I have seen several posts regarding TS-570Ds that have lost their memories using the Kenwood power supply (I'm not sure which model). I use an Astron RS-20A. Knock on wood, I haven't had the first problem with my TS-570D and I would recommend the rig to anyone.

73,

Meade, KA4RQB
Richmond, Virginia

e-mail: hopewell@ctg.net

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

876. wtb- S9 magazines or

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbgazette@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411111600.HAA15088@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178205

Looking for S9, CB Radio, CB horizons, and VHF horizons magazines from the sixties.
Tnx
Woody

877. ICOM IC DELTA 100 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: stefdg@mbox.vol.it
Message-ID: <334e2b1b.174912@news.tin.it>
Source record: 178206

I'm posting from Italy to find some mods, additional
information and any other thing you can post me.

Please post me an answer sooner.

Thanx everyone

Stefano
stefdg@mbox.vol.it
marl@geocities.com

EMAIL stefdg@mbox.vol.it until 1st of May
EMAIL marl@geocities.com since 1st of May
POWADD marlboro@monital
URL http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Heights/7204/
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878. Icom IC-740 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411124600.IAA18604@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178207

I have an Icom IC-740 for sale. I has exery possible option installed. Included
in the readi are the following. PS-35 internal power supply, EX-241 marker unit, EX-242 FM unit, EX-243 electronic keyer, FL-44 2.4khz SSB filter, FL-45
500hz CW filter (9mhz) and a FL-52 500hz CW filter (455khz). This radio has an execellent receiver comparable to the Icom IC-761. Ih has IF shift PBT and a notch filter. Check out these specs. minimum signal -133db, blocking dynamic range 130db, 2 tone 3rd order IMD duynamic range 95 db and a 3rd order intercept of +9.5db. Also included with the rig are; hand mic,
AC and DC power cables, service manual, manual and accessory plug. This makes a great bas or Field Day rig as it will run off both AC and DC without
an external supply. I am asking $725.00 for the above which includes shipping. If you live near Detroit and would like to pick it up the price would
be $700 and I would through in a hard case for it.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR
413 Vester
Ferndale, MI 48220-1955
810-541-1740

879. Need info on Commercial HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy_Shearer@mk.com
Message-ID: <334E31CB.7955@mk.com>
Source record: 178208

Can anyone point me to where I can learn the capabilities of commercial HTs?

I usually only use 3 or 4 frequencies and I understand Comm HTs will not become overloaded as easily as ham HTs. I don't want to buy crystals so I need to know which radios can be programmed easily or by a visit to a radio shop.

Can a Motorola HT440 (450-470) be put on a 447 repeater freq w/PL?
Is a HT-440 a big and ugly HT? a site with pictures would help

I would appreciate any suggestions

Thanks for any guidance
Tim

880. FS: Tubes, some new, some used, whatever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John F. Haase" <TheHossMan@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5ildph$iua@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178209

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Qty Boxed Price Qty Min Price Qty 8-Pin, etc.
Price
1 1G3/1B3 $4 1 2AD6 $3 5 1G3GT/
1 2AS2 $4 1 2D21 $3 1B3GT $3
2 3A3/3B2 $4 1 3HQ5 $3 1 1K3 $3
1 5U4BG $4 1 4DT6A $3 1 5Y3GT $3
1 5Y3GT $4 1 4HM6 $3 2 6AS7G $3
1 6AG5 $4 2 4JC6 $3 1 6BK4 $3
1 6AH6 $4 1 4JD6 $3 2 6BQ6/
2 6AK5 $4 1 4KT6 $3 6CU6 $3
1 6AK6 $4 1 5AQ5 $3 3 6D6 $3
2 6AN5 $4 1 6AF4 $3 2 6V6 $3
1 6AU4GTA $4 1 6AH6 $3 1 6Z10 $3
1 6AU6GTA $4 1 6AL5 $3 1 12AY3 $3
1 6AV6 $4 1 6AN5 $3 1 12D4 $3
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1 6AY3 $4 1 6AS5 $3 4 12SN7GT $3
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1 6BN6 $4 1 6C4 $3 1 21JZ6 $3
1 6BQ7 $4 1 6CG7 $3 1 25L6GT $3
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3 6J4 $4 8CG7 $3
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3 6K7 $4 1 12FX5 $3
1 6KE8 $4 3 OA5 $3
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1 12AL5 $4 2 5749 $3
1 12BH7A $4 1 5750 $3
1 12DT5 $4 3 5814 $3
1 35L6GT $4 1 6136 $3
2 OB2WA $4 1 6189 $3
1 OC2 $4 1 6197 $3
1 OG3 $4 1 6201 $3
2 5651WA $4 1 747 $3
1 5749 $4
4 5763 $4
1 6112 $4
1 6977 $4
1 S-5018 $4
(silicon rectifier)

881. FS: MOTOROLA & MUSTEK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: st155@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970411131500.JAA19951@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178210

FOR SALE

(IMAGE SCANNER)
MUSTEK CG-6000 SCANMAGIC COLOR SCANNING PACKAGE.
CAPTURE OVER 262,000 COLORS WITH A 18-BIT HANDHELD SCANNER
OR 64 GRAYSCALE. RESOLUTION FROM 100-400 DPI IN LINE ART AND
GRAYSCALE & 50-200 DPI IN COLOR MODE.
COMES WITH THE CG-6000 262,144 COLOR SCANNER
TWAIN COMPLIANT
PHOTO MAGIC LE SOFTWARE
OCR SOFTWARE
JPEG COMPRESSION
FOR MICROSOFT WINDOWS COMPATIBLE
MANUALS, CABLES, WARRANTY CARD INCLUDED $150.00 + SHIPPING

(SVA) NEW
SABER VEHICAL ADAPTOR
COMES WITH MIC & BRAND NEW POWER SPEAKER
WILL WORK ON SABER I, II & III SECURE OR NON SECURE
BUILT IN RAPIAD CHARGER...
HAS EXTERNAL ANTENNA CONNECTOR $400.00 + SHIPPING

800 STX TRUNKING TYPE I WITH SUB SWITCH ON TOP.
FULL KEYPAD / W DISPLAY & BATTERY 645 LU DATE CODE . $350.00 + SHIPPING

ALL OFFERS WILL BE CONCIDERED
IF INTERSTED LEAVE E-MAIL TO: ST155@AOL.COM
THANKS!
RICK...

882. WTB:Johnson Ranger II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <334e3744.6422477@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 178211

Interested in buying a good working Johnson Ranger II. Please e-mail
info on condition and price.
VE2ATD

883. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <334E3D5E.20A9@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 178212

Last Time I ordered something from HRO, Atlanta I believe, it was shipped for free and not taxed. Living in Ohio, that is something that can't be said for AES.

People, get real! There are dozens of Amateur mail order companies. Would it kill you to use their toll free numbers to call each one and find out what the price is? Let the buyer beware, but if he is ignorant, there isn't much that can be done.

I don't think I have ever bought a radio based on a "published List Price", I buy them based on the selling price, and who has the best one.

Tom

884. Re: Question about AEA Isoloop 10-30 HF Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@ke4zv.atl.ga.us
Message-ID: <1997Apr12.161009.9594@ke4zv.atl.ga.us>
Source record: 177963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <333F8301.3C85@bc.sympatico.ca> Andrew Farmer <andrew_farmer@bc.sympatico.ca>
writes:
>
>I have the above AEA loop antenna and can't get the VSWR below 3:1 using
>the LC-2 loop controller. The antenna is mounted horizontally on a 3 foot
>metal mast which is attached to the end of a wooden 8 foot garden shed.
>The shed is approx. 7 feet from the side of a 2 story house. I was under
>the impression that this antenna was designed to be mounted in small
>spaces such as this and still work well and be able to get a VSWR below
>2:1. I have taped both the controller cord and RG-58 coax to the mast as
>specified in the instuctions but this made no difference.
>I am using a Kenwood TS-440SAT and have disabled the internal tuner.

What is the *shape* of the SWR curve? If it is broad, you're seeing
loading from other structures in the immediate vicinity of the antenna.
If it dips very sharply at the frequency where you have it tuned, then
the problem is something else, probably a problem in the antenna's
matching network.

Gary
--
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it, | Due to provider problems
Destructive Testing Systems | we break it. | with previous uucp addresses
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed! | Email to ke4zv@radio.org
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | |

885. Re: Spurious cellular reception on the PRO-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@marconi.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <5iope8$b83@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 177964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Steve Donnell explains PRO-2035 spurious 800 MHz
reception in his article on Virtual Downconversion in
February 1996 Monitoring Times magazine. He suggests
modification alternatives as applied to the PRO-2035, too.

Reprints of articles from Monitoring Times are available
for $2.00 each plus a self-addressed stamped envelope from:

Grove Enterprises, P.O. Box 98, Brasstown,
NC 28902. For a free catalog, call (704)837-9200.
Telephone (orders only): (800)438-8155.

(I don't get any part of the $2.00.)

In article <860870377.25516@dejanews.com>, <abtownes@juno.com> wrote:

> The PRO-2035 scanner from Radio Shack is a popular model covering up
>to 1300 Mhz, but with the cell frequencies blocked out, and not restorable
>by any simple trick. It is known, however, that this scanner exhibits
>spurious cellular reception, particularly in the range around 1100 to 1115
>Mhz. In his write-up on this scanner in 1994, Bob Parnass provided the
>table shown below, comparing several spurious frequencies with the
>corresponding actual cellular frequencies. (His write-up is repeated in
>his posting of 1997/2/23. Search "Parnass" in DejaNews.) I presume he
>obtained this data experimentally, by generating cellular frequencies and
>searching for them on the Pro-2035....
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886. ICOM IC DELTA 100 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: stefdg@mbox.vol.it
Message-ID: <334fea96.8601175@news.tin.it>
Source record: 177965

I'm posting from Italy to find some mods, additional
information and any other thing you can post me.

Please post me an answer sooner.

Thanx everyone

Stefano

EMAIL stefdg@mbox.vol.it until 1st of May
EMAIL marl@geocities.com since 1st of May
POWADD marlboro@monital
URL http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Heights/7204/

EMAIL stefdg@mbox.vol.it until 1st of May
EMAIL marl@geocities.com since 1st of May
POWADD marlboro@monital
URL http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Heights/7204/
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887. G.E. Mastr II Elements and X-Tals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curt Steger <csteger@starnetusa.com>
Message-ID: <334FFE46.61B1777B@starnetusa.com>
Source record: 177966

Does anyone have xtal elements, or know where one can get them for a
G.E. Mastr II mobile???

Curt

KG9JC

888. Re: Alinco DJ-G5T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: brunner@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33500304.17702797@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177967

I know this has been asked here before but I never saw a response.
Does the DJ-G5 have 800 Mhz in it?? And if so how do you make it work?

Ben

On Sat, 12 Apr 97 02:35:48 GMT, n5xed@flash.net (gg higgs) wrote:

>
>Anyone have any mods on this HT? Great radio..
>
>Thx & 73
>
>N5XED
>Gary
>
>http://www.flash.net/~n5xed

889. FS: IC-27A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc478a$215c7e60$451aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 177968

For Sale: Icom IC-27A - $175 UPS USA

73 Stan W3INK
--
Stan Staten
3winks@msn.com

890. FS: FT-500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc478a$13f7d800$451aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 177969

For Sale: Yaesu FT-5100 - $375 UPS USA

73 Stan W3INK
--
Stan Staten
3winks@msn.com

891. Yaesu FT-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandy Knepper <slkst29@vms.cis.pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <5ip1av$9le@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 177970

I need certain parts for a FT-101 that I have recently acquired.

I need the complete cabinet with all metal coverings.

Also need the dial parts that attach to the planetary drive.

I will buy a nonworking unit to get these parts.

Thank you.

Dave, W3BJZ
Publisher of the monthly Collins Journal

892. Yaesu FT-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandy Knepper <slkst29@vms.cis.pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <5ip1b4$9on@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 177971

I need certain parts for a FT-101 that I have recently acquired.

I need the complete cabinet with all metal coverings.

Also need the dial parts that attach to the planetary drive.

I will buy a nonworking unit to get these parts.

Thank you.

Dave, W3BJZ
Publisher of the monthly Collins Journal

893. Yaesu FT-747

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandy Knepper <slkst29@vms.cis.pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <5ip1f9$9pb@usenet.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 177972

I would like to purchase a nonworking FT-747 but one that has a good "mother board." Or will buy a unit that is cosmetically in poor condition. My unit got struck by lightning.

Thank you.

David Knepper, W3BJZ
Publisher of the monthly Collins Journal

894. Trade Wilson VHF MBL for 10M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412221600.SAA21741@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177973

Will trade Wilson 25 watt VHF 16 channel mobile, keypad programmable for a clean 10 meter mobile w/FM.

Wilson includes microphone, bracket and a new power cord. In very good condition.

Bob

895. Re: Is Yaesu FT-5100 any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc478a$0637a420$451aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 177974

I guess I have never seen this. I have been very satisfied with mine. 440 power out per my Bird is up to spec. Rx is certainly far superior to the TM-733 I had.

73 Stan, W3INK

GOdom76961 <godom76961@aol.com> wrote in article <19970412111501.HAA08294@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
>
> Have looked at 2 of the 5100 models with tx problems on the UHF side.
> Radio is highly overrated on it's tx power in that band Works great on
> 2meters. The internal
> duplexer is very lossy.
>
> George/KB2SIY
>

896. FS: 8088 portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc478a$36824fe0$451aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 177975

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For Sale: IBM Convertable 8088 portable computer - $100
640K RAM
2 720K Floppies
Works great on 12V

73 Stan W3INK
--
Stan Staten
3winks@msn.com
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897. HELP: Hooking up car stereo at home

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: s16292nm@umassd.edu
Message-ID: <5ip10e$89c$1@gatekeeper.umassd.edu>
Source record: 177976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Is there a way to connect my car stereo in the house in order to try to fix it,etc. If anyone can help me in any way, please e-mail me at ...

s16292nm@umassd.edu

898. FS: MB + RAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc478a$4a36de20$451aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 177977

FS: 386-40 MB w/ 8 1mb 70 ns
FS: 386-20 MB w/ 4 1 mb 80 ns
FS: Multi I/O card (2s 1p hdd fdd)
FS: IDE controller (no s/p) can be relocated as a second IDE

Since I don't know what these are worth and they are now
surplus to my needs, I'll take reasonable offer.

73 Stan W3INK
--
Stan Staten
3winks@msn.com

899. WTB Collins 32S-3A or 32S-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <33501631.6215@mail.org>
Source record: 177978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Looking for a Collins 32S-3A receiver preferably Round Emblem, but
will
entertain a WE or Rockwell Collins in excellent condition for my
collection.
Email me with the price and details. Thank you, JB

900. Icom 25H- What's it worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtippin@swbell.net
Message-ID: <33500b5d.16232983@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 177979

I've got an Icom 25H 2M mobile tranceiver, works perfectly, in very good shape for its age, with original box and manual.

I'm not selling it right now but would like to get an idea what it's worth - I haven't a clue what I could get for it. If anyone could give me a ballpark figure as to what I might expect to sell it for, I'd appreciate it.

-Marty, KC0AKA
mtippin@swbell.net

901. Re: WTB Collins 32S-3A or 32S-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Corea <jcorea@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <335034B7.3FB5@injersey.com>
Source record: 177980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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jbalch wrote:
>
> Looking for a Collins 32S-3A receiver preferably Round Emblem, but
> will
> entertain a WE or Rockwell Collins in excellent condition for my
> collection.
> Email me with the price and details. Thank you, JB
>

Nice receiver ! What about a Collins KW1 transmitter to go with it ? <G>
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902. WTB Collins 32S-3A or 32S-3 Xmtr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <33501C49.7614@mail.org>
Source record: 177981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I'm looking to purchase a 32S-3 or 32S-3A transmitter in excellent condition. Prefer RE, but will entertain acquiring a WE or Rockwell Collins. JB&#65533;

903. FS: Yaesu Service Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33501A63.271@onramp.net>
Source record: 177982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Check our web-site for a list of original Yaesu service manuals for sale. These are close-outs and when they are gone, they're gone. All prices are plus postage and tax if in Texas.

http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

904. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33503EDF.47FF@flash.net>
Source record: 177983

I got my 570D soon after they came out. I visited a local dealer, sat down and worked it for awhile and fell in love with it. Chassis #345 so it was one of the first ones built. Works just fine and I give it a workout. I normally switch on the power supply and then turn it on. Never had a problem with it coming on by itself.
gary ab5rm

905. FSCollins KWM-380 - $1,900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <33503EB0.49B8@mail.org>
Source record: 177984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am posting this Collins listing for a fellow ham in California who is not on the Internet. He has a late serial number Collins KWM-380 (ser# 1417) with no accessories, but mods 11,12,13,14,15 and 18 done by Rockwell Collins during 10/82. The KWM-380 was the last amateur radio produced by Collins. It is a microprocessor controlled frequency-synthesized transceiver with two VFOs and LED display. Price when new was $2,995. Includes manual. Sale Price is $1,900.00 - - - plus shipping - - - from Los Angeles area. Contact Leo, KJ6HI at 310-670-6969. I have not seen this transceiver, so you'll have to speak to Leo directly to verify all details. The facts and information provided here are his representations.

906. FS FT-901DM station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33504202.1D9D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177985

FOR SALE- I have a Yaesu FT-901DM station that works perfectly and is in "MINT" like new condition. Will sell items seperately. FT-901DM just back from Yaesu for alignment to factory new spec's. Has 30 day warranty from Yaesu for $575.00.
Also for sale SP-901P speaker/patch $85.00,
FV-901DM remote vfo with 40 channels memory and up/dwn scan $230.00,
FC-902 500 watt ant. tuner $150.00.
Original YD-844 Desk Mic for 901 station "not a scratch" $70.00.
All prices plus insurance and shipping via Post Office. All equipment works perfectly and comes in original boxes with all manuals. This is probably the nicest 901 station around.
Bob WB5APD/4 <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>

907. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage1 <mirage1@mailhost.epix.net>
Message-ID: <33505E86.505B@mailhost.epix.net>
Source record: 177986

bnb@atl.mindspring.com wrote:
>
> An ad I just saw says "... FM narrow and Wide for broadcast
> listening." Anyone verify that this is true? I'm not expecting high
> fidelity, just listenable FM broadcast.
>
> Thanks, Bob, AB4G

Have the radio and love it
and yeah you can recieve wbfm. However the radio
is Japanese and it loses something in the tranlation.
It should state if you wish to listen to wide band fm
through the potato out the window and buy a tv of fm radio.
It plain sucks on wbfm.
Doug

908. FS: ICOM CT-17

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <n3kre@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <335043DC.475B@voicenet.com>
Source record: 177987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

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CT-17 Interface-V with Box and manuel $70.00 + shipping . 73 Dennis
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909. Houston Area Hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephen scheel <sncscheel@hypercon.com>
Message-ID: <33505FDD.227B@hypercon.com>
Source record: 177988

Does anyone know when the next hamfest in the Houston area will be?
Thanks.

910. PC for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <33504E2A.2DF6@southeast.net>
Source record: 177989

Hello,

I have a 286 PC for sale. It would make a good, dedicated terminal for packet. It consists of the following:

286 Packard Bell cpu
2 meg memory
5.25 and 3.5 inch floppy
Color VGA monitor
Mouse
101 keyboard

The unit needs a new hard drive.

I will deliver within 100 miles of Jacksonville, Florida, otherwise, you pick it up.

$125

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney, WA5VPW
jpf@southeast.net
904-348-2316

Thanks,

Jim...

--

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

911. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970412200417.54332A-100000@homer14.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 177990

I agree with Joe. I've had some peculiar experiences with HRO too. Check this one out: several months ago I was in the market for a TL 922 amplifier. Two HRO stores had one, so I purchased the one going for the best price. They took my visa card number over the phone, sent me a receipt for the charge sale, and then never sent the amp. I called to find out what the problem was a couple of weeks later and they told me that they weren't going to send me the amp after all. The reason: they "did not have a box to ship it in." They were not going to ship it because they didn't have a box! I couldn't believe my ears. This was a sale for over a 1000 bucks! So I said why don't you go buy a box? "Sorry", was their response, "we don't do that." I was quite annoyed by this point because they were cancelling the sale for lack of a box. So then what do they do: they refund all of my money except for $60.00 ! This sent me over the top. After getting irate with them over the phone, I finally got all of my money back several weeks later, but what an absurd ordeal. I suggest that anytime anybody orders from them, be sure to ask if the price includes a cardboard box. I've never been disappointed with AES, and all their stuff comes with boxes. 73, John K7JY (former KI7JB).

912. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cleve Massey <cmassey@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <33504C1C.42A9@airmail.net>
Source record: 177991

And to think they almost went out of business because the big three tried to get the retail dealers to stop selling their stuff...so now they just sell it themselves...

Always have been and always will be a HUGE TEN TEC FAN!!!(I know the grammar is wrong...)

913. Re: Alinco DX-70 vs Icom 706--which one?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cleve Massey <cmassey@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <33504AF2.45E1@airmail.net>
Source record: 177992

If you are not interested in 2 then why get the 706!!??

I have had two DX-70's...the orig and the TH!!!

Loved them both...great receivers and a snap to use..plus you get the SSB and CW filter for the $850 or so dollars...they are extra with the ICOM...

Yea, the Alinco is not exactly a easily detachable head...once you remove it you should leave it detached.

my two cents...

cleve/wd5bor

914. Re: How's this .. HRO store for Ham Values

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <334F4577.3E34@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 177993

Larry Robison wrote:
>
> It is interesting to note that all of you guys who have replied to this
> twerp over in the Far East somewhere, have inadvertently propogated his
> message, which was "HRO catalog of lies". I don't think I saw anyone agree
> with this mental midget but the header always said "HRO catalog of lies".
> Kind of a wrong message being sent in error.

Hi Larry, I'm the twerp in the far east. How are you? Obviously,
you're a big
putz, seeing as how you've not included your email for me to reply
directly to you.
Normally, I keep flames (or flame replies) to myself. But what the
hell... I
cant resist this one.

> Story: Hear the one about the lady who walked into the meat market and saw
> a sign advertising chicken for $.79 a pound. She tells the butcher "that's
> kinda high isn't it. Matt's meats down the block has chicken for $.29 a
> pound." The butcher replies "Well you should go down to Matts and buy
> some!" The lady says disgustedly "I tried but he was all out" The butcher
> looked her right in the face and says "Well lady, if I was all out, I'd
> have it for $.29 a pound too!"

Good story, but like the comments above, you've seemed to have missed
the
point. The original poster commented that HRO's "list" prices are not
MSRP list -- they are made-up. I replied that I too had been slimed by
HRO Anaheim, in this case, for a $100 filter (which I agreed to pay for)
but was pissed due to the $20 shipping charge.

> When this pencil necked geek over seas found out that nobody had the filter
> he wanted except HRO ... he could have objected to the $4.00 higher price
> by not buying it. Noooo. Instead he pays it and then gripes all over the
> internet about the $4.00 and the extra postage it took to get it to him.

I never complained about paying extra for the filter. What I was hacked
about was shipping. I've NEVER had to pay so much in shipping charges.
I
would speculate this is how HRO recovers all that shipping money on the
"over $100 - free shipping" sales.

> wonder what he paid in phone calls asking if someone had it in stock?

Nothing -- 800 numbers are toll-free (duh...)

Joe
flameto:joentam@transend.com.tw

915. Re: Hallicrafters SR-150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <tech@thereporter.com>
Message-ID: <5imu76$lr1@lacy.zippo.com>
Source record: 177994

"Christopher" <grasim@enter.net> wrote:
>I have a Hallicrafters SR-150 transceiver with power supply I would like to
>sell, but I really have no idea how much it might go for. It's in great
>condition. If anyone has any suggestions or is interested let me know.
>Thanks.
>

DEPENDING on your interpretation of "great condition" about $200, is a
good place to start. That rig is all tubes, and the types it uses are
getting very hard to find, and are *EXPENSIVE* when you do. It's a good
rig, or was in it's day - I had one myself. When you settle on a price,
drop me an E-mail, I might be interested...

--
Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
==========
NRA: No Real Action
No Rational Accomplishments
Not Regarded Affectionately
==========Gun owners deserve *BETTER* than the NRA!====

916. Mods for PRESIDENT LINCOLN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: igor@arrakis.es
Message-ID: <3350078d.4334597@news.arrakis.es>
Source record: 177995

Please, I like mods for my PRESIDENT LINCOLN.

Sorry for my little english.

Bye

73'

917. ANTENNA WIRE #6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <335019E2.66B@total.net>
Source record: 177996

COPPERWELD ANTENNA WIRE FOR SALE

2 SPOOLS P/N ER35-40PCT6AWG BRAND NEW SURPLUS TO MY NEEDS.

EXCELLENT FOR LONG WORE ANTENNAS.

EACH SPOOL IS 418 METERS LONG AND WEIGHS APPROX 100 POUNDS.

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JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

TEL EVENINGS 515.694.3838

E MAIL jkmtl@total.net

918. Mods for Kenwood 221-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: phaedra@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <334ef032.307503434@news.connix.com>
Source record: 177997

Are there any mods for the 221-A 2m mobile rig for it to Xmit out of band??

Thanks!
-Paul

919. Re: Strange 8-pin DIN for Yaesu FT-1000MP ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <rlewis@staffnet.com>
Message-ID: <334FAFD8.45A@staffnet.com>
Source record: 177998

Tom McDermott wrote:
>
> I have just acquired a Yaesu FT-1000MP. It has what appears
> to be an 8-pin DIN connector for providing transistor-level
> keying of a linear amplifier. However, the 8-pin DIN I purchased
> at Radio Shack does not fit! Two of the pins are in slightly
> different locations.
>
> Is this connector special? Are there two different standards for
> 8-pin DIN connectors? Are these strange connectors available
> somewhere?
>
> - Tom, N5EG
>
> mcdermot@aud.alcatel.com
Yup. There seems to be a different standard for those available in the
US.

920. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <rlewis@staffnet.com>
Message-ID: <334FAF72.7F1F@staffnet.com>
Source record: 177999

Dick Flanagan wrote:
>
> In article <334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>, Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:
>
> >HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> >A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> >price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
> >less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
> >a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
> >I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
> >$20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter. The entire
> >filter, including box, extra packing, shipping, etc should not
> >have been more than 3 bucks tops -- the box it came in was 2 inches by
> >3 inches, and less than an inch thick. I was angry as hell when I
> >got the mastercard bill for 119.95 (99.95 for the filter, 20
> >bucks for shipping).
> >
> >No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
> >Joe
> >---
> >Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China
> >
> > http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html
> >
> >ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
> >Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.
> >---
>
> Anybody else notice this guy is in China! $20 for shipping to Taiwan
> sounds about right to me.
> --
> Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
> Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/
I've been very pleased with the Northern Virginia HRO store. Fair prices
and good service. If they don't have what I want they can usually get it
from another store in a few days.

921. Re: How to couple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Clements <philk5pc@connect.net>
Message-ID: <33502C69.6D2D@connect.net>
Source record: 178000

Alan wrote:
>
> No this is not a sex question. I have a Kenwood 850S/AT going to an
> AL-80B and then to an MFJ-989C and what is left of the signal goes to a
> dipole up about 90 Feet. I just purchased a scope (20 MHz) to look at
> my audio. Where and how should I pick up some RF? I could put a piece
> of wire in the tuner and to the scope. What is best?
>
> 73
> Alan
> W1HYV

The Millen 92200 Transmatch uses a 1 turn loop of wire near the top of the coil
for this purpose.

(((73)))
Phil, K5PC

922. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5imr9o$9v5$3@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 178013

In article <334E5D26.A64@ccm.fm.intel.com>, Jerry_A_Kreifels@ccm.fm.intel.com wrote:

>I am very happy with my dealings with HRO. I surf their web site and
>use the search engine for pricing. Other comments in this thread about
>out of date pricing in printed catalogs are right on.
>
>I purchased an Icom IC-281H in January when many dealers were closing
>them out. I got an "open box" unit (store demo) for $289.99 when the
>lowest price from any other dealer was $369 or so; most $379. I sprung
>for the CTCSS decode unit and sales tax, they paid UPS shipping.
>
>The unit was represented to me as having "very minor scratches" on the
>display. It was in reality, near perfect. (You have to be at just the
>right angle to see anything. Never see it in use in the car.) Unit
>came with all paperwork, and a well-browsed manual (of which I had been
>fore-warned.) Only problem was no remote-function decal for the mic.
>
>Called back, and they had Icom send me the mic decal within a week.
>Jerry, KO6JV (Sacramento CA area)

I'm a happy HRO customer as well. Had a problem with an MFJ TNC/Mic switch box and they switched it for me no problem. Whenever I called them they were very nice. This was the New England store. Maybe the original poster's store has got one or 2 bad apples....

Tom

E-mail me with the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

923. ISO: Service Manual For Kenwood TS-700A.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjohn6@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5imvt3$gus@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178014

Looking for any info. on where I can find a
service manual for the Kenwood TS-700A.

Thanks,
KF4HFG

mjohn6@ix.netcom.com

924. WTT: ICOM IC-R7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970411.210720.6423.3.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 178015

Hello group .. I have a mint ICOM IC-R7000 receiver <all modes: 25mhz to 2ghz>.

This is THE ONE to have for serious public safety monitoring, etc. The unit was manufactured prior to the cell frequency blocking requirement and is thus continuous tuning throughout the 800mhz band.
It is in excellent condition with original box and manuals.

What am I offered in trade? I'd be particularly interested in VHF SSB gear, or an HF tranciever of some sort. Drop me a personal email please. Thanks very much, and best 73's, Barry W6HZW/3 in Maryland.

925. Alinco DJ-G5T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5xed@flash.net
Message-ID: <5imsacdmo2@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 178016

Anyone have any mods on this HT? Great radio..

Thx & 73

N5XED
Gary

http://www.flash.net/~n5xed

926. FS: Icom IC-740 (loaded)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <334F0C20.7384@ibm.net>
Source record: 178017

I have for sale, one Icom IC-740 HF transciever in very clean condition. The rig includes the following:

740PS Internal Power supply
FL-54 270hz CW filter
Upgraded after-market SSB filter
FM Board
Marker unit
HM-10 up/down scanning mic.
Owners and service manuals, plus all manuals and instruction sheets for the above options.
Original box and packaging.

The rig is mid size (similar to the IC-745 or IC-751/A), and is ham-bands only. As a result of it's design, it has an unusually quiet receiver for a synthesized rig of it's era. Let's face it, in the mid '80's a general coverage meant sacrificing receiver performance due to added phase/synthesizer noise. It's one of the few rigs that had BOTH IF shift and pass band tuning, along with an excellent, fully adjustable IF notch filter.

Price: $550, including domestic UPS shipping, firm. Payment by money order or cashier's/certified/official check only due to previous problems.

AL7OQ
mfeldmn@ibm.net
415-339-8659

927. SM220 vs. SM230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tswift@infi-pos.com
Message-ID: <5imv47$qju@news.infi-pos.com>
Source record: 178018

I'm thinking about trying to adapt a Kenwood station monitor to work with my FT1000MP. Does anyone know the differences between a SM220 and an SM230? Even better, anyone know of a source for copies of the manuals for these units?

Thanks a lot.

Tom W2BD
Holmdel NJ
tswift@infi-pos.com

928. Experience with R-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Irvin <irvind@seds.lpl.arizona.edu>
Message-ID: <5in659$h1q$1@news.ccit.arizona.edu>
Source record: 178019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone out there have any experience with an Icom R-8500? I'm particularly interested in the audio bandwith ability. Can it do 57.6K baud packet?

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| Irvin
| UASEDS/UAARC
| Phone: 520.695.0676
| CallSign: KC7VDD
| E-mail: irvind@seds.org
| URL: www.seds.org/~irvind
|
| "There is no off position
| on the genius switch."
| - David Letterman
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929. FS: Kenwood DFC-230, PS-20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <334F0F6A.741B@ibm.net>
Source record: 178020

I have for sale, the following:

Kenwood DFC-230, Digital Frequency Controller for the TS-830/530/130 series radios. Includes scannin up/down mic, mounting bracket, manual, and original box and packing. Somewhat scratched, but works perfectly.

This unit will add memories, scanning, and a second VFO to your rig. Since it has a mic. connector, it can be used to fully remotely control your rig in a mobile environment, leaving you with a little box the size of an extra-small 2m FM rig to mount under the dash.

Price: $150, including domestic UPS shipping.

Kenwood PS-20, 4.5 amp supply to match the TS-120V, TS-130V, TS-660, TS-670, TR-9000/BO-9, TR-9500/BO-9, in very clean condition, with box and manual. $45 includes UPS shipping.

Payment by money order or cashier's/certified/official check due to previous problems. (Sorry to inconvenience all the honest folks out there.)

73,
Martin
AL7OQ
mfeldmn@ibm.net
415-339-8659

930. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: GUXL80A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5in6c0$507k@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 178021

it is your own fault if you do not check prices or pay that much for shipping...

931. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: GUXL80A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5in6pl$1s9k@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 178022

and also- cats can stink up a house pretty fast-worse than just about any dog!!!!

932. Re: Getting rid of mics ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <334f1de6.35094915@news.usit.net>
Source record: 178023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 11 Apr 1997 06:10:21 GMT, mdwatt@usit.net (Marty Watt)
wrote:

>>I'm unloading all my microphone-laden equipment ...
>>
>>Telex Contester Headset with boom mic, very little use. Model
>>62400-155. $65

The Heil and the Shure/Swan are spoken for ...

Telex is only thing left! They are moving quickly! The Telex is
like-new condition (with connectors attached, 1/4" mono for mic and
1/8" stereo for phones). Even has the ear covers, not even dirty!

72 es 73 de
Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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933. Re: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5in9ai$4om$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 178024

Yeah right, I've been trying to: 1. Get on the list. 2. Get back messages. Can't seen to get anywhere with this "reflector". Good luck, hope you have better luck than I have.

BTW - I have played with the rig on several occasions, and my gut feel is the spectrum scope it really too slow, and too insensitive (can't see signals below about an s4 or s5), DSP is lacking (compared to rigs like the Kenwood TS-870's), but has excellent audio, very nice features and flexability, very nice user interface, in other words, many good and bad features. Depends on what you are after. I.E. If you don't need "weak signal" detection on the spectrum scope, it work fairly well (could have a faster refresh rate). The DSP does provide some nice noise canceling capabilities, but lacks the band pass filtering the 870s provides (in the IF). I'm still interested in the rig, I'm waiting to hear if someone comes up with a mod to fix the scopes lack of sensitivity, and perhaps the refresh rate (good luck).

Anyway, my 2 cents worth. 73, Mike - WQ0N

In article <01bc4550$769afbe0$2b24c6cf@jrr>, "John Roe" <johnr@bicnet.net> wrote:
>Hi Chad,
>
>The individual below has setup a reflector just for the IC-756. Ask him to
>sign you up and send you the old mail messages. I think you will find them
>useful.
>
>Bob Nagy-AB5N- Chief Engineer KVRX 91.7 / KVR TV9
>Trustee 442.15/R 1292.15/R
>Nagy's "Down Home" Page-
>http://bluebonnet.pai.utexas.edu/Facstaff/stfpages/bnagy/
>Vocab+: " tavaszi nagytakaritas" Spring Cleaning- in Hungarian
>
>73's John KE1CQ

934. TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kereilly@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5in8ja$rmi@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178025

I'm looking for a new HF rig. I am looking at the TS-570D or the TS-570S. Can anyone (preferrably a TS-570 owner) tell me what is so great about the TS-570D? What features do owners like the most? How it compares/measures up to the competition...etc?

I would also like to speak to someone via the telephone about their decision to purchase the TS-570D (or <S>). Please leave your phone #.

Thanks

Kenan
<kereilly@ix.netcom.com>

935. Re: mods for yaesu ft747gx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwcomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412065001.CAA29351@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178026

I'm sorry, but your message didn't come through, at least not to my eyes.
I am interested in reading posts on this particular model, and I'll
explain why in another post (Prayer Support Needed).
73, Dale
Viset the Dale Wein Communications WEB page at,
http://home.aol.com/dwcomm
for the latest info on photo scanning & printing services.

936. Prayer Support Needed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwcomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412070201.DAA29986@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178027

For all you Christians out there, I need God's assistance with this situation.
I purchased a Yaesu 747GX transceiver from an individual.
I'm new to Amateur Radio, and this would have been my first HF unit.
The man made me an offer that I thought was very reasonable, and being short on cash I sent him one of those Discover Card checks.
He sent the radio by UPS insured, and when I unpacked the radio, I found it to be non-functional. The radio had been damaged during shipping.
Upon speaking with the sender over the phone and through e-mail, I know that he had tested the radio and found it to be in perfect condition prior to shipping it.
He said so, and I believe him. There was both external and internal damage, and so I contacted UPS to report this. I faxed UPS with all of the info and documentation that I had here. UPS picked up the package from me.
I found out later that the package had been returned to the sender, and the sender received the radio in WORSE CONDITION than it was when I had it !!
The radio was damaged in shipping BOTH WAYS !!
Well, the sender is also dealing with UPS on this, and I hope that the two of them can work this out so that I'll be compensated somehow.
I don't want to loose my money, and I don't want to get some piece of trash back in the mail. I'm sure that this was a great radio before it was broken.
All I know is that I was told that the radio had been crushed.
Please ask GOD to bless the situation and cause it to work out for all of our benefits.
A very sincere 73 to everyone! Dale Wein

Viset the Dale Wein Communications WEB page at,
http://home.aol.com/dwcomm
for the latest info on photo scanning & printing services.

937. New Location - Ham Radio Liquidation Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <334eefae.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 178028

We've moved and improved! See our complete listing
of surplus USED Audio, Video, Ham Radio, Computer,
Photographic and Misc. electronic gear at it's new home!

We're now at: http://mypage.ihost.com/unitedsound

Our new web site offers additional information on the items
that we're selling as well as a new inquiry system that
makes it easy to buy over the web of get additional information.

I'll be adding new items over this weekend, so please visit often!

Thanks,
Steve White
United Sound

938. Re: Is Yaesu FT-5100 any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: godom76961@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412111501.HAA08294@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178029

Have looked at 2 of the 5100 models with tx problems on the UHF side.
Radio is highly overrated on it's tx power in that band Works great on
2meters. The internal
duplexer is very lossy.

George/KB2SIY

939. Mods for FT1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljfm@polaristel.net
Message-ID: <5insm0$t8c@cronkite.polaristel.net>
Source record: 178030

I have been fortunate to find a really nice 1000D and bought it.

In playing with the receiver, I find that I have to make the choice between the BPF and the external antenna receive and changing between the two requires taking the covers off...whatta pain.

Does anyone know of a mod, or can that switch be moved to a more convenient spot so that one can switch between the BPF and the external antenna for split receive using beverages for example??

I'd appreciate any feed back.

Also, does anyone know of a mod for the tuning speed. It's currently at 10kHz per rev and would be much more acceptable for low band dxing if it tuned slower.

Larry N0XB
Northfield, MN

940. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97041204363712240@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178031

Subject: Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

DF>>HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
>>A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
>>price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
>>less, (but were out of stock)....

Well, that says it all, doesn't it?!?!

A mere 5% difference in price, and it's IN STOCK - and he's moaning.

And he lives overseas, too...and bitches about a reasonable shipping
fee. WHICH HE WOULD HAVE BEEN QUOTED ON THE PHONE, if he had asked.

- Clint Bradford

Clint Bradford

* 1st 2.00 #8286 * He dreamed he was a muffler -- he awakened exhausted.

941. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970412043638122241@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 178032

Subject: Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

RM>Only complaint I have was that
>I asked for a catalog and they forgot to send me one.

They might have been short of 'em - there's a new one coming out in
just a month, I believe!

- Clint Bradford

Clint Bradford

* 1st 2.00 #8286 * How you look depends on where you go.

942. Re: Yaesu FT-8000R questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aw560@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <5io131$num@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 178033

> SNIP...
>
>
>> Intermod / crossmod rejection is not the best but not the worst either.
>> Like I said ... you can't have everything for the price of this unit ...
>> this is a really nice rig!!! BUT ... if your requirements are more toward
>> VHF only with super I/M rejection ... you'll be disappointed.
>>
>> :) 73 de Mike, VE3VP E-:-)
>
> How about receiver sensitivity within the ham bands? Is it decent?

< adam
< KA8QNT

Well Adam, I don't have another mobile to compare it to, but in practice
it seems to be quite good. The manual claims (for 12 dB SINAD) less than
0.18 uV (main band) and less than 0.25 uV (sub band) with image rejection
of better than 70 dB. Toward the upper end of the VHF private commercial band
the sensitivity seems to drop off. I can receive the wx channel 162.400 MHz
better on its image frequency of 252.500 MHz than I can on the fundamental,
even though the main band is used in each case.

Hope this helps,

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:) 73 de Mike, VE3VP E-:-)

943. Re: Mods for FT1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsutton@erols.com
Message-ID: <334f8be4.4709653@news.erols.com>
Source record: 178034

On 12 Apr 1997 11:46:08 GMT, ljfm@polaristel.net (Larry Menzel) wrote:

>
>I have been fortunate to find a really nice 1000D and bought it.
>
>In playing with the receiver, I find that I have to make the choice
>between the BPF and the external antenna receive and changing between
>the two requires taking the covers off...whatta pain.
>
>Does anyone know of a mod, or can that switch be moved to a more
>convenient spot so that one can switch between the BPF and the external
>antenna for split receive using beverages for example??
****
I'm not sure I understand your problem. The Ft-1000 will operate with
two separate antennas - by connecting the second antenna to the BPF
and selecting the second antenna by the "RX Ant" switch in the upper
left hand corner. The "RF Mix" control will provide audion output
from either or both of the antennas/receiver at the same time. Such a
situation will allow two antennas operating with two separate
receivers. Great for diversity operation.

With the RX Ant in the out position the main antenna is connected to
both receivers.

Hope this helps

Jim/AC4CZ
****
>I'd appreciate any feed back.
>
>Also, does anyone know of a mod for the tuning speed. It's currently at
>10kHz per rev and would be much more acceptable for low band dxing if it
>tuned slower.
>
>Larry N0XB
>Northfield, MN
>

944. Radio Shack HTX212 problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kenlewis@istar.ca
Message-ID: <5io3um$nev@news.istar.ca>
Source record: 178035

my HTX212 has a shorted diode / burned resistor combination.
the problem is the schmetatic has one number for the diode & resistor
but the parts list from the Shack's web site have something different.

The diode is D14 and the resistor is R95 both located near the RF
final. The radio has little or no output and the meter shows no output
as well when the mike is keyed.

If anyone can help with information on these parts (ie diode type &
ratings etc, Resistor value & wattage) it would be much appreciated.

Ken Lewis
VE3UIJ
kenlewis@istar.ca

945. Alinco DR-130T Want manual, CAP mod info, tone/RAM bds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: keithw@bctv.com
Message-ID: <LCxTzwUN33AO091yn@bctv.com>
Source record: 178036

I just got an Alinco DR-130T, and I would like to find the following, used or at discount:

Manual
Instructions for the CAP mod
EJ-19U Memory board
EJ-20U CTCSS tone board

946. FS: Harris Military Model RF-505A Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Gray <lbol@panther.uwo.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc4748$9d15cbc0$0100a8c0@don>
Source record: 178037

HARRIS Military Model: RF 505 A HF Receiver

1.6 MHZ - 29.9999 MHZ USB, LSB, AM, CW (CW filter not installed), & ISB.
Collin's filters, Solid State, Synthesized, Double conversion. Built in preselector.
High Stability Master Oscillator assures rock solid stability.
Detent Tuning however the 1 KHZ step has a continuous tunable, VFO mode.
Operates on 120 VAC or 28 VDC. Built in speaker. 600 Ohm line outputs. Dual Meters.

A1 condition & fully functional. An excellent radio for NET, BEACON, HF/SW monitoring.

$ 400.00 CDN (about $ 290 USD). Shipping costs extra.

If interested please reply by email.

947. Alinco DX-70 vs Icom 706--which one?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudy Marcelletti <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <01bc473e$48335780$9206d9cd@rudym>
Source record: 178038

I am in the market to purchase a do all compact HF and 6m rig and would like to hear about pros and cons of the DX-70 and IC-706. Any info would be appreciated. Thanks, Rudy, KA8SWD.

948. Re: Is Yaesu FT-5100 any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <334F97CB.432F@concentric.net>
Source record: 178039

GOdom76961 wrote:
>
> Have looked at 2 of the 5100 models with tx problems on the UHF side.
> Radio is highly overrated on it's tx power in that band Works great on
> 2meters. The internal
> duplexer is very lossy.
>
> George/KB2SIY

Why do you say the FT5100 is overrated (Do you have one). I have 3 and love all 3 of them. Sure it has it's little problems like all other rigs do but they don't show any of the problems your talking about. Now if you where to talk about the FT8500 then you may see a problem of low receive on 2 meters. Just had to send my brand new one back for that and so did several others I know.

Bill/WA8INZ

949. Re: Experience with R-8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <334f9db7.1752060@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 178040
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 12 Apr 1997 05:21:45 GMT, Dana Irvin <irvind@seds.lpl.arizona.edu>
wrote:

>Anyone out there have any experience with an Icom R-8500? I'm particularly
>interested in the audio bandwith ability. Can it do 57.6K baud packet?
>
>--
>----------------------------
>| Irvin

It might but the detector out is connected to the narrow FM detector.
You would need to change it to the 150 Khz wide FM detector or build
something that you could attach to the 6 Mhz wide IF out jack.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

950. Re: Prayer Support Needed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wyatt6gun@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412150500.LAA20187@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178041

Dale,
I don;t know about God blessing the situation, but I can relate a similiar incident. I had sold an amplifier for $1500 to a friend of mine, sent via UPS insured, and sure enough, it was damaged in transit. This, even though I had the company that did the shipping to package it. To continue, UPS picked up the package from the recepient, sent it to the manufacture, had it completely gone through, and returned it to the individual that I had sold it to. It took several months, but the outcome was OK. Just sit tight and keep in touch with UPS and I think things will work out.

Good luck.....

Wyatt W5YHY

951. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ioanq$hki@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178042

In <5in6c0$507k@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com> GUXL80A@prodigy.com
(Patrick Morley) writes:
>
>it is your own fault if you do not check prices or pay that much for
>shipping...
>

As I recall it was shipped to Hong Kong the only way UPS does the
Pacific is by air. It is not like sending it to Fresno. Geez

952. Need mods: Yaesu FT-41 and Alinco DJ-S41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5iob77$ami@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178043

I would appreciate any help in locating mods for the Yaesu FT-41 UHF HT and the Alinco DJ-S41. I do know about the oakland ftp site, but have not been able to get into it.

Thanks in advance, Don (KE4KYO)

953. FS Heliax / Repeater VHF Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Guthrie <don@guthries.com>
Message-ID: <334FB447.845@guthries.com>
Source record: 178044

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For Sale: 200' Andrew 1/2" Heliax - $200.00 (Cdn)
200' Andrew 7/8" Heliax - $300.00 (Cdn)
Sinclair VHF Antenna SR235-2 (8 Dipole-20') suitable
for repeater install. - $200.00
4 Sections 24" commercial tower (6.5' Sections - can
be transported up in elevator) - $200.00

Call Don (905) 294-2558
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954. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5iod5c$o8o@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 178045

In <5ioanq$hki@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com> kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald
Schmitt) writes:
>
>In <5in6c0$507k@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com> GUXL80A@prodigy.com
>(Patrick Morley) writes:
>>
>>it is your own fault if you do not check prices or pay that much for
>>shipping...
>>
>
>As I recall it was shipped to Hong Kong the only way UPS does the
>Pacific is by air. It is not like sending it to Fresno. Geez

After posting this I read the post telling how it was shipped to Texas.
Does anyone know a good condiment for crow.

Jerry
>

955. Re: FS: Harris Military Model RF-505A Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Reuber <breuber@mail.wcl.on.ca>
Message-ID: <5iodei$ofs@nr1.toronto.istar.net>
Source record: 178046

I may be interested in this rec. I am a collector of items like this..
are you interested in any items on trade?
brand new midland vhf portable transciever, 2 meter and 138-174 rx..
marine radios maybe..
I am only about 100 miles from you,, (near owen sound)

Bill Reuber

956. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412164101.MAA27102@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178047

Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote in article
<334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>...
> HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
> less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
> a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
> I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
> $20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter.

I can honestly say I have never been treated anything but fairly by the people at HRO or any other reputable Amateur Radio Equipment dealer in the 34 years I have been buying equipment from dealers. Before I would call them SOB's, I would contact them and find out the facts, since it apparently wasn't clarified when the order was made. Its an unusual scenario.

957. WTB: DD-6 digital dial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbays85518@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412172300.NAA29137@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178048

im looking for the dd-6 digital dial for the atlas 210x.

thks. BILL N3FGD.
E-MAIL wbays85518@aol.com

958. Commercial and personal web pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdean@ham.nws.net
Message-ID: <334fc831.51908830@news.epix.net>
Source record: 178049

Hello all. I know a lot of the amatuer stores out there don't have
web pages, so I have put up a new site called http://www.repeater.net
so that these places have somewhere to put up a site. This also goes
for personal webpages as well. If you come to the site and read it,
you will see the pricing info. I must add also, that the first month
is free. If you feel like it isn't really helping you out, then after
1 month send me email to the address on the page, and we will cancel
you pages. THis is for all people looking for a site, but we would
like to get some more amatuer radio stores showing up on the internet.

again, the site is http://www.repeater.net

959. There now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Buck <jrbuck@interpac.net>
Message-ID: <334FCA11.5BA1@interpac.net>
Source record: 178050

Contrary to previous messages posted, I was able to download the files.
73
John

960. Gel Cell Charging??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net>
Message-ID: <334FCC8C.2BE9@bmi.net>
Source record: 178051

Can any one give advise on the proper charging of Gel cells? I have a 12v gel cell (wheelchair battery) that I use to power radios & GPS on a sail boat. Is it best to keep them up or let them deep cycle?

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Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

961. Audio/electronics for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: believer@telepath.com
Message-ID: <5ioi2k$mru@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 178052

For sale only:

Pro-Audio recording gear:
British-made "ACES"-brand 24-track 2" recorder with remote, 15/30 ips with vari-speed, sold new for $19,000.00. Also ACES 32-input in-line mixer, 24 groups, 5-band switchable EQ, 5 sends per channel, extensive routing options, patchbay, etc., sold new for $13,500.00. All manuals, wiring harnesses, and lots of spare parts included. Both units are one-owner. I'll sell both for $10,000.00.

For sale or trade:

PATCH BAYS:
19" rack-mount patch-bays, with heavy-duty long-frame mil-spec Switchcraft/ADC 1/4" jacks. Front panel is black phenolic with designation strips, attached to a metal reinforcing frame. Jacks are switching type, and may be wired in a variety of ways such as normaled, semi-normaled, etc. They are wired to a "punch-block" which is mounted on the back of the frame, and connections may be made to the punch-block, or directly to the jacks. I have:
Quantity: 3 Number of jacks: 48 Approx. list price: $150.00
I sell these for $40.00
Quantity: 4 Number of jacks: 72 Approx. list price: $60.00
I sell these for $60.00
Quantity: 3 Number of jacks: 96 Approx. list price: $250.00
I sell these for $80.00

I also have:
POWER SUPPLIES
These are "Sola" brand 117VAC in, 15VDC out bi-polar power supplies, highly filtered and regulated, PC-board mount (but easily adapted), and were used in medical heart-monitoring equipment. You can find them listed in the Allied Electronics catalog. I have:
Quantity: 4 SOLA#84-15-2135 Rated at: 350MA
Allied price: $220.00
I'd like $20.00 each
Quantity: 7 SOLA#84-15-2120 Rated at: 200MA
Allied price: $154.00
I'd like $15.00 each

I also have 2 Tektronix Model 620 X-Y display monitors, with 10X12 cm screens, suitable for analog display data such as ultrasonic detection systems, volume & vibration analysis, auger probes, and biophysical systems as well as computer and data transmission systems. I don't know what they cost new, but they are real nice, and I'd let them go cheap.

Make an offer--I'll horse trade!!

dave
e-mail me at: believer@telepath.com

962. Help on converting Mitrek to repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lkunz@flash.net
Message-ID: <334fcc9d.14864341@news.flash.net>
Source record: 178053

Does anyone have experience converting a UHF Motorols Mitrek mobile to repeater duty?

Larry - WA5KBQ

963. FS: TS940SAT MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4770$d564e600$a050b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 178054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I Have forsale a Very MINT TS940SAT. There is not a mark on this rig anywhere. It has had very very little use and has been covered and in storage for several years.

I have the original box and manual.

$1175 plus shipping.

Call 520-284-6848 or nu6x@sedona.net.

Mark NU6X

964. FS: FT-50r Battery Pack FNB-49 $35

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: WinW <ufs00776@email.sjsu.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc4771$88bb8b00$50194182@default>
Source record: 178055

FS: FT-50r Battery Pack FNB-49 $35 2 week old in box. San Jose CA area.
--
ufs00776@email.sjsu.edu

965. crete holidays

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: MANOS NERANTZULIS <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc476f$c8678260$f8915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 178056

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS.OPEN FROM 14/4/97 TO 31/10/97.FOR INFORMATIONS CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA EMAIL OR FAX AT ++30 81 761382.

966. Spurious cellular reception on the PRO-2035

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: abtownes@juno.com
Message-ID: <860870377.25516@dejanews.com>
Source record: 178057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The PRO-2035 scanner from Radio Shack is a popular model covering up to 1300 Mhz, but with the cell frequencies blocked out, and not restorable by any simple trick. It is known, however, that this scanner exhibits spurious cellular reception, particularly in the range around 1100 to 1115 Mhz. In his write-up on this scanner in 1994, Bob Parnass provided the table shown below, comparing several spurious frequencies with the corresponding actual cellular frequencies. (His write-up is repeated in his posting of 1997/2/23. Search "Parnass" in DejaNews.) I presume he obtained this data experimentally, by generating cellular frequencies and searching for them on the Pro-2035.

***** Parnass's Table *****

PRO-2035 tuned to frequency (Image)	Actual transmitted (Actual)	Difference (Actual - Image)
1105.550	870.450	235.100
1107.875	876.120	231.755
1110.900	881.100	229.800
1113.470	886.530	226.940
1114.840	893.160	221.680

A surprising feature of his data is that the freq. difference, in the third column, is different for each of his data points. We might have expected the spurious response to come about from a single combination of frequencies, leading to a simple linear relation between the cell freq. and the spur. (image) freq. This would lead to the difference being the same throughout the third column.

I decided to look into this with my new PRO-2035, and see whether I could make better sense of it. Having no cellular-capable receiver, and no adaquate signal generator (It would take quite an expensive UHF synthesized instrument to do this.), I used my synthesized 2-meter HT, at low power, with a harmonic generating network. That consisted of a couple of resistors across the RF output, with a high-freq. silicon diode across one of the resistors. This was hardly an efficient harmonic generator, but with hundreds of milliwatts in at 144 Mhz and picowatts needed at 880 Mhz, it did not need to be efficient. Tuning from 145 MHz to almost 149 Mhz covered the high cell band, 870 to 894 Mhz, where the fixed stations transmit, using the 6th harmonic. (Some days we just get lucky. This really took luck.) All harmonics could be heard on the scanner except 4 & 5 which are on frequencies the scanner does not cover. Touch tones made

them easy to spot. Since cellular reception has been reported around 1100 Mhz, I started around there and quickly found my carrier and touchtones. In each case, I changed the 144 Mhz freq. by 20 kHz, and watched the 1100 Mhz signal move by 120 kHz, proving that it was indeed the 6th harmonic that was involved, the actual cellular freq. Two facts emerged.

1) The spurious response frequency moved DOWN as the applied cellular freq. moved UP, and indeed by 6x, on all the ranges I investigated.

2) The simple linear relation between the spurious response frequency and the actual cellular freq. persisted for only about 1 or 1.5 Mhz. Then the signal was lost.

Thus, the spurious "band" is actually a complicated set of subbands with different frequency combinations producing each one. This is some of my experimental data:

869.130 to 870.510 ---->>>> 1106.875 to 1105.505L

887.400 to 888.000 ---->>>> 1112.605 to 1112.005

892.500 to 893.970 ---->>>> 1115.500L to 1114.035

The "L" means limit, that is the spurious response dropped off at that point. The middle data above might have been extended further. Parnass's first and last frequencies interpolate nicely into my first and last ranges. His three middle freqs would make good starting points for finding more ranges, but I had forgotten that he provided the above table while I was doing the data-taking.

This work can be repeated by anyone with a 2-meter HT, but I got tired of taking data. It is possible that more than 1 cell freq. can be heard at some points in the spur. band. If anyone explores this and finds more match-ups, please post them.

I have also discovered that the PRO-2035 has another type of spurious response not mentioned in the newsgroups, and, I believe, of a type never discussed in any literature on radio technology. When an FM'ed carrier is heterodyned with an oscillator, the resultant sum or difference signal is found to have the same FM as the original. Indeed this is the basis for heterodyne reception of FM signals, single or multiple conversion. Every scanner uses it. Suppose that in an unusual situation, 2 carriers, FM'ed with 2 different audio signals, are mixed, perhaps with a separate oscillator to get the 3-signal mix to the desired IF. What then? While FM is a nonlinear process that often leads to complex results, in this situation the two instantaneous frequencies of the FM'ed carriers add or subtract and produce a single resultant carrier, FM'ed with the sum or difference of the two original audio signals. I know of no use for this principle, except to explain what I am hearing on the PRO-2035. Just scan around between 1075 Mhz and 1095 Mhz using 5-kHz steps in a location and at a time when many strong cell signals are present. This works only during a busy time since you need particular unrelated pairs of cell channels to be active. What you will find are channels with two

independent conversations at the same time. Never one. When one hangs up or is handed off, you lose the whole spurious response. The two conversations do not interfere, in the sense that there is no whistle or distortion. Indeed, it sounds much like what we commonly hear with two single-sideband signals transmitted on the same frequency. With FM, two signals transmitted on the same frequency would never produce this result. It takes this wierd spurious combination. This combination effect is also found between 1100 and 1115 Mhz in some spots, among the carriers with single conversations.

I look forward to hearing what others think of all this.

Al

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

967. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33500B2D.CEE@ibm.net>
Source record: 178058

Rick Bates wrote:

> moved away from the power button (ARG!!!) I find that the 733 has a
> better receiver than the TM-V7a.

"Better" RX is kinda subjective really. As a rule of thumb, the more sensitive, the less selective an RXvr will be.

> But that the split PL tones (one tx
> another rx) is nice too. I miss the mute in the V7 (not there) as I do
> the cloning ability (also not there). And I am one of those rare (I
> guess) folks that don't use dual band antennas in the car, because I
> don't want diplexor losses, but with the V7 you have no choice (or you
> can run the diplexor backwards to two antennas, not really a choice).
> So I prefer to have two antenna ports (let the user decide what they
> want).

I've used a few diplexors and found them to be quite good. Less than 1dBm difference on RX.

> Since I own several other Kenwoods I haven't had a problem with the
> programming, they are failry consistent (except now the V7 has some new
> twists, you can only do some things via the menu setup or power on for
> other things that were button commands before).

I have three friends that have had a legacy of problems with Kenwood gear. It's basically cheap communications IMO.

--
Andy Moss
"In God we trust - the rest can pay cash......."

968. How to couple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <alan1@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <334FE357.4564@ultranet.com>
Source record: 178059

No this is not a sex question. I have a Kenwood 850S/AT going to an AL-80B and then to an MFJ-989C and what is left of the signal goes to a dipole up about 90 Feet. I just purchased a scope (20 MHz) to look at my audio. Where and how should I pick up some RF? I could put a piece of wire in the tuner and to the scope. What is best?

73
Alan
W1HYV

969. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5iontd$jv9@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 178060

Found the problem. It was the power wire. The wire runs from the Battery up front to the raido in the trunk. I was using 18 guage wire. I switched to 10 guage and it did the trick. I now am getting full wattage (on some freqs).

Thanks for your help & 73

=TOM=

970. Re: Regency UHF Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Nicholson <csnichol@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <334F8AE9.19E7@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 178061

Bob Nickels wrote:
>
> It's been a long time since I've messed with repeaters! Can anyone
> tell me if a Regency UHF repeater model MCCU15RA built for
> 450-470 Mhz (working now on 460) will come down to the ham
> band with minimal trouble?
>
> Thanks for any help!
>
> 73, Bob W9RAN
> ranickel@mwci.net Bob, This repeater will tune 440-450 with no changes
Chris N9LLO

971. Re: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlubash@poco.mv.com.nospam
Message-ID: <E8JHz4.Inr@mv.mv.com>
Source record: 178062

In article <5in9ai$4om$1@news1.i1.net>
tenorman@i1.net (Mike Kraml) writes:

> Yeah right, I've been trying to: 1. Get on the list. 2. Get back messages.
> Can't seen to get anywhere with this "reflector". Good luck, hope you
> have better luck than I have.
>
>
> >The individual below has setup a reflector just for the IC-756. Ask him to
> >sign you up and send you the old mail messages. I think you will find them
> >useful.
> >
> >Bob Nagy-AB5N- Chief Engineer KVRX 91.7 / KVR TV9
> >Trustee 442.15/R 1292.15/R
> >Nagy's "Down Home" Page-
> >http://bluebonnet.pai.utexas.edu/Facstaff/stfpages/bnagy/
> >Vocab+: " tavaszi nagytakaritas" Spring Cleaning- in Hungarian
> >
> >73's John KE1CQ

Bob Nagy the reflector maintainer is in the hospital this week and will
not be able to process these requests till next week.

See you then,

73

Richard / N1VXW

PS

The band scope does not work like conventional (SM-220/230) scopes. But
if you leave the preamp set to #2 and play around with the hold and max
hold functions you can get good results. It's just a matter of changing
opperating techniques with the scope.

Richard Lubash
N1VXW
email rlubash@poco.mv.com

ATTENTION: To stop that pesky junk mail I to have
put the suffex nospam at the end of my email address. To reply
either remove nospam or reply to the address above.

972. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: algo@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <334fde70.10144250@news6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 178109

The HRO store in Delaware sold me a Timewave DSP-599zx "opened box" piece of merchandise for about $30 off of list. This is for a very hot model that is pretty hard to find. Ordered it on a Friday afternoon and it was delivered Monday. Only complaint I have was that I asked for a catalog and they forgot to send me one.

Raymond Makul
ex WA2WXV, but getting my ticket back real soon.

973. Private Patch,Yaesu8500,Pentium,MORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412014900.VAA07370@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178110

$559 - Yaesu FT-8500 with the MH-39 Newer compact, one touch, FULL-FUNCTION mic for safer driving. Large Omni Glow removable display. Alphanumeric and seperate frequency numbers displayed together. Built it variable resulotion spectral anylzer lets you view signals accross large band segments. Imaculate. Special quick release bracket. Remotable head unit for security.

$329 - Connect Systems CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect). 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed. Built in programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if caller is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with fancy base antenna, more height or an amplifier. With permission, just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (Run repeater clubs patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a spare. Multiple volume adjustments (mobile to land,Land to Mobile,CW volume,DTMF volume ect.),and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, you are the control operator. Plus a long list of other professional features.

$159 - Mother board PENTIUM 90 mhz, PCI & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade your olde today. Takes 72 pin memory. (see PCI card below)

$69 - Card - SVGA PCI high quality video. $49 with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem w/manuals

KC4SRN@AOL.COM

974. old amateur qsl cards wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9iif <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc46b5$2f265f00$11794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 178111

i am looking for old amatuer radio qsl cards 1930,1940,1950,1960,1970,or whatever.thanks jack n9iif

975. mods for yaesu ft747gx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjbplb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970412024201.WAA11670@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178112

all freq xmit conversion

976. Pye Olympic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: DENNIS <dennisg@netactive.co.za>
Message-ID: <01bc4825$c2c4d2c0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177863

Hi there,

OM Johan ZS4KB is looking for either a schematic or workshop manual for a Pye Olympic 2metre rig. Can anybody help??

Johan can be contacted via packet radio ZS4KB@ZS0BFN.OFS.ZAF.AF or fax to 27 57 353-1600 or telephone 27 57 352-5130. Or even via the net to dennisg@netacttive.co.za and I will get the info to him.

Enjoy your day!!
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73
Dennis ZS4BS

977. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Parker <parkerp@pcug.org.au>
Message-ID: <33514223.0@cheese.pcug.org.au>
Source record: 177864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Burt Fisher <burtfisher@geocities.com> wrote:

Wireless Auction
>
> Up for grabs: Licenses to use most of the amateur radio
>megahertz of electromagnetic spectrum in each of nearly 500 markets
>nationwide. Repeater frequencies are much in demand by those with the
>following: Uses: Transmitting voices, pictures and data via small, flat
>antennas that can rest on a windowsill. Expected bidders: All sorts of
>telecommunications companies -- but Baby Bells and cable operators will
>be barred from bidding on licenses in their home territories.
>

It looks as if our resident knocker is at it again, though April 1 was
two weeks ago!

However the concept of auctioning one and two letter amateur callsigns to
the highest bidder (rather than through a lottery system) has
attractions. Here in Australia we floated the idea (tongue in cheek)
that those with two letter callsigns should give them up and have their
callsign re-allocated to the highest bidder at a public auction attended
by all amateurs (on April 1, 1996). That created quite a stir, because
most amateurs want a callsign that's either very close to their initials
or very short. I suspect that a proposal to auction attractive callsigns
would raise even more controversy than one to auction some of our bands.

73,

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Peter Parker

E-mail: parkerp@pcug.org.au
Phone: (06) 285 1004 (ah)
Amateur Radio: VK1PK

Home Page: http://www.pcug.org.au/~parkerp/
The home of Novice Notes Online and the VK QRP Web Page.
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978. HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970413125431.2038Q-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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---------- Reposted message ----------
Original Date: Wed, 9 Apr 1997 00:51:47 -0700
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Newgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Subject: HRO's catalog of LIES!

[1]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On Mon, 7 Apr 1997, Clint Bradford wrote:

> >>"You baught it now you are stuck with it."
>
> Absolute rubbish, of course. My local HRO would gladly exchange the unit
> for a new one with no hassles whatsoever.
>
> Don't lay your prejudices on us...we know better.

How about your prejudice in favor of HRO? Here's a news flash for ya...

Did you know that HRO LIES to hams in their catalog about many factory
suggested retail prices?

2 Cases in point:

Standard's C156A and C228A HT's.

HRO lied about them in their latest catalog by saying the price HRO asks
is HRO's own special discount price and that the factory suggested price
is much higher, when in fact, HRO's "discount price" IS the factory's
suggested retail price!

HRO Says...

Model Suggested HRO Price

C156A $289.95 $199.95
C228A $695.95 $579.95

Standard Says...
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Model Suggested

C156A $199.95
C228A $579.95

This is the case on many many items in HRO's catalog.

Bottom line: HRO is lying and probably has been for years!

I thought Jun's was a rip-off... then I went thru HRO's catalog and saw HRO wrote the book on rip-offs! It wasn't hard to bust them in their lie because all the manufacturers are now on the internet.

If you want to pat a company on the back, look to Ten Tech or AES. They are two of the most straight-forward companies around and they deserve a pat on the back.

You guys know by now that I am a master at fault-finding and criticism, so if I tell you that a company is okay, then you can bet your fuzzy butt that I HAVE scrutinized them and that they ARE okay! Because if they are not right you can believe I'd verbally rip them to shreds and enjoy it! There's nothing a man who is dirt poor hates more than someone trying to rip off what little he has or who is not giving him his money's worth!

And HRO is a sad case too. They are so big that they can afford to be straight with us but I guess maybe greed has blinded them to the fact that hams are not stupid and we eventually find out when a company is full of crap and most importantly, we the consumers made HRO as big and successful as they are and we the consumers can put HRO back in the poor house just as quickly. That goes for any company.

I don't get any money from any ham equipment maker or distributor so I have no bias in my critique or my praise of a company. I call em like I see em... and if they don't like it they can go straight to hell.

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

[2]--+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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[4]------------------------+---------------------------+

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| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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|
[5]-------------------------+----------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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979. Re: Emergency Mangement Office

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwbran1@uswest.com
Message-ID: <5iritr$9lh$1@sanews.uswc.uswest.com>
Source record: 177866

What type of rigs are you looking for and how many of each type?

980. N1KDO repeater controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4856$6a9d1cc0$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>
Source record: 177867

Anybody build or buy complete the N1KDO repeater controller? This project was published in the 2/97 QST pg. 37. Also published at http://www.mindspring.com/~otterson/nhrc2/ .

Would like to hear whatever operational experience you have with this controller. Based on opinions, it might get used in a Micor UHF project.

TIA
^^

73 de N3WUU
steves@clark.net

981. WTB Heath Manuals (or copies) & PA/Boathorn

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: emw@teleport.com.no_bulk_spam_mail
Message-ID: <33555449.62643977@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 177868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WTB
Original or Photocopy

Heath Manuals for the following:

AC-1 Antenna Tuner

QM-1 Q Meter

HW-30 Twoer

ALSO
Heathkit offered (looooooong ago) a combo PA/Boathorn/
FOGHORN for small boats.
I'd really like one (for my truck :-)).

TIA
73 de KA9ANH/7
Ed

982. KE2AM rpt controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: brunner@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33515aed.5428422@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177869

Does anyone know KE2AM???? or GET-TECH 201 Riley Rd. New Windsor, NY 12553???

Several years ago I sent my
"broken" controller for repair and never heard anything from them. The one time I got someone on the phone the response was that they were really busy. I finnally gave up and considered it a loss. Now with the net I would like to find out if anyone has had contact with this person/company.

Ben WD4MNI

983. Help on Emperor TS 3010

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene <gene@alaweb.com>
Message-ID: <33515A56.79D1@alaweb.com>
Source record: 177870

Can anyone help me in finding a mod for this radio that will tie the recieve clarifier to the transmitter side of the rig? As it works now when the clarifier is moved only the receive frequency is moved. I recently bought this radio for use on 10 meters and while I realize it is not the best "Ham Rig" it is what I have! Hi!
Thanks for any help on this and please send me private email as I seldom have time to read the news reflectors.

Tnx es 73
Bruce..N4ZEZ

984. IC-706 Tx lockup trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry & Robin Lempicki <lempicki@psych.umass.edu>
Message-ID: <335186E9.2823@psych.umass.edu>
Source record: 177871

Hi! My neighbor is having trouble with his 706. He went out to start
his car the other morning, just like any other day. Once it was
running, he turned on the 706, then went back in the house to let the
car warm up. While in the house, his scanners locked up on a carrier
being transmitted. It turned out to be the 706 in the car transmitting!
He disconnected the microphone, and tried a complete reset, all with no
luck. It still is locked up in a tx mode. Has anyone seen this problem
before? I hear that if he shuts the radio off for a while, when it is
first turned on it is ok for a sec or two, then goes into tx mode.
Any ideas?

--
Gerry KA1STZ Robin KA1YJR
1948 PA-15 Vagabond
http://www-vms.oit.umass.edu/~lempicki/index.htm

985. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5irmv4$20j$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 177872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ted wrote:

> | Add me to your killfile,

Done.

986. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5irmvi$229$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 177873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ted wrote:

> | Add me to your killfile,

Done.

987. Need Help For Old Receiver, Strip Chart Recorders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jes Logan <iffo447@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
Message-ID: <33517CDA.D0@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 177874

I would very much appreciate getting a copy of manuals for an old receiver and a couple of strip chart recorders. I need to align the receiver and change paper and ink in the recorders. If you just have alignment or paper/ink change information, I'll take that too, gladly. My fax number is below.

The receiver is a Hallicrafters S-51. The strip chart recorders are (1) a Hewlett Packard Model 7128A dual pen recorder and (2) a Heath Model SR206 dual pen recorders. I use the strip chart recordes to record radio astronomy data. And the receiver, well, I just like old stuff.

I will pay copy costs and a fee for any of them. My 'other' Email address is "logan@electric.aus.tx.us" and my fax number is 512 331-0277 or 512 322-6221. My mailing address 13242 Kerrville Folkway, Austin, Texas 78729.

Thank you very much. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Bob Logan, NZ5A

988. WEB SITE UPDATES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Robinson <pls5i50e@pop.plasma.co.uk>
Message-ID: <3350CA25.4253@pop.plasma.co.uk>
Source record: 177875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

Thanks to everyone who has visited my site and left messages.

I have updated it further today and hope to get the Eddystone info. up this week. The pictures are a bit at present.

Have a look at my site and make please feel free to make constructive comments.

The address is http://www.plasma.co.uk/soft-tools/

73's

Simon - G8POO

989. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mondoray <mondoray@netway1.netway.com>
Message-ID: <335172E4.5319@netway1.netway.com>
Source record: 177876

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Ted wrote:
>
> [1]-----------------------------------------------------+
> | My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
> | is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
> | To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
> | My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
> | When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
> | not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
> +-----------------------------------------------------+
>
> On 12 Apr 1997, WB0NZV wrote:
>
> > Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote in article
> > <334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>...
> > > HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> > > A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> > > price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
> > > less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
> > > a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
> > > I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
> > > $20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter.
> >
> > I can honestly say I have never been treated anything but fairly by the
> > people at HRO or any other reputable Amateur Radio Equipment dealer in the
> > 34 years I have been buying equipment from dealers. Before I would call
> > them SOB's, I would contact them and find out the facts, since it
> > apparently wasn't clarified when the order was made. Its an unusual
> > scenario.
>
> Then obviously you didn't read my original message which began this
> thread or compared the INFLATED "Maufacturer's Suggested" prices in HRO's
> catalog with the manufacturer's REAL "suggested" prices which usually are
> what HRO says is the HRO discounted price.
>
> Am I the only consumer who does his "homework' out here? Or are most of
> you too rich to care?
>
> Ted (ted@caprica.com)
>
> [2]-----------------------------------------------------+
> | My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
> | I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
> | sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
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> | cancelation of internet service without refund and |
> | possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
> | Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
> | to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
> +--------------------------+--------------------------+
> |
> [3]-------------------------+--------------------------+
> | My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
> | Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
> | Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
> +--------------------------+--------------------------+
> |
> [4]-------------------------+--------------------------+
> | Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
> | It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
> +--------------------------+--------------------------+
> |
> [5]-------------------------+--------------------------+
> | Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
> | Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
> | can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
> | Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
> | flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
> | but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
> +---+
So ... how can we find out the
Advertised Price
Suggested Retail Price
Street Price
Sale Price
Really good sale price

Maybe HRO should have columns for price?
Suggested Retail Price.......... What the supplier wants us to say
Our day-to-day price............ What we'll nominally sell it for
Sale Price [Cupons] .... Our rebate from the manufacturer
Actual, bottom of the line, no sh*t lowest price we can sell it at ...
price

"Hey Kid! Stick you head inside the car window. See this here piece of
Ham Gear? I'm a gonna do you a favor...pay attention kid!...just pay me
in cash this amount and you can take this home with you ... No Kideen
... for 40% off of the list... but there's no guarantee..

Yada yada yadayadayada...

Oh - can you mail it to me in Taiwan and not charge me $25 for postage?

So will someone put out an article on how to build state-of-the-art ham
gear in the home?
Heathkit!!! Where are you !!!

Sure Kid, stick your head inside the window. Got cash, don't cha?

990. Installing SSB Filter in TS520 - Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jes Logan <iffo447@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
Message-ID: <33518447.44DA@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 177877

Does anyone have a schematic/installation instructions for installing a FoxTango SSB Filter in the TS-520S? I acquired a 520S and the stock filter is in, of course, but I have a FoxTango 1.8 KHz filter I also would like to install.

I can be faxed at 512 331-0277 or 512 322-6221. My other Email address is "logan@electric.aus.tx.us". I would appreciate any help very much. Thanks.

Bob Logan, NZ5A

991. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ckrelic@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <33518A21.CAD@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 177878

Gary Danaher wrote:
>
> I got my 570D soon after they came out. I visited a local dealer, sat
> down and worked it for awhile and fell in love with it. Chassis #345 so
> it was one of the first ones built. Works just fine and I give it a
> workout. I normally switch on the power supply and then turn it on.
> Never had a problem with it coming on by itself.
> gary ab5rm

Well I concur with Gary, have Chassis #650 and use it everyday
since October without one little problem. I like it better than
the TS850SAT it replaced__GREAT little rig! Curt/Ka3ivb

992. Re: Is Yaesu FT-5100 any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blair Dyer <"bcdyer@bcdyer"@spectra.net>
Message-ID: <5is4bf$b2m@ns2.spectra.net>
Source record: 177879

GOdom76961 wrote:
>
> Have looked at 2 of the 5100 models with tx problems on the UHF side.
> Radio is highly overrated on it's tx power in that band Works great on
> 2meters. The internal
> duplexer is very lossy.
>
> George/KB2SIY
I had a FT-5100 for 2 years and sold it. I was happy with most of the features on the radio, but when I checked it for rec on uhf I found that most of my Motorola commerical radios heard better in the ham band then did the 5100. I feal that the internal duplexer had quite a bit of loss on uhf. The radio tx was fine, and vhf did not seem to have the same story.

993. Re: Is Yaesu FT-5100 any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blair Dyer <"bcdyer@bcdyer"@spectra.net>
Message-ID: <5is4c3$b4m@ns2.spectra.net>
Source record: 177880

GOdom76961 wrote:
>
> Have looked at 2 of the 5100 models with tx problems on the UHF side.
> Radio is highly overrated on it's tx power in that band Works great on
> 2meters. The internal
> duplexer is very lossy.
>
> George/KB2SIY
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Blair

994. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Allan (VE6AQK)" <doblera@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <33512A60.4CA@cadvision.com>
Source record: 177881

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> bnb@atl.mindspring.com wrote:
>
> :An ad I just saw says "... FM narrow and Wide for broadcast
> :listening." Anyone verify that this is true? I'm not expecting high
> :fidelity, just listenable FM broadcast.
> :
> :Thanks, Bob, AB4G
>
> The FM wide filter is too narrow and results in high distortion.
> In Australia the TV audio deviation is not as wide as FM radio so
> that TV sound is usable with some distortion and FM radio is almost
> completly unusable.
>
> ====================================
> To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> return address.

Has anyone tried to bypass (disable) the wide filter all together?

Allan

995. Mod for IC-2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZygomaD & Darkezza <do_not@spam.here>
Message-ID: <33511BF1.1795@spam.here>
Source record: 177882

Hello, all. I'm trying to find out how to unlock the TX range on an
Icom IC-2000H (for educational purposes, naturally). If I had the $44
I'd get ArtSci's books, but I really only need this one mod. Anybody
got any (printable) ideas? Please either post here or email to address
below, if you have the info. Tnx es 73,
--Barney--
kl7hny@qsl.net
Soldotna, Alaska, USA

996. WTB ICOM 28/38/48

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: grader@wazoo.com
Message-ID: <5iraca$86q@hume.nmia.com>
Source record: 177883

Wanted: ICOM IC-28H, IC-37A, IC-48

Please contact George, KA5UHF Call Book or grader@wazoo.com

997. Re: FS: Motorola System Saber +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic <nospam.vgadzik@vivanet.com>
Message-ID: <33515814.4EA@vivanet.com>
Source record: 177884

Jay B wrote:
>
> $950, wow, they are less than that new.. i dont get it...

Less than that new!? No way. New, from Motorola cost is in the
thousands... Might be a bit steep, but if that is what he wants,
he has the right to ask...
--
VG

998. New WebSite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Khaltex.Intl@khaltex.net
Message-ID: <5irmao$hua@news.unicomp.net>
Source record: 177885

Visit http://www.khaltex.net
Signup & post FREE

999. Buy & Sell On-Line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Khaltex.Intl@khaltex.net
Message-ID: <5irmc8$hua@news.unicomp.net>
Source record: 177886

Visit http://www.khaltex.net
Post Here

1000. Amp Questions: LK500Z Amp Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir Robin <nexus15@flash.net>
Message-ID: <335179BA.4E35@flash.net>
Source record: 177887

Would anyone like to give some information or opinions on the Amp Supply LK-500ZB dual 3-500Z amplifier?

Info sought is mods to be done, things not to do and general use comments. I have just purchased one.

I appreciate all that reply direct or via the news group.

Thanks...Rick....W5RH

1001. VIKING 6 & 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413052900.BAA24141@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177913

HELLO TO ALL.....I HAVE A VERY CLEAN 6&2 FOR SALE OR TRADE. HAVE ASSEMBLY
MANUAL. OUTPUT TUBE IS RUNNING AT HALF POWER BUT ALL ELSE IN EXC. TO VG
CONDITION. PRICE IS 120.00 DELIVERED OR 90.00 LOCALLY.
THANKS FOR YOUR TIME. YOU CAN REACH ME AT cmsakir@aol.com

1002. What is a Kenwood TK-801S??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <5ipl5i$63d@linet06.li.net>
Source record: 177914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello to all, Does anyone know what a Kenwood TK-801S is?
It's a mobile rig but that's all I know about it.

Any info would help. Please e-mail me direct at:

mrusso@hoflink.com

Thanks, Mark N2FLF

1003. ICOM U-16 & ACCESS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413053100.BAA24268@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177915

HELLO TO ALL.....I HAVE A WELL USED U-16 FOR SALE. HAS MANY
ACCESSORIES...NEARLY ALL THAT WERE AVAILABLE. INCLUDES MANUAL, ETC.
PLEASE CONTACT ME FOR DETAILS AND PRICE. 73 DE N7IOK, CLYDE
cmsakir@aol.com

1004. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-470 dual band HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413053501.BAA24616@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177916

i'd like to buy it, but with the uhf side dead, i'd like to offer $125 cash... i have a 470 and would like a second as a vhf backup... thanks... if ok with you, i'd send the funds monday (4-14-97) thanks... Jay

1005. Re: FS: Motorola System Saber +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413053700.BAA24737@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177917

$950, wow, they are less than that new.. i dont get it...

1006. Re: Yaesu FT-415 has no tone encode after servicing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413055000.BAA25618@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177918

wow, lithium batteries are about $3.00 here... oh well, too late now...
Jay

1007. Re: Yaesu FT-747

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwcomm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413060200.CAA26400@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177919

Mine got damaged during UPS shipment- both ways!
I received it damaged, and when UPS picked it up, it got sent to the
sender who received it in even worse condition that I did!
I can't help you with your request, but I thought that I'd just respond to
it since mine was the same model!
Dale
Viset the Dale Wein Communications WEB page at,
http://home.aol.com/dwcomm
for the latest info on photo scanning & printing services.

1008. Re: Icom 25H- What's it worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtippin@swbell.net
Message-ID: <33507798.43943861@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 177920

On Sat, 12 Apr 1997 22:27:00 GMT, mtippin@swbell.net (Marty Tippin) wrote:

>I've got an Icom 25H 2M mobile tranceiver, works perfectly, in very
>good shape for its age, with original box and manual.

Thanks to all who replied via e-mail - looks like the consensus is that I should be able to get around $125 for it, maybe a little less.

-Marty KC0AKA
mtippin@swbell.net

1009. Wanted: images of Drake SPR-4 & Murphy B40 receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Mackerell <chris@owdjim.gen.nz>
Message-ID: <335079F7.75D7@owdjim.gen.nz>
Source record: 177921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi all

I'm after a images of a couple of receivers I use to put
on my Web pages.

To save me having to buy a digital camera, does anyone
have any images of a Drake SPR-4 or a Murphy B40?!

73s

Chris

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Chris Mackerell, Box 2241, Wellington, New Zealand.
Phone & Fax: +64 (4) 232 4216 Mobile: +64 (25) 321 216
a.k.a. chris@bcl.co.nz & 100250,1702 on CompuServe

1010. Re: HELP: Hooking up car stereo at home

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcowey@cyberia.com
Message-ID: <5ipupi$16d$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 177922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <5ip10e$89c$1@gatekeeper.umassd.edu>, s16292nm@umassd.edu says...
>
>Is there a way to connect my car stereo in the house in order to
>try to fix it,etc. If anyone can help me in any way, please e-mail
>me at ...
>
>s16292nm@umassd.edu
Yes, use a 12 volt gel cell or an old car battery or a good regulated power supply. If you have to ask how to hook it up, what luck do you think you may have trying to repair it, unless its a broken belt on the deck or something?

1011. Re: Prayer Support Needed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33508DA0.4815@pacbell.net>
Source record: 177923

DW Comm wrote:
> I need God's assistance

Then why did you post here? What a concept: God is cc on every email!

> I purchased a Yaesu 747GX transceiver from an individual.
> He sent the radio by UPS insured, and when I unpacked the radio, I found
> The radio was damaged in shipping BOTH WAYS !!
> All I know is that I was told that the radio had been crushed.
> Please ask GOD to bless the situation and cause it to work out for all of
> our benefits.

Suggest God may be busy elsewhere. Suggest you contact UPS directly, not through God. UPS has a claim file. Did UPS pay the claim? To the shipper, of course! So the shipper (and seller) has your payment and the claim payment. Maybe the seller has some explaining to do?

> A very sincere 73 to everyone! Dale Wein

Dale, when I ship something worth a kilobuck, I always use Fedex. Why? Because when I receive a UPS, the driver leaves it on my driveway, rings the bell, and runs. If I am really quick, I can barely see his truck as it leaves. He may be fast, but that's pretty poor delivery security. Gone are the days when I have to sign for UPS. Fedex makes me sign for it, so I assume I get similar treatment for my shipments when they are delivered.

1012. Re: Kenwood 733A Mod Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garth KA7MHN <garth@alinc.com>
Message-ID: <335092B5.1F43@alinc.com>
Source record: 177924

aw1@earthlink.net wrote:
>
> aw1@earthlink.net wrote:
> >
> > Hello,
> >
> > I need to modify the UHF side of my mobile rig to receive 450 - 470 mhz.
> > Where can I get reliable instructions to accomplish this modification.
> > Please e mail them to me if you have them, I would be most appreciative.
> >
> > KA6LXQ
>
> Sorry, it's a 732A
try the ftp site at oak.oakland under pub, hamradio, mods.
good luck and 73.

1013. Re: What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mauricea@NO_SPAMglo.be
Message-ID: <334ea96a.4844055@nntp.z03.glo.be>
Source record: 177925

donrm@sr.hp.com (Don Montgomery) wrote:

>I read on one of the other amateur NGs that AEA is out of business.
>Anyone know what happened and if anyone is going to pick up their
>product line?

AEA went 'belly up' a few months ago.
Their TNCline is taken over by Timewave... visit their webpage, they will have
more info there....

Just my 2 cents, Your mileage may vary
Opinions are my own (most of the time).

73 de Maurice, mauricea@glo.be (internet)
on4bam@glo.be
ON4BAM@ON6AR.#AN.BEL.EU
http://user.glo.be/~mauricea (Ham links and station info)

Important: Anyone sending me junkmail will be billed
at US$ 10.00 per mail.

Remove NO_SPAM from the replyaddress.

1014. How do I use the scope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <alan1@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <3350ABA5.4401@ultranet.com>
Source record: 177926

I want to use my oscilloscope (20MHz) to look at my SSB signal. I have a Kenwood 850S/AT, an AL-80B amp and an MFJ-989C tuner. Seems to me since the final piece is the tuner, that I should look at RF in that. How do I do it? Should I open the case, and put a piece of wire inside? Perhaps the center conductor of RG-58U. Any ideas. Please E-Mail to alan1@ultranet.com Thank you.

Alan
W1HYV

1015. FT-8000R mod wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken <ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <QDyf5BAt4LUzEwnO@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177927

Can anyone give the full details for the wideband TX mod for the FT-8000R, I have one which just says remove R3028 but this is not marked on the PCB. Or else can some tell me the best site to ftp mods from.

Ken.


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| ken hewitt | Email ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk |
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1016. Storno COM66645

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken <ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <TDEfZEA16LUzEwmD@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177928

Does anyone have any information on a PMR UHF radio made by Storno,
model COM 66645.

Ken.


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+-----------------------------+---------------------------------+
| ken hewitt | Email ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk |
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1017. FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt Fisher <burtfisher@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <3350BFEE.49@geocities.com>
Source record: 177929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

FCC Expected to Unveil Plans For Two Airwave Auctions

WASHINGTON -- Federal regulators are expected this week to set plans for two long-awaited auctions of valuable airwaves, including one for an emerging wireless technology that could bring new competition to the local-telephone and cable-television businesses.

Wireless operators, long-distance phone companies, electric utilities and telecommunications entrepreneurs are eager to bid for licenses to use huge chunks of the amateur radio spectrum to transmit voices, pictures and data.

Wireless Auction

Up for grabs: Licenses to use most of the amateur radio megahertz of electromagnetic spectrum in each of nearly 500 markets nationwide. Repeater frequencies are much in demand by those with the following: Uses: Transmitting voices, pictures and data via small, flat antennas that can rest on a windowsill. Expected bidders: All sorts of telecommunications companies -- but Baby Bells and cable operators will be barred from bidding on licenses in their home territories.

"While the auctions for PCS frequencies were very specific about how the frequencies could be used, rules governing LMDS usage are more liberal and for a bigger chunk of amateur radio bandwidth," said Michael Sprayberry, director ofwireless strategy for MCI Communications Corp.

New Radio Service

The auction rules have been delayed in recent weeks because FCC commissioners couldn't agree on what amateur radio spectrum would be available.

The technology operates with small, flat antennas that communicate with larger antennas mounted on towers. It has tended to work poorly in heavy rains and fog, but industry officials say they are working to fix the problem. Operators also could run into resistance from cities that increasingly are blocking the construction of new antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public necessity.

#================#===#
| Burt Fisher | Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics |
| Amateur call | South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod) |

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| K1OIK | http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169 |
#================#=======================================================#
|Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
#=================================================================#
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1018. WTB.VFO-120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3xof@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413113600.HAA07849@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177930

Looking remote VFO-120.
Email riples: n3xof@juno.com or N3XOF@aol.com

1019. FS: MFJ 1278B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <n3kre@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <3350D31F.5C6C@voicenet.com>
Source record: 177931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

$135.00 + shipping with instruction manuel in good working order. 73
Dennis N3KRE

1020. FS FT1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Samuel S. Yates" <ab4n@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3350E210.5AB@erols.com>
Source record: 177932

YAESU FT-1000MP for sale. Includes FH-1 Remote Control Keypad, 500 kHz CW Filter (8 mHz) and the matching MD-100A8X mike. The radio is in pristine condition, less than 10 hours of use in a NO SMOKING home.

The radio was purchased new 12/96 and is S/N 6E08214. The ALC and RF Processor modifications were factory installed when the rig was manufactured.

My price is $2500. I will consider a Kenwood TS570 + cash. A local deal is preferred to preclude shipping damage, and so there will be no question of misrepresentation by either party. I am located in Culpeper, Virginia, about 60 miles SW of Washington, D.C. In the event the sale is not local, shipping is not included in the price.

Reason for selling is I need the $$ to cover unexpected expenses at home.

If interested, contact me via e-mail ab4n@erols.com or call me at home (before 8:00PM Eastern Time) at (540) 829-6548. During normal working hours I may be reached at (703) 367-3974.

Sam Yates, AB4N

1021. Re: HELP: Hooking up car stereo at home

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jedent@phoenix.net
Message-ID: <jedent.140.0028E5DF@phoenix.net>
Source record: 177933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <5ipupi$16d$2@news3.microserve.net> dcowey@cyberia.com (gudmundur) writes:
>From: dcowey@cyberia.com (gudmundur)
>Subject: Re: HELP: Hooking up car stereo at home
>Date: 13 Apr 1997 06:34:26 GMT

>In article <5ip10e$89c$1@gatekeeper.umassd.edu>, s16292nm@umassd.edu
>says...
>>
>>Is there a way to connect my car stereo in the house in order to
>>try to fix it,etc. If anyone can help me in any way, please e-mail
>>me at ...
>>
>>s16292nm@umassd.edu
>Yes, use a 12 volt gel cell or an old car battery or a good regulated
>power supply. If you have to ask how to hook it up, what luck do
>you think you may have trying to repair it, unless its a broken
>belt on the deck or something?
be sure to RIP OFF the speakers also.

1022. FS: 40Ft. Crankup Twr. Make offer!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4809$26d17ce0$1a78d4cd@kelchr>
Source record: 177934

Hello and thanks for reading this,
I have the following items available for sale in Akron Ohio:

40 Ft. Crankup\Crankover Twr.
Ham-M rotor
CDE rotor controller
Ringo Ranger (VHF)
100ft. rotor cable
100ft. 9913

I will consider all offers. I can be reached at 330-927-6191 or via Email
at kelchr@bright.net.

1023. FS: AEA PK232MBX Packet controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4809$a2e5b580$1a78d4cd@kelchr>
Source record: 177935

Hello and thanks for reading this,
I have the following items available for sale,

AEA PK232MBX Packet controller
25 Watt G.E. Century radio crystalled for packet freqs.

All offers will be considered. I can be reached at 330-927-6191 or via
Email at kelchr@bright.net

1024. Re: Question about AEA Isoloop 10-30 HF Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Skopal <eskopal@bestweb.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4817$be456d80$8c00c5d0@eskopal.hhcomm.com>
Source record: 177936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I used an AEA Ioop antenna in the attic of my townhome for a couple of years and had to adjust the "Iso-loop's" distance from the radiating loop to get the SWR down to an acceptable level. If you open the covers you will see that the small coax loop can be moved back and forth. Try adjusting that spacing to lower your SWR.

Good Luck,
..Eugene.. AA9LA

James C Sutton <jsutton@erols.com> wrote in article
<3345c29e.28028996@news.erols.com>...
> On Mon, 31 Mar 1997 01:25:21 -0800, Andrew Farmer
> <andrew_farmer@bc.sympatico.ca> wrote:
>
> >I have the above AEA loop antenna and can't get the VSWR below 3:1 using

> >the LC-2 loop controller. The antenna is mounted horizontally on a 3
foot
> >metal mast which is attached to the end of a wooden 8 foot garden shed.
>> .. Deleted..
> >Thanks,
> >Andrew, VE7AFX
>
****
****

1025. Re: Heil Audio Equilizer Info Wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5iqr02$p7u$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 177937

Tim Robertson wrote:
>
> Greetings to All,
> I have heard that Heil made an Audio Equilizer at one time. Can't seem
> to find any information on them? Does anyone know if they are still
> being made? Any opinions on their performance,price,etc?

There have been two or three versions over time. I haven't actually seen one advertised in ages.

I have an EQ-300. No schematic came with the unit. Maybe $60 when new (don't remember exactly). I purchased mine direct from Heil sometime in the late 80's.

As far as EQ's go, its mighty basic -- but certainly better than no EQ at all. Uses some TL072's. Has low freq cut/boost and high freq cut/boost. I originally bought it to use primarily as a PREAMP for Heil mics with Icom rigs.

Grant

Grant Youngman / NQ5T
nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t/index.htm

1026. FS: SWR & Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Farmer <andrew_farmer@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3350F294.1A3B@bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 177938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale a Hansen SWR-50B Meter. It has two seperate meters for
both SWR and Power. The meter is rated at 1 KW and has a frequency range
of 3.5 - 150 MHz.
Owners manual is included.
I would like $35 (US) including shipping.
Andrew , VE7AFX

1027. WTB: 1296 Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackwy@clark.net
Message-ID: <5iqrn8$807@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 177939

Looking for 1296 MHz rig or 1296 band unit for Icom-900.
No HT's and must have 10 watts out. Email to jackwy@clark.net

Jack WB3ICL

1028. Re: Prayer Support Needed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion**@capital.net
Message-ID: <3350f505.2117316@news.capital.net>
Source record: 177940

On Sun, 13 Apr 1997 00:39:12 -0700, Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net>
wrote:

>Dale, when I ship something worth a kilobuck, I always use Fedex. Why?
>Because when I receive a UPS, the driver leaves it on my driveway, rings
>the bell, and runs. If I am really quick, I can barely see his truck as
>it leaves. He may be fast, but that's pretty poor delivery security.
>Gone are the days when I have to sign for UPS. Fedex makes me sign for
>it, so I assume I get similar treatment for my shipments when they are
>delivered.

I am amazed by this policy that UPS drivers use. I agree about barely
seeing the truck as it speeds away. They must hire track stars as
drivers. I sent UPS a letter once informing them that a thief could
have a Hell of a good time following one of their trucks around. Just
wait a few minutes to see if anyone comes out of the house, then grab
the packages. Of course, I got no reply to my letter.

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73,
Butch N2YMJ
To send mail, delete
the two stars from
my address.

1029. Re: Trade: Icom IC211 2M allmode w/RM-2 controller for HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5iqtpr$8hs@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 177941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have the 211, digital display 2m all mode base, will also run 12VDC, dual VFO's, cosmetically nice except for some scratches on the rear of the top cover from another radio being set on top, 1-10W variable, has the scarce RM-2 computerized remote head with memories/digital/direct entry/scan, etc. Std mike, all cables for AC and DC operation, manuals for both units. used daily.

Would trade for solid state HF rig, or would consider a late model 2M/440 dual band mobile (No HT's please).
Email replies please

1030. FS: Drake TR-7 accessories, serv man etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413161800.MAA23713@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177942

Have 500hz cw filter for Drake TR-7, Drake label not Network Sciences, $50 shipped conus.

COPIES of TR-7 service manual (1" thick), and owner's manuals for almost every 7 line piece of gear. Package of all copies shipped conus priority mail, $21. Includes general coverage transmit and receive mods for TR-7 plus VLF receive.

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

1031. Need CI-V software IC-821H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marcus Andersson <marcus@alcom.aland.fi>
Message-ID: <3351016F.5B6B26C2@alcom.aland.fi>
Source record: 177943

Hello !

I&#65533;ve just made a ci-v interface for my ic-821. I have tried a couple of
PD software, but i can&#65533;t find any suitable remote program.
Does anybody know where i can find it ?

73, OH0HEH
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Marcus Andersson, OH0HEH
mailto: macus@alcom.aland.fi

1032. FS: Tubes, some new, some used, whatever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John F. Haase" <TheHossMan@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5ir1ej$ako@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177944

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Qty Boxed Price Qty Min Price Qty 8-Pin, etc.
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1 2AS2 $4 1 2D21 $3 1B3GT $3
2 3A3/3B2 $4 1 3HQ5 $3 1 1K3 $3
1 5U4BG $4 1 4DT6A $3 1 5Y3GT $3
1 5Y3GT $4 1 4HM6 $3 2 6AS7G $3
1 6AG5 $4 2 4JC6 $3 1 6BK4 $3
1 6AH6 $4 1 4JD6 $3 2 6BQ6/
2 6AK5 $4 1 4KT6 $3 6CU6 $3
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2 6AN5 $4 1 6AF4 $3 2 6V6 $3
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1 6CZ5 $4 2 6EB8 $3 2 829B $8
1 6D4 $4 1 6ER5 $3
2 6EA5 $4 1 6GH8 $3
8 6EB8 $4 1 6GM6 $3 Qty Metal
1 6EH7 $4 1 6HB7 $3 1 6AC7 $3
1 6FQ7 $4 1 6J6 $3 3 6AG7 $3
1 6FV8 $4 2 6KE8 $3 1 6C5 $3
1 6GF7A $4 1 6T8 $3 1 6J5 $3
1 6GH8A $4 2 6X4 $3 1 6L7 $3
1 6GM6 $4 3 8FQ7/
3 6J4 $4 8CG7 $3
1 6J6 $4 1 8JV8 $3
2 6JE6A $4 1 10LZ8 $3
3 6K7 $4 1 12FX5 $3
1 6KE8 $4 3 OA5 $3
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3 6SJ7 $4 2 OB2 $3
1 6W4GT $4 2 5654 $3
1 7F8 $4 1 5696 $3
1 8EM5 $4 1 5726 $3
1 12AL5 $4 2 5749 $3
1 12BH7A $4 1 5750 $3
1 12DT5 $4 3 5814 $3
1 35L6GT $4 1 6136 $3
2 OB2WA $4 1 6189 $3
1 OC2 $4 1 6197 $3
1 OG3 $4 1 6201 $3
2 5651WA $4 1 747 $3
1 5749 $4
4 5763 $4
1 6112 $4
1 6977 $4
1 S-5018 $4
(silicon rectifier)

1033. Drake Acces for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frankeia@netcom.industry.net>
Message-ID: <335116CF.1F25@netcom.industry.net>
Source record: 177945

I have the following for sale:
Drake (Network Services) SL-500 500 Hz filter $50
Drake PS-7 power supply $125
Both PLUS SHIPPING.
Frank

1034. Icom IC22S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Nance" <dmnance@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3351274D.16D2@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 177946

I have an Icom IC-22s which I bought new, used very little and then put away for 20 years. This unit was one of the first, relatively inexpensive synthesized 2-meter rigs back in the mid-70's. Trouble is you can only "program" 22 channels by soldering in the diodes on a circuit board in a binary code arrangement for each channel desired.

My question: I understand someone either manufactured or published plans for an accessory to make this unit fully synthesized. Does anyone have any information on this. This unit is like new and I would now like to get some more use out of it?

Dave - WB4SSE

1035. Sell: Mirage MP-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell Goularte <jeepham@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33509EF8.1F82@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177947

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FOR SALE:
Mirage MP-2 VHF Wattmeter, 3 ranges: 50,
500, and 1500 Watts full scale, Peak or Average.
MINT COND! $90.00 Darrell (408) 335-7273
jeepham@ix.netcom.com
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1036. Sell: HW102 HF/swr/pow/mtr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell Goularte <jeepham@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33509F52.17E9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177948

FOR SALE:
Heathkit HM-102 HF/SWR meter. 2 power ranges
200, and 2000 Watt. Meter is in MINT COND!!
Sell: $40.00 Darrell (408)335-7273
jeepham@ix.netcom.com

1037. Sell:Timewave DSP9+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell Goularte <jeepham@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33509FC1.63A4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177949

FOR SALE:
Timewave DSP-9+ as new in the box, used last
field day, then in DRY storage!
all original packing and manuels.
$90.00 Darrell (408)335-7273
jeepham@ix.netcom.com

1038. 2 Mtr HT/$75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrell Goularte <jeepham@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33509F85.52EE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177950

FOR SALE:
SANTEC 2 mtr. Hand-Held model - ST-144 . with
drop-in-charger and NEW-NICADS! 3 power ranges:
100 mil, 1 watt and 3.5 watt.
142. - 150. MHZ rec. LCD display
Radio does-NOT have PL. . .but DOES have room
for ComSpec board! Radio and Charger are in
MINT COND. W/Manule. $75.00 GREAT RUGGED -
STARTER RADIO . . .
Darrell (408)335-7273 jeepham@ix.netcom.com

1039. Eprom Programmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Carter <n4gca@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5ir4gbfed1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 177951

I have a Optimal Technology EP-2B-79 Eprom Programmer. I only have the programming box. I am guessing that this thing has to have some kind of computer board or something to input the info to the programmer. If you have any information on this thing I would appreciate it.

Johnny

1040. Eprom Programmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Carter <n4gca@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5ir4nlfiq1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 177952

I have the programming box for an Optimal Technology EP-2B-79 Eprom programmer. I am assuming that the thing has to have a computer board to input the info to the burner. If you have any info on it, I would appreciate it.

Johnny

1041. Emergency Mangement Office

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: davekc4mkd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413174500.NAA29994@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177953

Amateur Radio for Emergency Operation Center.....donations only..

1042. WTB: Batteries for motorola Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: davekc4mkd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413174800.NAA00329@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177954

Wanted two batteries for my Radius P100. Please send e-mail...tnx

1043. FS: Icom 736 HF + 6 Meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Roe <johnr@bicnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc484d$10827cc0$2a24c6cf@jrr>
Source record: 177955

I have for sale an ICOM 736 in excellant condition.
It is approximately two years old.

Some of it's features include:

All band (160 - 6 Meters), All Mode (SSB, CW, AM, FM).
General Coverage Receiver (500kHz - 29.995 MHz)
Built in Automatic Antenna Tuner
Includes 110 VAC power supply.
Automatic selection of 2 Antenna Inputs
100 Watts on all Bands at 100% Duty Cycle
101 Memories plus up to 10 memo pad memories
Includes hand microphone
have original box and manual

Reason for selling, Want new Icom 756.

Will Ship Fedex 2nd day.

Asking $1,300.00 dollars.

If interested please respond to johnr@bicnet.net

Thanks & 73's John KE1CQ Harvard, MA

1044. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970413112144122 98@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 177956

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>> My advice is to get even with the
>> SOB's and bring the AES catalog with you next time. If they still
>> treat you linke dirt, buy it from AES!

Because some idiot didn't ASK for the shipping charges as he ordered
a part from HRO, you call *HRO* "the SOBs" in this scenario?

Get real.

--------------------------------------------------------------------------
Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
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1045. SCANNERS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <hartbeat@greenepa.net>
Message-ID: <860957699.26850@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have the following Radio Shack scanners for sale: Pro 2026, mobile/base scanner and AC adapter. 100 channels and band search, individual channel delay, lockout, prior channel, mobile mounting bracket, manual and original box. Very good condition. $90.00.

Pro 508, home desktop scanner, 20 channel, 8 band (no 800). programmable, lockout and memory. Mint in the box with manual. $75.00

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1046. Do you need $$?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik <lurch@shadow.net>
Message-ID: <335133EE.2879@shadow.net>
Source record: 177958

Hi, Would you be interested in making thousands of dollars quickly and legally?

If your answer is YES, then take 5 minutes to read this article. It will change your life.

You can make up to or more than $50,000 dollars in 4-6 weeks, maybe sooner!

I'M NOT JOKING AND THIS IS ABSOLUTELY NOT A SCAM

The internet has grown tremendously and it continues to double in size every 4 months. Think about it: You see all those "make.money.fast" posts more and more often. That's just simply because it works!!

I was browsing around my newsgroups one morning and I stumbled across this article. Since I have this burning desire to make a lot of money and this headline caught my attention, I read it.

It said that you send $1.00 to each of the five(5) names on the list. You then place your own name and address stated in the article at the bottom of the list at the #5 position and post the article in at least 200 newsgroups {there are literally thousands of them, and this doesn't take as much work as you think}.

At first I thought, nobody's going to do this. And then I thought, what if they DO! Besides, what's five bucks anyway? I spend that on snacks a few times a week. Well, it's still hard to believe...but two weeks later I began receiving bucks in the mail! I mean a lot of money!!! It not only works for me, but it works extremely well for others as well. Mike Ochoa says he made #35,382 dollars in one month! Chanter made $42,000 in four weeks!!! Dave Manning made an incredible $53,664 dollars in four short weeks!!! And

Lars myers says he only made $21,000 dollars (ONLY!!?}

That's the article. Now do I know all these people? No. But when I read how they did it, it started to make a lot of sense to me. As a matter of fact, it made enough sense that I'm now taking a similar chance with $5 measley dollars of my own. Not a huge investment that I can't afford to lose, but one with incredible potential to deliver money to my mailbox!!! Can you imagine making $20,000 dollars or more for less than an hour,s work? What are you making now? All you ever have to spend is five bucks and postage for the envelopes. That's all Mike, Dave, Chanter and Lars did and look what happened to them: they made tens of thousands of dollars in a safe, legal and completely legitimate way.

Let me show you how and why this works now. Also, make sure you print a copy of this article so you get the information from it and START MAKING MONEY NOW!!! here goes:

Get 5 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each sheet of the paper...."PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST". Fold a US $1 bill inside each paper {wrap the bill with the paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelope. Otherwise nosy people, who like to steal envelopes with money in them will see the bill and swipe your profits! Put one paper inside an enveolope and seal it. Do the same for all five. You should now have 5 sealed

envelopes, each with a piece of paper and a US $1 bill stuffed inside of the paper. You're not just sending a dollar to someone;

you're actually paying for a legitimate service which is PERFECTLY LEGAL! Now, mail all 5 envelopes to the following 5 addresses:

1. J.H.
2430 Meadow Lane
Lakeland, FL
33801

2. E2AA
2862 Donnylane Blvd.
Columbus, OH

43234

3. B.K.
12 Chasemont Ct.
Baltimore, MD
21209

4. P.G.
PO Box 340286
Columbus, OH
43235

5. E.S.
11966 sw 91 Terr.
Miami, FL
33186

Step 2

Now remove the top name from the list that you see above and move the other names up (#5 becoming #4, #4 becoming #3, and so on) and put your name and address as the fifth on the list.

Step 3

Post/send the amended article (with your name at #5 in the list) to at least 200 newsgroups. This is the REALLY IMPORTANT part, so don't try to shortcut it. I'll explain more about this under the WHY it works part. (you can also send by irc or e-mail). Post/send as many newsgroups as possible. REMEMBER THIS!!!!! THE MORE GROUPS YOU SEND/POST to, the more people will see your article and send you cash. That's the real power of this business.

You are now in business for yourself, and you should start seeing returns within 7 to 14 days!!!

HOW TO POST THIS ARTICLE:

If you have Netscape 3.0 do EXACTLY the following:

1. Click on any newsgroups like normal, then click on 'TO NEWS' which is on the far left when you're in the newsgroups page.
This will bring up a box to type a message in.

2. Leave the newsgroup box like it is, just CHANGE the subject to

something flashy, such as "NEED CASH $$$ READ HERE $$$" OR "FAST CASH"!!

3. Tab once and you should be ready to post. Cut and paste this article exactly as it appears,except to insert your name at #5, and to remove #1 off the list, plus any other small changes that you might think you need to make. Keep most of it the same though. You don't want to change it too much--it's proven to work just as it is written!

4. When you're done typing the WHOLE article,click on FILE IN THIS BOX, RIGHT ABOVE SEND, NOW WHERE IT SAYS NETSCAPE NEWS ON THE FIRST BOX. Click and SAVE AS when you're under FILE. Save your article as a text file to your C: or A; drive. DO NOT SEND YOUR ARTICLE UNTIL YOU DO THIS. Once saved move on to number 5 below.

5. If you still have all of your text, send or post to this newsgroup now by clicking send, which is right below FILE, and right above Cc:

6. Here's where you're going to post all 200. OK, click on any news group then click on "TO NEWS", again in the top left corner. Leave the NEWSGROUPS BOX alone again, put a flashy subject title in the SUBJECT BOX, hit TAB once you're in the body of the message, and then click on ATTACHEMENTS. You will get another box to come up. Click on ATTACHED FILE, and then find your file that you have saved earlier; click once on the file, and then click OPEN. NOW CLICK ON OK; if you did this right, you should be able to see your name in the attachements box and it will be shaded green.

7. That's it. Each time you do this, all you have to do is type in a different newsgroup, so that way, it posts to 200 DIFFERENT newsgroups, you see? Now you only have 199 more to go!!! (don't worry, each one takes about 30 seconds once you get used to it}

REMEMBER 200 IS THE MINIMUM.

You are now in the mail order business and will start receiving your #1 envelopes from various people all over the world within days.HINT: THE MORE NEWSGROUPS YOU POST TO, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE! Incredibly simple, isn't it?

LET ME TELL YOU WHY THIS SYSTEM WORKS!!!!!

Out of every 200 postings, let's say I only receive 5 replies, which is VERY LOW. So I made $5 with my name at #5. I've already made my money back!

Now then, each person who just sent me $1 makes 200 postings, now with your name at #4,

WHICH IS A TOTAL OF 1000 postings, not including your own. Say 50 people send you $1 now, which again, is a very low response rate; that's $50 you made!

Now then, your 50 new agents post 200 listings each with YOUR NAME AT NUMBER #3,

or 10,000 postings (25 x 200). That's just how the system works at its worst case. However, the average return is 500 responses at $1 each. That's $500 in your pocket!! Each of your new agents makes 200 postings, which is 5,000 returns at $1 each, which is

$5,000 dollars!! And finally, 5,000 people make 200 postings with YOUR NAME AT NUMBER 1, YOU NOW GET A RETURN OF $50,000 BEFORE YOUR NAME DROPS OFF THE LIST, AND THAT.S IF EVERYONE MAKES 200 POSTINGS ONLY, AND WITH ONLY A 5 PERSON RESPOND!!!!!

When your name is no longer in the list, you just take the latest posting that is appearing in the newsgroups, and SEND OUT ANOTHER $1 TO 5 people in the list, putting your name at #5 again. And start posting again. The thing to realize is that thousands of people

all over the world are joining the internet and reading these articles everyday, just like you are right now!!! So, can you afford $5 dollars and see if it really works? Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users everyday.

REMEMBER: WORK THIS FAIRLY AND HONESTLY AND IT WILL WORK! THE BASIC IDEA IS FOR EVERYONE TO MAKE MONEY. GOOD

LUCK TO ALL WHO

PARTICIPATE, AND PLEASE, PLAY FAIRLY AND YOU WILL BE REWARDED!

DON'T put this off!! It's SOOOO EASY and SIMPLE, so do it RIGHT NOW

You won't be sorry!

*You may also want to get some bulk e-mail software to help the process along even faster.

P.S. If you try to deceive people by posting the messages with your name in the list and not sending the $5 to the people already included, you will not get much. I know someone who did this and only got about $150 (and that's after two months.) Then he sent the 5 bills and was added to their lists. In 4 - 5 weeks, he had in excess of $10,000.

1047. Re: Need Windows 95 AEA S/W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Ellis <jellis@lgc.com>
Message-ID: <335135EC.3BC8@lgc.com>
Source record: 177959

Norm Englund wrote:
>
> Thanks for reading. I have recently upgraded to Windows 95 nad my AEA
> software for controlling a PK232 no longer works. AEA product support
> currently not available until new supplier gets up and providing. Has
> anyone figured out how to make Pakratt 2.0 work on Windows 95?
>
> Thanks, Norm K7TBI
I have had success running PC-Pakrat II in DOS mode. I boot the machine
in DOS mode, and PC-Pakrat II runs fine.

Joe
KN5Y
jellis@lgc.com

1048. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970413122736.2038L-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177960

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[1]------------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On 12 Apr 1997, WB0NZV wrote:

> Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote in article
> <334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>...
> > HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
> > A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
> > price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
> > less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
> > a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
> > I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
> > $20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter.
>
> I can honestly say I have never been treated anything but fairly by the
> people at HRO or any other reputable Amateur Radio Equipment dealer in the
> 34 years I have been buying equipment from dealers. Before I would call
> them SOB's, I would contact them and find out the facts, since it
> apparently wasn't clarified when the order was made. Its an unusual
> scenario.

Then obviously you didn't read my original message which began this thread or compared the INFLATED "Maufacturer's Suggested" prices in HRO's catalog with the manufacturer's REAL "suggested" prices which usually are what HRO says is the HRO discounted price.

Am I the only consumer who does his "homework' out here? Or are most of you too rich to care?

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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[2]------------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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[4]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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[5]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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1049. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970413123611.2038N-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177961

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[1]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On Sat, 12 Apr 1997, John T. Young wrote:

> I agree with Joe. I've had some peculiar experiences with HRO too. Check
> this one out: several months ago I was in the market for a TL 922
> amplifier. Two HRO stores had one, so I purchased the one going for the
> best price. They took my visa card number over the phone, sent me a
> receipt for the charge sale, and then never sent the amp. I called to find
> out what the problem was a couple of weeks later and they told me that
> they weren't going to send me the amp after all. The reason: they "did not
> have a box to ship it in." They were not going to ship it because they
> didn't have a box! I couldn't believe my ears. This was a sale for over a
> 1000 bucks! So I said why don't you go buy a box? "Sorry", was their
> response, "we don't do that." I was quite annoyed by this point because
> they were cancelling the sale for lack of a box. So then what do they do:
> they refund all of my money except for $60.00 ! This sent me over the top.
> After getting irate with them over the phone, I finally got all of my
> money back several weeks later, but what an absurd ordeal. I suggest that
> anytime anybody orders from them, be sure to ask if the price includes a
> cardboard box. I've never been disappointed with AES, and all their stuff
> comes with boxes. 73, John K7JY (former KI7JB).

Good example of monkey-shines from HRO,(Ham Rip-Offs).

I have also heard many good reports about AES. AES is not much cheaper
than most, but at least they're somewhat honest.

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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[2]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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[4]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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[5]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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1050. Re: How's this .. HRO store for Ham Values

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970413124216.2038P-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177962

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[1]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On 13 Apr 1997, Larry Robison wrote:

> It is interesting to note that all of you guys who have replied to this
> twerp over in the Far East somewhere, have inadvertently propogated his
> message, which was "HRO catalog of lies". I don't think I saw anyone agree
> with this mental midget but the header always said "HRO catalog of lies".
> Kind of a wrong message being sent in error.
>
> Story: Hear the one about the lady who walked into the meat market and saw
> a sign advertising chicken for $.79 a pound. She tells the butcher "that's
> kinda high isn't it. Matt's meats down the block has chicken for $.29 a
> pound." The butcher replies "Well you should go down to Matts and buy
> some!" The lady says disgustedly "I tried but he was all out" The butcher
> looked her right in the face and says "Well lady, if I was all out, I'd
> have it for $.29 a pound too!"
>
> When this pencil necked geek over seas found out that nobody had the filter
> he wanted except HRO ... he could have objected to the $4.00 higher price
> by not buying it. Noooo. Instead he pays it and then gripes all over the
> internet about the $4.00 and the extra postage it took to get it to him. I
> wonder what he paid in phone calls asking if someone had it in stock?

Larry, you have no clue at all what the "Re:" inserted in the subject
means, do you?

It means HE DIDN'T START THE THREAD! I did and I'm in California, not the
far-east. If you read my original message that started the "HRO catalog of
LIES" thread and then did your homework on what I said in it you'd have
seen that they are liars. I didn't just arbitrarily use the term "LIES".
it was fully applicable. Quit defending somethin that has no defense. If
they lied then they lied. End of story. Just for the hope of curing your
ignorance, I'll repost my original message for you to read. DON'T answer
it without checking it out with the manufacturers first, which is easy to
do... all of their websites can be accessed thru mine,(see text-box #3 of
my signature file below).

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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[2]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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|
[4]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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|
[5]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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1051. FS: Kenwood TK-330 UHF commercial HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413004701.UAA02989@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178001

For sale: Kenwood TK-330 10 channel commercial UHF programmable handi-talkie. Includes speaker/mic, drop-in charger, and metal porta clip. Great condition...Used very little...$250.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1052. FS: Yaesu FT-470 dual band HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413004800.UAA03100@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178002

For sale: Yaesu FT-470 dual band (VHF/UHF) handi-talkie. UHF side dead due to unsuccessful frequency conversion attempt. VHF side and all other radio features unaffected. Includes "AA" battery case, drop-in rapid charger, soft case, antenna, belt clip, manual, and origional box. Great condition...$175.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1053. FS: MFJ-208 VHF SWR analyzer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413004900.UAA03185@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178003

For sale: MFJ-208 VHF SWR/antenna analyzer. Great condition and used very little. Includes manual....$50.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1054. FS: Larsen UHF mobile antennas.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413005100.UAA03361@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178004

For sale: Three Larsen 5/8wave UHF mobile antennas with spring. Model NMO-UHF......$20 for all or $8 each.

For sale: Six Larsen 1/4 wave UHF mobile antennas...$20 for all or $4 each.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1055. FS: Board for Motorola Syntor X 9000.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413005300.UAA03508@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178005

For sale: Common circuits board for Motorola Syntor X 9000. New (unused)
in package. Model HLN-4905......$75.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1056. FS: Kenwood TM-241A 45 watt VHF mobile.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413005800.UAA03874@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178006

For sale: Kenwood TM-241A 45 watt VHF (two-meter) mobile. Includes Power cord, mic, bracket, manual, and origional box. Clean, used very little. Never mobile and non-smoker owner. Frequency conversion has been performed by licensed technician for CAP/MARS operation. Recently calibrated....$250.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1057. IC-821 extended receive and mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terje Arntzen <arntzen@law.harvard.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc47a3$191fff60$c219f78c@la2taa.law.harvard.edu>
Source record: 178007

I just got my new IC-821 but it only covers 144-148 MHZ even though the
manual states a much wider RX coverage.
Does anyone know how to open up the rx?

Terry AA1QG

1058. FS: YAESU FT-8500 with MH-39 newest mic / MORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413024300.WAA11958@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178008

$559 - YAESU FT-8500 with the MH-39 Newer compact one-touch, yet full function mic for safer driving. Push one key for REV, ENC, LOW, SCAN, SPA, RPT, MONI, MUTE, MENU, MT and more with TWO custom keys. Plus it has direct frequency entry. Alphanemeric paging auto receive. Very sensitive RF receive, superior intermod rejection. Loud speaker output. Large "Omni Glow" bright red removable display with auto dimmer. Alphanumeric and seperate frequency numbers are displayed together. Built it adjustable resolution spectral anylzer lets you VIEW signals accross large band segments. True dual receive and full duplex. Imaculate. Special quick release bracket. Remotable head unit for security. Absolutely Imaculate.

$329 - Connect Systems CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect). 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed. Built in programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if caller is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with fancy base antenna, more height or an amplifier. With permission, just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (Run repeater clubs patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a spare. Multiple volume adjustments (mobile to land,Land to Mobile,CW volume,DTMF volume ect.),and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, you are the control operator. Plus a long list of other professional features. Imaculate

$159 - Mother board PENTIUM 90 mhz, PCI & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade your olde today. Takes 72 pin memory. (see PCI card below). like new.

$69 - Card - SVGA PCI high quality video. $49 with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem with manuals

KC4SRN@AOL.COM

1059. FS. Bird Slug 2-30 MHz 10,000 Watts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter Ibelings <wave@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bc47b5$719b7f40$c99745cf@wave.mindspring.com>
Source record: 178009

I have a 2 to 30 MHz QRP? slug in mint condition. Asking $50. Make me an offer.

73's
Andrew Griffith
N2XAE

1060. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "dave . n7da" <dazan@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <5iphtrdsi1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 178010

Here!! Here!! regards, dave.n7da

"Brian W. Haren" <bharen@n-link.com> wrote:
>Two days ago I called Ten Tec to order on of their SWR/Wattmeter kits.
>The guy on the other end of the phone explained that they were on back
>order and would not be available again for two weeks. He said that if I
>wanted he would take my order and ship one to me as soon as it was
>available, or I could simply wait and call them back in a few weeks. I
>figured I had nothing to lose by ordering one and waiting.
>
>Fifteen minutes ago the UPS guy rings my doorbell and

hands me a package
>from Ten Tec with my kit in it!
>
>Damn, now instead of mowing the lawn I'll have to spend Saturday putting
>this thing together and trying it out. Thanks Ten Tec, for screwing up
>my weekend! ;-)
>
>Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as
>scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?
>
>They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in
>business.
>
>Brian
>KC5YNP

1061. How's this .. HRO store for Ham Values

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Robison <Deleted@SpamCentral>
Message-ID: <01bc47b4$34674600$1c080dd0@larry.netohio.net>
Source record: 178011

It is interesting to note that all of you guys who have replied to this twerp over in the Far East somewhere, have inadvertently propogated his message, which was "HRO catalog of lies". I don't think I saw anyone agree with this mental midget but the header always said "HRO catalog of lies". Kind of a wrong message being sent in error.

Story: Hear the one about the lady who walked into the meat market and saw a sign advertising chicken for $.79 a pound. She tells the butcher "that's kinda high isn't it. Matt's meats down the block has chicken for $.29 a pound." The butcher replies "Well you should go down to Matts and buy some!" The lady says disgustedly "I tried but he was all out" The butcher looked her right in the face and says "Well lady, if I was all out, I'd have it for $.29 a pound too!"

When this pencil necked geek over seas found out that nobody had the filter he wanted except HRO ... he could have objected to the $4.00 higher price by not buying it. Noooo. Instead he pays it and then gripes all over the internet about the $4.00 and the extra postage it took to get it to him. I wonder what he paid in phone calls asking if someone had it in stock?

W9MDX

1062. RT-594/ARC-38A TRADE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970413052601.BAA23968@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 178012

HELLO TO ALL.....WOULD LIKE TO TRADE MY RT-594 FOR AN
ART-13. MY AM/SSB TRANSCEIVER HAS NO MANUAL, POWER SUPPLY, CABLES OR
CONTROL HEAD. ALSO HAVE A VHF
RECEIVER MN 51X-1B ALSO AS ABOVE FOR ADDITIONAL
BOOT. WHAT SAY? 73 DE N7IOK, CLYDE cmsakir@aol.com

1063. Converting a 49 Mhz. transceiver into a 6 Meter transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Cook <patcook@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.95.970414195755.14366E-100000@nova.dimensional.com>
Source record: 177714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi everyone:

I've been giving this some thought and I thought it would at least be worth considering. I'm BIG into QRP, but since I'm still a no-code techie, I thought I'd try doing a rather somewhat unique form of QRP.

I have a RS TRC-502 49 Mhz. transceiver that I'd like to convert into 6 meter FM simplex. Now given the band's most recent activity over the last year or two, coupled with the fact we are starting to get back up on the upside of the sunspot cycle, I thought I'd at least give it a try.

My problem is finding places that sell 6 meter conversion kits (with CTCSS tone board) and 6 meter crystals. Anyone have any ideas as to where I might go in order to get these parts???

My rationale for wanting the tone board is that here in the Denver area, 52.525 Mhz is now linked to a 440 Mhz. repeater that gets a fair amount of use, but the repeater is now PL'd.

Any ideas, useful tips and other such information would be greatly appreciated!! :-)

I look forward to your replies!! :-)

73's for now my friends!! :-)

Patrick Cook, KB0OXD
patcook@dimensional.com
kb0oxd@bbs.n0iak.ampr.org (DO NOT USE -- SYSTEM IS DOWN)
KB0OXD @ N0IAK.#NECO.CO.USA.N0AM (Packet -- DO NOT USE -- SYSTEM IS DOWN)
Denver, Colorado

1064. Re: First Transistor Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Phillip R. Cline" <pcline@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <335217DD.1D82@iquest.net>
Source record: 177715

Carl Hodder wrote:
>
> What was the first 100% soild state transistor radio?
Greetings,
The first commercially available transistor radio was made by Regency
Electronics but I can't remember the model number.

Phil Cline N9RKA

1065. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #412

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: RBates854@aol.COM
Message-ID: <970414175224_1153552531@emout20.mail.aol.com>
Source record: 177716

In a message dated 97-04-14 14:12:09 EDT, Ted writes:

<< If you want to pat a company on the back, look to Ten Tech or AES. They
are two of the most straight-forward companies around and they deserve a
pat on the back.
>>
While mouthing off about HRO and praising AES why not publish AES ctalogue
prices ?

HRO Says... AES says

Model Suggested HRO Price Regular Discount

C156A $289.95 $199.95 $289.00 $199.95
C228A $695.95 $579.95 $695.00 $ 599.95

Whoops !

de Bob

1066. New Listings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <33529336.4BB1@chatlink.com>
Source record: 177717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Don't forget to check back often with the Northwest Saturday Morning Swap Net Page. This is the website for an "on the air" net that takes place every Saturday morning, and (conditions permitting) covers most of the Northwest U.S. The new listings are usually posted by 1PM Pacific time on Saturday afternoon. We also take listing from around the country (no commercial types) from the internet, and read them on the air durring the net.

You can check it out at: http://www.chatlink.com/~rickt/swap.htm

Thanks,

Ron

1067. Inventory cleanup: equipment FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jup001@airmail.net
Message-ID: <3353b69d.9229205@news.airmail.net>
Source record: 177718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Inventory clearance sale: all items are new, in manufacturers'
packaging, never been used:

Item Qty Price ea.
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TP-154PLUS 1 $650
CS-900EXP 1 $350
MFJ-259 3 $150
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Please e-mail or call for details regarding shipping and payment
options.

-----------------------------------------------------------------
Peter Strezev * Jupiter Computing Technology * Dallas, TX
Tel (214)747-1623 * Fax (214)747-1723 * E-mail jup001@airmail.net
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1068. Icom 725/6 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frankeia@netcom.industry.net>
Message-ID: <3352AE25.D7F@netcom.industry.net>
Source record: 177719

I just bought one 725 here on the net, and would like to get another.
Frank KG9H

1069. Re: Strange 8-pin DIN for Yaesu FT-1000MP ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ga19989@evax01.d51.lilly.com
Message-ID: <1997Apr14.081417.1@evax01.d51.lilly.com>
Source record: 177720

In article <334E833D.167EB0E7@aud.alcatel.com>, Tom McDermott <mcdermot@aud.alcatel.com> writes:
> I have just acquired a Yaesu FT-1000MP. It has what appears
> to be an 8-pin DIN connector for providing transistor-level
> keying of a linear amplifier. However, the 8-pin DIN I purchased
> at Radio Shack does not fit! Two of the pins are in slightly
> different locations.
>
> Is this connector special? Are there two different standards for
> 8-pin DIN connectors? Are these strange connectors available
> somewhere?
>
>
> - Tom, N5EG

You have run across the "Kenwood Syndrome"... did not realize it applies to Yaesu as well... there are TWO 8-pin DIN plugs out there in the world... you got the OTHER one, same as the back end of my Kenwood TS-940

You can look at hamfests for years (never did find one), you can order plug from Kenwood or Yaesu, or you can "convince" your plug to move the two oddball pins by heating the pins with soldering iron until they shift. But be careful, as the pins can also misalign or shorten/lengthen... it requires more skill and patience than I have.... had to scrifice a few before I got it right

Mel KJ9C
Mel

1070. Re: Need source of GE MastrII PA Transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Allan (VE6AQK)" <doblera@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3352F144.4332@cadvision.com>
Source record: 177721

David Brian Ritchie wrote:
>
> Hi -- we have a GE Mastr II repeater, 100 W UHF version -- and the
> transistors may be on the way out in the PA -- Rather than pay GE
> some huge amount, I wondered if anyone had any for sale for a reasonable
> price -- prefer never soldered
>
> This is GE P/N 19 A134 171 P2 "Silicon NPN sim to Type 2N5945" -- it
> is a 25 or 30 watt ceramic capped transistor made to be torqued to
> a heat sink with big tabs for collector and emitter.
>
> We could use four to have around as spares -- just in case.
>
> Thanks
> Dave N7UE
>
> --
> David B. Ritchie, Esq. N7UE
> D'Alessandro & Ritchie, P.C. -- Intellectual Property Lawyers
> 3521 E. Yorkshire Rd., Suite 1000, Pasadena, CA 91107-5432
> 818-683-8800 (TEL) 818-683-8900 (FAX) dbr@alumni.caltech.edu

Hi David...
Try RF Parts at 1-800-RF-PARTS in San Marcos, Ca.

New transistors might not be as expensive as you think.

Allan

1071. PK-900 & IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Groom <lgroom@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33525588.66A3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177722

I'm looking for the pin outs to connect a PK-900 to the IC-756 for FSK keying etc. I've tried but so far only able to key radio via PTT but I don't get the diddle-diddle. Any help is Appreciated.
73's Larry KE0VZ

1072. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZygomaD & Darkezza <do_not@spam.here>
Message-ID: <335238DA.76A4@spam.here>
Source record: 177723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ted wrote:
[snip of long Q&A]
A very noble and honorable post, Ted. I'm sure it was difficult to do,
and I admire you for having the gumption to do it.

> Now if you will all excuse me I have to go wash the taste of foot out of
> my mouth.
>
> Ted (ted@caprica.com)
>
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--Barney Wilborg--
kl7hny@qsl.net
Soldotna, Alaska, USA

1073. Re: Question on the TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc48a3$c1a1b240$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 177724

Hi Steve,

The TM-V7 can act as a repeater/crossband after the necessary modifications (removing and adding a resistor). This mod will also enable extended RX/TX.

The difference between the TM-V7A and TM-V7E is that the first is a USA version, the second a European version. (ex. limited frequency range, 2m is 144-146 in Belgium)

Kind regards,
Paul - ON1DJU

Steve Hancock <stevehan@ptd.net> wrote in article
<5iruufamu1@news.ptd.net>...
>
>
> Looking to get the TM-V7A. Can the unit act has a repeater/cross-band
> repeater for my handheld? Didn't see anything on the homepage about
> this feature.
>
> Also whats the different between the TM-V7A and the TM-V7A/E?
>
> --
> +---+
> | Steve Hancock, N3FWE stevehan@ptd.net |
> | Dynamic IP for Chat: http://home.ptd.net/~stevehan |
> | The Pro-2006/Probe Home Page http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006 |
> | "The Truth is Out There" |
> +---+
>

The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

1074. Need Fiber glass rod sorce...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete Dziomba <n2mci@mhv.net>
Message-ID: <33531E22.5423@mhv.net>
Source record: 177725

I need a piece of fiber glass rod 3/8" to repair an ant... Any one have a sorce... I onlt need a piece 1' long... But I'll order more if required.. 73's Pete n2mci@mhv.net

1075. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: r.PHelan@www.mac.ul.IE
Message-ID: <2.2.32.19970414081644.006d86f0@mac.ul.ie>
Source record: 177813

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unsubscribe r.phelan@mac.ul.ie ham-equip
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1076. Epromer, need software + instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus Hessler <mhessler@cip.physik.uni-wuerzburg.de>
Message-ID: <33522081.269@cip.physik.uni-wuerzburg.de>
Source record: 177814

I have an Epromer from Magnadata called P1000.
Does anyone have software or descriptions how to handle this thing??
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Markus Hessler
Phone: 0049-931-84834
E-mail: mailto:mhessler@cip.physik.uni-wuerzburg.de
Homepage: http://cip.physik.uni-wuerzburg.de/~mhessler

1077. Re: Wanted 220 Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970414050959.11379N-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177815

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| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On 14 Apr 1997, Mike Hughes wrote:

> I am in need of a rig to work 220 Base unit or Handi talkie would be ok.
> Need power and PL

Ten Tec has the best deal I've seen for an FM 1.3 meter rig,(222-225 MHz).

You can get more info on their website. There is a link to their website
from mine,(see text-box #3 below).

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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[2]------------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]-------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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|
[4]-------------------------+---------------------------+
| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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|
[5]-------------------------+---------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
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| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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1078. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970414045046.11379K-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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[1]------------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On Sun, 13 Apr 1997, Burt Fisher wrote:

>
> FCC Expected to Unveil Plans For Two Airwave Auctions
>
> WASHINGTON -- Federal regulators are expected this week
> to set plans for two long-awaited auctions of valuable airwaves,
> including one for an emerging wireless technology that could bring new
> competition to the local-telephone and cable-television businesses.

Your entire post smacks of the same total lack of credibility as the
infamous "Modem Tax" balogna... and for a very good reason...

You sited NO exact documents or published articles as sources,(with the
date of publication). Come back when you can and we'll take you more
seriously.

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

[2]------------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+--------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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[4]------------------------+--------------------------+
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| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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[5]-------------------------+----------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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1079. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <5it8ko$107@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 177817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

Last changed: March 31, 1997

Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150
148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is
offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal
Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. You
can also get Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone
(800)972-3226.

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

1080. FS: Kenwood TS-520/S/SE power transformer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@dlep1.itg.ti.com
Message-ID: <5ita4k$68j@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 177818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

For Sale:

Used power transformer for Kenwood TS-520/S/SE transceiver.

I bought it from a Kenwood service center in Dallas, but it turned out
that I didn't need it after all. It's in clean, in good shape, and is
ready to install in your rig.

This would also be a great transformer for a p/s for your homebrew
200 Watt class transmitter! The high B+, when voltage-doubled with
100 uF over 100 uF, is 950 VDC (no load). There are also low B+
windings that give about 300 VDC, 200 VDC, 100 VDC, and a negative
bias supply. Filament supply is 12.6 VAC. Primary is 115/230 VAC.
It was designed to power a 12BY7A and two 6146s, plus the 12 VDC
of the rest of the transceiver.

It may also work in the TS-820/S but I'm not sure about this.

Price is $60 (exactly what I paid for it) plus shipping from 762xx.
I'm told that brand new ones are $125 each (if still available).

Email me if you're interested in this nice transformer.

73,
Dean K5DH

1081. Heathkit IM-4100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ai360@detroit.freenet.org
Message-ID: <860883011.32345@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello

I am looking for input cable for heathkit im-4100 freq. meter

Thanks
Tony

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1082. test message -- Don't read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <33523137.435489180@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 177820

test

1083. Heath reflector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmangels@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970414.095327.8863.3.tmangels@juno.com>
Source record: 177821

I'm looking for a Heathkit email list/reflector. Help in locating the address appreciated.

73,

Tom WA1JVV

1084. Re: How's this .. HRO store for Ham Values

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: xenos@hol.gr
Message-ID: <335201f4.1930154@news.hol.gr>
Source record: 177822

On Sat, 12 Apr 1997 16:19:03 +0800, Joe BV/N0IAT
<joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:

>> wonder what he paid in phone calls asking if someone had it in stock?
>
>Nothing -- 800 numbers are toll-free (duh...)

Sorry but anyone not blessed enough to live in the US cannot call toll
free 800 numbers. (duh... duh...)

RCJ

1085. FS: Motorola HF radiotelephone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Loek d'Hont <ldhont@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc48e8$cb7e5d00$8f0aaa9d@pc-tir22.pac.sc.ti.com>
Source record: 177823
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS: Mororola HF radiotelephone, AM / USB, 150 watt RF, solid-state
Model D80 SCA1 C20BK

13 channels installed, room for 24 channels total

Channels can be changed/added by changing crystals, HC25 type.
There is room for 24 channels total.

Radio is in very good, working condition, but the case cover is missing
Microphone included.

US$ 240.- , plus shipping

LDHONT@ti.com

1086. FS ALINCO 580 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T.E.A.M. = POWER" <gold@wic.net>
Message-ID: <335256B2.1A82@wic.net>
Source record: 177824

I have an Alinco 580 dual band hand held for sale:

The unit comes with the standard battery, battery charger, soft carrying case (not Alinco), manual, audio tape, original box, antenna and the filtered cigar lighter cord. Besides the regular ham bands this radio has been modified and works on MARS and will receive aircraft (110- 142.995). It also covers 130 - 173.995 part of which is the marine band and police.

UHF 440.000 - 449.995
420.000 - 479.995

This radio is in good condition.

I am asking $250.00 plus shipping.

1087. Yaesu/Kenwood Mobile Warranty????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jzawodny@silicon.helios.nd.edu
Message-ID: <5itli8$dh0@news.nd.edu>
Source record: 177825

While it would be very cool to figure out what happens in all my
radios, I am looking at getting a new mobile, either a Yaesu FT-2500M
or Kenwood TM261A (both 2m/50W units). I have not, however been able to
find any information on the web about their factory warranties. Could anybody
shed some light on these companies policies and terms?

Thanks in advance

Jason

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Jason T. Zawodny; U of Notre Dame; Computer Engineering Senior
zawodny.1@nd.edu; http://www.nd.edu/~jzawodny/

1088. Request mods for the TM-251E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Laboratory <labo@mol.es>
Message-ID: <01bc48e0$02f33a20$d29de0c2@labo>
Source record: 177826

Hi all:

Has someone something about the avilaible mods for the Kenwood TM-251e?

73

1089. Re: First Transistor Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa7aco@owt.com
Message-ID: <861041167.3557@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177827

In article <5is8fd$f5p@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>,
sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:
>
> What was the first 100% soild state transistor radio?

Very shortly after transistors became available to the public,
there were a number of articles on how to add a transistor
amplifier to a crystal set to provide increased audio output.

In 1957 I bought a four transistor broadcast band radio just
before going overseas in the Air Force. It used a 22.5 volt
hearing aid battery costing $1.50 for about 8 hours operation.

There were a few others on the market before that time, but
they were all very expensive to buy. While expensive by todays
standards, they were a lot cheaper to operate that the tube type
portable radios with their "A" and "B" and sometimes "C" batteries.

I would suspect that the military probably had the first all
transistor radios receivers. Transistors were used in the low
level stages of transmitters for many years with vacuum tubes used
in the higher power stages.

So what was really the first transistor radio, Heck, I don't know.

Russ Hughes

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1090. Re: Prayer Support Needed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko4qc <ko4qc@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <335274B6.BBC@concentric.net>
Source record: 177828

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> dwcomm@aol.com (DW Comm) wrote:
>
> :For all you Christians out there, I need God's assistance with this
> :situation.
>
> Sorry. God does not read this newsgroup. I suggest you take your
> whining to some Christian newsgroup where they will pat you on
> the back and take some more money off you after assuring you that
> they have passed the problem on to God.
>
> <Snip problem>
>
> :Please ask GOD to bless the situation and cause it to work out for all of
> :our benefits.
>
> Look buddy, if God cared about you at all he would not have allowed the
> radio to be damaged. You could have saved yourself from looking like
> a fool by leaveing off the God bit.
>
> Barry
>
> ====================================
> To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> return address.
I missed the original post.Is this guy asking us to pray for his
radio?
Ko4qC

1091. ICOM filter for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5iu0t9$304@news1.voicenet.com>
Source record: 177829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale, never installed in radio, new/old stock
FL52A cw filter for various ICOM radios
$100 shipped to cont. U.S.
thanks, Jim
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1092. 4sale YAESU FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5iu0ob$304@news1.voicenet.com>
Source record: 177830

I have for sale, brand new\old stock filters for Yaesu:

XF-8.2HC cw filter for FT102
XF-8.2GA am filter for FT102
XF-8.2HCN cw narrow filter for FT102
XF-8.9GA am filter for FT980,901,902,107,707,101ZD
XF-30D fm filter for??

all filters are new and never soldered into a radio.
$70 each shipped to cont. U.S.
thanks, Jim

1093. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: freq@usaor.net
Message-ID: <3352A7C2.980@usaor.net>
Source record: 177831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Burt Fisher wrote:
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> to set plans for two long-awaited auctions of valuable airwaves,
> including one for an emerging wireless technology that could bring new
> competition to the local-telephone and cable-television businesses.
>
> Wireless operators, long-distance phone companies, electric
> utilities and telecommunications entrepreneurs are eager to bid for
> licenses to use huge chunks of the amateur radio spectrum to transmit
> voices, pictures and data.
>
> Wireless Auction
>
> Up for grabs: Licenses to use most of the amateur radio
> megahertz of electromagnetic spectrum in each of nearly 500 markets
> nationwide. Repeater frequencies are much in demand by those with the
> following: Uses: Transmitting voices, pictures and data via small, flat
> antennas that can rest on a windowsill. Expected bidders: All sorts of
> telecommunications companies -- but Baby Bells and cable operators will
> be barred from bidding on licenses in their home territories.
>
> "While the auctions for PCS frequencies were very specific
> about how the frequencies could be used, rules governing LMDS usage are
> more liberal and for a bigger chunk of amateur radio bandwidth," said
> Michael Sprayberry, director ofwireless strategy for MCI Communications
> Corp.
>
>
> New Radio Service
>
> The auction rules have been delayed in recent weeks because FCC
> commissioners couldn't agree on what amateur radio spectrum would be
> available.
>
> The technology operates with small, flat antennas that
> communicate with larger antennas mounted on towers. It has tended to
> work poorly in heavy rains and fog, but industry officials say they are
> working to fix the problem. Operators also could run into resistance
> from cities that increasingly are blocking the construction of new
> antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has

> decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
> necessity.
>
> #===============#===#
> | Burt Fisher | Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics |
> | Amateur call | South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod) |
> | K1OIK | http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169 |
> #===============#===#
> |Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
> #===#

Bert,

It would have nice if you listed the frequencies re the above info.

Jim, N3BRS

1094. FT-50R Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kevin S." <khs01@gnofn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.95.970414145632.25226A-100000@sparkie.gnofn.org>
Source record: 177832

I know this has been brought up before, but could someone please suggest a couple of replacement antennas for this HT, preferably with SMA, and relatively small.. Thanks!!

73

KC5ZOC
Kevin Schiffman
Email: khs01@gnofn.org
Web Page: http://www.clubnexus.com/nosp

1095. Need source of GE MastrII PA Transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbr@alumnae.caltech.edu
Message-ID: <5iu2ur$ata@gap.cco.caltech.edu>
Source record: 177833

Hi -- we have a GE Mastr II repeater, 100 W UHF version -- and the transistors may be on the way out in the PA -- Rather than pay GE some huge amount, I wondered if anyone had any for sale for a reasonable price -- prefer never soldered

This is GE P/N 19 A134 171 P2 "Silicon NPN sim to Type 2N5945" -- it is a 25 or 30 watt ceramic capped transistor made to be torqued to a heat sink with big tabs for collector and emitter.

We could use four to have around as spares -- just in case.

Thanks
Dave N7UE

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David B. Ritchie, Esq. N7UE
D'Alessandro & Ritchie, P.C. -- Intellectual Property Lawyers
3521 E. Yorkshire Rd., Suite 1000, Pasadena, CA 91107-5432
818-683-8800 (TEL) 818-683-8900 (FAX) dbr@alumni.caltech.edu

1096. TS-520s parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: w8pu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970414203100.QAA04035@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177834

I am still in need of a cabinet for a TS-520S if any one has a junker.
Thanks...Gary.

1097. FS: Ten-Tec KR-50 electronic keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jarad@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <jarad.115.0038DF1D@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 177835

I have a Ten-Tec KR-50 electronic keyer for sale, fair condition. $40.00 + shipping.
email jarad@nbnet.nb.ca

1098. Re: HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: RBates854@aol.COM
Message-ID: <970414125103_-401899199@emout04.mail.aol.com>
Source record: 177836

To Larry Robison W9MDX

Before you start calling someone a twerp you should check your facts.

$20.00 for about a 4 oz package from Ca to Dallas TX is a little high in anyones book

Even snail mail would be about $5.00

As for Ted"s comments about HRO catagologue lying how is it that the AES "Reg" price in their catalogue is the same as HRO sug retail. I guess Ted pays sticker price for his car. Get real Ted they all do it.

My experience with HRO has varied. Their Denver store has been superb, I would never do business with the Anaheim store.

de Bob

1099. FS:Kenwood TS-790A allmode, dual bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Land <david.r.land@conoco.dupont.com>
Message-ID: <3352B2FE.44E0@conoco.dupont.com>
Source record: 177837

I have for sale a Kenwood TS-790A allmode, dual band, transceiver. This
one is like new in the original box with manuals.
Asking $1450 which includes shipping to the lower 48.
Please reply via email, do not post to the newsgroup.
Thanks & 73,
Dave KD5FX
daveland@pcok.com

1100. FT-8000R AM receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken <ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <0u0GSEA1dmUzEwRT@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177838

Does anyone know how to select AM receive on the FT-8000R, if you tune down to airband it selects AM but I can't find any mention in the manual about selecting AM else where.

Ken.

+------------------------------+----------------------------------+
| ken hewitt | Email ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk |
+------------------------------+----------------------------------+

1101. FS: DC777 in-car AM/FM/Shortwave/cassette player

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sterritt@mrj.com
Message-ID: <861058293.17769@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Hello,

I have a used Phillips DC777 in-dash am/fm/shortwave radio and
cassette player for sale. I'll email such things as bands covered, etc.
if you're interested in the specifics (and/or unfamiliar with this radio).

Please email me your offer... our news service is unreliable,
and so I probably won't see your reply if you post.

Thanks,
--chris sterritt
sterritt@mrj.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1102. Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: desharnais@birdie.enet.dec.com
Message-ID: <861042218.4466@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177840
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm a licensed ham and avid shortwave listener. Currently, my license doesn't cover the HF band, but I do plan on upgrading in the future.

I had been looking around for a good table top shortwave receiver, but decided to get a tranciever instead. The prices don't seem to differ much and I would be getting transmitting capability as a plus. Since I will be using the rig mostly for shortwave, I need an HF rig with a really good general coverage receiver as a primary consideration, with transmitting capabilities being secondary.

Can anyone offer advice or recommendations on which HF tranciever offers the best general coverage receiver up to 30 khz? Do any of the trancievers offer the same quality reception as what you would find with a good shortwave table top radio?

As for price, I would be willing to go as high as $1500, but something around $1000 would be more palatable. :)

Regards,
Denis

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1103. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc492f$6b95c800$4ca745cf@enterprise>
Source record: 177841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Denis,

I have been very happy with the receive section of the Drake TR7 series. This is a 15 year old radio but its performance is very very good. The receive section is strong with good bandwidth selectivity. That receive section is just about the same as is on the R7A from Drake and most SWL's would rank the R7A in any top 5. Transmit section is very good. You should be able to get one for under 700 with power supply, speaker and remote VFO.

Good luck

Mark

desharnais@birdie.enet.dec.com wrote in article
<861042218.4466@dejanews.com>...
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> doesn't cover the HF band, but I do plan on upgrading in the future.
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> around $1000 would be more palatable. :)
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> Regards,
> Denis
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>

1104. Re: IC-821 extended receive and mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burke.Baumann@IAC.honeywell.com
Message-ID: <5iu739$n53@cstnews.iac.honeywell.com>
Source record: 177842

In article <01bc47a3$191fff60$c219f78c@la2taa.law.harvard.edu>, "Terje Arntzen"
<arntzen@law.harvard.edu> says:
>
>I just got my new IC-821 but it only covers 144-148 MHZ even though the
>manual states a much wider RX coverage.
>Does anyone know how to open up the rx?
>
>Terry AA1QG

I just called ICOM and they mailed me the change. While on the phone the
tech rep told me how to get to the diode. It only took a few days for the mail
and included a drawing showing the diode to remove. It is best to
have the drawing since there are several all in a row.

73 Burke KF7NP

1105. Heathkit Weather Stations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3354c4a5.7555266@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177843

Still looking for enough Heath Weather Stations, so as to build one
that works!!
If you have such please Email me!!
Thanks,
Bill
KC4PE
kc4pe@mindspring.com

1106. Re: Yaesu/Kenwood Mobile Warranty????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3352CA5A.5B34@onramp.net>
Source record: 177844

jason zawodny wrote:
>
> While it would be very cool to figure out what happens in all my
> radios, I am looking at getting a new mobile, either a Yaesu FT-2500M
> or Kenwood TM261A (both 2m/50W units). I have not, however been able to
> find any information on the web about their factory warranties. Could anybody
> shed some light on these companies policies and terms?
>
> Thanks in advance
>
> Jason
>
> --
> ---
> Jason T. Zawodny; U of Notre Dame; Computer Engineering Senior
> zawodny.1@nd.edu; http://www.nd.edu/~jzawodny/
> ---

Kenwood offers a 1 year warranty on all new equipment. If your next door
neighbors name happens to be Murphy and he visits after you purchased a
Kenwood Amateur product I would be pleased to repair it for you with the
only cost being the shipping to us.

Just as a note Yaesu also has a 1 year warranty but I don't deal with
Yaesu so cannot tell you who could fix it.

Either way you go you shouldn't have any problems as the new radios are
extremely reliable.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1107. FS: RCA 700 6 Meter 40 Watt Table Top Base Station Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <861065559.23859@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: 6 Meter Base Station Radios RCA Series 700 Low Band Table Top Base Station Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz)

FULLY SOLID-STATE Commercial FM Transceiver, 40 Watts, Operates on 120 VAC, 2 frequency (easily converted to 4 frequency). Converted to 6 Meter Operation. Tuned to 52.525 MHz (crystals not included). With integrated speaker, desk microphone, 2 sets of Channel Elements, QC Deck (CTCSS) without vibrosend/sponders (uses Motorola type). Tuning instructions included.

CONDITION: Very Good. Removed from service. Checked and Working. Converted to 6 meter Amateur Band.
RCA Series 700 Base Station .....$125 ea (2 available)

Extra Sets (Rx and Tx) of Channel Element.....$5

PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE SHIPPING.
Send Zip code for shipping estimate.

Mike Nowlen, WB4UKB
mnowlen@cwi.net
703-716-1363
No calls after 10PM Eastern please.
Answering machine picks up on 4th ring.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
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1108. Closure of Aussie Winpack Web Page - 30th April

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: illmayerp@mail.dec.com
Message-ID: <3352b451.8887201@news.stl.dec.com>
Source record: 177846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

Hello all

Due to business and personal commitments, I can no longer maintain and grow the Aussie Winpack Page. I have moved from Sydney to Perth (vk2 -> vk6) and can no longer justify paying the ISP costs when I can't get access to it !

Its been a lot of fun over the last 2 years, in total I think the pages have over 30,000 hits. The links to the pages are growing daily and it is unfortunate that I have to close them.

There are now a number of other web sites carrying the servers and I see that G4IDE has his own web page. If you read packet bullitens, there are also a number of CLOWNS broadcasting 8kb packet messages telling you about their pages, bit of an ego trip I think !!

Thanks to Mick in the UK for his support with lots of software and also thanks to Ken, the Taranaki terror for most of the tpk stuff.

If anyone wants to carry on with the page in its format, varied format or anything else, please take the files and use them......

Cheers..Pete..vk2yx

1109. Re: Help! GE Radio Info..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3kev@erols.com
Message-ID: <3352b78b.2765876@news.erols.com>
Source record: 177847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 14 Apr 1997 00:56:18 GMT, rpainter@execpc.com (Ron N9GKH)
wrote:

>
>I have aquired a couple of heavy and presumably old GE landmobile
>radios minus control heads.
>If possible please identify these for me . I suspect that their
>numbering system will telll me band, model etc the way Motorola does
>on their equipment.
> I am a stranger to GE equip.
>On the Plate:
> option: MT 76 TAS66
> ET58 F
> ER 41-C
> Thankyou for any and all help
>73!
>de N9GKH
>
>PS I will probabbly looking for further info if these are suitable to
>convert to amateur use. Any ideas where I can locate a service manual
>(if these are identified)?
>

The ET-58-F is a GE Mastr Pro VHF highband transmitter. Original specs
are for up to 90W out between 150-174 MHz, but they should swing down
to 2m just fine. Final tube is a 5894 I've got a few now that I'm
using for T-hunt transmitters. I have a manual for the ET-57, which is
the lower power 35 watt version; I can copy this if you need one (rest
of group?)... The F is the revision number (My ET-58's are mostly A's
and C's, so you've got newer ones.)

The ER-41-C is the receiver counterpart to the transmitter. They can
swing down too without too much trouble.
Got the manual for this too, but also there was an article in 73
magazine January '95, pages 24-30 about tuning up and using these
receivers without the bulky power supply.

Hope this helps you out. I've also have some extra control heads and
power cables if you need 'em.

73....Mike, N3KEV

1110. FS: Knwd TS830s station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic Rosenthal <rakefet@rakefet.com>
Message-ID: <3352ADED.63AB@rakefet.com>
Source record: 177848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale, Kenwood station:

TS-830s with two optional CW filters: $600
VFO-230 external digital VFO for above $175

Package deal: both for $750, including Shure
444 desk mike. Prices firm, COD or money order.
Shipping extra.

I'd prefer to sell as a package, so if you want
part, please email and I'll hold your response
until I've decided to break it up.

Vic K2VCO (Fresno CA)
rakefet@rakefet.com

1111. Re: IC-706 Tx lockup trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net
Message-ID: <rtm-ya02408000R1404971926520001@nntp.netgate.net>
Source record: 177849

In article <335186E9.2823@psych.umass.edu>, Gerry & Robin Lempicki
<lempicki@psych.umass.edu> wrote:

> Hi! My neighbor is having trouble with his 706. He went out to start
> his car the other morning, just like any other day. Once it was
> running, he turned on the 706, then went back in the house to let the
> car warm up. While in the house, his scanners locked up on a carrier
> being transmitted. It turned out to be the 706 in the car transmitting!
> He disconnected the microphone, and tried a complete reset, all with no
> luck. It still is locked up in a tx mode. Has anyone seen this problem
> before? I hear that if he shuts the radio off for a while, when it is
> first turned on it is ok for a sec or two, then goes into tx mode.
> Any ideas?
>
> --
> Gerry KA1STZ Robin KA1YJR
> 1948 PA-15 Vagabond
> http://www-vms.oit.umass.edu/~lempicki/index.htm

Check the *duplicate* mic connector on the *back* of the 706- if something
small and conductive gets in there, it can key up the transmitter (and be
pretty hard to find).

73-

Bob Martin N6MZV

--

Bob Martin N6MZV * rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net

1112. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <3352EF73.BAC@magg.net>
Source record: 177850

Brian W. Haren wrote:
>
> Two days ago I called Ten Tec to order on of their SWR/Wattmeter kits.
> The guy on the other end of the phone explained that they were on back
> order and would not be available again for two weeks. He said that if I
> wanted he would take my order and ship one to me as soon as it was
> available, or I could simply wait and call them back in a few weeks. I
> figured I had nothing to lose by ordering one and waiting.
>
> Fifteen minutes ago the UPS guy rings my doorbell and hands me a package
> from Ten Tec with my kit in it!
>
> Damn, now instead of mowing the lawn I'll have to spend Saturday putting
> this thing together and trying it out. Thanks Ten Tec, for screwing up
> my weekend! ;-)
>
> Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as
> scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?
>
> They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in
> business.
>
> Brian
> KC5YNPHi Brian,

Ten Tec's problem is that most amateurs today do not know how to
evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
the color of the cabinet. If they did know how to evaluate a rig,
they're would be far fewer off shore boxes adorning hamshacks and a lot
more T-T.

Dale
W4OP

1113. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: GJUDD <GJUDD@Prodigy.Net>
Message-ID: <3352F2D3.7EE6@Prodigy.Net>
Source record: 177851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

A>

> snip
>
> You had better take another look at your AES catalog. They also have the
> list
> prices as:
>
> C156A $289.00 same as HRO
> C228A $695.00 same as HRO
>
> Selling prices:
> C156A $199.95 same as HRO
> C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO
Now you're trying to confuse him with facts, aren't you? He can't relate
to facts very well, apparently.

1114. Re: First Transistor Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephen scheel <sncscheel@hypercon.com>
Message-ID: <33530BA5.2B86@hypercon.com>
Source record: 177852

The worlds first transistor radio was made in the US by Regency. The TR1 radio was rushed to market by Regency in Late 1954 to make the Christmas season. A few month's later Raytheon came out with the 8TP1. The TR1 was a small shirt pocket (almost) sized 4 transistor set which sold for 49.95 and is a very poor performing radio. However, today these radios are highly sought after by collectors such as myself. I own 3 of them but would always like ones in colors I don't have. If you have one of these let me know I might be interested in purchasing it from you.Carl

Hodder wrote:
>
> What was the first 100% soild state transistor radio?

1115. Help with Kenwood TH-28A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmccormi@isn.net
Message-ID: <gmccormi.12.001733C6@isn.net>
Source record: 177853

I recently purchesed a used Kenwood TH-28A. I made the receiver modifications (extended UHF rcv) following the instructions posted on ftp.barc.org. I've now run into a problem in that the display is locked on CH 5 (memory channel 5 - the only one I had programmed at the time).

I cannot get the thing to go to call, vfo, anything. It just sits there displaying CH 5. I know I can rotate through the memory channels, yet the only one I have programmed is 5 so I have no where to go.

Its possible that I might have scratched the trace running underneath diode 9, this occured during the mod. Would this have anything to do with it. The radio worked fine (vfo, call channel), transmitted fine, everything was normal.

Does anyone have a suggestion? I though about erasing the memory, but the method included in the manual is locked out.

Thanks for all your help,

73,
Greg VY2GWM
gmccormi@isn.net / greg.mccormick@pei.sympatico.ca

1116. Re: Prayer Support Needed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Hicks <chicks@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3352AA39.45D7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177854

ko4qc wrote:
>
> Barry O'Grady wrote:
> >
> > dwcomm@aol.com (DW Comm) wrote:
> >
> > :For all you Christians out there, I need God's assistance with this
> > :situation.
> >
> > Sorry. God does not read this newsgroup. I suggest you take your
> > whining to some Christian newsgroup where they will pat you on
> > the back and take some more money off you after assuring you that
> > they have passed the problem on to God.
> >
> > <Snip problem>
> >
> > :Please ask GOD to bless the situation and cause it to work out for all of
> > :our benefits.
> >
> > Look buddy, if God cared about you at all he would not have allowed the
> > radio to be damaged. You could have saved yourself from looking like
> > a fool by leaveing off the God bit.
> >
> > Barry
> >
> > ====================================
> > To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> > return address.
> I missed the original post.Is this guy asking us to pray for his
> radio?
> Ko4qC

His original appeal was to Christian *believers* to pray for it to work out. If those who read the post didn't fit into that group than they need not respond. I would suggest that you cut him some slack and not waste any more bandwidth on it. Perhaps the post is more appropriate in a Christian newsgroup. I suspect he'll do that next time.

Being a Christian, I understand where he is coming from. I suspect there are others in the newsgroup who feel the same. I'd be happy for him or others to mail me on these issues to keep from flooding the newsgroup.

Thanks.

Charlie Hicks
WB0LJP

1117. WTB:shortwave general coverage RX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephen scheel <sncscheel@hypercon.com>
Message-ID: <33530D23.376B@hypercon.com>
Source record: 177855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking to buy a Drake R7,or R7A or JRC NRD 515, or 525. Please E-mail with price and description if you have one for sale. Thanks, Steve.

1118. FS. DRAKE B-1000 balun

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <33521633.B7@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 177856

I have a new in box B-1000 balun for the MN 2700 or MN-7 series tuner.
I will ship it for $52.00 postal MO.

73 Roger, KO4O

1119. Re: Alinco DX-70 vs Icom 706--which one?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3352EE26.27E2@ibm.net>
Source record: 177857

Rudy Marcelletti wrote:
>
> I am in the market to purchase a do all compact HF and 6m rig and would
> like to hear about pros and cons of the DX-70 and IC-706. Any info would
> be appreciated. Thanks, Rudy, KA8SWD.

Rudy,

I've owned both rigs, and posted a detailed comparison of the two
perhaps 6 weeks ago on this newsgroup. If you go to Deja News
(www.dejanews.com) and do a search on this group for the text "DX-70TH"
you should have no problem finding my post.

Bottom line: The Alinco blows away the Icom.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ

1120. Re: Icom IC22S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3352EC12.528A@ibm.net>
Source record: 177858

David M. Nance wrote:
>
> I have an Icom IC-22s which I bought new, used very little and then put
> away for 20 years. This unit was one of the first, relatively
> inexpensive synthesized 2-meter rigs back in the mid-70's. Trouble is
> you can only "program" 22 channels by soldering in the diodes on a
> circuit board in a binary code arrangement for each channel desired.
>
> My question: I understand someone either manufactured or published plans
> for an accessory to make this unit fully synthesized. Does anyone have
> any information on this. This unit is like new and I would now like to
> get some more use out of it?
>
> Dave - WB4SSE

There was such a mod, called the VIP kit, made by (I think) by a company
called Valley. It's ancient history, I'm afraid.

Good luck,
Martin
AL7OQ

1121. Re: IC-706 Tx lockup trouble?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frankeia@netcom.industry.net>
Message-ID: <335303D3.77F@netcom.industry.net>
Source record: 177859

Bob Martin N6MZV wrote:
>
> In article <335186E9.2823@psych.umass.edu>, Gerry & Robin Lempicki
> <lempicki@psych.umass.edu> wrote:
>
> > Hi! My neighbor is having trouble with his 706. He went out to start
> > his car the other morning, just like any other day. Once it was
> > running, he turned on the 706, then went back in the house to let the
> > car warm up. While in the house, his scanners locked up on a carrier
> > being transmitted. It turned out to be the 706 in the car transmitting!
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> > luck. It still is locked up in a tx mode. Has anyone seen this problem
> > before? I hear that if he shuts the radio off for a while, when it is
> > first turned on it is ok for a sec or two, then goes into tx mode.
> > Any ideas?
> >
> > --
> > Gerry KA1STZ Robin KA1YJR
> > 1948 PA-15 Vagabond
> > http://www-vms.oit.umass.edu/~lempicki/index.htm
>
> Check the *duplicate* mic connector on the *back* of the 706- if something
> small and conductive gets in there, it can key up the transmitter (and be
> pretty hard to find).
>
> 73-
>
> Bob Martin N6MZV
>
> --
>
> Bob Martin N6MZV * rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net
Good point on the back connector. I have had mine (the one with the
noisy fan, hi) for about a year, and I usually vacuum out the right
holes, as fur tends to grow on it. I wonder if I should glue some sort
of mesh onto the sides to keep this from happening. Any one out there
found this happening? and what did you do to correct this?
Frank

1122. WTB: Ham IV Rotor with Controller and Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3353220D.527B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings. I am looking for a used HAM IV rotor and controller in good condition with cabling, if available. Any other comparable rotor that can handle a 10 sq. ft. wind load will be considered, also. I must place an old corroded Hy-Gain EX-14 10-40M yagi on a tubular tower that supports 10 sq. ft. of wind load, and the antenna is rated at about 8.3 sq. ft. of load. If you have an appropriate rotor in need of a home, or you have a positive suggestion, please reply at your convenience.

73 de Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

1123. FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33531F9F.4ADB@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greetings. I have a H-P 95LX palmtop PC (IBM-compatible), great for use as a portable packet terminal, as seen on cover of March 1997 QST. With manual, AC adapter, and serial cable for laplinking to desktop or notebook PCs. Palmtop PC also has infrared port for download/upload with H-P Omnibook PCs, etc. Asking $175 OBO. In xlnt cond.

If interested, E-Mail me at your convenience.

73,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

1124. Re: Heath reflector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3352FFAC.7139@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177862

Thomas R. Mangels wrote:
>
> I'm looking for a Heathkit email list/reflector. Help in locating the
> address appreciated.
>
> 73,
>
> Tom WA1JVV

Howdy Tom -- the information I have is:
Heath Mail List
listserv@listserv.tempe.gov
No subject and the text: subscribe HEATH

Let me know if it works OK

There are 66 other Mail Lists at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V DX Reference Page
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
Main Page: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Index: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

1125. Re: 35 watts in car 50 at home why?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3351a1e4.11898341@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177888

tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

:
:I am using a Kenwoood TMV7A. Its a nice radio I like it.
:
:BUT when I hook it up to my roof antenna at home and a power supply it
:pumps about 45 watts on 2M and 30 on 440.
:
:When I hook it up in the car it only pumps 35 watts on 2m and 25 on 440.
:
:I am powering the radio directly from the car battery.
:
:I tried a Mag mount and a trunk mount and 2 antennas. Same readings.
:
:Any opinions why?

Check the voltage on your power supply at home. You might find it is
way above the 12 volts.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1126. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3351a1ed.11906690@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177889

bnb@atl.mindspring.com wrote:

:An ad I just saw says "... FM narrow and Wide for broadcast
:listening." Anyone verify that this is true? I'm not expecting high
:fidelity, just listenable FM broadcast.
:
:Thanks, Bob, AB4G

The FM wide filter is too narrow and results in high distortion.
In Australia the TV audio deviation is not as wide as FM radio so
that TV sound is usable with some distortion and FM radio is almost
completly unusable.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1127. Re: Prayer Support Needed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3351a1f7.11917306@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177890

dwcomm@aol.com (DW Comm) wrote:

:For all you Christians out there, I need God's assistance with this
:situation.

Sorry. God does not read this newsgroup. I suggest you take your
whining to some Christian newsgroup where they will pat you on
the back and take some more money off you after assuring you that
they have passed the problem on to God.

<Snip problem>

:Please ask GOD to bless the situation and cause it to work out for all of
:our benefits.

Look buddy, if God cared about you at all he would not have allowed the
radio to be damaged. You could have saved yourself from looking like
a fool by leaveing off the God bit.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1128. Help! GE Radio Info..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpainter@execpc.com
Message-ID: <33517f29.27136176@news.execpc.com>
Source record: 177891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have aquired a couple of heavy and presumably old GE landmobile
radios minus control heads.
If possible please identify these for me . I suspect that their
numbering system will telll me band, model etc the way Motorola does
on their equipment.
I am a stranger to GE equip.
On the Plate:
option: MT 76 TAS66
ET58 F
ER 41-C
Thankyou for any and all help
73!
de N9GKH

PS I will probabbly looking for further info if these are suitable to
convert to amateur use. Any ideas where I can locate a service manual
(if these are identified)?

1129. Need Info: AM-6154 VHF Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5irse9$fpt@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 177892

Just picked up a clean AM-6154/GRT-21 VHF Amplifier. Looking for any info, Tech Manual, Schematic, hints, etc. Anyone have anything ? I don't want to jump in blind. Tnx es 73 de Dick, W1KSZ.

1130. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970413.200336.7631.1.w5rg@juno.com>
Source record: 177893

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subscribe ham-equip w5rg@juno.com
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1131. Re: KE2AM rpt controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rubenc@iglou.com
Message-ID: <33518318.183B@iglou.com>
Source record: 177894

Ben wrote:
>
> Does anyone know KE2AM???? or GET-TECH 201 Riley Rd. New Windsor, NY
> 12553???
>
> Several years ago I sent my
> "broken" controller for repair and never heard anything from them. The
> one time I got someone on the phone the response was that they were
> really busy. I finnally gave up and considered it a loss. Now with the
> net I would like to find out if anyone has had contact with this
> person/company.
>
> Ben WD4MNI

Well here is what QRZ callbook shows:

Callsign: KE2AM
Name: GEORGE V TARNOVSKY
Addr1: 201 RILEY RD
Addr2: NEW WINDSOR NY 12550
Country: USA
Class: Advanced
Effective: 16 Jun 1987
Expires: 16 Jun 1997
Prev Call: KA2CGZ
Location: 41.510 N 74.053 W Orange County

According to that, his license will expire soon. Same address as you
list. I used to have one of those controllers, little one with voice
chip. Hmmmm...Haven't heard of those in a while.

Charlie

1132. Alinco DX70t Alinco DM1350 Power Supply Alinco EMS-14 Desktop Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.R.A." <D.R.Abshire@worldnet.att.nat>
Message-ID: <01bc486f$472c8140$74e792cf@default>
Source record: 177895

I have for sale or trade
(1 ea) Alinco DX70t w/ about 10 Hours on it. (DON'T NEED IT).
(1 ea) Alinco DM1350 Power Supply (35 amp)
(1ea) Alinco EMS-14 Desktop Mike

Looking for a second Computer System (not a slow dog) either.
I was going to take the No Code Test and lost interest in radio.
I will either sell at a fair market price or trade for something of
same value. If interested please respond via E-mail and not
this message base, beacuse I do not get here but about two
times a month. I live in West Central Florida if you want to stop
and look at the radio ect.
Thank you for you time!
Dave

D.R.Abshire@worldnet.att.net

1133. Wanted 220 Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@netnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199704140206.VAA24538@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 177896

I am in need of a rig to work 220 Base unit or Handi talkie would be ok.
Need power and PL

Mike Hughes
211 Woodland Drive
Lowell, IN 46356

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/ \ Mike Hughes
O/_____\O 211 Woodland Drive
/_____/\ Lowell, IN 46356
(>> (_) <<) (219)696-3637 H (219)696-2436 Office
| _/ | <macmike@netnitco.net>
\ |^| / Preacher for Prairie Street Church of Christ
\|^|/ ETL List Manager to subscribe Write:
|^| ETL-request@genesis.acu.edu
|_| Looking for a Place to Preach Write:
ETL-churchlook@genesis.acu.edu

1134. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: prvalko@oakland.edu
Message-ID: <5is73d$tv2$1@news2.acs.oakland.edu>
Source record: 177897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In rec.radio.swap Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card> wrote:

: If you want to pat a company on the back, look to Ten Tech or AES. They
: are two of the most straight-forward companies around and they deserve a
: pat on the back.

: You guys know by now that I am a master at fault-finding and criticism,

Sorry Master... but that's Ten Tec.

Glass houses... you know?

73 =paul=

1135. Re: Motorola Syntor X - how to reporgram it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: poseidon@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <3351a224.5152003@news.ziplink.net>
Source record: 177898

On Tue, 08 Apr 1997 17:49:24 -0700, Andy Brinkley <brinkley@ols.net>
wrote:

>The SYNTOR X requires a Motorola R-1801 suitcase programmer to be
>reprogrammed.
>
>If you have the newer EEPROM memory module, I can program it for $20.00
>plus shipping.

Hi,
I forgot to tell you that this radio is a kind of a clone of the
original Motorola. I think it is a M400 Radius or something. Do you
think it would conntinue to work?

There is a software with the radio that allows you to manipulate
different settings of the radio. Will the software work after you
reprogram it?

thank you for any answer
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| Benedict P. Barszcz amatuer radio callsign: kb2qzv |
| poseidon@ziplink.net linux fan |
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1136. Repeater for satellite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Irvin <irvind@seds.lpl.arizona.edu>
Message-ID: <5isabfcmm1@news.ccit.arizona.edu>
Source record: 177899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone know a company that sells mil grade 2m repeater? I'm part of a amateur satellite project that's trying to get started and I want to put a mode A voice repeater on it. I have the downconverter, just need the repeater. Something that can stand extreme temps and its power can be computer controlled with a minimum of .75 watts would be great. E-mail me directly if you have any input.

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| Irvin
| UASEDS/UAARC
| Phone: 520.695.0676
| CallSign: KC7VDD
| E-mail: irvind@seds.org
| URL: www.seds.org/~irvind
|
| "There is no off position
| on the genius switch."
| - David Letterman

1137. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony C. Cash" <tonycash@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3351B321.7D6B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177900
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Ted wrote:
>
> ---------- Reposted message ----------
> Original Date: Wed, 9 Apr 1997 00:51:47 -0700
> From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
> Newgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: HRO's catalog of LIES!
>
> [1]-----------------------------------------------------+
> | My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
> | is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
> | To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
> | My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
> | When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
> | not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
> +-----------------------------------------------------+
>
> On Mon, 7 Apr 1997, Clint Bradford wrote:
>
> > >>"You baught it now you are stuck with it."
> > >
> > > Absolute rubbish, of course. My local HRO would gladly exchange the unit
> > > for a new one with no hassles whatsoever.
> > >
> > > Don't lay your prejudices on us...we know better.
>
> How about your prejudice in favor of HRO? Here's a news flash for ya...
>
> Did you know that HRO LIES to hams in their catalog about many factory
> suggested retail prices?
>
> 2 Cases in point:
>
> Standard's C156A and C228A HT's.
>
> HRO lied about them in their latest catalog by saying the price HRO asks
> is HRO's own special discount price and that the factory suggested price
> is much higher, when in fact, HRO's "discount price" IS the factory's
> suggested retail price!
>
> HRO Says...
>
> Model Suggested HRO Price
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>
> C156A $289.95 $199.95
> C228A $695.95 $579.95
>
> Standard Says...
>
> Model Suggested
>
> C156A $199.95
> C228A $579.95
>
> This is the case on many many items in HRO's catalog.
>
> Bottom line: HRO is lying and probably has been for years!
>
> I thought Jun's was a rip-off... then I went thru HRO's catalog and saw
> HRO wrote the book on rip-offs! It wasn't hard to bust them in their lie
> because all the manufacturers are now on the internet.
>
> If you want to pat a company on the back, look to Ten Tech or AES. They
> are two of the most straight-forward companies around and they deserve a
> pat on the back.

snip

You had better take another look at your AES catalog. They also have the
list
prices as:

C156A $289.00 same as HRO
C228A $695.00 same as HRO

Selling prices:
C156A $199.95 same as HRO
C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO

1138. Re: Icom IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5iscbc$p26$2@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 177901

I'm sorry to hear Bob has been in the hospital this week, however, I signed up long before that (at least a week or two, the day he offered it). Anyway, no biggie. 73, Mike... WQ0N

In article <E8JHz4.Inr@mv.mv.com>, rlubash@poco.mv.com.nospam (Richard Lubash) wrote:
>Bob Nagy the reflector maintainer is in the hospital this week and will
>not be able to process these requests till next week.

1139. HTX 404

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cstimson@hookup.net
Message-ID: <5isb20ktt1@loki.tor.hookup.net>
Source record: 177902

Greetings,

I would be interested in hearing from any HTX404 owners regarding
your experiences with power output at different input voltages.

At voltages > 12 volts the power output should be a "nominal 5 watts"
I measured 3 watts at 12.6 V from a Gell cell.

The alkaline pack @ 9 volts should output 2.5 watts. I measured 1
watt. The batteries are fresh too.

I just purchased the unit for a good price (almost 50% off) using a
coupon supplied by the The Canadian Amateur. The Ni-Cad is still
charging but I don't expect the output to be at spec. either. The
manual does state the specs are nominal and individual units
performance may vary but this seems a little off. Maybe I got a dud??

Comments Welcome

73 Craig

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+ Craig Stimson +
+ E-mail: cstimson@hookup.net +
+ AX.25 : VA3DCS@VE3ZRD.#SCON.ON.CA.NA +
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1140. YAESU FT-51R FOR SALE.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbaldwin@inconnect.com
Message-ID: <860986613.8369@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177903

Yaesu FT-51R for sale with protective case.
worlds most advanced dual band radio.
Includes Comet SH-55 dual band high gain antenna and
Yaesu E-DC-12 mobile adapter.
All equipment in new condition (3 months old).

Must sell now. asking only $425, obo.

lowest retail for all of this is $530
What a deal!

Contact Jason Baldwin via e-Mail
jbaldwin@inconnect.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1141. Software mod for FT-51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Moore <RMoore@Rippers.com>
Message-ID: <01bc48a6$eda33b40$a11b31cf@Hannibal.Rippers.com>
Source record: 177904

Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net> wrote in article
<334F0C95.7FEB@bmi.net>...

> Where could I find the isntructions for the MARS/CAP mod via ADMS? I
> have seen the Freemod using a hex editor, however I haven't seen the one
> for the MARS/CAP.

>The software mod does both (Freeband Rx and Tx). One stop shopping.

> --
>Mark Grandstaff KF7JA mgrand@bmi.net

Is there a similar software mod for the FT-51?

1142. wanted: Yeasu FT 101-E freq. counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dan1508@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970414081801.EAA29665@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177905

I am looking for a constant read freq. counter capable of the coverage the radio is capable of. please e-mail any info to DAN 1508@AOL.COM or Wkisser@AOL.COM

1143. FS: Yaesu FT-747GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <335eb7a3.59713516@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 177906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi All,

I have a Yaesu FT-747GX to sell. Covers .5-30 mz. Its "as new" in the box not a single mark on it. I have decided on a DX-70 or IC-706. I would like to get $500.

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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
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1144. First Transistor Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5is8fd$f5p@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 177907

What was the first 100% soild state transistor radio?

1145. Re: Yaesu FT-50 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <3351b9d4.953607@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 177908

The MARS/CAP mod is available at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50
(previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)

Ozcar Cortez <coredump@euphoria.vt.com> wrote:

>Mark Grandstaff wrote:
>>
>> The MARS /CAP mod (remove solder jumper)enables expanded transmit from
>> 120-232 & 313-507. The Freeband hardware mod (remove resister) allowes
>> you to switch to any of several band plans storred in ROM. One of these
>> is the HAM bands only set up (mine came this way out of the box) another
>> is Freeband. With the resister removed you can switch to these bands by
>> a combination of key strokes/power up.
>>
>> There is a Software only mod that allows both the MARS/CAP TX
>> frequencies and the Freeband mod. It involves modifying a file created
>> with the ADMS software with a hex editor. This takes about 60 seconds
>> and doesn't necessate opening your radio and voiding the warranty. The
>> result is the same with either approach except that with the software
>> only mode you can not switch band plans with key strokes. You must
>> modify a file and upload it to the radio.
>>
>
>Where could I find the isntructions for the MARS/CAP mod via ADMS? I
>have seen the Freemod using a hex editor, however I haven't seen the one
>for the MARS/CAP.

1146. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <3351ba2d.1042421@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 177909

There are many articles regarding the not-so-wide wide band receive on
the FT50 at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50
(previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)

>bnb@atl.mindspring.com wrote:
>>
>> An ad I just saw says "... FM narrow and Wide for broadcast
>> listening." Anyone verify that this is true? I'm not expecting high
>> fidelity, just listenable FM broadcast.
>>
>> Thanks, Bob, AB4G
>
>
>Have the radio and love it
>and yeah you can recieve wbfm. However the radio
>is Japanese and it loses something in the tranlation.
>It should state if you wish to listen to wide band fm
>through the potato out the window and buy a tv of fm radio.
>It plain sucks on wbfm.
>Doug

1147. FT1000MP clicks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terence Hadley <terry@rydal.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <5DIZGAAV5gUzEwyA@rydal.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177910

I have recently purchased a Yaesu FT1000MP and have been very happy with it so far. However, while tuning round on a very quiet band the other night I heard a very definate click in the speaker while tuning between particular frequency steps. You do not notice the click if signals are present, the signal seems to mask the click. The clicks must be generated quite late in the receiver because they are still audible (and indeed emphasised) with the RF gain at minimum.

On investigating the frequencies concerned I found that the clicks occur at regular intervals. I thought at first that they were sub-multiples of the second IF of 8.25MHz because they are roughly 82KHz apart. The actual spacing between clicks turned out to be 81.92KHz so this does not tally exactly with the IF frequency.

Some spot frequencies to try are between 14.008.31 and 14.008.32, between 14.090.23 and 14.090.24 and between 14.172.15 and 14.172.16.

The clicks are not really a problem as they are not even noticable when signals are present but I would be very interested to find out more about them. Does anyone else with an FT1000MP get the same effect? Is it something that is already known about? Is it a result of the particular configuration of my rigs menus? if so what do I do to rectify the problem.

Any and all comments welcome.

73s all

Terry G4NNO
--
Terence Hadley

1148. Re: Repeater for satellite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rob@pe1chl
Message-ID: <E8MG92.3Jv@pe1chl>
Source record: 177911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In <5isabfcmm1@news.ccit.arizona.edu> Dana Irvin <irvind@seds.lpl.arizona.edu> writes:

>Anyone know a company that sells mil grade 2m repeater? I'm part of a
>amateur satellite project that's trying to get started and I want to put a
>mode A voice repeater on it. I have the downconverter, just need the
>repeater. Something that can stand extreme temps and its power can be
>computer controlled with a minimum of .75 watts would be great. E-mail me
>directly if you have any input.

Do you *really* want to make a transponder by connecting a downconverter
to an in-band repeater??
I would advise you to read a bit on theory of transmitters and receivers,
and preferably transponders.

Rob
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+----------------------------------+--------------------------------------+
| Rob Janssen pe1chl@amsat.org | WWWhome: http://www.pe1chl.demon.nl/ |
| AMPRnet: rob@pe1chl.ampr.org | AX.25 BBS: PE1CHL@PI8WNO.#UTR.NLD.EU |
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1149. Re: Mods for PRESIDENT LINCOLN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970414044351.11379J-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177912

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[1]------------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
+------------------------------------------------------+
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That is a CB radio, not a ham radio. And that model is illegal to own in the USA, even for hams.

And yes, I know that you are in Spain.

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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[2]------------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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[4]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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|
[5]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
+------------------------------------------------------+
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On Sat, 12 Apr 1997, Igor wrote:

> Please, I like mods for my PRESIDENT LINCOLN.
>
> Sorry for my little english.
>
> Bye
>
>
>
> 73'
>
>

1150. Re: IS THERE A WEB PAGE FOR YEASU? PLEASE HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk5dr@io.com
Message-ID: <5iuhuf$a93$1@nntp-3.io.com>
Source record: 177726

> webmaster@bro.net writes:
> Visit the web's most comprehensive Amateur Vendor Directory:
>
> http://bro.net/explorer/vendor.html
>
>>>>
http://www.yaesu.com

1151. WTB: Manual for Info-Tech CW keyboard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekugrad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5iukbj$iic@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177727

Picked up an old circa 1980 Info-Tech CW keyboard at a hamfest
yesterday, and need a manual for it. A copy will be fine.

Thanks
David
KA4IKH

1152. Re: N1KDO repeater controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchandle@flash.net
Message-ID: <3352da5a.713349377@news.flash.net>
Source record: 177728

Built in a single evening. Works great!!! Highly recommended.

Jim, N0VH

"N3WUU" <steves@clark.net> wrote:

>Anybody build or buy complete the N1KDO repeater controller? This project
>was published in the 2/97 QST pg. 37. Also published at
>http://www.mindspring.com/~otterson/nhrc2/ .
>
>Would like to hear whatever operational experience you have with this
>controller. Based on opinions, it might get used in a Micor UHF project.
>
>TIA
>^^
>73 de N3WUU
>steves@clark.net

1153. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck <clw@ici.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4942$72a95360$5121a1cd@clw>
Source record: 177729

This is only a test

1154. FS: Timewave DSP-59+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Rooney <drooney@dialnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4945$80c07980$abfa41ce@danr>
Source record: 177730

Mint DSP-59+ 3.0 with original box/manual $169 shipped
or trade for large ide hard drive. Tnx es 73 de Dan KG0AQ

1155. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3352DC51.2A18@wco.com>
Source record: 177731

Lawrence G. Dobranski wrote:
>
> I have no experience with the TMV7A but I am quite happy with my 733A.
> I have it remote mounted in the trunk with the control head on the dash
> in my Ford Taurus. Performance is good, my only complaints are that the
> 2 metre front end is quite wide open and intermode can be a problem, and
> if you are not carefull with button pushs you can put the radio in a
> mode that will require the manual to rescue.

Make sure that the AIP is on, it seems to help with a minor loss in sensitivity. It even clips most of the crud in the SF Bay Area! What it doesn't get, the PL decoder does (though the entire Kenwood like could have a more sensitive PL DEcoder).

> I have not tried the 9600 baud packet port.

I tried it for a few days last year, the TNC didn't get enough audio to decode, but it sent data quite well.

> I have had it install as a mobile since the fall of 1994 with **no**
> problems, including starting up cold in the Canadian winter at -30C. I
> would not hesitate to recommend one.

After a few years of service in my shack, one of my 732's lost a power module, on one band only. I have other older Kenwoods that are still plugging away, daily use too.

Rick

1156. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3352DD2B.228F@wco.com>
Source record: 177732

Andy Moss wrote:
>
> Rick Bates wrote:
>
> > moved away from the power button (ARG!!!) I find that the 733 has a
> > better receiver than the TM-V7a.
>
> "Better" RX is kinda subjective really. As a rule of thumb, the more
> sensitive, the less selective an RXvr will be.

True. What I should have said in this case is that the creeping crud
from pagers etc. wipe out the front end easier in the V7 than the 733.
And in the V7, it even manages to slip past the PL decoder.

> I have three friends that have had a legacy of problems with Kenwood
> gear. It's basically cheap communications IMO.

And I on the other hand have several pieces of Kenwood and have less
trouble with them than the Icoms I used to use (only one left and I keep
it because a new VHF multimode radio is very costly)

Rick

1157. IC-756 ANOTHER DOT CHOPPER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <3352DC08.3CF9@iglou.com>
Source record: 177733

The May issue of QST has an excellent review of the IC-756. However, Icom has produced yet another DOT CHOPPER. The article downplays the flaw by saying it's of less importance but to a cw buff, it's very important. The keying waveform shows the first dit to be totally mangled and the rest to be chopped by about 50%. The internal keyer adjustments have insufficient range to compensate for the chopping.

Yes,some these new $3000 rigs have nice sounding receivers but don't produce any better cw on transmitt than a 40 year old HeathKit DX-20. Why is it so difficult?

N4LQ Steve

1158. WTB: Motorol channel element

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4949$f36739c0$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>
Source record: 177734
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.swap

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Need a Micor UHF channel element KXN1052A

Email me with particulars.

Thanks
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
73 de N3WUU
steves@clark.net
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1159. Re: Question on the TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3352E6E7.5620@wco.com>
Source record: 177735

Steve Hancock wrote:
>
> Looking to get the TM-V7A. Can the unit act has a repeater/cross-band
> repeater for my handheld? Didn't see anything on the homepage about
> this feature.

Yes, it is possible to do that. Works fine too.

Be warned that it does NOT have a Mute function like earlier models nor does it have a clone feature (at least as far as anyone can find, but there is a company that is working on a computer interface for cloning or programming).

> Also whats the different between the TM-V7A and the TM-V7A/E?

The A is for US delivery, the E is for European delivery. The bands are slightly different in each place and the PL/burst tones are too.

Rick

1160. FS Kenwood 732A Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970415031500.XAA05845@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177736

Dual band, 50 watts, averages about 50 memories total depending upon config. Very clean, dtmf mic. Out of band mod done. $350.

Bob

1161. FS Alinco DJ580T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: summitrt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970415031301.XAA05645@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177737

For sale Alinco DJ580T dual band portable. With accessories. I don't know anything about it, just posting for someone else. The guy is asking $275. Says the radio is in mint condition. Please call him directly, David at 914-778-1659 anytime. Please do not email me about this radio. Thanks.

1162. Re: Gel Cell Charging??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc494f$a27ee340$8eaf32cf@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 177738

Mark Grandstaff <mgrand@bmi.net> wrote in article
<334FCC8C.2BE9@bmi.net>...
> Can any one give advise on the proper charging of Gel cells? I have a
> 12v gel cell (wheelchair battery) that I use to power radios & GPS on a
> sail boat. Is it best to keep them up or let them deep cycle?

Never, NEVER let a gel-cel "deep-cycle"! They're not designed for it! If you're really concerned about their health, keep a trickle charger on them. I have one that runs a Uninterruptible Power Supply for my BBS, it sits at 13.84 vdc when it's fully charged and ready to work.

As I understand the construction of most gel-cel's, they are similar to automotive batteries in that they can produce a healthy burst of power for a short time, but they are not so great at producing a small amount of power for a long time. They'll do it, for a few times, but if you constantly deep-cycle a gel-cel, you'll come close to ruining it in a few weeks. The gel-cel I just mentioned, it's a 1991 battery, 26 AH, still works when needed... :-)

Ray

1163. Re: Icom IC22S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <335300df.1647563@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 177739

On Sun, 13 Apr 1997 11:34:53 -0700, "David M. Nance"
<dmnance@roanoke.infi.net> wrote:

>I have an Icom IC-22s which I bought new, used very little and then put
>away for 20 years. This unit was one of the first, relatively
>inexpensive synthesized 2-meter rigs back in the mid-70's. Trouble is
>you can only "program" 22 channels by soldering in the diodes on a
>circuit board in a binary code arrangement for each channel desired.
>
>My question: I understand someone either manufactured or published plans
>for an accessory to make this unit fully synthesized. Does anyone have
>any information on this. This unit is like new and I would now like to
>get some more use out of it?
>
>Dave - WB4SSE
What you need to do is find all the " 73 " magazines from the period
of 1975 to 1989 you can dig up. I'll bet there over 100 articles
telling how to better program the 22S. There were guys building diode
matrix programmers in left over shoes.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

1164. Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5iv04uopk1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 177740

Hello Folks:
Anyone check out the new Yaesu FT-920. Continuously adjustable HI/LO/Band Pass filtering (DSP), 6 meters, etc. etc. etc. Looks great, street price under 1800.00 . I was considering the IC756, but after seeing this baby, I don't think so. The DSP offers much more, and its about $500.00 less. Hate to say it, but time to switch from Kenwood to Yaesu (again).

73 all, Mike - WQ0N

1165. Opinions on Commander 200 High Drive Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: lblockhart@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970415042601.AAA11539@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177741

Question:

Will this amp work mobile on 10 thru 160 HF? Any one with experience with it? Comments will be appreciated.

Thanks
L. B. Lockhart KC5NVY Houston, Tx. USA
Northwest Amatuer Radio Society 146.660 (-)
OMIK - Electronic Communications Association, Inc.
ARRL

1166. rib boxes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Duggan <17453@ican.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc4952$9626c380$fcb0f8ce@17453.ican.net>
Source record: 177742

Looking for rib boxes for motorola Radius Radio and other motorola
radios..
Cables and software to go with it..

E-mail me 17453@ican.ca

http://home.ican.net/~17453

1167. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrt@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <3352fc1f.14865012@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 177743

GUXL80A@prodigy.com (Patrick Morley) wrote:

>and also- cats can stink up a house pretty fast-worse than just about any
>dog!!!!
>
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As a longtime cat lover, I can't let this pass..... Un-neutered male
cats will indeed "spray" to mark their territory, but if they're
neutered before they are mature, they won't. Best of all, get a
neutered female. I've had several over the years and they are a
nearly perfect pet. And completely odorless.

Ok, back to radio stuff.

73, Bill W7TI
wrt@eskimo.com

1168. Ear Piece Special

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Medine <bumper09@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4937$3c3582a0$783e5dcf@bumper09.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177744

Please contact me for information on Tactical Ear Pieces.... These devices
are compatible with most protable radios/scanners.

INCLUDED:
1) Sized ear-piece
2) Clear/coiled audio tubing
3) transducer
4) Audio Cable and plug

Visit my internet site:

www2.netcom.com/~bumper09/small.html

Please email me if you would like product information mailed to you.

Kind Regards,
Don Medine
TAC-COM Communications

1169. Re: Heathkit Weather Stations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <335313CB.7C40@icss.net>
Source record: 177745

NuView wrote:
>
> Still looking for enough Heath Weather Stations, so as to build one
> that works!!
> If you have such please Email me!!
> Thanks,
> Bill
> KC4PE
> kc4pe@mindspring.com
Bill, we built a bunch of them in Korea to put at the army radar sites in the DMZ. The radar ops were a lot better at reading the parameters from the super deluxe Heath read-outs than manually computing coded "observations." Good luck in your search. Brian

1170. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33530E3E.6B4E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I just got a nasty letGJUDD wrote:
>
> A>
>
> > snip
> >
> > You had better take another look at your AES catalog. They also have the
> > list
> > prices as:
> >
> > C156A $289.00 same as HRO
> > C228A $695.00 same as HRO
> >
> > Selling prices:
> > C156A $199.95 same as HRO
> > C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO
> Now you're trying to confuse him with facts, aren't you? He can't relate
> to facts very well, apparently.
04/14/97 I JUST GOT A NASTY LETTER FROM BOB FERRARO,OWNER OF HRO CHAIN.
I JUST WANT TO CLEAR THE AIR. I RESPONDED TO THIS THREAD BY SAYING:
"WE HAMS SHOULD BUY FROM MANY OF THE SMALLER GUYS WHO ADVERTISE A LOW
PRICE WITH GUARANTEES. DO NOT GO TO HRO TO GET THEM TO MATCH THE PRICE.
GO TO THE DEALER WHO WAS HAPPY TO SELL IT TO YOU FOR THE LOW PRICE IN
THE FIRST PLACE. IF ALL THE SMALL DEALERS KEEP GOING OUT OF BUSINESS
THE THERE WILL ONLY BE A COUPLE OF GIANT DEALERS WHO CAN FIX THE PRICES.
WE HAMS WILL BE POWERLESS AND WILL BE FORCED TO PAY."
I DID NOT SAY HRO ADVERTISES FALSE PRICES ETC. BOB FERRARO, PLEASE
READ THE NEWSGROUPS MORE CAREFULLY BEFORE ACCUSING PEOPLE OF THINGS
THEY DID NOT SAY. 73'S , HERSHMAN

1171. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33530C8D.1738@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177747

Ten Dale R. Parfitt wrote:
>
> Brian W. Haren wrote:
> >
> > Two days ago I called Ten Tec to order on of their SWR/Wattmeter kits.
> > The guy on the other end of the phone explained that they were on back
> > order and would not be available again for two weeks. He said that if I
> > wanted he would take my order and ship one to me as soon as it was
> > available, or I could simply wait and call them back in a few weeks. I
> > figured I had nothing to lose by ordering one and waiting.
> >
> > Fifteen minutes ago the UPS guy rings my doorbell and hands me a package
> > from Ten Tec with my kit in it!
> >
> > Damn, now instead of mowing the lawn I'll have to spend Saturday putting
> > this thing together and trying it out. Thanks Ten Tec, for screwing up
> > my weekend! ;-)
> >
> > Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as
> > scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?
> >
> > They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in
> > business.
> >
> > Brian
> > KC5YNPHi Brian,
>
> Ten Tec's problem is that most amateurs today do not know how to
> evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
> blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
> the color of the cabinet. If they did know how to evaluate a rig,
> they're would be far fewer off shore boxes adorning hamshacks and a lot
> more T-T.
>
> Dale
> W4OP
TEN TEC is pretty pricey for what you get compaired to the Rice Boxes.
I feel that is the sole reason for the success of Yaesu, Kenwood, Icom.

1172. Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Ayres-Sevier <casevier@ka7syc.reno.nv.us>
Message-ID: <01bc495f$d8bb3700$efa25ecc@KA7SYC.reno.nv.us>
Source record: 177748

Hi, all:

Recently finding myself sans HT, and sensibly trying (and failing miserably) to go without after, oh, 13 years of that constant capability, I reluctantly availed myself of my RShack credit card and impulse-bought the HTX-204 about a week ago.

I am no fan of RShack. I don't know anyone who is. In my eyes, the only product of substance that they ever marketed was the PRO-2006. After that, pretty cheesey. Thus I made the purchase with considerable trepidation, meekly going to my fate. "Must... have... HT. Can't... live.. without."

Well, after a week's use and seeing a few of the posts in this regard, I thought I'd contribute my conclusion: the HTX-204 is a bi-polar marriage of economics and technology.

Like others who have posted on this subject, I, too, would say it's a good radio. I wouldn't go so far as "pretty good," though, mainly because the casing design is fairly outdated (can we forever ban those War of the Worlds control knobs?).

The keypad, though, is a perfect size, but still there's no reason why the rest of the radio has to be the size this radio is.

Plus, it's overpriced. I learned after I bought it that it is essentially the same radio sold by ADI for about >a hundred bucks less<. Only difference I can tell is the nameplate, and frankly, I would have preferred having to look at ADI's unobtrusive logo rather than "Radio Shack" (what a name) every time I pick up my HT.

And, yes, I got the usual song-and-dance from the store. "This is very important: Can I get a 5-watt battery for this?" "Yes." Guess what. They do indeed mention it in the manual, but a week later, per the same store -- even the same individual -- there's no such thing. Dead pause for about a minute of serious eye contact. "Uh -- I mean, 'yet.' " Uh-huh. Duly noted, pal.

But I should also note that these are my only complaints about the radio; mostly personal habit and prejudice. The actual operation of the thing is an intuitive breeze, even though it's fairly full-featured.

Both programming and operation are very straight-forward. This I could not say about my "real" dual-band, a Kenwood TH-78A which sported superb ergonomics, bells, whistles and marmalade -- but the manual was never far away, plus soldering on eensy-weensey boards [and voiding of the warranty] was required to receive non-amateur public safety.

But, my friends, getting out on 5 watts was a given. Too bad all RShack's offered is a pretty iffy 2-watt power source. Add the poor antenna to a situation where you need 5 watts, and you have a $400 paperweight.

Yet while we're in the out-of-the-box dept., it is here that the radio betrays its benevolent (what I like to call its "less evil") side: ready-to-go extended receive. I don't think any other HT on the market covers this much receive spectrum, including the Yaesu FT-50R.

And the display is literally state-of-the-art: the dot matrix can be easily read from any angle and the illumination is significant. I think (and again I could be wrong, but it's my impression so far) that the only other "real" amateur radio manufacturer presently using dot-matrix is Kenwood with their latest (but still frequency-anemic) offerings.

So. The HTX-204? Not a "bad" radio. Just underpowered, overpriced, unsupported and, if this is a detriment to some, >very< Radio Shack-looking (but it features nicely extended receive with a crisp display).

And cringe though I might at the mentality that would fail to rethink "shack" as a desirable word association for one's products, I can live with packing it on my belt whenever I leave the house -- "whenever" being poignantly defined as being up until the moment that someone answers my ad in the paper and buys it, whereupon I shall be applying the funds toward a radio more to my liking (OK, less Radio Shack-looking), but more importantly, manufactured by a company that has a better commitment to support and options >already< in place. What a concept.

Sure, I knew the RShack rep going in. But call me an eternal optimist of the "surely they must have gotten better by NOW" variety. And it was after all my irrational need to always have an HT close at hand that was no match for my nonexistent will power (damned credit cards); thus it was a lesson brimming with reckless enlightenment (and happy for it).

I would suggest that they change their slogan, however, to "You've got questions? We don't know."

Thoughts anyone? Be nice now.. ;)

Craig Ayres-Sevier, KA7SYC
casevier@ka7syc.reno.nv.us

1173. FT-33R ANTENNA & 7.2V BATT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Cook <ke6nvw@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <33532B1F.781F@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 177749

Fellow hams;

I recently had the misfortune of having my FT33R (220 HT) forcibly removed from my car. They however didn't get the rubber duck and one new 7.2v periphex battery that I have for it. If you need it then let me know.

You pay shipping and it's yours.
If you send me private e-mail with your phone # then I'll call and make arrangements. You can call me @ work too, 209 323 9501
Rob, KE6NVW (ke6nvw@sprintmail.com)

1174. FS: Precision Metal Carbide Drill Bits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Long N. Phan" <longphan@mit.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc493c$f91a3140$2600e212@aerial>
Source record: 177750

For Sale. This is the last box!!!!!

One case of 50 Drill Bits
Fine Grain Precision Metal Carbide Bits #57
Perfect for P.C. Boarding electronic components.
This is the good for those of you who prototype a lot.
Normally, they sell for a couple dollars each!!!
I will sell it for $20 plus $3 for s & h.

#57 Bits are approximately 1mm +- .2 mm
They are the right size for fitting IC chips, sockets, resistors, and
capacitors.
For any questions, please reply to:

Long N. Phan
longphan@mit.edu

1175. FS: Precision Metal Carbide Drill Bits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Long N. Phan" <longphan@mit.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc493c$a5c1acd0$2600e212@aerial>
Source record: 177751

For Sale. This is the last box!!!!!

One case of 50 Drill Bits
Fine Grain Precision Metal Carbide Bits #57
Perfect for P.C. Boarding electronic components.
This is the good for those of you who prototype a lot.
Normally, they sell for a couple dollars each!!!
I will sell it for $20 plus $3 for s & h.

#57 Bits are approximately 1mm +- .2 mm
They are the right size for fitting IC chips, sockets, resistors, and
capacitors.
For any questions, please reply to:

Long N. Phan
longphan@mit.edu

1176. Re: Strange 8-pin DIN for Yaesu FT-1000MP ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: waldemar@zedat.fu-berlin.de
Message-ID: <3353493c.7935169@news.fu-berlin.de>
Source record: 177752

>> Is this connector special? Are there two different standards for
>> 8-pin DIN connectors? Are these strange connectors available
>> somewhere?
>>
>> - Tom, N5EG

Yes sir, there are two different 8-pin round connectors normed in
German Institute for Norming (aka DIN):

DIN 41524 ("horse shoe-like form od 7 pins, 1 in middle)
DIN 45326 (7 pins "well placed" on a circle, 1 in the middle)

prizing: from 2.18 DM (+ tax) each (standard plastic) to about 20DM
(full metal AMP, 90deg. edge)

1$=1.70DM

Waldek, DL7ANQ && SO6ANQ

PS
nice to have at least one stupid connector cheaper than in USA, :-))))

WK

1177. HTX-100 manual and mic pin out needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko4qc <ko4qc@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33534F52.4766@concentric.net>
Source record: 177753
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.dx

If you can help me obtain one or both of the above,I will gladly
reimburse any copy,postage etc expenses.
TNX
Joel KO4QC

1178. FS: CSI CS900 Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-1504970653110001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 177754

I have a brand new CS900 telephone/radio interconnect, this has never been powered on, decided not to install 300.00 shipped lower 48

1179. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861099718snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3352A7C2.980@usaor.net> freq@usaor.net writes:

> Burt Fisher wrote:

> > antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has
> > decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
> > necessity.

> It would have nice if you listed the frequencies re the above info.

Serves the public necessity? This stuff must be straight from the
pen of someone who teaches illiteracy in the public education system.

Jim, you must be very new around here to take anything written by
Fisher as more than just drivel from a sad person who is desperate
for attention. Get a newsreader with killfile for a better signal to
noise ratio and for happy enjoyment of these newsgroups.

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1180. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bboone@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5iumsd$3gu@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

freq@usaor.net wrote:
: Burt Fisher wrote:
: >
: > FCC Expected to Unveil Plans For Two Airwave Auctions
: >
: > WASHINGTON -- Federal regulators are expected this week
: > to set plans for two long-awaited auctions of valuable airwaves,
: > including one for an emerging wireless technology that could bring new
: > competition to the local-telephone and cable-television businesses.
: >
: > Wireless operators, long-distance phone companies, electric
: > utilities and telecommunications entrepreneurs are eager to bid for
: > licenses to use huge chunks of the amateur radio spectrum to transmit
: > voices, pictures and data.
: > decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
: > necessity.
: > <stuff deleted>
: > #================#===#
: > | Burt Fisher | Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics |
: > | Amateur call | South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod) |
: > | K1OIK | http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169 |
: > #================#===#
: > |Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
: > #===#

: Bert,

: It would have nice if you listed the frequencies re the above info.

: Jim, N3BRS

It would also be nice if he listed the SOURCE. Nice troll Bert, but no one
has taken the bait :)

1181. FS: Icom IC-740

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970415121000.IAA29555@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177757

I have an Icom IC-740 HF transceiver for sale. It has every possible
option
installed including crystal filters. It puts out 100 watts CW, SSB,
RTTY/Amtor and FM on all HF bands 160-10 metres. Included in the radio are
the following accessories: PS-35 internal power supply, EX-241 marker
unit, EX-242 FM unit, EX-243 electronic keyer, FL-44 2.4khz SSB filter,
FL-45 500hz CW filter (9mhz), FL-52 500hz CW filter (455khz). This radio
has an excellent receiver comparable to the Icom IC-761. It has IF shift,
passband tuning, and a notch filter. Check out these specs; minimum signal
-133db, blocking dynamic range 130db, 2 tone 3rd order IMD dynamic range
95 db and a 3rd order intercept of +9.5 db. Some other features of the rig
are; overload proof receiver, dual vfo's, transverter ready. Also included
with the rig are; hand mic with Heil element, AC and DC power cables,
service manual, user manual, reviews and accessory plug. This radio makes
a great base or portable rig perfect for Field Day as it runs off both AC
and DC WITHOUT and external power supply. I am the original owner and a
non-smoker. I am asking $675.00 for all of the above which includes
shipping. If you live near Detroit and would like to pick it up I
will include a nice hard case for the radio. I will also deliver it within
50 miles of
Detroit.

73 Zack Schindler, N8FNR, 413 Vester, Ferndale, MI 48220-1955
Phone 810-541-1740
Internet zaax@aol.com

1182. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861105746snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <33530E3E.6B4E@ix.netcom.com>
hershman@ix.netcom.com "hershman" writes:

> 04/14/97 I JUST GOT A NASTY LETTER FROM BOB FERRARO,OWNER OF HRO CHAIN.

> I DID NOT SAY HRO ADVERTISES FALSE PRICES ETC. BOB FERRARO, PLEASE
> READ THE NEWSGROUPS MORE CAREFULLY BEFORE ACCUSING PEOPLE OF THINGS
> THEY DID NOT SAY. 73'S , HERSHMAN

Well this is precisely what your wrote:

In article <334B822D.766C@ix.netcom.com>
hershman@ix.netcom.com "hershman" writes:

> I just checked out Ted's comments in the HRO catalogue and he is
> abolutely true. HRO JACKS up the "LIST PRICE" and charges more than
> the other guys for the same thing.

If a claim of jacking up the list price isn't an accusation of false
advertising then your language and English have separated farther
than I had realised.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1183. Professional and Affordable Web Design and Hosting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kris Thompson <thomp132@expressionsmedia.com>
Message-ID: <5ivqj9$9h8$6824@msunews.cl.msu.edu>
Source record: 177759

Welcome to Expressions Multimedia...

We would like to extend an invitation to visit us at http://www.expressionsmedia.com.

We specialize in providing professional yet inexpensive web page designs and web site hosting.

Please be forwarned, many of our sites include ActiveX and Java and are optimized for Internet
Explorer 3.0, so they many not look right in some browsers.

Also, check out our newest site for the Blue Cardinal Motorsport racing team, they can be found
at http://www.expressionsmedia.com/bluecard.

I would like to thank you for your time,

Kris Thompson
thomp132@expressionsmedia.com

1184. SP6T RF Switch Giveaway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: keng@techlock.com
Message-ID: <335376d6.1484385@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 177760

This month's Free giveaway is two SP6T DC-18 RLC switches
with indicators and SMA connectors.

Stop by our Web page to enter the giveaway. There are NO strings
attached - we will even ship them to the winners for free.

http://www.techlock.com

Regards,

Ken Gunton WB6QWF Microwave & RF Components
http://www.techlock.com Techlock Distributing
Phone 937-434-5078, Fax 937-434-5079

1185. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970415031043.23854D-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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[1]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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Please note that in spite of the embarrassment that comes with doing so, I have publicly posted this reply to HRO in the above newsgroups to help rectify the confusion of this situation.

On Mon, 14 Apr 1997, clw wrote:

> On April 9, 1997 you posted a message on the
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment newsgroup, with the title of:
> HRO's catalog of LIES.
>
> Normally we do not respond to the opinions of our supportive customers
> or our detractors when they are stating their beliefs pertaining to a
> given product or situation. However, in this case, your statements are
> false, misleading, and libelous.
>
> WHAT IS YOUR AGENDA?

My agenda WAS to expose what I was mislead to perceive as deceit, at no fault of my own,(which I fully explain below).

But NOW my agenda here is to publicly apologize and retract my statements about HRO now that I have found out who was really responsible for the misinformation... namely Standard Radio.

> A.) You stated in your Usenet posting that the factory suggested prices
> are:
>
> "Standard Says.
> Model Suggested
> C156A $199.95
> C228A $579.95 "
>
> FACT:
> Roger Wayman at Standard Amateur Radio Products confirms that the
> Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price (MSRP) for the two radios you
> quoted in your posting are as follows:

> C156A $289.00
> C228A $695.00
> These prices have been valid since July 18, 1996.

But they were NOT on the price list I saw on Standard's webpage! Only the lower price was. And that is how this whole mess ot started. See my further explanation below.

> Where did you obtain your "Standard says" information?

From the misleading price list on Standard's webpage which they have since changed.

> I will grant you the fact that the HRO catalog shows $289.95 and
> $695.95, respectively. Are you upset over 95 cents?
>
> B.) You stated in your posting that "if you want to pat a company on
> the back, look to Ten Tech (sic) or AES. They are two of the most
> straight-forward companies around and they deserve a pat on the back".
>
> FACT:
> I will not make any comments regarding Ten-Tec. Why didn't you look
> in the Winter 96/97 AES catalog, on page 21? They show the following
> regular prices, for the Standard radios, you quoted:
> C156A $289.00
> C228A $695.00

I found this out from a friend who brought it to my attention after seeing my post about HRO. Since I do not have AES's catalog in hardcopy I was not aware of this because their prices on the AES website only list ONE price... which is the MSRP that I've recently learned that Standard has called a "street price", which, technically, is a SECOND MSRP, even if Standard did give it another name. I explain that further below also.

> C.) You also stated, in part, "...they are so big that they can afford
> to be straight with us but I guess maybe greed has blinded them to the
> fact that hams are not stupid and we eventually find out when a company
> is full of crap."
>
> FACT:
> HRO tries its best to treat all customers with respect. We try to
> publish information that is accurate. Catalogs are prepared in advance
> of the published date, with diligence, however, with the fluctuating
> World money markets, prices do change. We encourage our customers to
> call us for pricing. How did you "find out when a company is full of
> crap."? You did not check the Internet, Standard does not post MSRP on
> their Web pages.

Standard's "street price" indeed IS an "MSRP" whether they want to call it that or not. They are a manufacturer. Standard's "street price" is a suggestion from them to retailers of what price to actually sell the radio for. Therefore it is natural to deduce that their "street price"

DOES fit the concept of an "MSRP". Since Standard's pricelist on
their webpage only listed their "street price" without ever
mentioning that there was also a higher "MSRP", THAT is how I was mislead
into thinking that HRO was inventing prices in their catalog. And it
wasn't just me. I am sure that Mr. Hershman and anyone else who came to
the same conclusion are not stupid people either. But one does not have
to be stupid to be mislead and misinformed at no fault of their own.

> You did not contact Standard.

Logging onto their website is contacting them. I shouldn't need to HUNT
any further for the fact that they have TWO prices on their products. The
fact that they ommitted that information constitutes an inaccuracy on
Standard's part, and that is not my fault, although I am sorry about the
results that it caused.

> You did not consult the AES catalog. WHERE DID YOU GET YOUR DEFINITIVE
> INFORMATION?

I consulted their online catalog because I did not have one in hardcopy.
I can not be held responsible for AES failing to make sure that the
information on their website catalog accurately reflected the information
in their hardcopy catalog. I was not the author of the AES website, nor of
Standard's.

> D.) In your April 13, 1997 newsgroup posting, in response to Larry
> Robinson, you said, in part, "Quit defending somethin (sic) that has no
> defense. If they lied then they lied. End of story. Just for the hope
> of curing your ignorance, I'll repost my original message for you to
> read. ... all of their websites can be accessed thru mine." Further, in
> your April 13, 1997 response to WB0NZV, you said, in part, "Am I the
> only consumer who does his "homework' out here? Or are most of you too
> rich to care?"
>
> FACT:
> You did not verify your claims with Standard Amateur Radio Products.

WRONG! I did verify it by looking at the price list on Standards webpage
and on that price list was only ONE price per product and that price was
identical to your "Discount price". It is not my fault if Standard's
webpage was misleading. Standard recently changed this entirely, because
the price list I saw is no longer there. In fact, they seem to have
redone the entire HT section of their website. It is not at all as I
remember it.

> The statement, "All this in a Standard -for under $200 USD!", that you
> see on their web page is not the MSRP for the C156A. WHERE DID YOU GET
> YOUR DEFINITIVE INFORMATION? IN FACT, you did NOT do your homework.
> Once again, you are making false, misleading, and libelous remarks.

I don't care what kind of buzzwords someone invents. IF a manufacturer
suggests a price for a retailer to sell a product at then that IS an MSRP.

I now realize that Standard has TWO different MSRP's, BUT they call the lower of the two a "street price". But notwithstanding, since they the manufacturer suggest that you the retailer sell their product at this "street price" then the "street price" does indeed, by normal logic, fit the definition of a "Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price". Again, at no fault of either your company and at no fault of my own. I now see that the one responsible for this confusion is Standard for having TWO MSRP's and trying to disguise that fact by calling one of them a "street price".

> Your repost on April 13, 1997 reinforces your intent.

My only intent was to expose what appeared to be trickery. However, as I have explained above, the trickery has turned out to be not on the part of HRO and that is wy I am now publicly retracting my error,(which I assure you WAS an honest mistake made with noble intentions),

> E.) Since Mr. Hershman, responding to your inaccurate remarks, also
> made false claims, I will direct the following remarks to him. Mr.
> Hershman said, in part, "I just checked out Ted's comments in the HRO
> catalogue and he is abolutely (sic)true".

> FACT:
> Mr. Hershman did email Roger Wayman, at Standard Amateur Radio
> Products, regarding the MSRP for the C156A. Roger Wayman responded with
> the MSRP of $289.00. . WHERE DID YOU GET YOUR DEFINITIVE INFORMATION?

Too bad Rodger Wayman didn't put that info on Standard's website BEFORE I read it, because if he had, none of this mess would have even occured! And THAT is a FACT!

> You "de facto" lied, you did not publish the MSRP that you received from
> Standard. WHAT IS YOUR AGENDA, MR. HERSHMAN? You are disseminating
> false, misleading, and libelous remarks.
>
> F.) Mr. Hershman states, in part, "If HRO keeps buying up the small
> guys they will be so big that they will charge whatever they want and we
> will be powerless!!!!".
>
> FACT:
> HRO does not solicit to buy out companies. For years companies have
> come to HRO with offers to have us buy them out. In every case their
> decision to go out of business was already made prior to their
> approaching HRO. Nine out of ten times we do not purchase their assets.

It matters not to the comsumer who solicited who. What matters to the consumer is how much it ends up costin US. Ham radio was never intended to be a "rich man's hobby" and all those who have contributed to turning ham radio into a "rich man's hobby" are the most responsible, in my personal opinion, for murdering the "spirit" of ham radio. That opinion is not directed exclusively at HRO or any one company. The manufacturer's are as culpable as any retailers, if not more. It's not uncommon for radios to retail at 3 or 4 times what it costs to mass-produce them! I'm all for free enterprize but when the markup from the cost of making the

rig and the final price gets that huge, we the buyer quite naturally feel like we're being royally screwed. And why shouldn't we? $200-$1000 or more for a damned walkie-talkie??? Some of which have little more features than a $40 CB radio??? Geez guys, GIVE US A BREAK!!! At this rate, it seems it won't be long before only Ross Perot can afford to buy a rig!

> In summary, HRO welcomes constructive criticism. As active hams we
> pride ourselves in serving the Amateur Community, however, we will not
> tolerate false, misleading, nor libelous remarks, regardless of the forum.

> Signed:
> Robert G. Ferrero, President
> Ham Radio Outlet

By the way, I thank you for taking a moment from your busy schedule to respond to this matter personally and for saying it as you meant it. I highly respect a person who says what he means and means what he says, even if you may have been blunt, which is both understandable and respectable and since you have been so straightforward about it I now regard HRO with considerabley more respect than previously and will be sure to let others know that I feel that way.

I was mislead and misinformed and I apologize for the results that came about as a result of it. If you have read my postings in usenet in the past then you know it takes alot for me to say that. I have a lot of pride and am a very headstrong person and yet if I was wrong, that is not something to be proud of so I can and do apologize when I am shown that I was wrong, because when you get right down to it, it's better to be right than to be proud and I am grateful that I've been blessed with enough sense to know that.

I totally retract what I said about HRO's prices and not because I am afraid of being sued,(after all, none of you know who the hell I am), but because it is the right thing to do and because I passionately HATE when I am wrong... it's embarrassing as hell, even when it wasn't my fault. like any falable human being, I am quite capable of putting my OWN foot in my mouth and I didn't expect or want any help from Standard! I resent their having done so.

I must also say that the embarrassment that this has caused me makes me want to never buy a product from Standard Radio again unless I buy it used, because then an individual ham will get my money, not Standard.

Let me say it plainly and clearly:

I was WRONG and I retract what I said about HRO's pricing on Standard's radios and I sincerely apologize to and ask the forgiveness of HRO and all of you who read these newsgroups for posting the same misinformation that was given to me, which I did not know was incorrect at the time. I hope that this apology, explanation and retraction is satisfactory because it's the best I can do and it has caused me undue embarrassment, which I can assure you is NOT something that I take lightly! To be blunt, I am extremely pissed at Standard for this. I feel that Standard owes us

all an apology!

It's bad enough that some of Standard's radios have been deliberately redesigned in a manner that compels the consumers to buy more accessories from Standard in order to make the use of said radios more practical and more comfortable,(the C156A was designed in a way that makes it totally uncomfortable and impractical to use without a speaker/mic and external power source). Such proprietary design is something any normal person would find offensive, because you go in thinging you'll spend $199.95 plus tax, if any, and end up having to spend over $300 to use the blasted thing and even then the power cord won't stay in the radio's jack! I'll be very happy when Uniden comes out with a line of ham rigs again.

But I've said all of this before as have others and the point of this message was not to critique Standard's rigs, but to clear up this confusion with HRO. I hope I have done so and I ask that HRO forgive me for having a very natural human reaction to what info was on Standard's website.

A final comment:

This dual-pricing from the manufacturer seems as if it was designed to confuse people and regretfully, that is just what it has done. If there is one thing this world doesn't need, it is more confusion than it has already... especially since the amateur radio hobby is SUPPOSED to be about COMMUNICATION!

Now if you will all excuse me I have to go wash the taste of foot out of my mouth.

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

[2]--+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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[5]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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1186. Re: DualBanders, Kenwood or Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3352DB35.72EF@wco.com>
Source record: 177762

tnic wrote:
>
> You dont have to use a power on sequence for dual band repeat or locked
> band repeat.
>
> With the mic control on press D C to enable locked repeat. You can turn it
> on with an HT remotely. Check page 77 of the manual for a full description
> of the features you can do remotly.
>
> =TOM=
>
> Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com> wrote:
>
> : The display is generally nicer, but I still prefer the light background
> : and black letters/number. The buttons ARE large, but again the PM
> : button is right under the (raised) power button. And having to use the
> : menu or do a power on command when you want to do things like enable
> : cross band repeating is a pain.

You're right of course. I had never used that feature on any of the
Kenwoods that I own. Now if there was some way to make the commands
stick in the mind or be more logical... <:

Rick

1187. Re: Icom IC22S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <33537EAD.25B7@techie.com>
Source record: 177763

>
> There was such a mod, called the VIP kit, made by (I think) by a company
> called Valley. It's ancient history, I'm afraid.
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Yep! I still have my old IC-22S also. It has the Valley Instrument
Products VIP kit installed. It was a replacement switch that provided
28 repeater pairs and 11 simplex frequencies. There were two optional
toggle switches that mounted in the case screw holes below the rotary
switch. The VIP-600 option provided simplex operation 600 khz above the
indicated frequency and the VIP-15 option that provided 15khz split
channels, 15 khz above the indicated frequency.

It wasn't "ALL" 2 meter channels as advertised but it did a pretty good
job of covering the available frequencies.

I bought the unit,from the guy who manufactured them, at a hamfest
outside of Chicago in 1978. He worked for a switch manufacturer and had
his company manke him up a bunch of switches. He was selling them by
mail and out of the back of his car. His name was Ted M. Nevins, Jr.
I don't know if he was a ham or not.

His address at that time was:
Valley Instrument Products
P.O. Box 339
Bartlett, IL 60103

Maybe he still has some units stored in his basement.
--

Ed Cummins
W5CE@usa.net

1188. FS: HEATHKIT HW-9A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Uwe Cappeller <cappelle@mailer.uni.marburg.de>
Message-ID: <5ivrfeplj3@surz03fi.HRZ.Uni-Marburg.DE>
Source record: 177764

Hello to all,

a friend of me sales a HEATHKIT HW-9A. The trvr is like a new one!
For more info call:

06421/870216
dx 496421/870216

73 de Uwe

1189. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Jones <edjones@iu.net>
Message-ID: <01bc499a$4a535de0$881945c6@edjones>
Source record: 177765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

This only goes to prove that Ham's are CHEAP! LOL

-= Ed Jones =-
KB4OIX

GJUDD <GJUDD@Prodigy.Net> wrote in article <3352F2D3.7EE6@Prodigy.Net>...
> A>
>
> > snip
> >
> > You had better take another look at your AES catalog. They also have
the
> > list
> > prices as:
> >
> > C156A $289.00 same as HRO
> > C228A $695.00 same as HRO
> >
> > Selling prices:
> > C156A $199.95 same as HRO
> > C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO
> Now you're trying to confuse him with facts, aren't you? He can't relate
> to facts very well, apparently.
>

1190. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ktbx@ktbx.DEmon.co.UK
Message-ID: <3353F441.5F7@ktbx.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177766

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add ham-equip
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1191. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33538A01.2C89@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I think we need a new newsgroup. Maybe rec.radio.bullshit or rec.radio.get-a-life or maybe rec.radio.look-at-me.see-me-talk. Can HRO now go away? Please!

1192. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: subs@ro.com
Message-ID: <3353164c.92920718@news.ro.com>
Source record: 177768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 13 Apr 1997 07:13:50 -0400, Burt Fisher
<burtfisher@geocities.com> wrote:

>FCC Expected to Unveil Plans For Two Airwave Auctions

Useless drivell snipped.....

Burt, your as full of crap as a Christmas turkey.

1193. Re: Help with Kenwood TH-28A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <335393DD.3E33@onramp.net>
Source record: 177769

Greg McCormick wrote:
>
> I recently purchesed a used Kenwood TH-28A. I made the receiver modifications
> (extended UHF rcv) following the instructions posted on ftp.barc.org.
> I've now run into a problem in that the display is locked on CH 5 (memory
> channel 5 - the only one I had programmed at the time).
>
> I cannot get the thing to go to call, vfo, anything. It just sits there
> displaying CH 5. I know I can rotate through the memory channels, yet the
> only one I have programmed is 5 so I have no where to go.
>
> Its possible that I might have scratched the trace running underneath diode 9,
> this occured during the mod. Would this have anything to do with it. The
> radio worked fine (vfo, call channel), transmitted fine, everything was normal.
>
> Does anyone have a suggestion? I though about erasing the memory, but the
> method included in the manual is locked out.
>
> Thanks for all your help,
>
> 73,
> Greg VY2GWM
> gmccormi@isn.net / greg.mccormick@pei.sympatico.ca

Look up the instructions for putting it in channel mode. There is a mod
to keep it that way. You have inadvertently done the channel mode mod.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1194. For Sale Kenwood TH-41AT 440 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: lisa lowell <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc49dd$e2e834c0$82d5dacd@lisa-lowell>
Source record: 177770
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TH-41AT 440 HT. Excellent condition with new battery pack,
antenna, hand strap and wall charger. $100.00 plus shipping.
501-389-6516,

Deal fell through now available
ka0nno@cswnet.com

1195. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5j0786$271e@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 177771

Dennis. You ask a really tough question. There a lot of good rigs out there that have receivers probably better than any desk top swl radio you will find. There are a lot of things to consider in a receiver as far as performance goes - convenience features and flexability, quietness, agc action, audio quality, imd performance, sensitivity, dynamic range, selectivity/filtering, passband adjustment controls, maybe even dsp features on some of the new rigs. You will be able to find a top notch rig in your price range. If you don't mind buying a used rig there are a lot of bargains out there right now because a lot of us are trading off our old stuff to buy a new dsp rig. Others will argue but I think for the money the Kenwood TS850SAT is a great rig with a fabulous receiver. You would need at least a 20 amp 12 volt power supply for this rig though, but almost all hams end up with one in their shack sooner or later anyhow and they are not that expensive. They were on closeout new for $1499 and can be easily found used for around $1100. AES in Milwaukee has some used right now for I think about $1199, but they offer a 10 day trail period and a warranty. I still have mine as a backup radio to my FT1000MP. Good luck in your quest! --- Steve N9ROU

1196. Alinco DX70t w/ about 10 Hours on it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.R.A." <D.R.Abshire@worldnet.att.nat>
Message-ID: <01bc49ac$8e4943e0$df5292cf@default>
Source record: 177772

Alinco DX70t w/ about 10 Hours on it. I forgot to add that I do have a
complete service manual for this rig.
Dave

D.R.A. <D.R.Abshire@worldnet.att.nat> wrote in article
<01bc486f$1f44bee0$74e792cf@default>...
> I have for sale or trade
> (1 ea) Alinco DX70t w/ about 10 Hours on it. (DON'T NEED IT).
> (1 ea) Alinco DM1350 Power Supply (35 amp)
> (1ea) Alinco EMS-14 Desktop Mike
>
> Looking for a second Computer System (not a slow dog) either.
> I was going to take the No Code Test and lost interest in radio.
> I will either sell at a fair market price or trade for something of
> same value. If interested please respond via E-mail and not
> this message base, beacuse I do not get here but about two
> times a month. I live in West Central Florida if you want to stop
> and look at the radio ect.
> Thank you for you time!
> Dave
>
> D.R.Abshire@worldnet.att.net
>
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>

1197. ???? About Coax Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ryan <WO4J@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335333B9.C0F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177773

Can anyone out there can tell me what Belden 9862 Coax Cable is used for? It's larger than RG58 but smaller than RG6. It has a very good copper shield, and solid center conductor with a small strand of plastic wrapped around the center conductor.

This is what is labled on the outside jacket of the cable.
Belden 9862 M17-030-RGO62 MIL-C-17E 16428 AWM STYLE 1478 VW-1 QF

I have a 2,000 FT roll with no use, if someone knows what it is used for please let me know.
Don't know if it would be good for Ham Radio use, or is it more or less used for a video cable? Any help would be appreciated.

Thanks!!!
Mike WO4J

1198. Re: IC-756 ANOTHER DOT CHOPPER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frankeia@netcom.industry.net>
Message-ID: <3353B37F.D3E@netcom.industry.net>
Source record: 177774

Yeah Steve, but look at all the nice memories, and knobs!

Seriously, I think that all products should be tested on the air by the V.P.'s of the companies, and let them complain to the design engineers. Unfortunately with the average selling prices going down the drain, the manufacturers have no recourse but to keep shipping stuff like this and we pay the price. I am now waiting at least a year before buying a new low band radio, to allow the MarkII's to surface.
Frank

1199. Re: FT1000MP clicks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5j0675$28t4@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 177775

Hi Terry. I have had my FT1000MP for just over a month. It is a great radio, but I have noticed exactly the same thing that you have. It is a little bit annoying considering that my TS850 never had ANY noises like that. I certainly am going to keep the radio though. --- Steve N9ROU

1200. Looking for a 12V & 24V DC UPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary Mitchelson"@usa.racal.com
Message-ID: <3353b273.21814587@news.racal.com>
Source record: 177776

I am looking for a source of UPS's for DC voltages, both for 12VDC and 24-28VDC.

I need it for a mobile environment where if the vehicle voltage is lost I can still run for 30-60 minutes on an autamically switch battery source (about 3Ah).

Does anyone know of a commercial source for this??

Thanks
Gary
Gary Mitchelson
gary_mitchelson@usa.racal.com
N3JPU@erols.com

1201. Opinions on ADI AT600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970415160100.MAA12051@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177777

Considering purchase of either ADI AT600 or R/S HTX-204, and am seeking opinions and personal experience with the radio(s). I see that ADI is relatively new to the ham market, and is made in Taiwan...don't want to buy junk !
How long is warranty ? All opinions welcomed...respond here or directly E-mail me...

THanks !
Rich

1202. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: N1XXW <bkbbs@mail.conknet.com>
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.861132599.16115.bkbbs@conknet.conknet.com>
Source record: 177778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>
> However the concept of auctioning one and two letter amateur callsigns to
> the highest bidder (rather than through a lottery system) has
> attractions. Here in Australia we floated the idea (tongue in cheek)
> that those with two letter callsigns should give them up and have their
> callsign re-allocated to the highest bidder at a public auction attended
> by all amateurs (on April 1, 1996). That created quite a stir, because
> most amateurs want a callsign that's either very close to their initials
> or very short. I suspect that a proposal to auction attractive callsigns
> would raise even more controversy than one to auction some of our bands.

Has attraction for who - rich people?

1203. WTB APS 104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Likshot <likshot@exit109.com>
Message-ID: <3353DB7A.FA7@exit109.com>
Source record: 177779

I am in search of the Opto aps 104 preselector.

1204. WTB 210xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Likshot <likshot@exit109.com>
Message-ID: <3353D9EE.1E55@exit109.com>
Source record: 177780

I want your Bearcat 210xlt scanner. Must be in good condition and come
w/ antenna and powercord.
Please email me w/ details

1205. RE: Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970415100501124 30@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 177781

>>Can I get a 5-watt battery for this?

Same battery configuration as Standard...I LOVE my Maha NiMH MH-CNB-153
7.2V 1200mAh long-lasting 7-volt replacement, by the way. And 12V models
are available for you, too...

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

1206. Operating Manual for Yaesu FT-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Flauder <bflauder@sap.ca>
Message-ID: <3353B45B.706A@sap.ca>
Source record: 177782

Does anyone have (or could make copies) of an operating manual for the FT-101?

Thank you,

Ben Flauder - VA3BSF Email - bflauder@sap.ca

1207. FS: TS450SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3353E3AB.5B3E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177783

Selling 1 year old (6 million s/n) Kenwood TS 450 SAT (built-in antenna tuner). Low hours, never mobile, mint condition. With hand mic,book and box $ 895 plus UPS shipping. Brian K3USC- Erie,PA 814-866-2585 or e-mail.

1208. Re: FS- Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: feinstei@mailhost.fsic.ford.com
Message-ID: <5j0eig$s0o1@eccws1.dearborn.ford.com>
Source record: 177784
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"The Manning's" <silverd@datasync.com> wrote:

>For sale. Pro 2006
>$500.00 + S&H
>silverd@datasync.com

I reply:
You must have made a typo. Perhaps $300.00 would be more reasonable????!!!

1209. Index Labs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Keith M. Hamilton" <khamilton@cisnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc49c6$83b41260$4e90b3cc@khamilto.cisnet.com>
Source record: 177785

Does anyone know how to get a hold of Index Labs??? I've tried their telephone numerous times and left massages asking them to call back but I'm getting no reply. HELP PLEASE

khamilton@cisnet.com

1210. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <3353E970.1756@magg.net>
Source record: 177786

Bo Henderson wrote:
>
> Larry Gibbs wrote:
> >
> > sean hall wrote:
> > >
> > > On 1 Apr 1997 16:57:32 GMT, davidosbo@aol.com (DavidOsbo) wrote:
> > >
> > > >Sean,
> > > > I'm curious: What about them makes them junk? Is it that they are
> > > >not broadband, or that they are inefficient, or that they won't handle
> > > >power, or what?
> > > >73,
> > > >David, N8DO
> > >
>
> I also recently did some experimenting and research on mobile antennas.
> WHat you say is very true. Another example of the same effect is to use
> a rubber duck antenna on 2 meters and then change to a 1/2 wave
> antenna. You will see a tremendous difference due to capture area.
> That is, a bigger antenna collects more signal on receive and puts out
> more on transmit. As you said, hamsticks are very poor radiators below
> 7 MHz. THe reason is the losses in the tightly wound coil. The larger
> the coil and better core material the less loss you have. I did an
> experiment comparing a reasonably small diameter bug catcher (2.5
> inches) to a ham stick. There was no difference above 40 m. At 40 m
> the bug catcher was 1 S unit better than the Hamstick and at 80 m the
> bugcatcher was 3 S units above the hamstick. These tests were done on
> transmit. I also learned thru experimentation and on the air
> discussions that a capacitor is required between the base of the antenna
> and ground for 40 m and 80 m. This corrects for the excess inductance
> present due to the loading coil. For my vehicle the value was 700 pF.
> You can't fool mother nature. The larger the antenna the better the
> performance. If you don't like big ugly antennas on your car you might
> as well stay off of 80 m. You can stand the 1 S unit loss on 40 m but
> the 3 S units on 80 m is hard to overcome. The higher bands are a lot
> of fun and the sun spots will soon bring them to life. I have had many
> years of great fun on HF mobile. 20, 17, 15, 12, and 10 will be great
> fun real soon. Regards Bo
> --
>
> OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION YOU MAY NEED TO KNOW !
>
> Mr. T.G. "Bo" Henderson Bo Knows Physics.....

> Physitron, Inc. Located in the Beautiful Tennessee Valley.
> 3304A Westmill Dr.
> Huntsville AL 35805 Rocket City USA
> 205-534-4844 Where the Sky is NOT the Limit !
> 205-534-4846 FAX
> E-mail: bo@physitron.com WORK
> E-mail: bo@being changed HOME
> Also checkout the Webpage at http://www.physitron.com

Although I have not used either antenna, I doubt the shunt capacity is needed to cancel the inductance of the loading coil. The antenna can be tuned for resonance w/o any shunt capacity. Howver, the feedpoint resistance would be quite low. The shunt capacity is introduced in order to form an L network to raise the feed resistance. When the shubt capacity is introduced, the antenna will most likely need to be lengthened somewhat so that the feed is now resistive +inductive- the inductance forming the series L of the L network.

Dale
W4OP

1211. FS: Kenwood TH-78A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Currier <currier@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3353C851.2173@flash.net>
Source record: 177787

Kenwood TH-78A Dual Band Handheld
Kenwood Dual band Antenna
Kenwood PB-17 NiCd Battery Pack (DC 12v, 700mAh)
Kenwood PB-13 NiCd Battery Pack (DC 7.2v, 700mAh)
Kenwood BC-15 Rapid Charger
Canvas case for Radio with small battery pack
Case of Radio with Large battery pack
Kenwood TH-78A Instruction Manual

In Very Good condition. Battery packs have not been used very much.
Asking $400 for the works.

If interested write to:
Sangeeth Samuel
currier@flash.net
Address: 6100 Academy Lane
Harrah, OK 73045

1212. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffmeyers@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970415.175617.5031.0.jeffmeyers@juno.com>
Source record: 177788

Looking to upgrade. If you have any advanced, general or extra
materials (code tapes as well as theory) that are gathering dust please
e-mail me directly. I am looking to go all the way up the ladder!

Jeffmeyers@Juno.com
KC8GKE

1213. Re: Question on the TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5j11qp$cu@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 177789

The TM-V7A can do cross band repeat out of the box.
It can be activated/deactivated from the unit or remotly on a hand held
via DTMF keypad.

The TMV-7A can do two types of cross band repeat. Full cross band repeat
listens on either band and transmits on the other band. This is good for
simplex but stinks for repeater use since you have to wait for the
repeater to drop carrier before you can transmit (since your radio sis
transmitting the repeater carrier to you). Its great for simplex work.

The second type of repeat the TM-V7A can do is locked repeat. This means
the radio only listens on one band and transmits on the other. Its a one
way repeat. This makes more sense for repeaters (to me) I can usually hear
the repeater but don't have a strong enough signal to reach it. So I
listen on the repeater output and have my hand held transmit to my TM-V7A
which outputs to the repeater input. This way I dont get hosed by the
repeater carrier.

Enjoy
=TOM=
tnic@idt.net

Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com> wrote:
: Hi Steve,

: The TM-V7 can act as a repeater/crossband after the necessary modifications
: (removing and adding a resistor). This mod will also enable extended
: RX/TX.

: The difference between the TM-V7A and TM-V7E is that the first is a USA
: version, the second a European version. (ex. limited frequency range, 2m is
: 144-146 in Belgium)

: Kind regards,
: Paul - ON1DJU
: _____________
: Steve Hancock <stevehan@ptd.net> wrote in article
: <5iruufamu1@news.ptd.net>...
: >
: >
: > Looking to get the TM-V7A. Can the unit act has a repeater/cross-band
: > repeater for my handheld? Didn't see anything on the homepage about
: > this feature.
: >
: > Also whats the different between the TM-V7A and the TM-V7A/E?
: >

: > --
: > +---+
: > | Steve Hancock, N3FWE stevehan@ptd.net |
: > | Dynamic IP for Chat: http://home.ptd.net/~stevehan |
: > | The Pro-2006/Probe Home Page http://home.ptd.net/~pro2006 |
: > | "The Truth is Out There" |
: > +---+
: >

: The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
: This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
: my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
: made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
: sender.

1214. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3354216E.23F7@ibm.net>
Source record: 177790

<BIG SNIP>
> > > Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as
> > > scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?
> > >
> > > They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in
> > > business.
> > >
> > > Brian
> > > KC5YNPHi Brian,
> >
> > Ten Tec's problem is that most amateurs today do not know how to
> > evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
> > blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
> > the color of the cabinet. If they did know how to evaluate a rig,
> > they're would be far fewer off shore boxes adorning hamshacks and a lot
> > more T-T.
> >
> > Dale
> > W4OP
> TEN TEC is pretty pricey for what you get compaired to the Rice Boxes.
> I feel that is the sole reason for the success of Yaesu, Kenwood, Icom.
##########################
Pricey? I don't think so. Not if you want the best receiver on
the market and the finest QSK together with excellent transmit
audio.

How about the Kenwood 440? Try getting proptietary parts to
get one fixed. Ten-Tec still services the first rigs they
made.

I just upgraded my Omni V to an Omni VI Plus. What a fantastic
piece of equipment! I've owned the rice boxes too. Nary a one
could compare. Like when your rice box thinks my signals are
splattering, because your receiver overloads and your noise
floor drops. Meanwhile, I keep on working that station you
don't even hear. He's below your noise floor due to phase noise
generated in your radio.

Not that the other stuff isn't good too, and fun to operate.
I just got tired of them, and Ten-Tec really is better. See QST
for phase noise discussions around the time of the Omni V
debut.

Not bragging, just stating facts.

73, Larry
****

E-mail: larrygibbs@ibm.net

Amateur Radio W3UIO, Operating Ten-Tec

Running Netscape at OS/2 Warp 4

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1215. Mod for Icom-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiofun@juno.com
Message-ID: <861150881.23924@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177791

I am looking for the mars modification for the Icom-706. Can anybody help?

Thanks.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1216. FS: Uniden HR2510 and Cobra148GTL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: NorinRadd@abac.com
Message-ID: <861156864.28040@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner

Accepting offers

Uniden President HR2510
Covers 26-30Mhz
Here is the condition of the radio:

HR2520 SN83004135
There is a bar code sticker on the bottom that says:
(This product is refurbished and is not covered by
the Uniden company warranty. See your dealer for
further details K87059)

The face plate is clean with very little wear
and window is clear with no scratches.
I bought it about 5 years ago.
I used it very little, never had any problems.
I also have some transistors for
power mods that I bought along with the
radio and never did. They are EC6340 and
MRF497. I have power cord, manual, mounting
bracket with the 4 big black side screws, It has
the stock microphone. I have both accessory
connectors.
Modes: AM/FM/USB/LSB/CW RF GAIN, AUTO-SQUELCH, LCD FREQUENCY DISPLAY,
NOISE BLANKER,SCAN, SPAN, BEEP, MIC GAIN, CHANNEL UP/DOWN BUTTONS ON BOTH
RADIO AND MIC, 25W

Also have used power supply and CB for sale:

GSC model 6PR 6amp regulated 12V

Cobra 148GTL
I bought this about 12 years ago.
Its a little beat up but works. (Signal strengh
meter is broke....gets stuck. Stickers on the
top cover and a few missing cover screws.
Cover Freq range of 26.785-28.085 it also has a slider.
Have power cord, mounting bracket but no screws.

E-mail offers
NorinRadd@abac.com

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
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1217. TH-79A UHF TX freq. adj. needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert J. Hall" <rjhall@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.970415182256.17901B-100000@techsrv1.tech.mtu.edu>
Source record: 177793

Does anyone have any info on where/how to adjust the frequency on the UHF side of the TH-79A dual band handheld? Mine (recently purchased) is off frequency on transmit only by about 3kcs. I do not currently have a schematic available but I'm fairly familiar with the internals of the radio already.

Please mail response to rjhall@mtu.edu

Thanks in advance!!!

Thanks,
Rob Hall
AA8LA

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__ _____ __ ;;
(___/ _/__) _____ ; ;;
(___/) Robert J. Hall ; ;;
|_____/| rjhall@mtu.edu (906) 487-4205 ; ;;
=| |///| |= Michigan Technological University ; ;;
\|\|\|/ Senior- Electrical Engineering Technology ; ;;
|///| FTP Server - jazz.resnet.mtu.edu ; ;'
|___| Web Page - http://www.tech.mtu.edu/~rjhall ; '
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`;;;;'

1218. Re: FT-8000R AM receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <33544548.754@sprynet.com>
Source record: 177794

ken wrote:
>
> Does anyone know how to select AM receive on the FT-8000R, if you tune
> down to airband it selects AM but I can't find any mention in the manual
> about selecting AM else where.
+------------------------------+---------------------------------+

I've been wondering the same thing - No luck yet!

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Mark <KB9KHM>

Home Page:
http://expert.cc.purdue.edu/~kb9khm

1219. Re: FT1000MP clicks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970415153905.122866B-100000@homer32.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 177795

Steve, How does the receiver in the FT1000MP compare to the TS 850 ?
Please give me an honest answer (i.e. without the "glow" of your new
purchase, hi!). Thanks. John, K7JY.

On 15 Apr 1997, Steven Umbach wrote:

> Hi Terry. I have had my FT1000MP for just over a month. It is a great
> radio, but I have noticed exactly the same thing that you have. It is a
> little bit annoying considering that my TS850 never had ANY noises like
> that. I certainly am going to keep the radio though. --- Steve N9ROU
>
>
>

1220. FS--Heathkit Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gordon E. Nelson" <gnelson1@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <01bc49f4$eb5cb2e0$4737adce@crc3.concentric.net>
Source record: 177796

FS--Heathkit equipment as follows, all with manuals • 309-C RF Probe .
IM-13 VTVM and EF-1 Applications chassis, with applications text. IB-1100
Frequency Counter. HN-31 Cantenna Dummy RF Load. $50 takes all. You pick up
or pay shipping. Metro Washington DC area. WA3JDZ. gnelson1@concentric.net.

1221. FT-530 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Truman Williams, Jr." <truman@null.net>
Message-ID: <335427B6.D6B@null.net>
Source record: 177797

I have a Yaesu FT-530 for sale in very good condition. It comes with two
12v batteries and the desktop charger. $300.00 w/mods.
nn4c@callsign.net

1222. WTB Yaesu FT-11R - HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <33543057.66E2@mail.org>
Source record: 177798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Looking for a Yaesu FT-11R 2 Meter HT in excellent condition. Send me
age, condition, accessories (if any) and price. Thanks, JB

------------672B1EB53630
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Description: Card for JB
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="nsmailSR.TMP"
Content-Type: text/x-vcard; charset=us-ascii; name="nsmailSR.TMP"

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FN:JB
N:;JB
EMAIL;INTERNET:jb@mail.org
X-MOZILLA-HTML:T
END:VCARD

------------672B1EB53630--
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1223. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5j0m9i$ne43@peach.america.net>
Source record: 177799

Speak for yourself as obviously you do. I am not knocking Ten Tec in
this response but I have had enough dealings to know that they are not
perfect either and there are other good choices besides Ten Tec
although they do make some quality equipment. We don't all buy based
on looks. Take care, Steve"Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net> wrote:

>Brian W. Haren wrote:
>>
>> Two days ago I called Ten Tec to order on of their SWR/Wattmeter kits.
>> The guy on the other end of the phone explained that they were on back
>> order and would not be available again for two weeks. He said that if I
>> wanted he would take my order and ship one to me as soon as it was
>> available, or I could simply wait and call them back in a few weeks. I
>> figured I had nothing to lose by ordering one and waiting.
>>
>> Fifteen minutes ago the UPS guy rings my doorbell and hands me a package
>> from Ten Tec with my kit in it!
>>
>> Damn, now instead of mowing the lawn I'll have to spend Saturday putting
>> this thing together and trying it out. Thanks Ten Tec, for screwing up
>> my weekend! ;-)
>>
>> Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as
>> scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?
>>
>> They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in
>> business.
>>
>> Brian
>> KC5YNPHi Brian,

>Ten Tec's problem is that most amateurs today do not know how to
>evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
>blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
>the color of the cabinet. If they did know how to evaluate a rig,
>they're would be far fewer off shore boxes adorning hamshacks and a lot
>more T-T.

>Dale
>W4OP

1224. FS: Heath Code Oscillator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <335416D5.4450@icss.net>
Source record: 177800

Model HD-1416 (plastic box) Heath Code Practice Oscillator. Clean and
pretty, but no manual. $20.00 shipped to CONUS.
Brian/N0iMD
burkefam@icss.net

Also:

Manual only for HD-16 (iron box) Heath Code Practice Oscillator.
$3.00 CONUS.
Brian/samesame

1225. Re: Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5j0m0v$ne42@peach.america.net>
Source record: 177801

Hello Mike and was wondering if you know what type of reciever the
FT920 has on it as in triple conversion, quad conversion etc. I have
checked out the Yaesu site and have found that the specs listed were
not very detailed. If you kow I sure would appreciate it and 73,
DE-KS4HK, Steve. You can E-mail me buy the way at jsjones@rbnet.com.
Thanks gaintenorman@i1.net (Mike Kraml) wrote:

>Hello Folks:
> Anyone check out the new Yaesu FT-920. Continuously adjustable HI/LO/Band
>Pass filtering (DSP), 6 meters, etc. etc. etc. Looks great, street price
>under 1800.00 . I was considering the IC756, but after seeing this baby, I
>don't think so. The DSP offers much more, and its about $500.00 less. Hate
>to say it, but time to switch from Kenwood to Yaesu (again).

>73 all, Mike - WQ0N

1226. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAM.cyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <3378609f.37930378@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 177616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold") wrote:

>In article <3352A7C2.980@usaor.net> freq@usaor.net writes:
>
>> Burt Fisher wrote:
>
>> > antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has
>> > decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
>> > necessity.
>
>> It would have nice if you listed the frequencies re the above info.
>
>Serves the public necessity? This stuff must be straight from the
>pen of someone who teaches illiteracy in the public education system.

Ever heard of PICON? If not, find out about it and get back to us.

--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

1227. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <E8pKB1.Cny@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 177617
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

"Ed Jones" <edjones@iu.net> wrote:

>This only goes to prove that Ham's are CHEAP! LOL

> -= Ed Jones =-
> KB4OIX

>GJUDD <GJUDD@Prodigy.Net> wrote in article <3352F2D3.7EE6@Prodigy.Net>...
>> A>
>>
>> > snip
>> >
>> > You had better take another look at your AES catalog. They also have
>the
>> > list
>> > prices as:
>> >
>> > C156A $289.00 same as HRO
>> > C228A $695.00 same as HRO
>> >
>> > Selling prices:
>> > C156A $199.95 same as HRO
>> > C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO
>> Now you're trying to confuse him with facts, aren't you? He can't relate
>> to facts very well, apparently.

Every time I go to price a piece of equipment, I compare the prices at
HRO to those at AES, and HRO is almost ALWAYS cheaper....

dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine BendixK43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

1228. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: croaker@access.digex.net
Message-ID: <znr861163182k@Digex>
Source record: 177618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <5iumsd$3gu@camel4.mindspring.com> bboone@mindspring.com writes:

> : > | Burt Fisher | Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics |
> : > | Amateur call | South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod) |
> : > | K1OIK | http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169 |

It should be K1LID.

Frank Ney WV/EMT-B VA/EMT-A N4ZHG LPWV NRA(L) GOA CCRKBA JPFO
Sponsor, BATF Abuse page http://www.access.digex.net/~croaker/batfabus.html
West Virginia Coordinator, Libertarian Second Amendment Caucus
NOTICE: Flaming email received will be posted to the appropriate newsgroups
- --
"...I am opposed to all attempts to license or restrict the arming of
individuals...I consider such laws a violation of civil liberty,
subversive of democratic political institutions, and self-defeating
in their purpose."
- Robert Heinlein, in a 1949 letter concerning "Red Planet"

1229. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mc@shore.net
Message-ID: <5j2au4$i42@northshore.shore.net>
Source record: 177619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Geezuz - don't you AOL'ers have a text editor???

W1RC
mc@shore.net

1230. OMNI VI ssb performance ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdim@intranet.GR
Message-ID: <9704161110.AA17061@lotos>
Source record: 177620

Dear Amateurs

I am thinking of buying an OMNI VI plus after owning 4 "oriental YAECOMWOOD"
and after been a happy owner of a TITAN amp. and after reading only
good reports from other TT owners but the only thing that most of those happy
owners are reporting is the CW performance ,good selectivity/filtering
of the OMNI VI.

I will be using it only on SSB and I would like to hear from OMNI VI
users about the transmit and receive audio pro and cons on SSB Mode.

Does the new OMNI VI PLUS has any improved audio processor compared to the
previous one??

I donot want to spend money for things that I will never use like
1.a dual receiver in the same unit.
2.power(switching) supply since every ham-shack has a 12 v P.S.
3.antenna tuner (I always use an external tuner)
4.Bells and buttons that only once or twice I will press in my whole life.

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I would rather spend all this money on good crystal filters.
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My warmest thanks to all of my fellow hams who will take time to
respond and help me out with my decisions.

Thank you all

73 SV1CVY Michael

Electrical Engineer
INTRACOM SA
R & D Dept.
email mdim@intranet.gr

1231. Re: First Transistor Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marvin Moss <mmoss@gelac.mar.lmco.com>
Message-ID: <3354ADEA.6006@gelac.mar.lmco.com>
Source record: 177621

Phillip R. Cline wrote:
>
> Carl Hodder wrote:
> >
> > What was the first 100% soild state transistor radio?
> Greetings,
> The first commercially available transistor radio was made by Regency
> Electronics but I can't remember the model number.
>
> Phil Cline N9RKA

It was the TR-1 and is worth generally speaking about $500 now although rare ones like I think green can get up to $5000.

Marv

1232. W.T.B. Signal One CX-11A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5j2e7c$h7o@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177622

Does anyone have a Signal One CX-11A that they would like to sell or trade for a LOADED Collins KWM-380. Tnx. Rich E-mail tbolt@ix.netcom.com

1233. Re: HTX-100 manual and mic pin out needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5j16gbiev2@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 177623
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <33534F52.4766@concentric.net>, ko4qc@concentric.net wrote:
>If you can help me obtain one or both of the above,I will gladly
>reimburse any copy,postage etc expenses.
> TNX
> Joel KO4QC

Here's the mic pin-out (bottom right sounter clockwize):

1 mic input
2 PTT (connected to ground for function)
3 Channel down (connected to ground for function)
4 Channel up (connected to ground for function)
5 8 volts (power indicator)
6 Audio out
7 Mic ground
8 ground

Recieve to transmit turnaround time: 40ms

73!

Tom

E-mail me with the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

1234. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <3354CA4F.214C@notify1.com>
Source record: 177624

Larry Gibbs wrote:
>
> Pricey? I don't think so. Not if you want the best receiver on
> the market and the finest QSK together with excellent transmit
>
> How about the Kenwood 440? Try getting proptietary parts to
> get one fixed. Ten-Tec still services the first rigs they
>
> Not that the other stuff isn't good too, and fun to operate.
> I just got tired of them, and Ten-Tec really is better. See QST
> for phase noise discussions around the time of the Omni V
> debut.
>
> Not bragging, just stating facts.
>
> 73, Larry

I've owned a Ten-Tec Paragon and, overall, thought it was a good rig. Maybe not a great rig -it had some rough edges- but I'll grant it was TT's first try at a "modern" HF rig. That was 1986 and this is 1997. The Paragon (and my 1985 Ford) are gone and replaced by new. QST produces FINE technical reviews of new amateur equipment, but when is TT going to start building new radios? The Paragon II was an obious last gasp (like Drake trying to market the TR7A as somehow better than the TR7!), as was their withdrawl from the real competition of retail sales (did the market even glitch?). I would consider TT in a minute if they would produce a modern, general coverage HF rig. Ten-Tec's customer service IS truly unmatched, but you can only sell so many ham-band-only rigs and $29.95 kits in today's market.

Since the world tends not to be one sided, here are some more Ten-Tec facts:

*If you own one of TT's 2m HT's and it needs a new uP chip, you'll have to trash it. I'm afraid the mask-programmed chip is no longer available.

*There is so much processor noise rattling around inside a Paragon that the clock (verified by several owners) actually gains time when the rig is switched on.

*The Paragon's S-meter is useless (constant S5 to S9 readings) in several large swaths of the HF spectrum due to IF leakage (suspected).

*The "Watts" scale on the Paragon meter seemed to be a cruel joke. The sensing circuitry looked conventional, so all I could figure was that

the engineer had the meter manufacturer silk-screen the meter face incorrectly.

I'll probably get flamed for this, however, I WOULD consider purchasing a new MODERN (general coverage) Ten-Tec HF rig.
-Ken WB0QNA

1235. Finacial Discrimination

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970416022031.7165D-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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[1]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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Ed,

When one has plenty of money and gripes about prices that's being cheap. When one has very little money and doesn't like nearly everything being above his means, that isn't being cheap, it's being poor. there are many people who have ham licenses, who are poorer than Arkansas hillbillies. Many of them live in third-world countries. No matter if it's a fellow American who's down on his luck or a native tribesman of the Amazon rain forrest, if he wants to participate in the hobby, and can pass the tests like the any other ham, why should he have to be barred from access to say the 2M band by the fact that all the rigs are $200 and up? Why can't there be some $50 rigs for 2M when some dumb CB'er can get a top of the line CB for that much?

I bet that NONE of those who disparage what I have to say about THAT point have ANY idea what it's like to have an annual income under $12,000 in today's economy, those snotty fat-cat beer-bloated liberal yuppy democrat turds probably never had it that tough in their life. They probably look down their noses at people that poor and call them "trailor-park trash" when in fact some people wish they COULD afford to live in a trailor park.

There was NOTHING on any element of the ham radio test requiring a minimum income level. It's supposed to be a hobby that is accessable to anyone who has the skills to get a license. it's good that some can afford to spend $20k on their ham shack, and that many rigs are so chock full of bells and whistles, but that didn't mean that there is no market for a no-frills VHF rig.

I thank God for people like Ten Tec and other companies trying to make the hobby accessable to those who don't have deep pockets. My hat's off to them. In my opinion, Ten Tec and those like them are the cream of the crop in the human race and God bless 'em!

I've had a person who told me that before I complain I should see if I can build my own IC-706 for under $3500 instead of buying one from Icom for $1200. Well who the hell said that EVERY vhf rig on the market HAD to have

ALL of those features anyway? Some of us are happy just to be able to talk,
without all the frills and bullcrap. IS THAT A CRIME?

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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[2]-----------------------------------------------------+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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[4]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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[5]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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On 15 Apr 1997, Ed Jones wrote:

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> This only goes to prove that Ham's are CHEAP! LOL
>
> -= Ed Jones =-
> KB4OIX
>
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> >
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> > >
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> > > list

> > > prices as:
> > >
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> > > C228A $695.00 same as HRO
> > >
> > > Selling prices:
> > > C156A $199.95 same as HRO
> > > C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO
> > Now you're trying to confuse him with facts, aren't you? He can't relate
> > to facts very well, apparently.
> >
>
>

1236. ?? JT 1000 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul J. Roberts" <robertsp@rcinet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4a65$65e6ad20$f7d412c7@nexrad1>
Source record: 177626

Anyone have anything good, bad, or useful information on this radio.
Thinking of getting one.

1237. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: priggins@usit.net
Message-ID: <5j2hpu$9fs$1@news.usit.net>
Source record: 177627
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

mc@shore.net (Michael Crestohl) wrote:

>Geezuz - don't you AOL'ers have a text editor???

>W1RC
>mc@shore.net

AMEN !!!!
..I just love when someone makes a response and then continues on to quote a 300 some odd line post !!!!...How 'bout reading a FAQ about posting procedures??

-- Patrick

1238. Re: ?? JT 1000 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3354D542.6723@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177628

Paul,

The JT1000 is one in a fine line of a Motorola Radio series known as a Jedi (yep, Star Wars). It has the same elctronics and RF section as the HT1000 and MT2000 radios. It's claim to fame is the ability to be "keyboard programmable." However, to do this you must first, using normal Moto software, "enable" the user programmability function. Then, with the addition of a programming "key" that attaches to the accessory connector, you can program various features from the keypad, including frequency.

There are a bunch of accessories available for the Jedi series radios and it has been my experience that these radios are pretty tough to hurt. The 16 channel limitation is truly the only limitation on the JT1000, and with keyboard programmability, it isn't that big of a deal.

Tom

1239. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwentz@accessus.net
Message-ID: <5j2jt3chc1@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 177629

I would buy anything from Ten Tec's current line, or anything used with the
Ten Tec name on it. I have had to wait for a short time for some of the
equiptment that I have ordered from Ten Tec, but it was always worth the
wait, and the product always worked as advertized.

73's de KB9JJA/Dale

In article <5j1je2$l5p@wormer.fn.net>, mikey@feist.com says...
>
>In article <3352EF73.BAC@magg.net>, par@magg.net says...
>
>>> Damn, now instead of mowing the lawn I'll have to spend Saturday putting
>>> this thing together and trying it out. Thanks Ten Tec, for screwing up
>>> my weekend! ;-)
>>>
>>> Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as
>>> scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?
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>>> They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in
>>> business.
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>>> Brian
>>> KC5YNPHi Brian,
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>>Ten Tec's problem is that most amateurs today do not know how to
>>evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
>>blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
>>the color of the cabinet. If they did know how to evaluate a rig,
>>they're would be far fewer off shore boxes adorning hamshacks and a lot
>>more T-T.
>>
>Dale
>>W4OP
>
>--
>As soon as T-T Comes out with a 2 meter all-mode They can have my business
>and i can forget about having to put up with the crummy kenwood TS-700s
>(in the shop 2 weeks - 2 months in the shack) and Yaesu ft-225RD being
>smashed
>by none other than U.P.S (Universal. Package. Smashers)
>
>You really screwed up a nice Yaseu FT-225RD
>
>Have a good one all.
>

>MIKE McGINLEY - N0JVT
>
>mikey@feist.com
>n0jvt@aol.com
>

1240. Re: Icom 756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1mnk@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3354dd56.11403515@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 177630

On Wed, 09 Apr 1997 16:38:39 -0500, "Mitch, W4OA" <w4oa@vibroplex.com>
wrote:

>sc@netcom.com wrote:
>>
>> Has anyone heard if there are problems with the Icom 756?
>>
>> sc@netcom.com
>
>hi! mitch here at vibroplex...
>
>you might want to subscribe to the 756 mail list... lots of
>good info and insights regarding the 756...
>
>send mail to ic756@access.spring.com
>
>mitch, w4oa
>--
> ---------Vibroplex - Since 1890, the oldest name in ham radio!--------
>Felton "Mitch" Mitchell, W4OA email: w4oa@vibroplex.com
>The Vibroplex Co., Inc., 11 Midtown Park, E., Mobile, AL 36606-4141
>Orders 800-840-8873, Info 334-478-8873, FAX 334-476-0465
>Visit our web site: http://www.vibroplex.com/

Are there mailing lists for TS870S and FT1000MP?

Also, any comparisons between the 870, 1000MP and 756?

Thanks.

73... Jon W1MNK

w1mnk@ibm.net

1241. Low band rigs cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frankeia@netcom.industry.net>
Message-ID: <3354EFC2.48B@netcom.industry.net>
Source record: 177631

Ten Tec Triton IV Digital. Built in cw filter, digital readout,
manual, 80-10, works well, small burn spot on meter, as a result of the
last owner placing a bright bulb inside. Meter still works, and is is
still available from Ten Tec for about $5.00. $$275
Swan Astro 150, Digital 80-10, built in crystal cw filter, complete with
up/down microphone, dc power cord, manual $275
Also for sale:
Autek audio filter $45
cw memory keyer $45
Drake PS-7 heavy duty power supply, 13.8 regulated, 25 amp $125
Frank KG9H
work 630-924-1600

1242. Morse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale <rug@edison.dialix.com.au>
Message-ID: <5j21ur$8up$1@melbourne.dialix.com.au>
Source record: 177632
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.morse,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Can someone pls (nicely:) direct me to a reference in relation to the
basics of Morse code equipment. Specifically as to the design and
construction of the old style of electr mechanical sounders.
I have an understanding of general electronics, but i do not understand the
relevance of the resistance of the sounders used in the Morse system. As i
have been asked to rewind an old sounder, i need to ensure the resistance
as well as the magnetising force (gauss?)...is there a basic formula or
software tools to assist in the winding of such coils

Any help would be greatly appreciated....

Regards,
Dale

1243. Re: Finacial Discrimination

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Little <little@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3354F389.5038@ameritech.net>
Source record: 177633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ted wrote:
>
> [1]---+
> | My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
> | is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
> | To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
> | My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
> | When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
> | not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
> +---+
>
> Ed,
>
> When one has plenty of money and gripes about prices that's being cheap.
> When one has very little money and doesn't like nearly everything being
> above his means, that isn't being cheap, it's being poor. there are many
> people who have ham licenses, who are poorer than Arkansas hillbillies.

Look, take it to some newsgroup that is appropriate for this type
of discussion. You may be a god in your own mind, but that
doesn't excuse you from acceptable newsgroup behavior. Please
follow the of the newsgroups and post on topics within
the charter of the newsgroups. This bashing of amateur radio
dealers has no business being in these newsgroups.

As for flaming your idiotic signature, you make that totally
unecessary. Better to thought a fool than post inane notes
in unrelated newsgroups and prove it (to paraphrase a saying
that more people should adhere to.)

73,
Todd
N9MWB

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Unsolicited business offers sent to my e-mail address will be
considered a request for me to proofread the offer and in
turn reimburse me $500 for my time and effort for each offer
received.

1244. ADMS-1C S/W Update, Where?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiE8qMF5.69x@netcom.com>
Source record: 177634

I bought my FT-50R quite some time ago and also got the ADMS-1C software. I currently have version 1.05. Is there an update and where would I get that from?

Stephen
KY6K

1245. FT-8000 Mod for 800 MHZ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
Message-ID: <0513.199704161155.016DE67E@macgroup.org>
Source record: 177635

Can someone tell me how to open up the Yaesu FT-8000R to receive the full 800 mhz band (if it is possible)? Also, how does one manually go into the AM mode?

Thanks,

Bill, W8BC

1246. Tennamatic /m antenna tuner req ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <UJPWiQAnqKVzEw+h@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177636

A & A Electronics stopped selling the Tennamatic kit a couple of years
ago.
I'd be interested in purchasing a dead or alive unit or pcb.
Please e-mail me direct.

phil@two-way.demon.co.uk

73 Phil de G4ZOW extreme/M

Turnpike evaluation. For information, see http://www.turnpike.com/

1247. FT-50 HELP Need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcs@starnets.ro
Message-ID: <861211974.26386@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177637

Hello everybody !

I nedd your help to set-up the internal CPU settings for YAESU FT-50.

I wish to gnow the default values for the following settings:

VHF:

HSSQ
*THSQ
*TISQ
*S1LV
*S9LV
HPO
L3
L2
L1,

and the same corresponding settings for UHF

!!! Do NOT push the KNOB while diplaying the * marked settings !!!
To enter to the CPU mode settings the action is :

1) reset the FT50 by KNOB+MON+POWER-ON
2) press LAMP+PTT+KNOB+POWER-ON
3) The display shows BAND A1(A3)
4) then rotate the KNOB WITHOUT PRESSING IT !!!!

To exit press POWER OFF again

Thnx in advance

Bogdan
bcs@starnets.ro

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1248. ux-14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: oneidman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970416164101.MAA12038@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177638

WTB ux-14 interface for ICOM ic-71a
oneidman@aol

1249. Mobile Mounting Bracket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grover Yarbrough <grover3@nortexinfo.net>
Message-ID: <3355443F.39DF@nortexinfo.net>
Source record: 177639

I need a mobile mounting bracket for a Kenwood TR-751A.

If you have one please email me at grover3@nortexinfo.net.

Thanks

Grover
KM5HB

1250. MFJ 9420, 20 meter SSB tranciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul J. Henley" <pjhenley@midway.uchicago.edu>
Message-ID: <33553804.1E95007C@midway.uchicago.edu>
Source record: 177640

Can anyone who owns the MFJ 9420 tell me their opinion of it? MFJ appears not to have put up the statistics for it on their page. I'm looking to use it in noisy Chicago, if that makes a difference. Also if you bought their microphone or portable antenna, I'd like to hear an opinion on those too. Thanks in advance.

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Paul J. Henley KF4KDT
mailto:pjhenley@midway.uchicago.edu
http://student-www.uchicago.edu/users/pjhenley/

1251. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Louis F. Maag" <loumaag@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4a77$a690c380$0100007f@SPRY086787>
Source record: 177641
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Barry,
What are you talking about, the clicker on my mouse, clicking where indicated, brings up an email outgoing message box. Maybe your clicker is broke or you need a better news group reader. <grin>

Lou

Barry O'Grady <barryo1@fastlink.com.au> wrote in article <334bf896.17614544@news.fastlink.com.au>...
> Les Wilson <nessman@servtech.nospam> wrote:
>
> :click here: mailto:nessman@servtech.com
>
> You have the newsgroups confused with the WWW.
>
> Clicking on your click here has no effect whatsoever.
>
> ====================================
> Email address is barryo@fastlink.com.au
> Please remove the 1 from return address when replying.
> Unsolicited commercial emails are not wanted.
> Responses to my article are welcome.
>

1252. FT-5200 Dual In-Band Receive?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Winkelman <wink@felix.kodak.com>
Message-ID: <335521A8.24CE@felix.kodak.com>
Source record: 177642

Hi, Thanks for reading!
I'm considering buying a Yaesu FT-5200. Is it capable of dual in-band receive where I can have both receivers on either 2 meters or 70 cm at one time? I think it would be handy while travelling to have one receiver scanning on 2m while the other receiver is sitting on 146.52 looking for simplex calls.

With the drastic close-out prices at some dealers and the remote control head capabilities of this radio, it looks rather attractive to me!

73,

Gary, N2UM
wink@felix.kodak.com
wink@rpa.net

1253. Help:Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: don.phelps@infoway.com
Message-ID: <861221404@infoway.com>
Source record: 177643

I would like schematic (and any testing information) on

Series 800
Power Purification System
Controlled Power Company
Troy Michigan

Cat. Number 5 AAX-1K-8-C
Mfg # 8-5-8502-85-J

Anyone have an e-mail or web site for these folks?

73, Don N6MCE

... Don.Phelps@Infoway.com 1:125/104 POBox 9739 San Rafael,CA 94912
___ Blue Wave/386 v2.30 [NR]

1254. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <33560f3b.94619833@news.usit.net>
Source record: 177644

On Wed, 16 Apr 1997 07:47:11 -0500, Kenneth M Gianino
<ken@notify1.com> wrote:

>(did the market even glitch?). I would consider TT in a minute if they
>would produce a modern, general coverage HF rig. Ten-Tec's customer
>service IS truly unmatched, but you can only sell so many ham-band-only
>rigs and $29.95 kits in today's market.

... (stuff deleted) ...

>I'll probably get flamed for this, however, I WOULD consider purchasing
>a new MODERN (general coverage) Ten-Tec HF rig.

No flames, but by limiting the receive coverage to ham-band only,
TenTec is able to peak the receivers. It is part and parcel of what
makes their ears so superior to others on the market.

It is a trade-off, certainly. But one I (and many others) gladly
make. I don't currently own a TenTec, nor do I work for them (or
anybody at this point). But if there is a dissatisfied TenTec owner
out there, I'll gladly swap my ham-band only Yaesu FT707 with them!

As a voice rig, the FT707 is fine. The receive audio quality is
quite wonderful, in fact -- superior to that of other rigs I've
owned (Kenwood mostly). But I'm a CW op mostly, and the semi-QSK
operation isn't even close to semi-QSK, and the CW filtering isn't
narrow enough without the optional 300Hz filter.

Any voice ops out there want to trade?

72 es 73 de
Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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1255. [=== LOOKING for old HP & Tektronics CATALOGS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <861226329.5763@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177645
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,comp.security.unix,sci.electronics.misc,rec.video.production

Greetings!

I am looking for old catalogs from HP and
Tektronics before 1980 or so.

I will gladly pay for shipping and handeling.

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

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1256. Shareware US Callbook available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7ln@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5j3g1s$rnd@esnews.corp.es.com>
Source record: 177646
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I have recently released my Shareware Callbook for distribution. It
is a complete and fully functional US Callbook that runs on any PC.
(386 may take up to a minute to find a call, 486 and higher 10-15 seconds.)

The callbook is updated up thru February 24, 1997 and includes many
of the recently released vanity calls. The callbook includes calls, names,
and addresses only. It is 24 megabytes to download and takes up 61 megabytes
on your hard disk.

Visit my website for more information: http://www.qsl.net/n7ln/callbook.html
or ftp it directly from ftp.qsl.net in the /pub/n7ln directory. Registration
is only $10. Read the file CALLBOOK.TXT first.

Come check it out!
Darvell (N7LN)

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Darvell D. Hunt (N7LN) n7ln@qsl.net
See info about my QSL clip art CD at: http://www.qsl.net/n7ln

1257. WTB ACC FC900 INTERFACE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: LEE <K6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <335514C6.3895@pacbell.net>
Source record: 177647

I am looking to buy an acc fc900 interface,working or not.I do not need any radio modules.Please advise on condition and price if you have one for sale.
AL
K6DJP

1258. FS: King VHF HTs - loaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Bailey <wm8s@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4aad$11e5c600$247e65ce@wm8s-1>
Source record: 177648
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.scanner

Two (2) King EPH-4152A VHF high-band, synthesized hand units, *loaded*. One is in pretty good condition (hairline crack in case where cover screw tightens) and currently operates from 144 through 174 MHz; one is in fair condition (small chip around volume control, which has been replaced by factory authorized technician) and currently operates from 148 through 174 MHz. Both radios are field or computer programmable (see below), and both are complete and functional with the following options (all factory installed) and accessories:

- 210-channel modification arranged as 15 banks of 14 channels (both)
- UCOM programmable tone paging board (which takes over bank 15) with DTMF ANI (both)
- programmable frequency-inversion voice-scrambling security board (export restricted) (both)
- DTMF (Touch Tone^SM^) pad for phone patch or system control
- brand new antenna (each)
- brand new battery (each)
- very good condition 120VAC, rapid desk-top charger (each)
- good condition leather case with belt swivel (each)
- user and field programming manuals (one set)

Features include:

- Solid, commercial radios with plenty of RF and audio.
- Radio will scan all enabled channels in one bank, or all enabled channels in all 14 banks.
- Seven-character, back-lit alphanumeric display with normal or blinking characters; shows group or channel name.
- Several programmable Priority channel modes.
- Programmable multi-function switch will act as: high-low power switch, paging decoder enable/disable or scrambler enable/disable.
- Programmable battery-saver modes.
- Programmable security code to access field programming.
- Programmable busy channel lockout features.
- Optional speaker-microphone is available.

Buy both radios and the package includes the factory computer programming cable (requires PC with RS-232 serial port) and all required programming and service software (requires IBM compatible PC)!

Asking $1500 for the entire package. *May* consider separating radios later. Will *NOT* consider separating programming gear, so please don't ask.

You don't know me, and I don't know you, so I can supply *plenty* of references. The scrambler and the progamming software and cable are both sales-restricted items. Therefore, the only way I can sell this package is with a reference (a quick phone call to your chief, etc.) and after receipt of a check or money order.

For more information, contact:

Owner: Rob Bailey
RACES Officer
City of Charleston WV
e-mail: wm8s@pobox.com

1259. HTX 101 Manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul J. Henley" <pjhenley@midway.uchicago.edu>
Message-ID: <33554DDA.45017372@midway.uchicago.edu>
Source record: 177649

I've got an HTX 101 (I think that's the 10 meter ssb/cw model number!) and I can't get it to transmit. The TX light turns on but it just doesn't do anything. It's not like something has blown, it just sits there and keeps recieving. I'm wondering if it may have reverted to its shipping state which disables transmit, so if anyone has a manual for it, could you email me?

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Paul J. Henley KF4KDT
mailto:pjhenley@midway.uchicago.edu
http://student-www.uchicago.edu/users/pjhenley/

1260. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <wa8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <33556F97.4B58@kellnet.com>
Source record: 177650

> >
> > Ten Tec's problem is that most amateurs today do not know how to
> > evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
> > blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
> > the color of the cabinet. If they did know how to evaluate a rig,
> > they're would be far fewer off shore boxes adorning hamshacks and a lot
> > more T-T.
> >
> > Dale
> > W4OP
> TEN TEC is pretty pricey for what you get compaired to the Rice Boxes.
> I feel that is the sole reason for the success of Yaesu, Kenwood, Icom.

Wellllll, I have to agree with the comments that say 1 zillion memories
is more important than a good quiet receiver. You talk to the factory
Reps at Dayton, for example, and most start out by telling you that
THERE ARE 178364803 MEMORIES AND 3746 VFOS AND 36498566 KNOBS! Once you
wade through all this bravo sierra you might find out about dynamic
range, noise floor, etc.....

Used ta be "If you can't hear 'em, you can't work 'em". Sorta still is
but that gets overlooked by the bells and whistles. Some of the world's
finest receivers have very few knobs, like Rhode $ Schwartz.....

A number of years ago, Bill, AC8B and I were in Atlanta. Went to the
company Radio Club and played with the TR-7 for a while. Then we went
to HRO, about 10 minutes away. We listened to 10 mtrs on an Omni-V.
Thought the radio was broke, the receiver was so quiet. Didn't hear any
signals either. Tried a KW, Icom, and Yaesu that were connected to the
antenna switch. No signals there either, but was there a lot of noise
coming out of the speaker..... Rather have a quiet rx so I can hear the
weak ones.....

There. Thats my $0.02 about that!

73, Bob
--
<> Bob Sull WA8IMO <>
"73, CUL, es keep the FUN in Ham radio."
>Life Member-ARRL QCWA< >Member-NODXA NCDXF<
>DXCC WAS RCC < >8P9BC<
>QSL Mgr for 8P6JG<
>WA8IMO@W8IZ.#NEOH.OH.USA<
>WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM<

1261. SB1000/AL80 Conversion for 6 meters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Laurence R. Menzel" <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4aba$122ad260$1f85aac7@lm>
Source record: 177651

Hello all,

Does anyone have any information regarding the feasibility of converting an SB1000 type linear amp for use on 6 meters? This is a single 3-500Z tube amplifier.

I'd appreciate a email reply. Please include a copy of any respose to my friend Paul, N0ZJI, at paulhe@juno.com.

Thanks everyone for your help.

Larry N0XB
Northfield, MN

1262. Re: ???? About Coax Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgkepner@facstaff.wisc.edu
Message-ID: <5j3nr5$43ci@news.doit.wisc.edu>
Source record: 177652

Michael Ryan <WO4J@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Can anyone out there can tell me what Belden 9862 Coax Cable is used
>for? It's larger than RG58 but smaller than RG6. It has a very good
>copper shield, and solid center conductor with a small strand of plastic
>wrapped around the center conductor.

> This is what is labled on the outside jacket of the cable.
>Belden 9862 M17-030-RGO62 MIL-C-17E 16428 AWM STYLE 1478 VW-1 QF

>I have a 2,000 FT roll with no use, if someone knows what it is used for
>please let me know.
>Don't know if it would be good for Ham Radio use, or is it more or less
>used for a video cable? Any help would be appreciated.

I can't be sure without checking the Belden catalog, but this sounds
like RG-62. RG-62 is 92 Ohm, low capacitance cable.

Jim

Melissa Kepner Jim Adney
mgkepner@facstaff.wisc.edu jim.adney@mpcug.com
Laura Kepner-Adney
Madison, Wisconsin

1263. Re: HTX-204 Can be modified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: SoCal2775@aol.com
Message-ID: <861231332.10107@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177653

In article ,
"Les Alverson" wrote:
>
> Below you should see a list of mods that can be done to the 204.
>
> This is from ADI's web site

These mods are most definetly -not- from ADI's website. These are from my own personal website, which ADI happens to have a link to. Check out http://members.aol.com/adiradio/adimods.html to find the modifications for other ADI radios.

PREMIER Communication's official stand on the HTX-204 can be found on the ADI website at http://www.adi-radio.com/serv02.htm.

SoCal2775@aol.com "Look. We're all maladjusted little weirdos or we wouldn't be doing this." --Don Henley

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1264. Re: FT-5200 Dual In-Band Receive?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidosbo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970416200600.QAA25882@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177654

It is my understanding that the FT-5100 (same as FT-5200 but no remote head possible) has dual in-band receive and that the FT-5200 does not.
73,
David, N8DO

1265. For Sale :Yaesue FT-5100, Ft-530, AEA PK900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan McKeown <jmckeown@msn.com>
Message-ID: <5j379q$sd8@news.fsu.edu>
Source record: 177655

I have several items for sale all of which are in excellent condition. I

have a Yaesu FT-5100, Yaesu FT-530, and an AEA PK 900 for sale. I have

simply lost interest and none of the equipment is being used anymore.

Willing to take best offer an all the equipment, or any piece. Ihave the
manuals, and

original boxes for all except the PK 900, which I don't have the orginal

box for, but have the maual and the cables, and software. If interested in
any of the

equipment please email me.

73's

KQ4EQ

Jonathan McKeown

jmckeown@msn.com

1266. FS SWL Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: anargyro@mbay.net
Message-ID: <anargyro-1604971748460001@c15.dip.mbay.net>
Source record: 177656

For Sale:

Heathkit SB-313 Solid-State SWL Receiver with manual. Built by a friend...in excellent condition and working great.

Make me an offer I can't refuse.

1267. Icom 761 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr.Grafenberg" <drg@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33558541.1C3C@flash.net>
Source record: 177657

Icom 761 HF rig for sale.Very good condition.Manual and Mic included.Mic is a Heil HM-10 dual mic element.I'll throw in a Kenwood mic cord also.Mic cost 140.00 new and cords are 25.00,totall package $1000.oo and will split shipping cost. drg@flash.net

Dave N5SNB

1268. FS: GE MVS 16 CHANNEL UHF RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John E. Fitzsimmons" <jofitzsimmons@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <3355923B.4FCC@monmouth.com>
Source record: 177658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FOR SALE 16 CHANNEL GE MVS UHF RADIO LIKE NEW CONDITION.
$300.00 plus SHIPPING.
CALL JOHN AT 1-908-739-3459 or E-mail: jofitzsimmons@monmouth.com

1269. WTP: ARRL HAM Theory Video Course

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k_porter@telis.org
Message-ID: <k_porter-1604972005060001@s14-pm01.ucsd.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 177659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking to buy the following ARRL Amateur Radio Video Exam Course:

Technician
General
&
Advanced

If you have the above items (complete with documentation) and are
interesting in selling them..contact me.

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K.Porter
k_porter@telis.org

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1270. FS Iccom 765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee St. Clair" <w7ax@montananet.com>
Message-ID: <33559292.A84@montananet.com>
Source record: 177660

This is posted for a friend of mine who is a little short of cash.If I had the bucks this ad would not be here. He is asking $1250.00! Call him at 505-632-0242 and ask for Tom 73
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Warm regards,

Lee St.Clair (W7AX)
971 Bear Creek Trail
Victor, MT 59875

1271. FS Icom 765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee St. Clair" <w7ax@montananet.com>
Message-ID: <33559471.72A0@montananet.com>
Source record: 177661

This is posted for a friend. He is down on his luck at the moment and needs $1250.00 for it.Call him at 505-632-0242. Please don't call me. 73
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Warm regards,

Lee St.Clair (W7AX)
971 Bear Creek Trail
Victor, MT 59875

1272. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <rlewis@staffnet.com>
Message-ID: <335529C4.78A1@staffnet.com>
Source record: 177662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> "WE HAMS SHOULD BUY FROM MANY OF THE SMALLER GUYS WHO ADVERTISE A LOW
> PRICE WITH GUARANTEES. DO NOT GO TO HRO TO GET THEM TO MATCH THE > PRICE. GO TO THE DEALER WHO WAS HAPPY TO SELL IT TO YOU FOR THE LOW > PRICE IN THE FIRST PLACE. IF ALL THE SMALL DEALERS KEEP GOING OUT OF > BUSINESS THE THERE WILL ONLY BE A COUPLE OF GIANT DEALERS WHO CAN FIX > THE PRICES. WE HAMS WILL BE POWERLESS AND WILL BE FORCED TO PAY."

As a general rule, I find that the big guys have the lower prices due to
their larger quantity purchases. Several years ago I tried to get the
local (small) store to match the AES price on a new rig and was told
that they paid more than AES was selling it to me for!

1273. MASTR II frequency changes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samuel Johnson <samjohnson@Bledsoe.net>
Message-ID: <335553D5.1339@Bledsoe.net>
Source record: 177663

I am setting up MASTR II's for repeater use. The only problem I have, is that the manual says to read the frequency with a frequency counter at a certain point in the radio. My point is, it has to be 9 times the frequency. In the 440 range, this puts the frequency far above the frequency counters that I have access to. Am I looking at the problem wrong? Can anyone help me decide on how to solve this situation? I have the GE test set, MASTR II manuals to work with, plus the mods.
Any help appreciated,
Sam Johnson KF4GQS

1274. Re: Morse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgm@netcom.com
Message-ID: <tgmE8r3ot.GC2@netcom.com>
Source record: 177664
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.morse,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dale (rug@edison.dialix.com.au) wrote:
: Can someone pls (nicely:) direct me to a reference in relation to the
: basics of Morse code equipment. Specifically as to the design and
: construction of the old style of electr mechanical sounders.

Check out the "Telegraph Lore" web page:

http://www.cris.com/~Gsraven/index.shtml

1275. FS: 60channel,800mhz, handheld, RSpro29 $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@erols.com
Message-ID: <33624e0b.1330211@news.erols.com>
Source record: 177665

Title says it all, the unit is in perfect condiction with all the
accessaries.
$100
Later,

1276. Request info on an SBE-33

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <5j22n5$rkb@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 177666

I'm buying an SBE-33 sight unseen for $20. I recall seeing ads
in QST for SBE but remember nothing about their rigs. Can someone
tell me what the 33 is? Does it have CW? What tubes does it use
for the driver and final? Does anyone have a manual for it?

Thanks in advance,
Jeff KH2PZ / KH6

1277. Re: On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <wa8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <33556B83.1EA9@kellnet.com>
Source record: 177667

Canopus wrote:
>
> Jetleb@netcom.ca wrote:
> >
> > With regard to the question of how to mount a glass-mount antenna, may I
> > suggest going to your local windsheild replacement shop and have them
> > glue it on? My mirror fell of last summer so I went to one of the above
> > shops and they glued it on - no charge. It's only a few drops of glue to
> > them.
> >
> > Matthias Jetleb VA3-MWJ
>
> I found that the GE silicone glue (I used the bathroom caulking and the
> general purpose type. Other types should work as well.) worked very
> well for mounting the rear view mirror. I used the special glue for the
> mirror from an automotive shop once and failed. I used the GE glue on
> three different cars and had not have any failure during my ownership of
> the cars.

I went to my local ham radio store and bought a Larsen relocation kit,
cost $5 or less, and remounted my KG 2/70. If I change cars and keep
using the KG 2/70 it will come off and not destroy anything. (Like
itself.....)

If you don't want to spend $5 see what a cell phone shop will charge
you.....

73,
Bob

--
<> Bob Sull WA8IMO <>
"73, CUL, es keep the FUN in Ham radio."
>Life Member-ARRL QCWA< >Member-NODXA NCDXF<
>DXCC WAS RCC < >8P9BC<
>QSL Mgr for 8P6JG<
>WA8IMO@W8IZ.#NEOH.OH.USA<
>WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM<

Bob Sull
"Take only photographs, leave only footprints."
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WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM

1278. FS: ICOM 765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee St. Clair" <w7ax@montananet.com>
Message-ID: <33554E50.6D53@montananet.com>
Source record: 177668

I have a friend who has aneed of immediate cash.He cannot get on the Internet so I have volunteered to post his rig here.He is asking $1250.00 for it and if I had the cash you would not see this ad here. Call him only at505-632-0242 ask for Tom. Please do not call me on this.73
--
Warm regards,

Lee St.Clair (W7AX)
971 Bear Creek Trail
Victor, MT 59875

1279. WTB: Harris RF-505A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5off@w5ddl.aara.org.nospam
Message-ID: <n5off-1604971815410001@ip120.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 177669

Looking to buy a mint Harris RF-505A.

Thanks
Tom
318-989-3430

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Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

1280. Re: ???? About Coax Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burke.Baumann@IAC.honeywell.com
Message-ID: <5j3ncj$t01@cstnews.iac.honeywell.com>
Source record: 177670

In article <335333B9.C0F@worldnet.att.net>, Michael Ryan <WO4J@worldnet.att.net> says:
>
>Can anyone out there can tell me what Belden 9862 Coax Cable is used
>for? It's larger than RG58 but smaller than RG6. It has a very good
>copper shield, and solid center conductor with a small strand of plastic
>wrapped around the center conductor.
>
> This is what is labled on the outside jacket of the cable.
>Belden 9862 M17-030-RGO62 MIL-C-17E 16428 AWM STYLE 1478 VW-1 QF
>
>I have a 2,000 FT roll with no use, if someone knows what it is used for
>please let me know.
>Don't know if it would be good for Ham Radio use, or is it more or less
>used for a video cable? Any help would be appreciated.
>
> Thanks!!!
> Mike WO4J

Belden 9862 is 93 ohm coax with a number 22 copper covered steel center conductor.

Here are the specs

velocity of propogation 84%
nom inp. 93 ohms
capacitance 13.5pf/foot
semi-solid polyethylene center insulation
black non-contaninating PVC jacket
shield bare copper 95% shield coverage

attenuation

mhz db/100ft
10 .85
50 1.9
100 2.7
200 3.8
400 5.3

Hope this helps.

73 Burke KF7NP

1281. Re: Strange 8-pin DIN for Yaesu FT-1000MP ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Axing <janax@li.icl.se>
Message-ID: <335500AB.2E39@li.icl.se>
Source record: 177671

Bob Lewis wrote:
>
> Tom McDermott wrote:
> >
> > I have just acquired a Yaesu FT-1000MP. It has what appears
> > to be an 8-pin DIN connector for providing transistor-level
> > keying of a linear amplifier. However, the 8-pin DIN I purchased
> > at Radio Shack does not fit! Two of the pins are in slightly
> > different locations.

> > Is this connector special? Are there two different standards for
> > 8-pin DIN connectors? Are these strange connectors available
> > somewhere?

> Yup. There seems to be a different standard for those available in the
> US.

The connector available in US is the 8 pin DIN 45326. Kenwood and now
obviously Yaesu are using the "Japanese" standard 8 pin which AFAIK is
not specified by DIN at all. Don't know the history behind it...

This weird connector is available in Sweden for the equivalent of 60
cents.
7 pole not available here but the middle pin can be removed with ease.

--
Jan, SM5GNN
Linkoeping, Sweden
janax@algonet.se
janax@li.icl.se

1282. Radio review Archive?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgmhurd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970416234500.TAA12764@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177672

Is there a website or ftp site that has all of the reviews that qst or cq have done with respect to equipment? I have always enjoyed reading these reviews and know that I haven't read them all. Thanks for any response.
Gary/WR1U

sgmhurd@aol.com
Gary Hurd WR1U
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1283. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa744@james.freenet.hamilton.on.ca
Message-ID: <5j2tlg$fp5@james.freenet.hamilton.on.ca>
Source record: 177673

In <3352fc1f.14865012@eskinews.eskimo.com>, wrt@eskimo.com (Bill Turner)
wrote:
> GUXL80A@prodigy.com (Patrick Morley) wrote:

> >and also- cats can stink up a house pretty fast-worse than just about any
> >dog!!!!

Not worse than a wet dog!,,,I've owned both.The cats will sit on your
warm radio,and keep you company til your next qso.
VE3 FCX

> >
> <><><>

1284. Re: FS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4a4d$ceb2e8e0$5401e8cc@pw>
Source record: 177674

HEY, I will let mine go for a measley 400.00 (grin).

charles copeland <charles1@netcom.com> wrote in article
<charles1E8ps19.I74@netcom.com>...
> In article <01bc4a0b$af4101a0$b34a84d0@shannon.datasync.com>,
> The Manning's <silverd@datasync.com> wrote:
> >Radio Shack Pro 2006 for sale
> >asking $500.00
> >silverd@datasync.com
>
> Heck, I'd sell my Pro 2006 for $450. What a deal!
>
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>
>

1285. Re: FT1000MP clicks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ppavlovi@auto.rockwell.com
Message-ID: <5j2ru4$i9q@lori.zippo.com>
Source record: 177675

In article <5DlZGAAV5gUzEwyA@rydal.demon.co.uk>, Terence says...
>
>I have recently purchased a Yaesu FT1000MP and have been very happy with
>it so far. However, while tuning round on a very quiet band the other
>night I heard a very definate click in the speaker while tuning between
>particular frequency steps. You do not notice the click if signals are
>present, the signal seems to mask the click. The clicks must be
>generated quite late in the receiver because they are still audible (and
>indeed emphasised) with the RF gain at minimum.
>
>On investigating the frequencies concerned I found that the clicks occur
>at regular intervals. I thought at first that they were sub-multiples of
>the second IF of 8.25MHz because they are roughly 82KHz apart. The
>actual spacing between clicks turned out to be 81.92KHz so this does not
>tally exactly with the IF frequency.

Terence,

I have noticed the little "clicks" that you have referred to but, as you,
find them to be of no consequence or concern. That aside, I'm elated with
the radio. The filtering, flexibility and performance have proven to be
better than I could have imagined. I have experimented with most of the
menu items and found it easy to customize the radio to fit MY operational
requirements. I'm sure you will have years of fun ahead with the radio...as
will I.

73,

Peter
N8EVJ
>
>Some spot frequencies to try are between 14.008.31 and 14.008.32,
>between 14.090.23 and 14.090.24 and between 14.172.15 and 14.172.16.
>
>The clicks are not really a problem as they are not even noticable when
>signals are present but I would be very interested to find out more
>about them. Does anyone else with an FT1000MP get the same effect? Is it
>something that is already known about? Is it a result of the particular
>configuration of my rigs menus? if so what do I do to rectify the
>problem.
>
>Any and all comments welcome.
>
>73s all
>

>Terry G4NNO
>--
>Terence Hadley

1286. EZ Pass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey L Cohen <hcohen@eznet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4a00$9da01220$308232cf@default>
Source record: 177676

Does anyone know the technology behind the EZ Pass transponder used on the New York State Thruway. It is a 3 inch square plastic box. What frequency does it operate at? Are there any batteries inside? How does it produce power? Any other details would be appreciated. Just installed one and am curious. K2EJP.
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Harvey L Cohen
hcohen@eznet.net

1287. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5j3k2a$ie96@peach.america.net>
Source record: 177677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Neither AES or HRO's prices are anything to write home about so I wouldn't brag about calling HRO last. You should try some of the smaller dealers who blow both of them away. Both AES and HRO are supposed to be so big and buy in such good quanities so there prices are more conpetitive than everyone else, what a joke. Call Lentini's and ask them for there cash price and card price and in most cases they will be cheaper than both these big so called buy in large quantities and sell for less dealers. Lentini's is not the only one either. You should do your homework before you brag about these so called good prices at HRO. 73, Stevedconti@carroll.com (Daniel M. Conti) wrote:

>"Ed Jones" <edjones@iu.net> wrote:

>>This only goes to prove that Ham's are CHEAP! LOL

>> -= Ed Jones =-
>> KB4OIX

>>GJUDD <GJUDD@Prodigy.Net> wrote in article <3352F2D3.7EE6@Prodigy.Net>...
>>> A>
>>>
>>> > snip
>>> >
>>> > You had better take another look at your AES catalog. They also have
>>the
>>> > list
>>> > prices as:
>>> >
>>> > C156A $289.00 same as HRO
>>> > C228A $695.00 same as HRO
>>> >
>>> > Selling prices:
>>> > C156A $199.95 same as HRO
>>> > C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO
>>> Now you're trying to confuse him with facts, aren't you? He can't relate
>>> to facts very well, apparently.

>Every time I go to price a piece of equipment, I compare the prices at
>HRO to those at AES, and HRO is almost ALWAYS cheaper....

>dconti@carroll.com
>America OnLine BendixK43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
>Ridgefield, New Jersey
>fax (201) 943-2379

1288. Re: Ham Stick HF antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <rlewis@staffnet.com>
Message-ID: <3354B1BA.6CFE@staffnet.com>
Source record: 177678

Dale R. Parfitt wrote:
>
> Bo Henderson wrote:
> >
> > Larry Gibbs wrote:
> > >
> > > sean hall wrote:
> > > >
> > > > On 1 Apr 1997 16:57:32 GMT, davidosbo@aol.com (DavidOsbo) wrote:
> > > >
> > > > >Sean,
> > > > > I'm curious: What about them makes them junk? Is it that they are
> > > > >not broadband, or that they are inefficient, or that they won't handle
> > > > >power, or what?
> > > > >73,
> > > > >David, N8DO
> > > >
> > >
> > > I also recently did some experimenting and research on mobile antennas.
> > > WHat you say is very true. Another example of the same effect is to use
> > > a rubber duck antenna on 2 meters and then change to a 1/2 wave
> > > antenna. You will see a tremendous difference due to capture area.
> > > That is, a bigger antenna collects more signal on receive and puts out
> > > more on transmit. As you said, hamsticks are very poor radiators below
> > > 7 MHz. THe reason is the losses in the tightly wound coil. The larger
> > > the coil and better core material the less loss you have. I did an
> > > experiment comparing a reasonably small diameter bug catcher (2.5
> > > inches) to a ham stick. There was no difference above 40 m. At 40 m
> > > the bug catcher was 1 S unit better than the Hamstick and at 80 m the
> > > bugcatcher was 3 S units above the hamstick. These tests were done on
> > > transmit. I also learned thru experimentation and on the air
> > > discussions that a capacitor is required between the base of the antenna
> > > and ground for 40 m and 80 m. This corrects for the excess inductance
> > > present due to the loading coil. For my vehicle the value was 700 pF.
> > > You can't fool mother nature. The larger the antenna the better the
> > > performance. If you don't like big ugly antennas on your car you might
> > > as well stay off of 80 m. You can stand the 1 S unit loss on 40 m but
> > > the 3 S units on 80 m is hard to overcome. The higher bands are a lot
> > > of fun and the sun spots will soon bring them to life. I have had many
> > > years of great fun on HF mobile. 20, 17, 15, 12, and 10 will be great
> > > fun real soon. Regards Bo
> > > --
> >
> > OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION YOU MAY NEED TO KNOW !

> >
> > Mr. T.G. "Bo" Henderson Bo Knows Physics.....
> > Physitron, Inc. Located in the Beautiful Tennessee Valley.
> > 3304A Westmill Dr.
> > Huntsville AL 35805 Rocket City USA
> > 205-534-4844 Where the Sky is NOT the Limit !
> > 205-534-4846 FAX
> > E-mail: bo@physitron.com WORK
> > E-mail: bo@being changed HOME
> > Also checkout the Webpage at http://www.physitron.com
>
> Although I have not used either antenna, I doubt the shunt capacity is
> needed to cancel the inductance of the loading coil. The antenna can be
> tuned for resonance w/o any shunt capacity. Howver, the feedpoint
> resistance would be quite low. The shunt capacity is introduced in order
> to form an L network to raise the feed resistance. When the shubt
> capacity is introduced, the antenna will most likely need to be
> lengthened somewhat so that the feed is now resistive +inductive- the
> inductance forming the series L of the L network.
>
> Dale
> W4OP

Good assessment on mobile antennas. You almost never get something for
nothing. If you want low wind resistance and less obtrusive you have to
give up pereformance on the lower bands - a good tradeoff for me.

1289. Alinco DJ-X10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hajo <hans-joachimwe@metronet.de>
Message-ID: <01bc4a0b$42a5f780$4e65a8c0@default>
Source record: 177802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateu

Hi Freaks,

Is there anybody on group who can give me some technical Information, and
also some good pictures, about this Scanner ???

Many thanks
Joe

Please post it to hans-joachimwe@metronet.de

1290. Re: Index Labs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: earlve3ab@igs.net
Message-ID: <5j1ai5nge2@nntp.igs.net>
Source record: 177803

In article <01bc49c6$83b41260$4e90b3cc@khamilto.cisnet.com>,
khamilton@cisnet.com says...
>
>Does anyone know how to get a hold of Index Labs??? I've tried their
>telephone numerous times and left massages asking them to call back
but I'm
>getting no reply. HELP PLEASE
>
>khamilton@cisnet.com
>
>I subscribe to a group QRP-L and in some of their daily bulletins some
messages I read stated that the company may have shut down or something
to that effect. I didnt pay a great deal of attention but if you like
email me at earlve3ab@igs.net and I can take a closer look at some of
the daily bulletins. 73 earl

1291. FS or FT: HF Mobile equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdwatt@usit.net
Message-ID: <33544f8f.45544734@news.usit.net>
Source record: 177804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

For Sale or Trade:

Yaesu FT-707, 80-10m with WARC bands, all solid state. $450
Outbacker, Jr., 4 ft. tall HF mobile antenna, 80-10 including WARC
bands. $175
MFJ-945D 300w HF antenna tuner. $85

All items you ship, your method.

Needs/wants/desires (other than cash):

Vibroplex Brass Racer Keyer
Wilderness Radio Sierra (with KC-2 and 40-10 band modules)
Index Labs QRP++
TenTec HF equipment (Omni C, Argo, Scout, etc.)
Compact HF rig (TS-50, DX-70, IC706 size and feature range).

Trades -- we ship our own.

No cash to give on wanted equipment -- trades only. Sorry. When I
get a job, we'll talk about cash. Package trades preferred.

The Telex headset is spoken for (previous post).

72 es 73 de
Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #???? - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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1292. FS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Manning's <silverd@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4a0b$af4101a0$b34a84d0@shannon.datasync.com>
Source record: 177805

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Radio Shack Pro 2006 for sale
asking $500.00
silverd@datasync.com
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1293. Re: FS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1E8ps19.I74@netcom.com>
Source record: 177806

In article <01bc4a0b$af4101a0$b34a84d0@shannon.datasync.com>,
The Manning's <silverd@datasync.com> wrote:
>Radio Shack Pro 2006 for sale
>asking $500.00
>silverd@datasync.com

Heck, I'd sell my Pro 2006 for $450. What a deal!

1294. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <E8pp6I.LHL@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 177807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card> wrote:

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>[1]-----------------------------------------------------+
>| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
>| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
>| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
>| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
>| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
>| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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Ted,

I'd be VERY surprised if Mr. Ferrero at HRO does not sue your BALLS off.....

What possessed you to begin this ridiculous diatribe against HRO anyway?

When will those here realize that the free and open marketplace works fine here, and in the ham community, without the continued blabbering of the self-appointed "price police", and those who feel that is their self-appointed duty to protect the rest of us "vulnerable hams" from the eveil merchants out there looking to rob us of every last dollar.

If HRO was doing something wrong, misleading their customers, or overpriced, they would NOT be in business very long, especially in the cut throat amateur equipment environment. Just the opposite, HRO has in excess of 6 or 8 stores and counting.

You bore us all to death trying to explain your way out of a huge faux pas, and then initiate a tirade against Standard Radio.

Maybe HRO and STANDARD will BOTH sue you.

Don't be mislead by a false sense of anonymity here either.

Rest assured that ANY law firm would have the resources to track you down in a New York second.

I've dealt with HRO many times, and find them to be an EXCELLENT company to deal with, whether I'm buying a $600 radio, or a $15 antenna part. My orders are treated with equal concern.

As well, Standard makes a FINE product, always on the cutting edge of new design and features.

Hats off to both.

>Please note that in spite of the embarrassment that comes with doing so,
>I have publicly posted this reply to HRO in the above newsgroups to help
>rectify the confusion of this situation.

>On Mon, 14 Apr 1997, clw wrote:

>> On April 9, 1997 you posted a message on the
>> rec.radio.amateur.equipment newsgroup, with the title of:
>> HRO's catalog of LIES.
>>
>> Normally we do not respond to the opinions of our supportive customers
>> or our detractors when they are stating their beliefs pertaining to a
>> given product or situation. However, in this case, your statements are
>> false, misleading, and libelous.
>>
>> WHAT IS YOUR AGENDA?

>My agenda WAS to expose what I was mislead to perceive as deceit, at no
>fault of my own,(which I fully explain below).

>But NOW my agenda here is to publicly apologize and retract my statements
>about HRO now that I have found out who was really responsible for the
>misinformation... namely Standard Radio.
>
>> A.) You stated in your Usenet posting that the factory suggested prices
>> are:
>>
>> "Standard Says.
>> Model Suggested
>> C156A $199.95
>> C228A $579.95 "
>>
>> FACT:
>> Roger Wayman at Standard Amateur Radio Products confirms that the
>> Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price (MSRP) for the two radios you
>> quoted in your posting are as follows:
>> C156A $289.00
>> C228A $695.00
>> These prices have been valid since July 18, 1996.

>But they were NOT on the price list I saw on Standard's webpage! Only the
>lower price was. And that is how this whole mess ot started. See my further
>explanation below.

>> Where did you obtain your "Standard says" information?

>From the misleading price list on Standard's webpage which they have
>since changed.

>> I will grant you the fact that the HRO catalog shows $289.95 and
>> $695.95, respectively. Are you upset over 95 cents?
>>

>> B.) You stated in your posting that "if you want to pat a company on
>> the back, look to Ten Tech (sic) or AES. They are two of the most
>> straight-forward companies around and they deserve a pat on the back".
>>
>> FACT:
>> I will not make any comments regarding Ten-Tec. Why didn't you look
>> in the Winter 96/97 AES catalog, on page 21? They show the following
>> regular prices, for the Standard radios, you quoted:
>> C156A $289.00
>> C228A $695.00

>I found this out from a friend who brought it to my attention after
>seeing my post about HRO. Since I do not have AES's catalog in hardcopy I
>was not aware of this because their prices on the AES website only list
>ONE price... which is the MSRP that I've recently learned that Standard
>has called a "street price", which, technically, is a SECOND MSRP, even
>if Standard did give it another name. I explain that further below also.

>> C.) You also stated, in part, "...they are so big that they can afford
>> to be straight with us but I guess maybe greed has blinded them to the
>> fact that hams are not stupid and we eventually find out when a company
>> is full of crap."
>>
>> FACT:
>> HRO tries its best to treat all customers with respect. We try to
>> publish information that is accurate. Catalogs are prepared in advance
>> of the published date, with diligence, however, with the fluctuating
>> World money markets, prices do change. We encourage our customers to
>> call us for pricing. How did you "find out when a company is full of
>> crap."? You did not check the Internet, Standard does not post MSRP on
>> their Web pages.

>Standard's "street price" indeed IS an "MSRP" whether they want to call
>it that or not. They are a manufacturer. Standard's "street price" is a
>suggestion from them to retailers of what price to actually sell the
>radio for. Therefore it is natural to deduce that their "street price"
>DOES fit the concept of an "MSRP". Since Standard's pricelist on
>their webpage only listed their "street price" without ever
>mentioning that there was also a higher "MSRP", THAT is how I was mislead
>into thinking that HRO was inventing prices in their catalog. And it
>wasn't just me. I am sure that Mr. Hershman and anyone else who came to
>the same conclusion are not stupid people either. But one does not have
>to be stupid to be mislead and misinformed at no fault of their own.

>> You did not contact Standard.

>Logging onto their website is contacting them. I shouldn't need to HUNT
>any further for the fact that they have TWO prices on their products. The
>fact that they ommitted that information constitutes an inaccuracy on
>Standard's part, and that is not my fault, although I am sorry about the
>results that it caused.

>> You did not consult the AES catalog. WHERE DID YOU GET YOUR DEFINITIVE
>> INFORMATION?

>I consulted their online catalog because I did not have one in hardcopy.
>I can not be held responsible for AES failing to make sure that the
>information on their website catalog accurately reflected the information
>in their hardcopy catalog. I was not the author of the AES website, nor of
>Standard's.

>> D.) In your April 13, 1997 newsgroup posting, in response to Larry
>> Robinson, you said, in part, "Quit defending somethin (sic) that has no
>> defense. If they lied then they lied. End of story. Just for the hope
>> of curing your ignorance, I'll repost my original message for you to
>> read. ... all of their websites can be accessed thru mine." Further, in
>> your April 13, 1997 response to WB0NZV, you said, in part, "Am I the
>> only consumer who does his "homework' out here? Or are most of you too
>> rich to care?"
>>
>> FACT:
>> You did not verify your claims with Standard Amateur Radio Products.

>WRONG! I did verify it by looking at the price list on Standards webpage
>and on that price list was only ONE price per product and that price was
>identical to your "Discount price". It is not my fault if Standard's
>webpage was misleading. Standard recently changed this entirely, because
>the price list I saw is no longer there. In fact, they seem to have
>redone the entire HT section of their website. It is not at all as I
>remember it.

>> The statement, "All this in a Standard -for under $200 USD!", that you
>> see on their web page is not the MSRP for the C156A. WHERE DID YOU GET
>> YOUR DEFINITIVE INFORMATION? IN FACT, you did NOT do your homework.
>> Once again, you are making false, misleading, and libelous remarks.

>I don't care what kind of buzzwords someone invents. IF a manufacturer
>suggests a price for a retailer to sell a product at then that IS an MSRP.

>I now realize that Standard has TWO different MSRP's, BUT they call the
>lower of the two a "street price". But notwithstanding, since they the
>manufacturer suggest that you the retailer sell their product at this
>"street price" then the "street price" does indeed, by normal logic, fit
>the definition of a "Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price". Again, at no
>fault of either your company and at no fault of my own. I now see that
>the one responsible for this confusion is Standard for having TWO MSRP's
>and trying to disguise that fact by calling one of them a "street price".

>> Your repost on April 13, 1997 reinforces your intent.

>My only intent was to expose what appeared to be trickery. However,
>as I have explained above, the trickery has turned out to be not on the
>part of HRO and that is wy I am now publicly retracting my error,(which I
>assure you WAS an honest mistake made with noble intentions),
>
>> E.) Since Mr. Hershman, responding to your inaccurate remarks, also

>> made false claims, I will direct the following remarks to him. Mr.
>> Hershman said, in part, "I just checked out Ted's comments in the HRO
>> catalogue and he is abolutely (sic)true".

>> FACT:
>> Mr. Hershman did email Roger Wayman, at Standard Amateur Radio
>> Products, regarding the MSRP for the C156A. Roger Wayman responded with
>> the MSRP of $289.00. . WHERE DID YOU GET YOUR DEFINITIVE INFORMATION?

>Too bad Rodger Wayman didn't put that info on Standard's website BEFORE I
>read it, because if he had, none of this mess would have even occured!
>And THAT is a FACT!

>> You "de facto" lied, you did not publish the MSRP that you received from
>> Standard. WHAT IS YOUR AGENDA, MR. HERSHMAN? You are disseminating
>> false, misleading, and libelous remarks.
>>
>> F.) Mr. Hershman states, in part, "If HRO keeps buying up the small
>> guys they will be so big that they will charge whatever they want and we
>> will be powerless!!!!".
>>
>> FACT:
>> HRO does not solicit to buy out companies. For years companies have
>> come to HRO with offers to have us buy them out. In every case their
>> decision to go out of business was already made prior to their
>> approaching HRO. Nine out of ten times we do not purchase their assets.

>It matters not to the comsumer who solicited who. What matters to the
>consumer is how much it ends up costin US. Ham radio was never intended
>to be a "rich man's hobby" and all those who have contributed to turning
>ham radio into a "rich man's hobby" are the most responsible, in my
>personal opinion, for murdering the "spirit" of ham radio. That opinion
>is not directed exclusively at HRO or any one company. The manufacturer's
>are as culpable as any retailers, if not more. It's not uncommon for
>radios to retail at 3 or 4 times what it costs to mass-produce them! I'm
>all for free enterprize but when the markup from the cost of making the
>rig and the final price gets that huge, we the buyer quite naturally feel
>like we're being royally screwed. And why shouldn't we? $200-$1000 or more
>for a damned walkie-talkie??? Some of which have little more features
>than a $40 CB radio??? Geez guys, GIVE US A BREAK!!! At this rate, it
>seems it won't be long before only Ross Perot can afford to buy a rig!

>> In summary, HRO welcomes constructive criticism. As active hams we
>> pride ourselves in serving the Amateur Community, however, we will not
>> tolerate false, misleading, nor libelous remarks, regardless of the forum.

>> Signed:
>> Robert G. Ferrero, President
>> Ham Radio Outlet

>By the way, I thank you for taking a moment from your busy schedule to
>respond to this matter personally and for saying it as you meant it. I

>highly respect a person who says what he means and means what he says,
>even if you may have been blunt, which is both understandable and
>respectable and since you have been so straightforward about it I now
>regard HRO with considerabley more respect than previously and will be
>sure to let others know that I feel that way.

>I was mislead and misinformed and I apologize for the results that came
>about as a result of it. If you have read my postings in usenet in the
>past then you know it takes alot for me to say that. I have a lot of
>pride and am a very headstrong person and yet if I was wrong, that is not
>something to be proud of so I can and do apologize when I am shown that I
>was wrong, because when you get right down to it, it's better to be right
>than to be proud and I am grateful that I've been blessed with enough
>sense to know that.

>I totally retract what I said about HRO's prices and not because I am
>afraid of being sued,(after all, none of you know who the hell I am), but
>because it is the right thing to do and because I passionately HATE when
>I am wrong... it's embarrassing as hell, even when it wasn't my fault.
>like any falable human being, I am quite capable of putting my OWN foot in
>my mouth and I didn't expect or want any help from Standard! I resent
>their having done so.

>I must also say that the embarrassment that this has caused me makes me
>want to never buy a product from Standard Radio again unless I buy it
>used, because then an individual ham will get my money, not Standard.

>Let me say it plainly and clearly:

>I was WRONG and I retract what I said about HRO's pricing on Standard's
>radios and I sincerely apologize to and ask the forgiveness of HRO and
>all of you who read these newsgroups for posting the same misinformation
>that was given to me, which I did not know was incorrect at the time. I
>hope that this apology, explanation and retraction is satisfactory
>because it's the best I can do and it has caused me undue embarrassment,
>which I can assure you is NOT something that I take lightly! To be blunt,
>I am extremely pissed at Standard for this. I feel that Standard owes us
>all an apology!

>It's bad enough that some of Standard's radios have been deliberately
>redesigned in a manner that compels the consumers to buy more accessories
>from Standard in order to make the use of said radios more practical and
>more comfortable,(the C156A was designed in a way that makes it totally
>uncomfortable and impractical to use without a speaker/mic and external
>power source). Such proprietary design is something any normal person
>would find offensive, because you go in thinging you'll spend $199.95
>plus tax, if any, and end up having to spend over $300 to use the blasted
>thing and even then the power cord won't stay in the radio's jack! I'll
>be very happy when Uniden comes out with a line of ham rigs again.

>But I've said all of this before as have others and the point of this
>message was not to critique Standard's rigs, but to clear up this

>confusion with HRO. I hope I have done so and I ask that HRO forgive me
>for having a very natural human reaction to what info was on Standard's
>website.

>A final comment:

>This dual-pricing from the manufacturer seems as if it was designed to
>confuse people and regretfully, that is just what it has done. If there
>is one thing this world doesn't need, it is more confusion than it has
>already... especially since the amateur radio hobby is SUPPOSED to be
>about COMMUNICATION!

>Now if you will all excuse me I have to go wash the taste of foot out of
>my mouth.

>Ted (ted@caprica.com)

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>[2]-----------------------------------------------------+
>| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
>| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
>| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
>| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
>| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
>| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
>| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
>+---------------------------+---------------------------+
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>[3]-------------------------+---------------------------+
>| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
>| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
>| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
>+---------------------------+---------------------------+
> |
>[4]-------------------------+---------------------------+
>| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
>| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
>+---------------------------+---------------------------+
> |
>[5]-------------------------+---------------------------+
>| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
>| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
>| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
>| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
>| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
>| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
>+-----------------------------------------------------+
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fax (201) 943-2379

1295. V : Sony ICF-SW55

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: moex@saarbruecken.netsurf.de
Message-ID: <5j1g3v$p8b$1@tabaluga.gni.net>
Source record: 177808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Aus Zeitmangel verkaufe ich meinen
Sony ICF-SW55, 6 Monate alt, top Zustand.

VB : 400.-

Angebote bitte per E-Mail an mich.

Markus

****
* moex@saarbruecken.netsurf.de *
* Markus Spurk *
* Dentist *
* Germany *
* created by IBM Voice Dictate *
****

1296. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikey@feist.com
Message-ID: <5j1je2$l5p@wormer.fn.net>
Source record: 177809

In article <3352EF73.BAC@magg.net>, par@magg.net says...

>> Damn, now instead of mowing the lawn I'll have to spend Saturday putting
>> this thing together and trying it out. Thanks Ten Tec, for screwing up
>> my weekend! ;-)
>>
>> Anyone else out there ever have a problem with Ten Tec not delivering as
>> scheduled? Or not charging extra for express delivery?
>>
>> They keep treating customers like this they might have to stay in
>> business.
>>
>> Brian
>> KC5YNPHi Brian,
>
>Ten Tec's problem is that most amateurs today do not know how to
>evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
>blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
>the color of the cabinet. If they did know how to evaluate a rig,
>they're would be far fewer off shore boxes adorning hamshacks and a lot
>more T-T.
>
Dale
>W4OP

As soon as T-T Comes out with a 2 meter all-mode They can have my business
and i can forget about having to put up with the crummy kenwood TS-700s
(in the shop 2 weeks - 2 months in the shack) and Yaesu ft-225RD being
smashed
by none other than U.P.S (Universal. Package. Smashers)

You really screwed up a nice Yaseu FT-225RD

Have a good one all.

MIKE McGINLEY - N0JVT

mikey@feist.com
n0jvt@aol.com

1297. Re: FT-50R Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <3354501b.2515015@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 177810

Antenna replacements and more can be found in the articles at
http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50

(previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)

"Kevin S." <khs01@gnofn.org> wrote:

>I know this has been brought up before, but could someone please suggest a
>couple of replacement antennas for this HT, preferably with SMA, and
>relatively small.. Thanks!!
>
>73
>
>KC5ZOC
>Kevin Schiffman
>Email: khs01@gnofn.org
>Web Page: http://www.clubnexus.com/nosp
>

1298. FS: 3 Motorola PC-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <3355062A.300C@polarnet.com>
Source record: 177811

All are slightly used but work very well. Tested in the open
over 3 miles range. Very useful for any communications.

I don't have the battery chargers but they are probably available
somewhere on the internet.

Asking $75.00 each.

If interested please e'mail me at:

beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thanks,
Charles

1299. FS: Kenwood TS-120S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <3354FF92.7439@polarnet.com>
Source record: 177812

Very clean Kenwood TS-120S. Looks brand new!
Comes with Desk mic, hand mic, DC power cord, original manuals
and schematics.

This is a very good operating radio. Probably works better
than some newer radios.

Asking $400.00 I pay shipping.
If interested please e'mail me at:

beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thanks,
Charles B.

1300. Yaesu FT-101 - Help with Tuning the Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Flauder <bflauder@sap.ca>
Message-ID: <33563281.4316@sap.ca>
Source record: 177516

I just bought a used FT-101. There was no manaual with it and the previous owner did not know how to work it. This being my first tube finals rig, I'm not sure how to tune the rig properly.

If anyone is familiar with this rig.....could you please drop me a note with some instructions.

Thnx, Ben VA3BSF

1301. Ten Tec 6m xverter vs. Yaesu FT920, IC756, TS-570S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <5j5eah$efm@dailyplanet.wam.umd.edu>
Source record: 177517

Want to save bigger $$$ in getting to play with 6m?

Ten-Tec (of whom I'm merely a satisfied customer) sells a 20-to-6 meter trans-
verter that's good from 50-52 MHz and puts out a solid 8 watts. When there's
a decent opening, this is enough, or certainly can be used to drive
an amp should you decide to invest in one.

It sells for $95 as a kit ($159 built) and will work with ANY rig that will
put out under 10 watts on 20m. Best $100 I EVER spent.

>> Hello Folks:
>> Anyone check out the new Yaesu FT-920. Continuously adjustable HI/LO/Band
>> Pass filtering (DSP), 6 meters, etc. etc. etc. Looks great, street price
>> under 1800.00 . I was considering the IC756, but after seeing this baby, I
>> don't think so. The DSP offers much more, and its about $500.00 less. Hate
>> to say it, but time to switch from Kenwood to Yaesu (again).
>>
>> 73 all, Mike - WQ0N
>
>Mike,
>
>I agree with your comparison of the FT-920 to the IC-756, but
>I don't quite understand your reasons for wanting to switch
>from Kenwood to Yaesu. I've owned a TS-570D for four months
>now, and I checked out the specs on the FT-920 on Yaesu Japan's
>web site. The FT-920 is virtually identical to the TS-570S --
>but its receiver sensitivity specs aren't as good as the
>Kenwood's!
>
>I'll tell you what -- if you like 6 meters, take a hard look
>at the TS-570S before you buy that FT-920. You may be really
>surprised. (Look at the QST and CQ reviews too.)
>
>If you're like many people and want 6 meters just because it's
>another band on your rig, think about that too. In some parts
>of the country, 6 is absolutely dead. You could forego the 6
>meter capability, buy a TS-570D and save yourself about $400.
>That's ***$700*** less than that IC-756.
>
>Just some food for thought from someone who purchased a '570D,
>is very happy with it, and is flattered that Yaesu likes it
>so much that they want to copy it -- but not as well.
>
>73,
>

>Meade KA4RQB
>
>e-mail: hopewell@ctg.net
>
>-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

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* Scott Rosenfeld NF3I Burtonsville, MD FM19mc QRV 80-10/6/2/440 *
*** 6m 75 grids worked on 8 watts *** HF 140 cfmd * QRP-L #147 ***
** QRP ARCI #9054 ** DXCC/WAS/WAC *** 100% dipole powered HF/6m **
* 301-549-1022 h / 301-982-1015 w *** 145.490- 147.225+ PL 156.7 *

1302. Wanted Alinco DX-70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frankeia@netcom.industry.net>
Message-ID: <33564A12.F01@netcom.industry.net>
Source record: 177518

I am looking for an Alinco DX-70. e-mail lowest price, shipped, and
your telephone number. Keep in mind what they are selling for now new,
and what accessories they are including.
Frank

1303. Programming the Regency 10ch VHF Hi?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tham@husc.harvard.edu
Message-ID: <5j59e8$1u2$1@news.fas.harvard.edu>
Source record: 177519

Does anyone knows how to program this radio via keypad? I got the
jumper. And is it possible to program 2 meter freq in there?

Please e-mail reply

Tnx,

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Fu S. Tham
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(617) 495-5304 FAX

1304. Re: Ten Tec 9 Band HF Rxer Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Lorona <root@hpdmlhh.boi.hp.com>
Message-ID: <3356453E.24FE@hpdmlhh.boi.hp.com>
Source record: 177520

Ron Lister wrote:
>
> Has anyone built this kit? I realize that it's a Regen rxer, but I've
> never listened to a regen before. Just how bad is it? Is this kit
> worthwhile?
>
> Thanks
> Ron

Ron,

I built one last year to take with me on business trips. It works very well and receives AM stations especially well. On SSB or CW, the regen detector is rather squirrelly and can be pulled off frequency easily by strong stations (or weak ones, for that matter), making copy difficult. It takes a rather strong SSB station to make for comfortable copy.

I had some local AM broadcast overload which I corrected with a series trap at the antenna input.

The audio quality is awesome. It sounds like TV audio quality when conditions are right.

Have fun!

R,

Al

1305. Re: FT1000MP clicks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: michael ferraro <ferraro@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <5j5bik$3kf@newsfep1.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 177521

I believe the clicks you are referring to are the sensing relays for the
tuner....turn the tuner off and see if they go away....

73's de k6zsr Mike
.
>In article <5DlZGAAV5gUzEwyA@rydal.demon.co.uk>, Terence says...
>>
>>I have recently purchased a Yaesu FT1000MP and have been very happy with
>>it so far. However, while tuning round on a very quiet band the other
>>night I heard a very definate click in the speaker while tuning between
>>particular frequency steps.

1306. Re: CROOKED DEALER !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Francer <cmfrancer@statestreet.com>
Message-ID: <33565F87.67B8@statestreet.com>
Source record: 177522

hershman wrote:
>
> I have received many E-Mail messages about bad experiences with Dealers.
> Since these experiences are second hand I will not repeat them. However,
> I suggest that all Amatuers post these experiences so as to help your
> fellow Ham avoid these Bad Dealers. Please only post first hand
> experiences. Lets band together and drive these CROOKS out of business!!
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

NS1R is 100% correct! Let us post our first hand knowledge and
experiances relating to bad dealers. Also lets not be narrow minded and
recognize good dealers.

73 Charles Francer N1RPD

1307. Re: FT-8000R AM receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken <ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1ekGeEAycmVzEw60@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177523

In article <335583a8.6897206@news.igs.net>, "Mike McLarty (VE3VP)"
<mclarty@igs.net> writes

>This feature is not in the manual but someone posted it to a newsgroup
>recently. On the mainband, pressing F/W briefly and then VFO will
>toggle between the AM and FM modes.
>
>Mike VE3VP

Thanks mike this works a treat.

Cheers

Ken.

+-----------------------------+----------------------------------+
| ken hewitt | Email ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk |
+-----------------------------+----------------------------------+

1308. Re: FT1000MP clicks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terence Hadley <terry@rydal.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <n1O+7GA+mmVzEw7F@rydal.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177524

In article <5j5bik$3kf@newsfep1.sprintmail.com>, michael ferraro
<ferraro@sprintmail.com> writes
>
>I believe the clicks you are referring to are the sensing relays for the
>tuner....turn the tuner off and see if they go away....
>

I have noticed those clicks as well but they are perfectly
understandable. The clicks I am referring to are there when the tuner is
switched off and they appear much too frequently to be related to the
tuner as it only has 39 presets. My clicks occur every 81.92kHz right
through the general coverage range as well as Ham bands.

Terry G4NNO
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Terence Hadley

1309. Re: ?? JT 1000 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic <nospam.vgadzik@vivanet.com>
Message-ID: <3355F858.A0F@vivanet.com>
Source record: 177525

Thomas Gasta wrote:
>
> Paul,
>
> The JT1000 is one in a fine line of a Motorola Radio series known as a
> Jedi (yep, Star Wars). It has the same elctronics and RF section as the
> HT1000 and MT2000 radios. It's claim to fame is the ability to be
> "keyboard programmable." However, to do this you must first, using
> normal Moto software, "enable" the user programmability function. Then,
> with the addition of a programming "key" that attaches to the accessory
> connector, you can program various features from the keypad, including
> frequency.
>
> There are a bunch of accessories available for the Jedi series radios
> and it has been my experience that these radios are pretty tough to
> hurt. The 16 channel limitation is truly the only limitation on the
> JT1000, and with keyboard programmability, it isn't that big of a deal.
>
> Tom

Tom, typically some Motorola commercial rigs setup for use on amateur
bands
have the shortcomming of being capable of only xmit/rec in "half" of the
band, (ie 444-470, or 146-174), and with RSS you cannot move the range
without losing part of the available band. Can you comment on the
JT1000,
is it range programmable for VHF for 144-148 inclusive, and 430-450 for
the UHF model (I think there's one, but not sure).
Vic

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to reply via email, remove the "nospam." from my address...

1310. TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Church <rac@isise.rl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <5j5g4v$h2m@newton.cc.rl.ac.uk>
Source record: 177526

Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.

1311. How does the IC-756 match up?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Ho <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970417151846.17039A-100000@shell.one.net>
Source record: 177527

I have been observing the quality inputs from the IC-756 reflector.
Either likes or dislikes, I would like to thank all of you very much.
Also, the side-by-side performance comparisons between the IC-756 Vs.
IC-765 from W2VJN has been a very valuable piece of information as well.

Do you all DXers think this rig matches up to any of the competition class
rigs (e.g. TS-850, TS-870, TS-570, FT-900, FT-990, or FT-1000MP) that fall
into the similar price range (+/- $700)? Or is it a class of its own?

I am very curious about this finding, if there is any.

Thanks in advance! 73!

De AF4BH (VS6UE/W4)
David Ho
davidho@one.net

1312. HAM RADIO VACATION IN CRETE,GREECE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: MANOS NERANTZULIS <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc4b52$8dc487c0$ea915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 177528

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS.OPEN FROM 14/April/97 TO 31/October/97.FOR INFORMATIONS CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA EMAIL OR FAX AT ++30 81 761382.

1313. Kenwood TR-751A Mobile mounting Bracket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grover Yarbrough <grover3@nortexinfo.net>
Message-ID: <335678A1.5E3@nortexinfo.net>
Source record: 177529

Looking for a mobile mountbracket for Kenwood TR-751A.

Email at grover3@nortexinfo.net

Thanks KM5HB

1314. FS: Mint Kenwood TS-940AT rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <eddingmf@apci.com>
Message-ID: <3356564C.21A2@apci.com>
Source record: 177530

I have a MINT Kenwood TS-940AT rig. Has the built in antenna tuner. It was a relatives who used it for only 1 MONTH before passing away. I got it, because I have a technicians licence, but I never put up (and never will) and HF antenna. I believe it might have had a filter added, but I am not posative, so assume it does not. Price is $1200 which would include insured shipping to your location.

NOTE: FOR FASTEST RESPONSE, EMAIL me at mfe@fast.net NOT AT THIS EMAIL ADDRESS !!!!!!!
Mike
KA3SGA

1315. Re: Help! Need DC Power Connectors...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5j4hb8$66v@lois.zippo.com>
Source record: 177531

PS: you can find his ad under rec.radio.swap,posted 3/27/97 at
11;58am. His email is: n2cjj@ibm.net. 73 de Marshall, K4YQ

ki0dz@juno.COM (Mary-Frances R. Bartels) wrote:
> I have a problem that I hope someone in this group can help with.
>Here's the situation: I have an Alinco DR-610 dual band mobile rig
>installed in my Ford Explorer. My HF rig is a Yaesu FT-757 which I run
>from my house. It can also be used as a mobile rig. I am scheduled to
>help with an ARES exercise in June (but the comms test is next week)
>where BOTH my VHF/UHF and HF rigs will be needed. I got the bright idea
>of re-doing the wire harness from the battery and splitting it into two
>paths so I could run the HF and FM rigs at the same time. Also, I need
>to make another power cord for the HF rig.
> I've gotten most of the hardware/wire for this project, but am having
>a very difficult time locating the DC power connectors for the HF power
>cord and the new wire harness that connects to the car battery that I've
>started to assemble. The connectors that I'm looking for are the same
>that are used on Alinco, Kenwood, and Radio Shack mobile rigs. I've been
>to both Radio Shack and Gateway Electronics twice with no luck. I've
>called Alinco and also been to a local car radio installer in addition to
>SoundTrack. I'm beginning to wonder if these rather common connectors
>can be found as just connectors without being attached to some kind of
>wire assembly.
> Can anyone help me find the two "male" and one "female" connectors
>that I need? Thanks for any info anyone has.
>
>
> 73,
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>
> Mary-Frances
>
>Mary-Frances R. Bartels (((#))) ^ ^
>Amateur Radio Callsign: KI0DZ Denver, CO | ^ - ^
>"Owner and Operator" of Rudolph's Rabbit Ranch ------- (o o)
>Independent Rep. of Watkins products |ooOoo| >{ | }<
>(303) 428-5884 ki0dz@juno.com ------- ")*

1316. 6 meter use for SB1000/AL80 amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <3356629B.4506@millcomm.com>
Source record: 177532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello everyone,

Does anyone out there have any experience with converting a single tube 3-500 type HF amp to a single bander for 6 meters?

I'd appreciate any comments. Please send Email so as not to clog up the newslist. And include a copy of any response to my friend Paul who is trying to do this--paulhe@juno.com

Thanks in advance.

Larry N0XB

1317. TED the big mouth ... HRO ... Lessons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Robison <Deleted@SpamCentral>
Message-ID: <01bc4b04$2c7133e0$17080dd0@larry.netohio.net>
Source record: 177533

Sometimes it's interesting how lessons are learned! I wish to apologize to anyone (except ted@caprica.com) I may have offended by my recent posts. Somewhere the reason I made them got lost in the rhetoric and sarcasm.

Original point:

I have observed that when someone replies to a message they may be inadvertently carrying the wrong message. Example "all niggers should die" was the subject of a post by in misguided individual. All of the replies to that message, telling the person what an idiot he was, carried the subject and thus created a flood of messages that all said "re: all niggers should die" What a fiasco!

This HRO thing was pretty much the same. A negative message carried forth inadvertently. There were some complaints about HRO but many replies were of the positive nature and they too carried the subject "HRO catalog of lies"

What should also be learned is that I saw replies to my post that that actually were critical of me because ted@caprica.com had the FACTS and was trying to do good! How easily did they follow the loud mouth piper over the cliff. Ted presents very well but in the end, is trying to get his foot out of his mouth because he did not have the FACTS and probably realizes that he could easily be sued! Ted's statements, in the end, proved to be libelous and although HRO probably will not sue him, Ted did HRO a real bad injustice!

Teds own statement:

> Let me say it plainly and clearly:

> I was WRONG and I retract what I said about HRO's pricing on Standard's
> radios and I sincerely apologize to and ask the forgiveness of HRO and
> all of you who read these newsgroups for posting the same misinformation

> that was given to me, which I did not know was incorrect at the time. I
> hope that this apology, explanation and retraction is satisfactory
> because it's the best I can do and it has caused me undue embarrassment,

> which I can assure you is NOT something that I take lightly! To be
blunt,
> I am extremely pissed at Standard for this. I feel that Standard owes us

> all an apology!

Now it's Standards fault !!!!

Ted doesn't know all. He twists things up. Like this:

> Shows how poorly you set up your system then. it was adressed to
> postmaster@netohio.net and if your system was up to par you'd have
gotten
> it. I found it laughable that you complained to my admin about my demand

> that you not email me, because I have and reserve every right to refuse
> email from ANYONE at my discretion, except from my Admin... after all...

> it's his system.

He claims that my system is poorly set up. Without thinking you might say aha "NetOhio" is poorly set up. FACT: I chose not to set up postmaster@netohio.net. Many systems do and many do not. It is not a standard by which one judges how well a system is set up. The reason is it keeps junkmail down eh Ted!

Also he claims that I complained to his admin about his stupid email message. I did send a message to his admin, but the subject was not a complaint about his email. His email was included because the header information clearly identifies the source. Beside it is funny and I thought his admin probably needed a good laugh. As an ISP I am concerned that if Ted Hershman is sued over the HRO thing, his ISP could also be held liable, a dangerous precedent. I think anyone that serves up his garbage is opening themselves up to that.

I have learned one very important thing. There are Ted Hershmans everywhere. They are pitiful. I can do nothing to rid the planet of them or keep them from doing what they do. I can ignore them! Thanks Ted.

Larry Robison W9MDX
w9mdx@netohio.net

1318. Re: FT-50 DVRS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Bouchard <bouch@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc4b5b$ce06f1c0$17db60cf@poste-1>
Source record: 177534

Eric Bouchard, VA2PTC

Look to the manual page 45

You can record 20 sec of message with de FTT-12 keypad, but you cant split
the DVRS in tow zone REC1 and REC2.
You can chose the max time for rec2 between 1 and 10 sec with the RTIM-28
menu. the remaining time is allocated to Rec1

ex: if you want 6 sec for REC2, REC1 will be 20 - 6 = 14 sec

73

1319. WTB: Yaesu FT-736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5j6bi2$q46@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 177535

Looking for a Yaesu FT-736n with 144 and 432 modules (minimum), must be in mint condx, no butt fiends need apply. Please advise asking price in your reply. Thanks, Dick, W1KSZ

1320. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com
Message-ID: <335674d2.154535320@news.ccnet.com>
Source record: 177536

On Thu, 10 Apr 1997 01:17:34 -0400, Al Lorona <al_lorona@hp.com>
wrote:

>I just had to post my own experiences gathered over two decades of
>doing business with HRO's Southern California locations.
>
>Every time I go in there, unless I announce my intention to spend
>hundreds of dollars, I am treated on a low-priority zero courtesy basis.
>They simply have no time to bother with someone who is merely buying the
>new repeater directory, or whatever. Once, I purchased the ARRL Antenna

I've had relatively good experiences with the HRO Sunnyvale and
Oakland stores. At times, especially when they're crowded, I've had
trouble getting someone to help me, but otherwise no problems.

The thing that really DOES annoy me, though, is the way the manager of
the Sunnyvale store constantly berates his employees in front of
customers. I find it embarassing to be in the store when he does it,
and I'm sure the employees don't feel very good about it either.

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Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
(w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

1321. Re: On Glass Antenna - removing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <3356C9C7.3FD1@magg.net>
Source record: 177537

Bob Sull wrote:
>
> Canopus wrote:
> >
> > Jetleb@netcom.ca wrote:
> > >
> > > With regard to the question of how to mount a glass-mount antenna, may I
> > > suggest going to your local windsheild replacement shop and have them
> > > glue it on? My mirror fell of last summer so I went to one of the above
> > > shops and they glued it on - no charge. It's only a few drops of glue to
> > > them.
> > >
> > > Matthias Jetleb VA3-MWJ
> >
> > I found that the GE silicone glue (I used the bathroom caulking and the
> > general purpose type. Other types should work as well.) worked very
> > well for mounting the rear view mirror. I used the special glue for the
> > mirror from an automotive shop once and failed. I used the GE glue on
> > three different cars and had not have any failure during my ownership of
> > the cars.
>
> I went to my local ham radio store and bought a Larsen relocation kit,
> cost $5 or less, and remounted my KG 2/70. If I change cars and keep
> using the KG 2/70 it will come off and not destroy anything. (Like
> itself.....)
>
> If you don't want to spend $5 see what a cell phone shop will charge
> you.....
>
> 73,
> Bob
>
> --
> <> Bob Sull WA8IMO <>
> "73, CUL, es keep the FUN in Ham radio."
> >Life Member-ARRL QCWA< >Member-NODXA NCDXF<
> >DXCC WAS RCC < >8P9BC<
> >QSL Mgr for 8P6JG<
> >WA8IMO@W8IZ.#NEOH.OH.USA<
> >WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM<
>
> Bob Sull
> "Take only photographs, leave only footprints."
> ==========

> WA8IMO@KELLNET.COMDO NOT use the anaerobic cements (designed for mounting rearview mirrors) for on-glass antennas. The coefficient of expansion of the glass and the mounting foot are radically different- the result is a cracked windshield. The mirror mounting foot is a scintered metal whose alloy is specially chosen so that its coefficient of expansion matches that of glass.

Dale
W4OP

1322. Re: FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3355F094.9EF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Phillip Nichols wrote:
>
> Dont be fooled by this... I wrote the Mar QST article and used
> a 200LX. the differences are plenty. The 95 has only a 40column
> width screen which will cause some problems running some of the
> software I mentioned as well as not being entirely graphically
> compateable. Even the 100LX is not fully CGA.
>
> If you want to do what I did AT LEAST get the 100lx but it has
> some bugs that youll not like. Go for the 200LX while you
> can (this guy probably is if hes smart but dont let him tell you
> it was featured in my article because I dont want email from someone
> asking why his 95lx wont do it right).
>
> A good used 200lx will run $350- $00 depending on condition.
> My dad is selling his with 1200Bd modem and 5MB FLASHcard
> for $500. I will include the BP-TNC and install the
> software for $50.
>
> I dont care if you dont buy my Dads HP but dont get a 95lx for
> packet. I expect I will be flamed tommorrow but a few flames
> are better than explaining to people why they cant do it after
> they bought it.
>
> 73 KC8DQF Phillip
> --
> ============================
> Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
> WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
> Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx#semi.mi.usa.noam

Hey Bud,
Before you shoot down someone else's equipment just to sell your
own,
keep in mind that besides being a really self-serving and inconsiderate
person, that you're misconstruing what was written in the original
message you shot down. What was written is that the 95LX is good for
portable packet (and I have proven this to myself over the last two
years with a Tiny-2 TNC and my HT), like what was shown on the cover of
the issue of QST in question. It doesn't say "the same unit featured in
the article". Look before you leap - the precipice may be greater than
you think.

If your unit is the one exact same identical 200LX featured in the article, why are you selling it? According to the article, you sound very happy to take it anywhere. I guess not, huh? why do you self-cenetered folks have to take your frustration out on others? I couldn't stop you from selling your 200LX if I wanted to. You forget that there are more than enough people interested in your palmtop to where I am not threatening your all-important sale. I was going to list my HP Omnibook 100 (hi-res LCD VGA display, built-in mouse, PCMCIA, infrared, HDD, etc., etc., with AC adapter and serial cable for $250, but I haven't had the time to do so yet. How does your fancy 200LX stack up against that, bud? This is a notebook, but in addition to running Windows, it sure can run packet "at least as good" as your "celebrity" 200LX.

Get a life. I'm selling my 95LX palmtop for portable packet. That's it. It WILL do packet with a TNC, no matter what drivel you wish to share. I'm just sorry that you probably assumed I was trying to head your sale off at the pass.

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

1323. wanted johnson schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <3356C7B9.118B@freeway.net>
Source record: 177539

i am in need of a schematic or service manual for a johnson viking
messenger one cb unit can anyone help me out?
tks kcubilo@freeway.net

1324. Icom-706 or Yaesu FT-900CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas E. Griffith" <tgriffith@linknet.net>
Message-ID: <3356C718.5398@linknet.net>
Source record: 177540

I'm about to buy a mobile rig but am having trouble deciding which one.

Would appreciate any input on the pros and cons of these two rigs.

1325. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Troy or Michelle Nicolls <mnicolls@snowcrest.net>
Message-ID: <335662F7.7DBA@snowcrest.net>
Source record: 177541
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

Darrell wrote:
>
> Anyone got any good carp bait recipes to e-mail me I would appreciate it.
> There for a Friend.
>
> Many Thanks
>
> daryl@carol.net
Now that's what I like, a Ham who likes to fish. I have used frozen
corn and it worked great in Shasta Lake. I caught about 7 in 30 minutes
or so. Just a couple kernels on a #10 hook and a small splitshot. I
have seen carp eat duck food (corn/grain mix) at the docks where I work.
Good luck. Troy

1326. FS JPS NIR-10 DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mitch P. Alexander" <kinesis@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3356D27F.630C@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 177542

Hi, All --

I have a JPS NIR-10 digital Signal Processor with 4.0 firmware in extremely fine condition, in the box, for $150 +shipping. This unit sells in AES catalog for $249.95 and in Davis RF catalog for $259.95. If you've never experienced what DSP can do for SSB or CW reception, you're in for the surprise of your life!! I am so impressed with JPS performance and quality that I stepped up to the NIR-12. Which means that now someone out there can get a nearly-new NIR-10 for $100 off.

73's -- de KG9DB

kinesis@bellsouth.com

1327. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. J. \"SKIP\" AREY N2EI" <tjarey@mosquito.com>
Message-ID: <3356FE7A.6C21@mosquito.com>
Source record: 177543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

desharnais@birdie.enet.dec.com wrote:
>
> I'm a licensed ham and avid shortwave listener. Currently, my license
> doesn't cover the HF band, but I do plan on upgrading in the future.
>
> I had been looking around for a good table top shortwave receiver, but
> decided to get a tranciever instead. The prices don't seem to differ much
> and I would be getting transmitting capability as a plus. Since I will be
> using the rig mostly for shortwave, I need an HF rig with a really good
> general coverage receiver as a primary consideration, with transmitting
> capabilities being secondary.
>
> Can anyone offer advice or recommendations on which HF tranciever offers
> the best general coverage receiver up to 30 khz? Do any of the
> trancievers offer the same quality reception as what you would find with a
> good shortwave table top radio?
>
> As for price, I would be willing to go as high as $1500, but something
> around $1000 would be more palatable. :)
>
> Regards,
> Denis
>
> ----------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

I'm looking into the new Kenwood TS-570 unit. I think that could meet all
your needs as both a ham and an SWL.
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++

T.J. "SKIP" AREY N2EI e-mail via tjarey@mosquito.com

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1328. FS: old Mil. Radio/Radar Equip. TM's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mrshadow@RTD.COM
Message-ID: <Mrshadow.178.000B2D08@RTD.COM>
Source record: 177544

FS: old Mil. Radio/Radar Equip. TM's

TM 11-242 (1-ea)
RADIO SET SCR-300-A
WAR DEPARTMENT
FOB Tucson, Az
VG condition
Feb-1945
$ 5.00

NAVSHIPS 900,028 (1-ea)
MICROWAVE TECHNIQUES
NDRC-Division 14
BUREAU OF SHIPS
NAVY DEPARTMENT
FOB Tucson, Az
VG condition
May-1950
$ 5.00

+=+
| When your only tool is a hammer, |
| Every job looks like a nail. |
| |
| Remove the Mr for e-mail Mrshadow@RTD.COM |
+=+

1329. FS: UHF GE Delta S 100 Watt Synthesized Mobile Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <861334537.18759@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177545
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: UHF GE Delta S 100 Watt Synthesized Mobile Radio

440-470 MHz, Excellent condition, clean with accessories. Trunk mount commercial mobile about 14" x 12" x 2". Comes with 16 channel control head, mic, speaker, cables. Standard commercial specs. Has programmable Channel Guard (CTCSS).

$250 + Shipping

Mike Nowlen WB4UKB
mike@3dnet.com
703-716-1363 7pm-10pm eastern

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1330. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33568CF8.7F46@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Steve Jones wrote:
>
> Neither AES or HRO's prices are anything to write home about so I
> wouldn't brag about calling HRO last. You should try some of the
> smaller dealers who blow both of them away. Both AES and HRO are
> supposed to be so big and buy in such good quanities so there prices
> are more conpetitive than everyone else, what a joke. Call Lentini's
> and ask them for there cash price and card price and in most cases
> they will be cheaper than both these big so called buy in large
> quantities and sell for less dealers. Lentini's is not the only one
> either. You should do your homework before you brag about these so
> called good prices at HRO. 73, Stevedconti@carroll.com (Daniel M.
> Conti) wrote:
>
> >"Ed Jones" <edjones@iu.net> wrote:
>
> >>This only goes to prove that Ham's are CHEAP! LOL
>
> >> -= Ed Jones =-
> >> KB4OIX
>
> >>GJUDD <GJUDD@Prodigy.Net> wrote in article <3352F2D3.7EE6@Prodigy.Net>...
> >>> A>
> >>>
> >>> > snip
> >>> >
> >>> > You had better take another look at your AES catalog. They also have
> >>the
> >>> > list
> >>> > prices as:
> >>> >
> >>> > C156A $289.00 same as HRO
> >>> > C228A $695.00 same as HRO
> >>> >
> >>> > Selling prices:
> >>> > C156A $199.95 same as HRO
> >>> > C228A $599.95 $20.00 higher than HRO
> >>> Now you're trying to confuse him with facts, aren't you? He can't relate
> >>> to facts very well, apparently.
>
> >Every time I go to price a piece of equipment, I compare the prices at
> >HRO to those at AES, and HRO is almost ALWAYS cheaper....
>

> >dconti@carroll.com
> >America OnLine BendixK43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
> >Ridgefield, New Jersey
> >fax (201) 943-2379
I AGREE! THE SMALLER STORES STORES NEED THE MONEY MORE TO KEEP AFLOAT!
HOW CAN THE LITTLE GUY GIVE YOU A BETTER PRICE IF HE DOESN'T HAVE THE
BUYING POWER OF 20 STORES??
IF YOU GET THE BEST PRICE/SERVICE FROM THE SMALL GUY THEN DON'T GO
TO THE LARGE CHAIN AND HAVE THEM MATCH IT. GIVE YOUR BUSINESS TO THE
SMALL DEALER WHO WAS HAPPY TO SELL YOU THE RADIO FOR THE LOWEST PRICE TO
BEGIN WITH. MANY HAM STORES ARE GOING OUT OF BUSINESS. IF IT KEEPS UP
THEN THERE WILL BE ONE OR TWO LEFT WHO WILL CHARGE WHAT EVER THEY WANT!
LETS KEEP THE MARKET COMPETITIVE!!
73' STEVE HERSHMAN NS1R

1331. A simple question about the FT-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlmott@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970417211401.RAA28445@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177547

I have been looking at the FT-50 for a while, and I'm going to buy me one (if not at the hamvention, then new). I have been looking at many pictures in catalogs, and it looks as if the antenna is WAY BIG. It looks twice the size of the radio! Is it true or just an optical illusion? Are there any smaller ones with the funny connector the radio has?

Please mail me directly

JLMott@aol.com
KF4OKL

[Does anybody know how to change your address in the newsgroups on AOL to stop all this SPAM?]

1332. Re: FS: King VHF HTs - loaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <5j6tna$8gc@tofu.alt.net>
Source record: 177548
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.scanner

"Rob Bailey" <wm8s@pobox.com> wrote:

>Asking $1500 for the entire package. *May* consider separating radios
>later. Will *NOT* consider separating programming gear, so please don't
>ask.

I don't normally comment on prices I see posted, but when they are so
far out of line that they literally stink, well......

The radios normally sell for less than half that! (used)

>You don't know me, and I don't know you, so I can supply *plenty* of
>references. The scrambler and the progamming software and cable are both
>sales-restricted items. Therefore, the only way I can sell this package is
>with a reference (a quick phone call to your chief, etc.) and after receipt
>of a check or money order.

Sales Restricted? Bull.

Of course, anyone can buy a scrambler, and the software can be gotten
of BK's BBS!

What a crock.

1333. FS: Complete Ham Radio Station/Kenwood TS 680

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don & Monica Casella <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <335698E2.2814@ziplink.net>
Source record: 177549
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ne.forsale,rec.ham-radio.swap

Entire H.F. Station for sale:

Kenwood TS 680S HF with 6 meters.
-100 watts on all bands, 20 watts on 6 meters, all mode.
- Narrow CW filter
- SP 430 matching external speaker
- AEA model ET-1 HF antenna tuner
- 20 Amp power supply
- Orig. box, manual, and service manual.
$900.00 including shipping continental U.S.

Misc. Ham equipment:

AEA PK-88 packet controller.
- includes MFJ TNC/MIC switch for Kenwood/Alinco radios.
- Orig. box and manual
- Serial Cable/Audio Cable/Microphone Cable.
$75.00 including shipping continental U.S.

MFJ Model 1796 Vertical Antenna:
- Covers 2, 6, 10, 15, 20, and 40 meters.
- Pick up or delivery near Hartford, CT
$100.00

Will split up station if necessary. Please e-mail me if interested.

The only reason for selling is that I am attending grad school and
working full time and will not be using the gear for a number of years.

1334. IC-775DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sc@netcom.com
Message-ID: <scE8sx1J.89M@netcom.com>
Source record: 177550

After hearing so many problems on the 756, I wanted to ask if anyone had anything to say on the IC-775DSP?

73,
Randy
KA7HVZ

1335. Re: SB1000/AL80 Conversion for 6 meters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861314150snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177551

In article <01bc4aba$122ad260$1f85aac7@lm>
lmenzel@millcomm.com "Laurence R. Menzel" writes:
> Does anyone have any information regarding the feasibility of converting an
> SB1000 type linear amp for use on 6 meters? This is a single 3-500Z tube
> amplifier.
>
> I'd appreciate a email reply. Please include a copy of any respose to my
> friend Paul, N0ZJI, at paulhe@juno.com.

Larry and Paul:

Contact Carl, km1h@juno.com about this. He trades as RADIOKIT and
says that he has 6M conversions for the Heathkit SB200, 220, 230 and
1000 series, the FL2100, NCL2000, AL80A, L75, L4B, LK450, Bandit
2000A, and others. 603-635-2235 9-9 Eastern Time.

I've no experience of these, I've only read his announcements. I
believe that the conversions result in a single band 6m amp.

cc'd to email.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1336. FS>YAESU FT-411E HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: GPridemore <gpridemore@kih.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4b55$d45561c0$c67169ce@default>
Source record: 177552

I have for sale a Yaesu FT411E 2 meter ht(14 months old) with a 5 watt battery/2.5 watt battery and a drop in quick charger (Yaesu NC-29) Radio also has the tone encode-decode board installed...Radio has aftermarket Larsen Kulduckie antenna about 8" long....Radio was dropped and has a small chip out of case but was repaired with epoxy...Works Fine....All originally cost over $500.00...Asking 130.00 shipped via UPS.All manuals...paperwork and original box included

Contact me via E-mail at gpridemore@kih.net

Thank's
Ernie Pridemore/KC4IVG

1337. Re: Ten Tec 6m xverter vs. Yaesu FT920, IC756, TS-570S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5j6bme$jtl6@peach.america.net>
Source record: 177553

Amazing that all these Kenwood owners are making comparrisons of the
FT920 to the TS570D/S and they haven't even been released yet,
amazing. I guess they have traveled to Japan and made a side by side
comparrison. I have Kenwood, Yaesu, Icom, and Alinco and even own some
Ten Tec but I will have to admit I have never been able to make a fair
comparrison until it is on my table so a fair side by side can be
made. You guys who make these opinions up without ever trying the rig
are like the critics we have to endure for movies. If they usually
hate the movie you can bet it's a good one but if they like it don't
waste your money. Thank goodness most of us have enough brains to make
our own decisions instead of the letting the critics make them for us.
73, Steve ham@w3eax.umd.edu (Scott Rosenfeld NF3I) wrote:

>Want to save bigger $$$ in getting to play with 6m?

>Ten-Tec (of whom I'm merely a satisfied customer) sells a 20-to-6 meter trans-
>verter that's good from 50-52 MHz and puts out a solid 8 watts. When there's
>a decent opening, this is enough, or certainly can be used to drive
>an amp should you decide to invest in one.

>It sells for $95 as a kit ($159 built) and will work with ANY rig that will
>put out under 10 watts on 20m. Best $100 I EVER spent.

>>> Hello Folks:
>>> Anyone check out the new Yaesu FT-920. Continuously adjustable HI/LO/Band
>>> Pass filtering (DSP), 6 meters, etc. etc. etc. Looks great, street price
>>> under 1800.00 . I was considering the IC756, but after seeing this baby, I
>>> don't think so. The DSP offers much more, and its about $500.00 less. Hate
>>> to say it, but time to switch from Kenwood to Yaesu (again).
>>>
>>> 73 all, Mike - WQ0N
>>
>>Mike,
>>
>>I agree with your comparison of the FT-920 to the IC-756, but
>>I don't quite understand your reasons for wanting to switch
>>from Kenwood to Yaesu. I've owned a TS-570D for four months
>>now, and I checked out the specs on the FT-920 on Yaesu Japan's
>>web site. The FT-920 is virtually identical to the TS-570S --
>>but its receiver sensitivity specs aren't as good as the
>>Kenwood's!
>>
>>I'll tell you what -- if you like 6 meters, take a hard look
>>at the TS-570S before you buy that FT-920. You may be really
>>surprised. (Look at the QST and CQ reviews too.)

>>
>>If you're like many people and want 6 meters just because it's
>>another band on your rig, think about that too. In some parts
>>of the country, 6 is absolutely dead. You could forego the 6
>>meter capability, buy a TS-570D and save yourself about $400.
>>That's ***$700*** less than that IC-756.
>>
>>Just some food for thought from someone who purchased a '570D,
>>is very happy with it, and is flattered that Yaesu likes it
>>so much that they want to copy it -- but not as well.
>>
>>73,
>>
>>Meade KA4RQB
>>
>>e-mail: hopewell@ctg.net
>>
>>--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

>--
>* Scott Rosenfeld NF3I Burtonsville, MD FM19mc QRV 80-10/6/2/440 *
>*** 6m 75 grids worked on 8 watts *** HF 140 cfmd * QRP-L #147 ***
>** QRP ARCI #9054 ** DXCC/WAS/WAC *** 100% dipole powered HF/6m **
>* 301-549-1022 h / 301-982-1015 w *** 145.490- 147.225+ PL 156.7 *

1338. FS: Icom IC-V68 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John B. Lawrence" <ke6tgn@lightspeed.net>
Message-ID: <33567CD7.2CD@lightspeed.net>
Source record: 177554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Icom IC-V68 VHF HT. Tx/rx 136 - 174Mhz. UT-88 CTCSS Tone Squelch/Voice Scrambler module. 5 watts out. 40 memory channels. Keypad programmable. Programming manual, user manual, speaker mic with volume control, vehicle cig lighter power cord (Radio Shack). Displays frequency or channel number depending on how you program it. BP-99 battery pack holds 6 AA alkalines or ni-cads. Weighs about 2lbs, 5 1/4" high w/o antenna, 2" wide, 1 1/4" deep. Good to very good condition, a few minor scratches here and there.

I'm in Bakersfield, CA. Will ship conus for $245.00 (prepay or COD, cash or USPS money order only).

John B. Lawrence KE6TGN

1339. Travelling around the world

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Puelinckx <Michael.Puelinkx@ping.be>
Message-ID: <01bc4b89$133b7e00$86c04ac1@pin12557.ping.be>
Source record: 177555

I'm a new Belgium radio-amature and I would like to know some information about the 706 icom for using in an expeditioncar for turning around the world .Some people told us that this radio is not so good because it receives verry bad so have we been told . They also said that the radio is to small for a sush big frequencierange (HF and 2 m)
What about the TS 50 from Kenwood is this a good one in tranceiving and receiving .What's your opinion over this two radios ?

e-mail : Michael.Puelinkx@ping.be

1340. FS: AOR AR8000 Full Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <5j6cqq$7d1$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 177556
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.forsale,aol.commerce.computers.forsale,comp.forsale,comp.forsale.computers

For Sale:

AR-8000 Computer Controlled Receiver
.1-1900 MHz Complete Coverage, No Gaps.
All Original Packaging, Ni-Cads (Never Used), Antenna.
Scout Mod (3 wire-serial port)
(Pseudo?)Discriminator Mod
Clean, Non-smoker.
No case scratches
Extra LCD Cover (Just in case)
Extra plastic Shell (I bought an extra because I thought I might need it.)
SC-8000 Soft Case definatly warn, but still good.
Extra FFC Cable, Good for optolinx.

I've had the 8000 for almost a year, It's worked quite well, but I've talked to alot of people, and I've come to the conclusion that that the Icom R-10 would better suite my needs.

I'm asking $550 plus shipping by UPS or FedEx COD.

I'll entertain reasonable offers.

Thanks for your time.

73's de Mike

P.S. Some other stuff I've got for sale...

ASUS Pentium Motherboard w/ 256K Cache (75-200MHz) $90
Intel Pentium 100MHz CPU $140
Intel Pentium 150MHz CPU $230
2 16MB 72Pin EDO DRAM Simms $160

Optoelectronics DC-440 Tone Decoder with Nicads $200
Realistic DX-440 Shortwave Receiver $150

If you're wondering why I'm selling all this stuff, I'm tring to raise anough money for a new radio at Dayton!

Reasonable offers will be considered.

1341. FS: HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John B. Lawrence" <ke6tgn@lightspeed.net>
Message-ID: <33567F33.5AA9@lightspeed.net>
Source record: 177557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

HTX-202 2m in very good condition. Comes with RS speaker mic, AA battery pack, 2 nicad packs (RS 7.2V [just rebuilt] and Delcom 8.8V (a bit ugly w/two holes in bottom of plastic case, works fine), charger, vehicle cig lighter power supply, original box, manual.

$170.00 shipped conus (prepay or COD, cash or USPS money order only).

John B. Lawrence KE6TGN

1342. HELP ON MOTOROLA MICOR RPTRS PSE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3356CB3B.1FC9@erols.com>
Source record: 177558

We presently are using 2 motorola micors for our local club repeaters. Recently after installation, the repeaters began ping-ponging for hours on end. The odd part of this was that it only occurs on rainy days.

On one of the rainy days the antenna was removed and the ping-ponging stopped indicating that it was an incoming signal although non could actually be heard coming in on the receiver when the antenna was connected. First the occurence happened on one of the repeaters. And now the second one is beginning to experience the same problem, again only during rainy days.

Wondering if any one has experienced an identical problem with their micor repeaters? Any help, at all, would be appreciated. 73 Murray. My email is mgreen@erols.com

1343. Motorola Triton SSB Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: al7jk@alaska.net
Message-ID: <5j3s6o$86u$1@byatt.alaska.net>
Source record: 177559

Recently acquired a Motorola Triton SSB Antenna Tuner,
Model number: T1962A unit appears to be in good condition.

What is the control voltages to properly operate this unit.
Unit has four terminals (1/4 inch threaded bolts) to apply DC
operating voltage(s).

thanks.....
John Raynsford AL7JK
Eagle River, Alaska

1344. AEA Isoloop or MFJ Loop?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: parmentier@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5j55cr$lv3@cnn.exu.ericsson.se>
Source record: 177560

Hello,

I am interested in getting either the AEA or MFJ Loop type HF antenna.

How well do they work? Any users have comments?

Thanks!

Jack
WB2SIB

1345. FS JPS NIR-10 DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mitch P. Alexander" <kinesis@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3356DB1A.6D46@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 177561

SORRY FOLKS !!!!!!!!!

e-mail address is:

kinesis@bellsouth.net

...I keep sticking ".com" at the end....

1346. Re: Emergency Mangement Office

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3355961a.7220446@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177679

mwbran1@uswest.com (Mike Brandt) wrote:

:What type of rigs are you looking for and how many of each type?

Also what type of emaergancy is he going to cook up as an excuse?

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1347. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33559605.7199118@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177680

Ted <ted@AbsurdSigFile.Nutcase> wrote:

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:[2]----------------------------------------------------+
:| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
:| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
:| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
:| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
:| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
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It's just as well then that there is no such thing as advertizing.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.
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1348. Re: FT-8000R AM receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mclarty@igs.net
Message-ID: <335583a8.6897206@news.igs.net>
Source record: 177681

On Mon, 14 Apr 1997 18:20:53 +0100, ken <ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk>
wrote:

>
>Does anyone know how to select AM receive on the FT-8000R, if you tune
>down to airband it selects AM but I can't find any mention in the manual
>about selecting AM else where.
>
>Ken.
>
>+------------------------------+----------------------------------+
>| ken hewitt | Email ken@welwyn.demon.co.uk |
>+------------------------------+----------------------------------+

This feature is not in the manual but someone posted it to a newsgroup
recently. On the mainband, pressing F/W briefly and then VFO will
toggle between the AM and FM modes.

Mike VE3VP

1349. ALINCO DX-70T (H) INFO WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <33556868.16131616@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 177682

I am considering buying a DX-70 for port/mobile/base and wonder how
the CW operation is? Does it have QSK? If so, how loud is the T/R
relay> is it loud enough to be distracting during QSK operation?
Thanks for your help
Tim
NZ8J

1350. Wanted FT8000 Mods required please !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter@miniman.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <33566e64.652876@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177683

Hiya can anyone out there send me any mods for the FT8000 radio?

73's G1CHY

Peter@miniman.demon.co.uk

1351. WTB: Hallicrafters S85

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gekko95@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5j3r4c$l9u@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for decent, working Hallicrafter's S85
receiver to complete my reconstructed first
novice shack.

Not looking for museum pieces.

Email condition and price

Thanks!

Dave gekko95@ix.netcom.com

1352. HELP: KNIGHT T150 SCHEMATIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970417004900.UAA17823@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177685

IN NEED OF A SCHEMATIC AND IF POSSIBLE A COPY OF A MANUAL OF A KNIGHT KIT T150 TRANSMITTER. I WILL PAY ALL COPY AND SHIPPING COSTS. STEVE W1SN
THANKS

1353. Re: FS: Motorola System Saber +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com
Message-ID: <33557f30.91653590@news.ccnet.com>
Source record: 177686

On Thu, 10 Apr 1997 13:40:46 -0700, Matt <chaka@bigfoot.com> wrote:

>Pardon me, but I don't believe they make Sabers any longer. Haven't for
>years.

??? The Saber is still listed on Motorola's Web page.

--
Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
(w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

1354. Latest Drake SW8 Any Good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970417021700.WAA25315@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177687

I would like to hear from anyone who ownes the latest version of the Drake SW8. What do you like and not like about it? Does it still only tune in 50khz steps? How good is the syncro detection? Any info will be greatly appreciated!

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

1355. Re: HTX-100 manual and mic pin out needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: UN93B@ford.com
Message-ID: <3355afb6.25400231@news.ford.com>
Source record: 177688
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Tue, 15 Apr 1997 05:50:10 -0400, ko4qc <ko4qc@concentric.net>
wrote:

>If you can help me obtain one or both of the above,I will gladly
>reimburse any copy,postage etc expenses.
> TNX
> Joel KO4QC

Maybe you should try Radio Shack for a manual.

Brett

1356. WTB: Power tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4ad6$92578fc0$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>
Source record: 177689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a 3CX400A7, working of course.

Email with what you need.

^^

73 de N3WUU
steves@clark.net

1357. FS: JRC NRD-525 HF receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: disalvo@mail.ohio.net
Message-ID: <335579ec.16599213@news.ohio.net>
Source record: 177690
Cross-posted to: cle.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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For Sale

JRC NRD-525 HF receiver
excellent performer and excellent condition
- wide filter 4kHz at 6dB / 10kHz at 60dB
- intermediate filter 2kHz at 6dB / 6kHz at 60dB
price $600

can C.O.D.

Samuel R. DiSalvo - KC8BQP
disalvo@mail.ohio.net
http://www.ohio.net/~disalvo
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1358. Help! Need DC Power Connectors...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki0dz@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970416.204345.2647.2.ki0dz@juno.com>
Source record: 177691

I have a problem that I hope someone in this group can help with.
Here's the situation: I have an Alinco DR-610 dual band mobile rig
installed in my Ford Explorer. My HF rig is a Yaesu FT-757 which I run
from my house. It can also be used as a mobile rig. I am scheduled to
help with an ARES exercise in June (but the comms test is next week)
where BOTH my VHF/UHF and HF rigs will be needed. I got the bright idea
of re-doing the wire harness from the battery and splitting it into two
paths so I could run the HF and FM rigs at the same time. Also, I need
to make another power cord for the HF rig.
I've gotten most of the hardware/wire for this project, but am having
a very difficult time locating the DC power connectors for the HF power
cord and the new wire harness that connects to the car battery that I've
started to assemble. The connectors that I'm looking for are the same
that are used on Alinco, Kenwood, and Radio Shack mobile rigs. I've been
to both Radio Shack and Gateway Electronics twice with no luck. I've
called Alinco and also been to a local car radio installer in addition to
SoundTrack. I'm beginning to wonder if these rather common connectors
can be found as just connectors without being attached to some kind of
wire assembly.
Can anyone help me find the two "male" and one "female" connectors
that I need? Thanks for any info anyone has.

73,

Mary-Frances

Mary-Frances R. Bartels (((ǂ))) ^ ^
Amateur Radio Callsign: KI0DZ Denver, CO | ^ - ^
"Owner and Operator" of Rudolph's Rabbit Ranch ------- (o o)
Independent Rep. of Watkins products |ooOoo| >{ | }<
(303) 428-5884 ki0dz@juno.com ------- ")*

1359. FS: MOTOROLA & MUSTEK 4/16

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: st155@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970417025300.WAA28397@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177692

FOR SALE

(IMAGE SCANNER)
MUSTEK CG-6000 SCANMAGIC COLOR SCANNING PACKAGE.
CAPTURE OVER 262,000 COLORS WITH A 18-BIT HANDHELD SCANNER
OR 64 GRAYSCALE. RESOLUTION FROM 100-400 DPI IN LINE ART AND
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SABER VEHICAL ADAPTOR
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WILL WORK ON SABER I, II & III SECURE OR NON SECURE
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800 STX TRUNKING TYPE I WITH SUB SWITCH ON TOP.
FULL KEYPAD / W DISPLAY & BATTERY 645 LU DATE CODE . $350.00 + SHIPPING

ALL OFFERS WILL BE CONCIDERED
IF INTERSTED LEAVE E-MAIL TO: ST155@AOL.COM
THANKS!
RICK...

1360. FS: SB200 and Yaesu FT-101ZD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kt4yd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970417034600.XAA02709@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177693

I have a SB200 amp. Brand new power module and soft start kit from Harbach Electronics (WA4DRU) installed. Standby switch. 240 ans 120 power cords included. Manual and Schematic. Tubes are in good shape. Works and looks great. $350

Also a Yaesu FT-101ZD (Digital). After market fan installed. Manual included. Work and looks excellent. $400 obo.

PH: (305) 882-1183
E-Mail: KT4YD@aol.com

73s Jack, KT4YD

1361. GE Master II Radios for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: termi@gis.net
Message-ID: <5j45j3$6co@usenet85.supernews.com>
Source record: 177694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For trade.

12 GE MASTER II mobile radio's most UHF some are low band 30-50mhz jobs.

2 GE MASTER II base stations.

All with control heads.

I want a Motorola "Micro-Tac lite" flip phone (an old model is ok)..

Don't send me any messages asking for specs unless you are ready to trade.

Thanks

Termi

1362. FS: 60channel,800mhz, handheld, RSpro29 $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@erols.com
Message-ID: <3360a595.7051540@news.erols.com>
Source record: 177695

Title says it all, the unit is in perfect condiction with all the
accessaries.
$100
Later,

1363. Re: Question on the TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3355A110.BE2@wco.com>
Source record: 177696

Paul Nicolay wrote:

> The TM-V7 can act as a repeater/crossband after the necessary modifications
> (removing and adding a resistor). This mod will also enable extended
> RX/TX.

Untrue in the "A" version at least. Works as a repeater right out of
the box. No mods are required.

1364. WTB: ICom T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dludwig@holli.com
Message-ID: <5j49ef$2r4_004@70.38.5.holli.com>
Source record: 177697

I would like to buy an ICOM T7A and any accessories you might have for it. I would either buy it or, I have a BC200XLT and a BC100XLT to trade for partial credit if interested.

1365. FS: cable for ts830/vfo240

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <5j4afo$902$1@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 177698

I have one of these I do not need. Anyone interested?

cheers, Paul
VE7CQK
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

1366. Re: Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <3355b9fb.7425962@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 177699

On Tue, 15 Apr 97 04:34:22 GMT, tenorman@i1.net (Mike Kraml)
wrote:

>Hello Folks:
> Anyone check out the new Yaesu FT-920. Continuously adjustable HI/LO/Band
>Pass filtering (DSP), 6 meters, etc. etc. etc. Looks great, street price
>under 1800.00 . I was considering the IC756, but after seeing this baby, I
>don't think so. The DSP offers much more, and its about $500.00 less. Hate
>to say it, but time to switch from Kenwood to Yaesu (again).
>
>73 all, Mike - WQ0N
Yaesu is expecting delivery to start "at or after the Dayton
Hamvention ... in other words, mid to late May.

73 to all,

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

1367. Specs for FT 920 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Rask <elit@rgw.se>
Message-ID: <01bc4af2$28390da0$034ff482@martin-rask>
Source record: 177700

Hello..

Is there anyone who has the complete specs for this radio translated into
English ??
I have been at the yaseu japan homepage but I can't everything out HI..
so please post an email or send it to this group if you have it.

my email is : martin.rask@mailbox.swipnet.se

73's de SM7VHS /Martin

1368. HT failure question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970416234337.20216B-100000@general1.asu.edu>
Source record: 177701

I finally got my NC-Tech license, (now I can stop loaning out my HT to my buddy who has had his license for a while now), and wouldn't you know it, a glitch with my HT after a week of use.

I would appreciate greatly any advice, thoughts on possible causes, etc., you with more experience might be able to offer. (I will make one exception, that being suggestions to dump my Radio Shack HT. I got it used within my budget (a full-time student with a family takes what the budget will allow).

My problem follows:

Said HT transmitted for about a week (actually for a while now, but a week of my possesion). Now, it receives well, but won't transmit. The bar graph at the bottom of the screen shows full power upon operation of the transmit key, but I can't key up the repeaters. As a matter of fact, it won't even break the squelch of another xcvr in the same room.

I have checked the obvious things. PL tones, offset, battery power, connector to the DC power supply, disconnecting the antenna and reconnecting it.... anything else.

I had been using it on the way back and forth to/from school, with it hooked up to the cigarette lighter, via the handy cable. The fuse blew three days ago (in the power supply cable), and I didn't use the radio for another day, so that may or may not have had an influence.

Well let me know what you think please. I'd hate to take it to Rat Shack for something I could troubleshoot, but I'm running out of bright ideas.

If anybody in the Phoenix Metro has some suggestions on where else to take it locally, other than RS, I'd appreciate that input as well.

Thanks,
Dave (KC7VTP)

1369. $ INTERNATIONAL CALLING JUST 25-CENTS / MIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: superdeal@greatnews.com
Message-ID: <E8rryp.Ktz@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 177702

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CALL : 810 - 932 - 0464 (24 hrs)

1370. FS : TOKYO HY-POWER 2KW HF TUNER/WATT METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlifland@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970417000901.UAA14727@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177703

TOKYO HY-POWER HC-2000 HF ANTENNA TUNER WITH BUILT-IN WATT METER AND SWR METER AND ANTENNA SWITCH. COVERS ALL HF BANDS. BALANCED AND UNBALANCED ANTENNAS. TOM - W2RFU - (516) 569-1687 EVES, (516) 486-4502 DAYS.

1371. FS: Pentium Hardware/Reciever/Decoder Please Read.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <5j3pln$2i5$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 177704
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,comp.sys.palmtops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.forsale,aol.commerce.computers.forsale,comp.forsale,comp.forsale.computers

For Sale:

ASUS Pentium Motherboard w/ 256K Cache (75-200MHz) $90
Intel Pentium 100MHz CPU $140
Intel Pentium 150MHz CPU $230
2 16MB 72Pin EDO DRAM Simms $160

Optoelectronics DC-440 Tone Decoder with Nicads $200
Realistic DX-440 Shortwave Receiver $150

If you're wondering why I'm selling all this stuff, I'm
tring to raise anough money for a new radio at Dayton!

Reasonable offers will be considered.

Please respond via packet, or e-mail at mwaldron@ohio.net

73's de Mike KB8VKF

1372. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5j3lr2$c5a@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 177705

jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones) wrote:
>>...most amateurs today do not know how to
>>evaluate a rig's performance. Instead of dynamic range, phase noise,
>>blocking range etc, they're concerned about the number of memories and
>>the color of the cabinet.

Believe it or not.. The other day, when a DX station discovered I
live in Tennessee, he asked if I knew whether Ten-Tec could provide an
Omni-6 with a black front panel. Seems he won't buy a rig that won't
match his Icoms...

73 Doug

1373. Re: FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip Nichols <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <3355A44F.795B@gatecom.com>
Source record: 177706
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dont be fooled by this... I wrote the Mar QST article and used
a 200LX. the differences are plenty. The 95 has only a 40column
width screen which will cause some problems running some of the
software I mentioned as well as not being entirely graphically
compateable. Even the 100LX is not fully CGA.

If you want to do what I did AT LEAST get the 100lx but it has
some bugs that youll not like. Go for the 200LX while you
can (this guy probably is if hes smart but dont let him tell you
it was featured in my article because I dont want email from someone
asking why his 95lx wont do it right).

A good used 200lx will run $350- $00 depending on condition.
My dad is selling his with 1200Bd modem and 5MB FLASHcard
for $500. I will include the BP-TNC and install the
software for $50.

I dont care if you dont buy my Dads HP but dont get a 95lx for
packet. I expect I will be flamed tommorrow but a few flames
are better than explaining to people why they cant do it after
they bought it.

73 KC8DQF Phillip
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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx#semi.mi.usa.noam

1374. ***WTB: Bottom Cover & Cabinet for 51-J3/R-388***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dewonder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970417023600.WAA26967@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177707

hello;

i am looking to purchase a desk top cabinet and bottom cover for the
Collins 51-J3/R-388 receiver.

thanks,

Bob Harding, KC5LHR
Albuquerque, New Mexico
email=Dewonder@aol.com

1375. CROOKED DEALER !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3356106D.69D1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177708

I have received many E-Mail messages about bad experiences with Dealers.
Since these experiences are second hand I will not repeat them. However,
I suggest that all Amatuers post these experiences so as to help your
fellow Ham avoid these Bad Dealers. Please only post first hand
experiences. Lets band together and drive these CROOKS out of business!!
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

1376. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Me." <Me@MYPLACE.Com>
Message-ID: <3355B5AD.4F0E@MYPLACE.Com>
Source record: 177709
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

Darrell wrote:
>
> Anyone got any good carp bait recipes to e-mail me I would appreciate it.
> There for a Friend.
>
> Many Thanks
>
> daryl@carol.net

We're glad you're there for a friend, but bait recipes for trash fish
don't belong on a newsgroup for scanner radio issues.

1377. Re: Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hopewell@ctg.net
Message-ID: <861282942.5313@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177710

> Hello Folks:
> Anyone check out the new Yaesu FT-920. Continuously adjustable HI/LO/Band
> Pass filtering (DSP), 6 meters, etc. etc. etc. Looks great, street price
> under 1800.00 . I was considering the IC756, but after seeing this baby, I
> don't think so. The DSP offers much more, and its about $500.00 less. Hate
> to say it, but time to switch from Kenwood to Yaesu (again).
>
> 73 all, Mike - WQ0N

Mike,

I agree with your comparison of the FT-920 to the IC-756, but
I don't quite understand your reasons for wanting to switch
from Kenwood to Yaesu. I've owned a TS-570D for four months
now, and I checked out the specs on the FT-920 on Yaesu Japan's
web site. The FT-920 is virtually identical to the TS-570S --
but its receiver sensitivity specs aren't as good as the
Kenwood's!

I'll tell you what -- if you like 6 meters, take a hard look
at the TS-570S before you buy that FT-920. You may be really
surprised. (Look at the QST and CQ reviews too.)

If you're like many people and want 6 meters just because it's
another band on your rig, think about that too. In some parts
of the country, 6 is absolutely dead. You could forego the 6
meter capability, buy a TS-570D and save yourself about $400.
That's ***$700*** less than that IC-756.

Just some food for thought from someone who purchased a '570D,
is very happy with it, and is flattered that Yaesu likes it
so much that they want to copy it -- but not as well.

73,

Meade KA4RQB

e-mail: hopewell@ctg.net

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1378. Re: Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Message-ID: <335646E3.3D97@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Source record: 177711

Craig Ayres-Sevier wrote:
>
> Hi, all:
>
> Recently finding myself sans HT, and sensibly trying (and failing
> miserably) to go without after, oh, 13 years of that constant capability, I
> reluctantly availed myself of my RShack credit card and impulse-bought the
> HTX-204 about a week ago.

<snip>

> Thoughts anyone? Be nice now.. ;)
>
> Craig Ayres-Sevier, KA7SYC
> casevier@ka7syc.reno.nv.us

Nice, well written review, Craig. I enjoyed your style. I'd like to
see a review of the new Yeasu FT-8000R written like that.

But, if you've only had the radio for a week or so, why not just return
it to the Shack for a refund rather than re-selling it? Then go and buy
the ADI and have a nice party with the leftover $100! :)

73 de KE6PHU/9

Dave Keyser | The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily
Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

1379. John Kitchens- NS6X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lou <lou-nn2g@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3355E215.57D6@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177712

Does anyone know how I can contact this individual? He and I had a deal on a speaker and I sent the money but have not heard a word from him.

I tried to send him EMail but no response and he is not listed in the phone book. Anyone know him and can either relay a message to him or can give me some information on how to contact him?

Any help would be appreciated....

Thanks...

Lou

1380. Ten Tec 9 Band HF Rxer Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33593d09.11044017@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177713

Has anyone built this kit? I realize that it's a Regen rxer, but I've never listened to a regen before. Just how bad is it? Is this kit worthwhile?

Thanks
Ron

1381. Re: TM-241A made in China

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <335812B7.4614@onramp.net>
Source record: 177466

John Ziccardi wrote:
>
> Does anyone know how to Mod the China made TM-241A so it will TX above
> 152 Mhz ?? I know that the Japan built one works to 172 Mhz.. Thanks
> for the HELP !! John
>
> johnnyz@lightstream.net

All of the late model 241's have been made in China. Yours, depending on the serial number, may or may not go above 152. The range from 512xxx to 6xxxxx will not go out of band other than Mars. Above or below that number will go higher.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1382. Re: OMNI VI ssb performance ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5j6s7s$222$1@mhafc.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 177467

Michael

I am glad to see someone buying a radio for the sake of the radio and not the bells and whistles. I have 2 good friends with these rigs and they both sound better on the air than I do, and they have better filter options than I have, so if that helps...
Steve KZ1X/4
--
73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

1383. HTX 204 - what's this about a recall???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: axinar@one.net
Message-ID: <861413277.4923@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177468

Say ... I saw a story that said that the Radio Shack Dual Bander HTX 204 was being recalled due to fears that it could be used for illegal purposes.

Huh?

What's this about?

Thanks!

Ax

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1384. Re: TS-570D Design Problems ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Stewart <stewart@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <33581DAA.729@peganet.com>
Source record: 177469

ckrelic@bellatlantic.net wrote:
>
> Gary Danaher wrote:
> >
> > I got my 570D soon after they came out. I visited a local dealer, sat
> > down and worked it for awhile and fell in love with it. Chassis #345 so
> > it was one of the first ones built. Works just fine and I give it a
> > workout. I normally switch on the power supply and then turn it on.
> > Never had a problem with it coming on by itself.
> > gary ab5rm
>
> Well I concur with Gary, have Chassis #650 and use it everyday
> since October without one little problem. I like it better than
> the TS850SAT it replaced__GREAT little rig! Curt/Ka3ivb

I think I might have been one of those who started this conversation.

My TS-570D is still at Kenwood in California and last word I got from them was that they were consulting with their engineers in Japan reference some problem with the lithium battery draining, and thus losing all memory. They are not sure if that problem is affecting the spontaneous power on as well as the memory loss. It may have something to do with their switching power supply as opposed to more standard non-switching types. They also advised me that they were running into my problems on other radios now.

In any event, Kenwood seems to be trying to clear up the problem, and so long as they keep me posted on their progress, (which takes some prompting every now and then), I am willing to wait a bit more for a definitive cure.

While it was working properly, and assuming that they do come up with a credible fix, the radio is one fine machine to operate. I run it through a Cushcraft A3 with a 40 meter kit at 65' elevation and that sucker can even tune that antenna to 160 meters !!! The inverted V G5RV antenna tunes well, too. The menu system is extensive, but still pretty easy to manipulate. The FREE computer control software is pretty good, say an 8 on a 10 point scale. And it sports two antenna connectors that you can switch antennas with from the radio, no need for an external antenna switch. I got consistent good RST reports on the Maritime Mobile Service Net and the 3905 Century Club Net.

So given that they will solve the memory/power problem, I think that this will become a great radio. Unfortunately, they stubbed their toes on release of the rig and it may take some doing to overcome that.

My recommendations stand until the problems are resolved. Make sure you buy one from a reputable dealer who will have no problem working with you and/or Kenwood if you get a kludge.

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Amateur Radio Station N4CRO ,-'-..._\
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N4CRO@KE2IX.#FMY.FL.USA.NOAM |c c)) You mess with me,
___ /`._ / / you mess with my
-==[___]\/; \/ Aludium Q-36
Bill Stewart `3-'| `) Explosive Space
2324 Dover Ave <'/||\`> Modulator ....
Fort Myers, FL 33907 USA __|::|
email: stewart@peganet.com (__.';|
stewart1@usa.net (_)

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* IN ORDER TO REDUCE SPAM I HAVE ALTERED MY REPLY-TO ADDRESS. TO *
* REPLY, REMOVE THE LEADING CAPITAL X FROM THE REPLY-TO ADDRESS. *
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1385. Thanks for the help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samuel Johnson <samjohnson@Bledsoe.net>
Message-ID: <3357AED5.1846@Bledsoe.net>
Source record: 177470

I just wanted to thank all those who replied to my post concerning questions about MASTR II useage for repeaters. All your help has relly paid off our club.
Also, if anyone has any spare crystals (in the 2 meter range for MASTR II's, I would be interested in purchasing them, if the frequency will fit in, in my area. Also, I could use another set of 2 meter duplexers, if the price is right.

Thanks,
Sam Johnson KF4GQS

1386. John Kitchens NS6X Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L. E." <lou-nn2g@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335826A1.526B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177471

Thanks to all who have answered my inquiry about this person...I now have his home number and work number and location.

As you may recall, I've been unable to contact him about a deal we had. It is my understanding that he has cashed my check but I still have not received my gear. Another ham has the same problem and has not been contacted by NS6X either. I've left repeated messages on his home number, work number and have sent a few EMail messages...All unanswered.

Just a quick word...I am NOT trying to say anything is wrong here ...yet. He may be on vacation...sick...have personal problems...who knows.

I'll keep the group advised of the status of my "dealings". Hopefully, nothing will come of this...

Best 73...

Lou

1387. TM-241A made in China

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Ziccardi <johnnyz@lightstream.net>
Message-ID: <3357DC2D.4BEA@lightstream.net>
Source record: 177472

Does anyone know how to Mod the China made TM-241A so it will TX above 152 Mhz ?? I know that the Japan built one works to 172 Mhz.. Thanks for the HELP !! John

johnnyz@lightstream.net

1388. FS ALINCO DUAL BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T.E.A.M. = POWER" <gold@wic.net>
Message-ID: <33583F92.3FDD@wic.net>
Source record: 177473

I have an Alinco 580 dual band hand held for sale:

The unit comes with the standard battery, battery charger, soft carrying case (not Alinco), manual, audio tape, original box, antenna and the filtered cigar lighter cord. Besides the regular ham bands this radio has been modified and works on MARS and will receive aircraft (110- 142.995). It also covers 130 - 173.995 part of which is the marine band and police.

UHF 440.000 - 449.995
420.000 - 479.995

This radio is in good condition.

I am asking $250.00 plus shipping.

1389. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mario Melendez <hitman@expreso.co.cr>
Message-ID: <01bc4b43$b8fb4be0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177474
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card> wrote in article

> Like I said before, it's okay if you own a cat if you don't let it near
> things you don't want a cat near. The same goes for dogs or any other

They also make these neat little items for your equipment (you can make 'em yourself for few $ too) called dust covers... they're great at keeping dust and animal hair off equipment...

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www.expreso.co.cr/gate/

1390. Re: Yaesu FT-747

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mario Melendez <hitman@expreso.co.cr>
Message-ID: <01bc4b44$46ded800$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177475

DW Comm <dwcomm@aol.com> wrote in article

> Mine got damaged during UPS shipment- both ways!
> I received it damaged, and when UPS picked it up, it got sent to the
> sender who received it in even worse condition that I did!

Did you complain to the UPS? I'd send a nice long letter to the manager of your local UPS office, or maybe to UPS HQ... it works pretty well, most of the time you get an apology, and even free stuff like stickers :)

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www.expreso.co.cr/gate/

1391. All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <3357a131.1626891@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 177476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
lately? Seems to be getting bad again...

This morning, out of 23 new articles in one group, 18 were
inappropriate.

Makes you wonder why we have rec.radio.amateur.swap for, eh?

Take Care & 73

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

Heartland Internet Services

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Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****

1392. Re: 10/11 meter recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mario Melendez <hitman@expreso.co.cr>
Message-ID: <01bc4b42$8d00dce0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177477

> Seeking recommendations for a 10-11 meter radio for my motor home. Below
is a list of the features that I am looking for:
>
> 10 meter
> all mode
> repeater offset
> pl encode

Best 10 meter I know of is the RCI2950 or RCI2970... I'm not sure if it has
the features you want, but it'd be my choice for 10/11 meters. It scans
too...

1393. HRO President calls to apologize

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970418144526.110386B-100000@homer32.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 177478

Last week I posted a note to this newsgroup expressing my dismay over a really bungled sale by HRO on a TL 922 amplifier. Well lo and behold, today Bob, W6RJ, President of HRO called me on the phone to apologize for his company's handling of the sale, particularly with regard to the shipping/box situation. We had a pleasant chat for over a half an hour regarding my experiences with his company. I offered my criticisms of the handling of the sale and offered some suggestions as to how to handle shipping heavy items such as amplifiers in the future (since my profession deals with shipping very heavy objects on a regular basis). Bob agreed with my advice and mentioned that he was going to implement new shipping policies immediately. I was impressed with his attitude and approach. Clearly he was looking out for his business. But it takes a big man with big shoulders to spend the time to call individual customers on the phone to try to figure out what went wrong, to apologize, and to try and make it right. Who knows...maybe the company will pay attention to us little guys and strive to improve its service? I got the impression that this is what Bob was trying to do. Who knows...maybe next time I'll give HRO another chance....73, de John, K7JY, Seattle.

1394. Need parts for IC229H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mario Melendez <hitman@expreso.co.cr>
Message-ID: <01bc4906$d8e44040$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A friend has an Icom IC229H which unfortunately has a burnt transmitter diode thanks to the guys at the local Red Cross who hooked it up wrong. We've taken it to at least 3 "technicians" who all say the same thing: sure, I can fix it. However all of them end up taking so long we ask for the equipment and go to another place.

Finally a few days ago I figured it'd be more efficient to get the darn diode and change it ourselves, even if we have to pay international shipping it's a whole lot better than having the radio off the air for another 3 months while we wait for some electronics tinkerer to get around to finding a diode that works.

Now the question: does anybody know where I can purchase the transmitter diode?

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1395. Kenwood TM-732

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mario Melendez <hitman@expreso.co.cr>
Message-ID: <01bc4907$1492e060$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I need a manual for a Kenwood TM-732. Nothing complex, just the regular old operations manual that comes with the radio. Unfortunately some functions are just too complex to guess...

Anybody got one handy or know where I can get one?

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www.expreso.co.cr/gate/

1396. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mario Melendez <hitman@expreso.co.cr>
Message-ID: <01bc4b43$50c7e1a0$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177481

> > Did you know that HRO LIES to hams in their catalog about many factory
> > suggested retail prices?

I wouldn't pay too much attention to them anyways. I've always thought it strange that they could offer a radio for $100 less than what they factory says it should be sold for.

1397. Re: ICOM IC DELTA 100 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mario Melendez <hitman@expreso.co.cr>
Message-ID: <01bc4b42$c6fb1640$LocalHost@default>
Source record: 177482

Stefano <stefdg@mbox.vol.it> wrote in article
<334e2b1b.174912@news.tin.it>...

> I'm posting from Italy to find some mods, additional
> information and any other thing you can post me.
>
> Please post me an answer sooner.

Check ftp://oak.oakland.edu/pub/hamradio/mods

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hitman@expreso.co.cr
www.expreso.co.cr/gate/

1398. Re: Icom-706 or Yaesu FT-900CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-1804971812270001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 177483

In article <3356C718.5398@linknet.net>, tgriffith@linknet.net wrote:

> I'm about to buy a mobile rig but am having trouble deciding which one.
>
> Would appreciate any input on the pros and cons of these two rigs.

706 has best resale, most bands, smallest size, built-in keyer, and easiest to
mount in mobile environment with detachable front panel.

73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

1399. FS:HW-101 HF Transceiver $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <33580210.2AA1@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 177484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tranceiver in good condition. I've gotten good reports within the last
week on 40M. Included is; matching Pwr Supply, Spkr, Mic, original
Manual. All for $150 ....U-Ship from San Diego. Reply E-mail..73

1400. FS:HW-101 HF Transceiver $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <33580291.2CA6@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 177485
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tranceiver in good condition. I've gotten good reports within the last
week on 40M. Included is; matching Pwr Supply, Spkr, Mic, original
Manual. All for $150 ....U-Ship from San Diego. Reply E-mail..73

1401. Re: Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <tech@thereporter.com>
Message-ID: <5j8bd7$6j8@lois.zippo.com>
Source record: 177486

ad7k@accessnv.com (Dale ("Squeak") Porray, AD7K) wrote:
>On Tue, 15 Apr 97 04:34:22 GMT, tenorman@i1.net (Mike Kraml)
>wrote:
>
>>Hello Folks:
>> Anyone check out the new Yaesu FT-920. Continuously adjustable HI/LO/Band
>>Pass filtering (DSP), 6 meters, etc. etc. etc. Looks great, street price
>>under 1800.00 . I was considering the IC756, but after seeing this baby, I
>>don't think so. The DSP offers much more,

I notice all the current new arrivals to the market are carefully
avoiding stating whether their DSP is *AUDIO* or *I.F.* derived. Early
efforts at DSP seemingly established that the I.F. derived DSP was more
effective, but it's usually higher expense seems to have motivated the
newer rigs to provide the audio derived DSP - altho advances to DSP
technology has improved greatly in the last couple of years...

and its about $500.00 less. Hate
>>to say it, but time to switch from Kenwood to Yaesu (again).
>>
>>73 all, Mike - WQ0N
>Yaesu is expecting delivery to start "at or after the Dayton
>Hamvention ... in other words, mid to late May.
>
>73 to all,
>
>"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
>Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

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Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
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NRA: No Real Action
No Rational Accomplishments
Not Regarded Affectionately
==========Gun owners deserve *BETTER* than the NRA!====

1402. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97041902085212761@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 177487

"TED">>Let me say it plainly and clearly:
"TED">>I was WRONG and I retract what I said about HRO's pricing...

Great, Ted.

Now, then - just WHO do you need to receive a Letter from regarding your continued abuse of the basic rules of Internet etiquette - by posting your 30+ lines of crapola with each and every message?

We now know you're human and fallible. And the "retraction" of your anti-HRO nonsense is appreciated. Take the next step, and clean up your personal messaging habits, and you'll gain much more respect.

This could be a great week for personal growth!!!

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

1403. HT SPEAKER MIC QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph
Message-ID: <970418211045645@livewire.com.ph>
Source record: 177488

Sorry for the long wait. Your followup question to me got stuck in the
bbs. Anyway I have checked my old files and came up with this simple
diagram which I hope you can understand:

HT hookup....
The audio is no problem, hooked up through the larger jack.
For the mike/ptt you have use the smaller jack, with a resistor/capacitor
network.
Typically, the audio input (mike) is connected through a .1 uf capacitor,
the ptt through a 30 K resistor. These are tied together and go the tip of the
smaller jack. The sleeve is ground, of course.

----------mic----cap----------to center conductor

----------ptt---------resistor------ to center conductor

----------ground line--------------- to ground

or in case a capacitor is not needed:

----------mic line------------------ to center conductor

----------ptt---------resistor------ to center conductor

----------ground line--------------- to ground

hope this may give u an idea on how it works. good luck n let me know
it goes>de waly

DB>I have a Motorola speaker mic and I am trying to wire it for my FT51r. I
DB>have clipped the Moto cplug off since it wont fit and obtained a submini
DB>and mini jack for the FT51r. I wired it up (GND, PTT, SPK, MIC) Now the
DB>speaker works fine but when I hook the mic up it stays keyed. this is
DB>bad. Can someone offer some input? I LOVE the bombproof build of the Moto
DB>speakermic and would like to get it working. Thanks,
DB>Dave Bryndal

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* OLXWin 1.00b * Want to know the heart and mind of America? Learn baseball.

1404. Re: Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Lazaroff <msl@nauticom.net>
Message-ID: <3357069d.0@pgh.nauticom.net>
Source record: 177489

Most everybody on this newsgroup likes to complain about RadioShack. Sure, they ain't perfect but then *nobody* (with the possible exception of Ten-Tec?:) is! Face it, guys, RS is a general consumer electronics retailer - don't expect 'em to be experts about any one category. I've found that the RS stores run by hams (yes, there are some!) generally are pretty competent, know what's going on, and do a respectable job of helping the customers. Sure, I agree that RS should have the accessories available with the radio now instead of later - and I've written to their corporate HQ and told them so - but I don't know what their suppliers' situations are and also, remember that ham sales are a very small percentage of their overall business.

It's a no-win situation for RS no matter what they do - hams complain that they don't have whatever (insert your favorite item - HF, dual-band HTs, 6M, 220, etc) but then when they do get a reasonably good product all the hams do is complain some more. Glad I don't have to make my living selling to fellow hams!

Some RS stores have good managers who properly train their people and do pretty well at keeping most of their customers happy. The real problem is that RS doesn't pay its people anywhere near the level required to attract and *retain* good folks who are both knowledgeable and who give a damn. When Tandy finally wakes up and figures that out they may end up with an incredible operation...but I don't expect to see it in my lifetime :).

I'm not trying to defend RS (although I do shop there occasionally). I'm just looking at things from the viewpoint of someone who has been in the retail electronics business and knows a little of what happens "behind the scenes"...

Discussing the HTX-204 is a moot point anyway since RS sent their stores a memo today ordering a recall of all units "due to regulatory issues" (quoted from the memo). Guess someone must have found a cellular mod :) There is a keyboard mod quoted in the instruction book that enables 800 MHz receive except for cellular. Maybe someone found another one?

The "official" keyboard mod is 14623 to enable transmit from 142.5 to 149.5 and 438 to 450 MHz. I've learned that 14623 followed by 11289 will enable transmit from 100-200 and 400-500 MHz. Anyone found any other interesting mods???

1405. transmitting on cell bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: me@at.yo.mama's
Message-ID: <5j5lnp$rla@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 177562

Just wondering if anyone knows of an HT that can be modded to transmit
on cell bands or harmonics of cell bands. Please post to newsgroup.
Thanks JK
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"The road to tyranny,
we must never forget,
begins with the destruction of the truth."

(William J. Clinton)
(From his 10/15/95 speech at the University of Connecticut to mark-
"Fifty Years After Nuremburg: Human Rights & The Rule Of Law")

1406. F.S. AR2515 super scanner - 2015 channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: idol@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5j6i0i$59q@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177563

In <5j5d7n$a3e@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com> idol@ix.netcom.com(K. Nat)
writes:
>
>Selling mint condition a hard to find AR2515 scanner. 100Khz to
>1.2 Mhz. completely open through all 800Mhz. Includes programming
>software and instructions. 79 banks, 19 search banks. One of a kind
>radio.
>
>First $425.00 takes.
>Includes shipping.
>
>E-mail only serious parties.
>
>Nathan..

1407. Trade:Rolex "DateJust" 18KT Gold/Stainless watch for Ham Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970418011400.VAA18649@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177564

I would like to trade up or down for the following: Yaesu FT-1000D, FT-1000MP, FT-990AC. Kenwood TS-940SAT, TS-570D. Icom IC-751A, IC-706. Amplifiers: ETO Alpha 89, Alpha 91B. Commander 2500. Ameritron AL-1200 or what have you interesting. The watch is in beautiful condition, purchased new by me and appraised at $2200. Same model currently lists for $5300, sells for abt $4200. Comes in original box with Docs. Tnx es 73, Van

wb0nzv@aol.com

1408. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <E8t6sp.KM@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 177565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones) wrote:

>Neither AES or HRO's prices are anything to write home about so I
>wouldn't brag about calling HRO last. You should try some of the
>smaller dealers who blow both of them away. Both AES and HRO are
>supposed to be so big and buy in such good quanities so there prices
>are more conpetitive than everyone else, what a joke. Call Lentini's
>and ask them for there cash price and card price and in most cases
>they will be cheaper than both these big so called buy in large
>quantities and sell for less dealers. Lentini's is not the only one
>either. You should do your homework before you brag about these so
>called good prices at HRO. 73, Stevedconti@carroll.com (Daniel M.
>Conti) wrote:x (201) 943-2379

I wasn't bragging but merely pointing out that upon calling both, HRO usually has lower prices. I did not say I BOUGHT from either of these two, just making a comparison between the two LARGE retailers mentioned.

Yes, I've dealth with Lentini and they are GREAT, as is THE HAM STATION, and the smaller retailers.

dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine BendixK43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

1409. FS: Kenwood TS-120S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <33577918.8EA@polarnet.com>
Source record: 177566

I have a very good condition
Kenwood TS-120S HF radio for sale.

Very very clean model and operates wonderfully.

Comes with Desk mic, hand mic, DC power cord, and original manuals
and schematics.

This radio is NOT continuous coverage and operates on CW, USB, LSB.

Asking price is $400.00 I ship.

If interested please e'mail me at:

beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thank you,
Charles

1410. FS: 3 Motorola PC-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <335779AD.242C@polarnet.com>
Source record: 177567

I have 3 slightly used hand held PC-10's.

Frequency of operationis 151.625 (one of 4 selectable)

Asking price is $75.00 each
or $60.00 if you take all three.

Work wonderful in the open.....tested over 3 miles.
Comes with 4 batteries, no chargers.

If interested please e'mail me at:

beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thanks,
Charles

1411. Alinco DJ-X10 Question !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hajo <hans-joachimwe@metronet.de>
Message-ID: <01bc4b9b$760e6440$2066a8c0@default>
Source record: 177568

Hi,
is there anyone who can give me technical information and also give some
Pics of the unit, to me ??
Please sent to hans-joachimwe@metronet.de

Thank you
Joe

1412. Re: HT failure question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROT13xr6nyz@ybbc.pbzROT13
Message-ID: <5j6q72$fmd@usenet88.supernews.com>
Source record: 177569

The aliens in piloting the fleet of '71 Pintos following comet Hale-Bopp
forced dirwin@imap2.asu.edu to write:

<Irrelevant intro snipped>

>exception, that being suggestions to dump my Radio Shack HT. I got

Ooo! Rat Shaft strikes again...

>Said HT transmitted for about a week (actually for a while now, but a
>week of my possesion). Now, it receives well, but won't transmit. The bar
>graph at the bottom of the screen shows full power upon operation of the
>transmit key, but I can't key up the repeaters. As a matter of fact, it
>won't even break the squelch of another xcvr in the same room.
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>The fuse blew three days
>ago (in the power supply cable), and I didn't use the radio for another
>day, so that may or may not have had an influence.

Not using the radio for a day after the fuse blew had no influence. The fuse
blowing, however, _IS_ significant.

>Well let me know what you think please. I'd hate to take it to Rat Shack
>for something I could troubleshoot, but I'm running out of bright ideas.

Or something you can't troubleshoot. But could fix. But anyway...
Try replacing the broken wire leading from the PC board to the center pin of
the coax connector. And don't leave the radio on you belt when you sit down.
The force against the antenna wiggles the center pin of the BNC connector,
causing excessive flexing of the (solid) wire mentioned above, causing it to
break.

HTH

Matt

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The things we do # Reply to:
to avoid spam. # ke6alm
die.evil.spambot.#.@loop.com
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Bobcode: KHtd luHo E!(ECSd) m2 CPEVWc B-73 Od LmM Ss++C++++++ T-- A6AT H9omec b20

1413. Re: Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5j6rf9$527$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 177570

I will have to get my hands on it to make a final decision. The dual
receive is very nice (even if it is in-band (it is isn't it?)), and the 570's
QSK lacks (assuming the Yaesu's is at par with the rest of their stuff
(then again, the 570's isn't (compared to the 870 anyway)). The only
major dissappointment about the 920 is they used AF DSP, not IF.
If Kenwood can do it (870), why the heck can't Yaesu (ICOM (they
claim IF DSP on their 756 but it really isn't)). Oh well, real world tests
will tell. 73, Mike - WQ0N

In article <861282942.5313@dejanews.com>, hopewell@ctg.net wrote:
>The FT-920 is virtually identical to the TS-570S --
>but its receiver sensitivity specs aren't as good as the
>Kenwood's!
>
>--snip snip---
>73,
>
>Meade KA4RQB

1414. radio shack hh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jprocyk@direct.ca
Message-ID: <5j6rgvhqq1@orb.direct.ca>
Source record: 177571

Hello. I have been looking at getting a basic qualification here in canada. Similar to technician in the Us. Anyhow I was wondering if anybody had any comments on radio shcaks HTX-202 2 meter ham radio.

1415. FS: Alinco DR-610T dual band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: stewart@wt.net
Message-ID: <3356f273.1088659@news.wt.net>
Source record: 177572

I have an almost brand-new Alinco DR-610T for sale. It is in absolute mint condition, with all original box, packing supplies, manuals, etc. I'm asking $450.00 plus shipping.

If you are interested, reply to: stewart@wt.net

In case you're not familiar with the radio, it is the top of the line Alinco dual band and comes jam packed with all sorts of amazingly cool features. For example:

120 channels (30 UHF, 30 VHF, and 3 "sets" of 20 channels each which can be mixed UHF and VHF.

Remote control of most of the functions of the radio (e.g. cross-ban repeater functions) with DTMF tones from a handie-talkie (and from the mic as well, of course).

Full and flexible cross band repeater.

9600 baud packet ready.

"Channel Scope" technology allows you to monitor adjacent channel OR frequency activity (VHF only, UHF only, or both at once!!!).

Detatchable remote-mount faceplace.

Can be used UHF/VHF, VHF/UHF, UHF/UHF, or VHF/VHF.

Internal duplexer.

CTCSS encode.

Expanded VHF and UHF receive.

Cross band repeat:

Power: VHF 50/10/5, UHF 35/10/5.

This is a GREAT radio... Let me know if you want it!

Stewart
stewart@wt.net

1416. F.S. YAESU FT3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.FRALEY" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <3356FAB1.36EE@planetc.com>
Source record: 177573

I have a "as new" FT3000 with tone board installed ,also extended tx mod has been done.About 2 months old,never put in moble bracket(sat on a desk!)Still has plastic over display ! Will sell for 400.00.You ship!

1417. Re: Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861351325snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177574

In article <336eb7e5.195964051@news.alt.net> kc5ass@hogwash.com writes:

> On 15 Apr 1997 05:43:45 GMT, "Craig Ayres-Sevier"
> <casevier@ka7syc.reno.nv.us> wrote:
>
> >Hi, all:
>
> <An incredible amount of worthless, nonsensical, rambling drivel deleted>

> You're one of them sissie-boys, ain't ya?

If a sissie-boy is a grown-up who writes signed informative posts
about amateur radio gear in this newsgroup then my hope is to be
called that by you also. But don't fret, you're safe for life.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1418. WTB: Dead IC2SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cjdumar@westelcom.com
Message-ID: <5j7ble$85d@news.emi.com>
Source record: 177575

I am looking for a dead IC2SAT, however, the case must be intact (dings and bumps ok). My case is shot.

Charlie, KA2VCS (ka2vcs@kd2aj)
E-mail: cjdumar@westelcom.com

To get a loan you must prove you don't need it.

Net-Tamer V 1.08X - Test Drive

1419. WTB: Battery Pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cjdumar@westelcom.com
Message-ID: <5j7bl0$85d@news.emi.com>
Source record: 177576

I am looking for the battery pack that is used with the Bearcat BC55XLT.

Charlie, KA2VCS (ka2vcs@kd2aj)
E-mail: cjdumar@westelcom.com

I'd love to, but my favorite commercial is on TV.

Net-Tamer V 1.08X - Test Drive

1420. KDK FM-2025 MARF II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Howard Wick <hduck@tcd.net>
Message-ID: <335745A0.7377@tcd.net>
Source record: 177577

Am looking for a manual for a KDK FM-2025 MARK II...Have the radio but no manual...Does anyone have one or know where I can optain one...Howard K0ACF...

1421. WTB: Kenwood audio cord for MC-60A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobra295@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5j6eeg$t7b@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I need the audio patch cord for the Kenwood MC-60A. It's a coiled cord, with an 8-pin female on each end. MUST be kenwood wiring. Email me if you have what I'm looking for. Thanks!

1422. CD-R's at Great Price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: 65465465@o
Message-ID: <5j7f32$ni9@chile.earthlink.net>
Source record: 177579

We have the following CD-R media and CD-Recorders for Sale:

Brand: Pioneer
Type: Printable Media (Surface of cd is blank for printing or labels)
Type: Gold on Green
Size: 74 min (650 mb)
Price: $ 5.00
Packaging: Jewel Case
Minimum Order: 10

Brand: Maxell
Type: Gold on Gold
Size: 74 min (650 mb)
Price: $ 5.00
Packaging: Jewel Case
Minimum Order: 10

Brand: Maxell
Type: Unbranded (CD and Jewel Case is blank with no name on it)
Size: 74 Min (650 mb)
Price: $ 5.00
Packaging: Jewel Case
Minimum Order: 10

Brand: Maxell
Type: Unbranded (CD is blank with no name on it)
Size: 74 Min (650 mb)
Price: $ 4.75
Packaging: Spindled
Minimum Order: 50

Brand: TDK (IEC Nippon)
Type: Gold on Green
Size: 74 min (650 mb)
Price: $ 5.00
Packaging: Jewel Case
Minimum Order: 10

Brand: TDK
Type: Gold on Green
Type: Unbranded (CD is blank with no name on it)
Size: 74 Min (650 mb)
Price: $ 4.75
Packaging: Spindled
Minimum Order: 50

CD-Recorders

Brand: Yamaha
Speed: 4 Write X 4 Read (4 X 4)
Version: CD-R 100 Internal Version
Software: Gear 4.0
SCSI Card: Adaptec
Comes complete with All Cables and Software need for Installation.
Media: 5 Pieces of your choice
Price: $ 999.99 US

Please take note that our phone number as changed from (213) 650-1680 to: (714)-461-5150
and our fax number has changed from: (213)-650-9110 to: (714) 461-5155

The Copy Cat Shop has all your CD duplication, replication, recorders,
software, and media needs.

If you have any questions feel free to call.

Cordially,

The Copy Cat Shop
714-461-5150
714-461-5155 Fax

Ask for Shelly when calling.

1423. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Morris" <robrk@fyi.net>
Message-ID: <3356DBFB.2F2B@fyi.net>
Source record: 177580

Fred Colville wrote:
>
> In <3352fc1f.14865012@eskinews.eskimo.com>, wrt@eskimo.com (Bill Turner)
> wrote:
> > GUXL80A@prodigy.com (Patrick Morley) wrote:
>
> > >and also- cats can stink up a house pretty fast-worse than just about any
> > >dog!!!!
>
> Not worse than a wet dog!,,,I've owned both.The cats will sit on your
> warm radio,and keep you company til your next qso.
> VE3 FCX
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1424. Re: WTB: Battery Pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Booher <kbooher@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5j7oo3$j9f$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 177581

Check out your local Target, Walmart, Kmart one of these stores
in their Sporting Goods Dept they sell 12 volt rechargeable
battery packs for about $35.00...

Ken

1425. WANTED: ACCESSORIES FOR YAESU FT-502

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Theriault <gemlab@midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4bee$634e3260$ab3175cc@gemlab>
Source record: 177582

Would like to purchase mike/speaker controller, quick charger, batt. pack, case, what have you. Please call: Peter J. Thriault 207-236-3933 or E-mail me.
Thanks

1426. Re: HELP ON MOTOROLA MICOR RPTRS PSE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33576835.163275538@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177583

Could you be a little more precise? What exactly are you calling
"ping-ponging"? Are you talking about cycling? Are you using actual
repeaters, or converted mobiles? Good quality duplexers? VHF or UHF?

If it is converted mobiles, and what you are saying is they are
cycling, I think I can solve your problem. I've seen it before.

Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

>
>We presently are using 2 motorola micors for our local club repeaters.
>Recently after installation, the repeaters began ping-ponging for hours
>on end. The odd part of this was that it only occurs on rainy days.
>
>On one of the rainy days the antenna was removed and the ping-ponging
>stopped indicating that it was an incoming signal although non could
>actually be heard coming in on the receiver when the antenna was
>connected. First the occurence happened on one of the repeaters. And now
>the second one is beginning to experience the same problem, again only
>during rainy days.
>
>Wondering if any one has experienced an identical problem with their
>micor repeaters? Any help, at all, would be appreciated. 73 Murray. My
>email is mgreen@erols.com
>

1427. Re: EZ Pass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <335776B7.7C22@acm.org>
Source record: 177584

Harvey L Cohen wrote:
>
> Does anyone know the technology behind the EZ Pass transponder used on the
> New York State Thruway. It is a 3 inch square plastic box. What frequency
> does it operate at? Are there any batteries inside? How does it produce
> power? Any other details would be appreciated. Just installed one and am
> curious. K2EJP.
> --
> Harvey L Cohen
> hcohen@eznet.net

This is second hand knowledge but the frequency is either in the 5GHZ or
10GHZ range. Also if the unit is like the old blue Amtech EZpass that
the Thruway used for a while, there is a small lithium cell inside. The
blue units could be opened easily by simply prying them apart. Haven't
tried it with the white unit yet.

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* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * *
* (914) 425-9819 * [This space for rent] *
* mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org * *
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1428. Re: FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4bec$224bf6a0$436157c6@520d>
Source record: 177585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am not selling mine... In fact I am working on running JNOS on it.
I have been happy with my 200 for 4 years and use it often. My
DAD though has decided he hates DOS. Therefore he purchased
a PB pentium. I cleared this up in my initial post. You setup is
SIMILAR to mine but dont imply its the same thing. It is infact a
scaled down version(no offense for my station is a scaled down
version of a packet BBS itself). I make no profit if my dad sells
his HP therefore I am NOT self-serving anything.

As for your omnibook, all those features eat up batterries. How long
would
it run packet on batterries. The omnibook vs Palmtop is a battle of
apples
and oranges. each has a specific strength. The Omnibook would lose
out to the palmtop in my needs but may win out in yours. They can not
be put against each other in a fair way.

As for the 95lx. My packet station pushes the 200lx to its limits...
LITERALLY. JNOS is going to be a tough solve. The 95 simply is not
capable of meeting my setup. No offense it just does not have the
capabilities. Even the 100 would be pushing it. I have gotten alot of
email
on 200lx users and seekers trying to duplicate my results. And with the
95
I simply can not guarrantee the same. ANd I dont have the time to explain

that to 100 people. This is why I know of people trying to sell their 95
for a
200. This demand is causing 200s to be pricy. Also HP-s stupid decision
to
end DOS palmtop production isnt helping seekers any.

and again, my dad dropped his email account and therefore can not sell his
palmtop on the internet where I can. Perhaps I will forward anymore
95users
seeking portable packet operations to you. Just as I forward portable
pacsat users to another. I knew Ild be flamed and frankly it still saves
me
a lot of wasted email from people I can not help.

If I offended you i am sorry but when you have someone comparing their
similar
station to yours and then you get email from people with less similar
stations.
I get email from psion users and I had to create a general FAQ for non-hp

users who think every palmtop is the same.

I suggest you write about your station. Perhaps you know enough about JNOS

and can tell me where I can find the whole source code of KA9Q NOS. I
also
dont need mail from people running TNCs I know nothing about. I wrote
what I am
doing and am happy to help others do the same. Beyod that...

73 and hope to hear your success story. Would you like me to add it to my
web page? Ild be more than happy to. I already added N1RWYs palmtop
packet page.

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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx#semi.mi.usa.noam

Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net> wrote in article
<3355F094.9EF@earthlink.net>...
| | Hey Bud,
| Before you shoot down someone else's equipment just to sell your
| own,
| keep in mind that besides being a really self-serving and inconsiderate
| person, that you're misconstruing what was written in the original
| message you shot down. What was written is that the 95LX is good for
| portable packet (and I have proven this to myself over the last two
| years with a Tiny-2 TNC and my HT), like what was shown on the cover of
| the issue of QST in question. It doesn't say "the same unit featured in
| the article". Look before you leap - the precipice may be greater than
| you think.
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| If your unit is the one exact same identical 200LX featured in the
| article, why are you selling it? According to the article, you sound
| very happy to take it anywhere. I guess not, huh? why do you
| self-cenetered folks have to take your frustration out on others? I
| couldn't stop you from selling your 200LX if I wanted to. You forget
| that there are more than enough people interested in your palmtop to
| where I am not threatening your all-important sale. I was going to list
| my HP Omnibook 100 (hi-res LCD VGA display, built-in mouse, PCMCIA,
| infrared, HDD, etc., etc., with AC adapter and serial cable for $250,
| but I haven't had the time to do so yet. How does your fancy 200LX
| stack up against that, bud? This is a notebook, but in addition to
| running Windows, it sure can run packet "at least as good" as your
| "celebrity" 200LX.
|
| Get a life. I'm selling my 95LX palmtop for portable packet. That's
| it. It WILL do packet with a TNC, no matter what drivel you wish to
| share. I'm just sorry that you probably assumed I was trying to head
| your sale off at the pass.

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| Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
| Garden Grove, California
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1429. RE: radio shack hh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970418074131126 79@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 177586

>>...any comments on radio shcaks HTX-202 2 meter ham radio.

Well, it isn't "pretty" to look at. It isn't ultra-mini in size. It isn't capable of receiving cell phone calls...

But if you want a solid performer - it's hard to beat.

The HTX-202 has 12 independently-programmable memory channels, plus one calling and three priority channels. It comes with continuous tone squelch encode -AND- decode. Power output is 5 watts minimum (7w typical) with 12 VDC supply, 3 watts @ 9 VDC or 2 watts @ 7.5 VDC. Low power setting provides 1 watt output. A power saver circuit with programmable 1/2, 1/4, 1/8, or 1/16-second duty cycle. Batteries are compatible with larger ICOM (IC-2AT/IC-32AT) series HTs.

Repeater offset can be adjusted from 0 to 4 MHz in steps as set by the scan frequency step selection (5, 10, 20, 25, 50 or 100 KHz). Memories store any offset, and any combination of continuous tone frequencies.

Supplied with Nicad battery, charger, 6-cell alkaline battery case, antenna, wrist strap and belt clip. Features include:

* True FM modulation (not phase modulation) for outstanding transmit audio and best performance in packet service.
* Continuous tone squelch transmit and receive tones are independently programmable.
* In addition to DTMF dialing, there is 5-digit DTMF selective paging (DTMF squelch).
* A five-number memory dialer that stores 15-digit sequences for autopatch use or DTMF paging.
* Scan for either active -- or vacant -- channels, with programmable scanning step of 5, 10, 20, 25, 50 or 100 KHz, and upper and lower scan limits (for VFO scan.)
* FAST, 25 channels/second scanning.
* Selectable priority channel scan interval, every 4, 8, 12 or 16 seconds.
* Multi-function scanning lets you scan standard memories, priority freq. memories, or a frequency range. Resume can be after 10 seconds, when carrier drops, or remain on channel (don't resume.)
* Transmit timeout - if you frequently time-out your local repeater, this circuit will stop transmitting after a preset delay (30, 60 or 120 sec.) and sound a beep. In effect, it forces you to reset the repeater before the repeater times out. Of course you can disable the timeout circuit.
* The HTX-202 carries a 1-year parts and labor warranty.

Subjectively, this HT has exceptionally strong, un-distorted receive audio you'll really appreciate when walking around the local (noisy) hamfest. You won't believe the sound is coming from an HT! Transmit audio is crisp, clear and strong.

From an Owner: "I put a 5/8-wave mag mount on my car, and used the 202 in the very intermod-rich downtown Ft. Worth, TX area. I've never been able to use an HT on an outside antenna within 2 miles of downtown Ft. Worth before. This one performed magnificently. My ICOM 2400 dual-band mobile gets less intermod than any other radio I've used in this environment, and the HT stayed with it, toe-to-toe. When the ICOM heard intermod, the 202 heard it, but when the ICOM was quiet, SO WAS THE HT!"

Even more impressive, the HTX-202 heard signals through the intermod, when the IC-2400 could not pull 'em out! Reason is probably because the HTX-202 is purposely limited in coverage to ham band ONLY! It can't be modified for out-of-band receive. The design objective was to build a specialized ham radio product that does the best possible job on the ham bands, and that includes the tightest, most intermod-free front end RS could design into an HT! The published spec says intermod attenuation is 60db minimum. Spurious response and adjacent channel rejection are also 60db.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

1430. Re: FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@nospam.nospam
Message-ID: <dgfE8u9Ew.LtH@netcom.com>
Source record: 177587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <01bc4bec$224bf6a0$436157c6@520d> "Phillip" <maccabeus@gatecom.com> writes:

>As for your omnibook, all those features eat up batterries. How long
>would
>it run packet on batterries. The omnibook vs Palmtop is a battle of
>apples

A comment regarding omnibooks - you might be tempted to connect the
omnibook power jack to an external DC power source in this situation...

Based on material I've read in the past, this is quite hazardous if you
also plan to connect something to one of the I/O ports (as in using the
serial port for a packet radio connection) - it seems there are unexpected
DC paths involving the power jack and the I/O ports that can result in
damage to the omnibook.

73 Dave WB0GAZ

1431. Re: F.S. YAESU FT3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.FRALEY" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <33576227.5775@planetc.com>
Source record: 177588

Radio SOLD! THANKS,KE4NWI

1432. RE: HTX 404

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970418074130126 78@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 177589

>>...12VDC, 3 watts...
>>...9VDC, 1 watt...

Craig - how are you making your measurements? Your numbers seem to be very "rough" ("3 watts" and "1 watt" - versus, say, 3.2 and 1.1, or something more precise).

I am not familiar with the HTX-404...but am intimate with the HTX-202.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

1433. Re: Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayk@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <5j85u9$6q5@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 177590

: If you're like many people and want 6 meters just because it's
: another band on your rig, think about that too. In some parts
: of the country, 6 is absolutely dead.

On the other hand 6m Eskip season is just about to start. By mid May
through August the band will open for several to many hours a day.

Sorry, back to the radio discussion.

73, Jay K0GU DN70mq jayk@fc.hp.com

1434. TenTec Argonaut for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Berlekamp <berlekamp@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4c24$610e6c00$619174cf@default>
Source record: 177591

For Sale:

Ten Tec Argonaut 509 with CW filter. Last used about 15 years ago but is
in working condition. Please make an offer....

Contact: berlekamp@worldnet.att.net

1435. AMECO VHF Equipment for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Berlekamp <berlekamp@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4c25$0d9e2460$619174cf@default>
Source record: 177592

For Sale:

AMECO 2/6m. transmitter Model TX-62
AMECO VFO-621 covers 6/2/220
AMECO VHF Converter Model CN converts VHF to 10meters for reception.

Make an offer... berlekamp@worldnet.att.net

1436. WTB 19 " rack AC 612

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvr@pclink.com
Message-ID: <3357c0fc.7761131@news.protocom.com>
Source record: 177593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hi,

I need a 5 or 6' tall rack. Must be in area code 612 or close to
that.

thanks,

Bob

1437. Johnson Messenger 250 CB info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5j8g02$nco@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 177594

I am looking for any info on the Johnson Messenger 250
23 channel CB radio with the 50th Anniversary plate on the
speaker grill. Any info like service manual, owners manual, etc.

Did all the Messenger 250's have the 50th Anniversary plate or
just the ones made in 1977?

If you have one for sale please email me.

1438. FS: Yaesu FT-747GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <3359a718.15445555@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 177595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi ,

I have a Yaesu FT-747GX to sell. Covers .5-30 mz. Its "as new" in the box not
a single mark on it. I would like to get $500.

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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
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1439. Re: N1KDO repeater controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevem14@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970418174200.NAA11795@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177596

Built it last month and have had lots of fun with the simplex repeater option- useful for testing equipment and hearing what you sound like on the air under different conditions. I tested the duplex side and it works fine. No phone patch, of course.

The board was well done, parts list complete, adjustment easy. I'd say go for it.

Steve m N0ZY

1440. FS Kenwood TS PS SP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Bryan <Bryan@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <3357A02C.70BB@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Source record: 177597

I have some ham radio equipment for sale.
Main items:
Kenwood
TS440S radio suggested used price $1000 (Canadian)
PS50 power supply $ 200
SP430 speaker $ 75

These are like new, in boxes, complete with manuals.
I will try to sell all three as a unit first.

If interested, please contact me.
Greg Bryan
Brandon, Manitoba
(204) 763-8869
Bryan@Accnet.Assiniboinec.Mb.Ca

1441. FT530 Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gvang@seine.com
Message-ID: <3357d9f4.3777565@news.concom.com>
Source record: 177598

Just purchased a FT530, Like it so far.

I would like to know how to scan on the local frequencies listed as
available "non ham"

Could any one please help?

You may email me at gvang@seine.com
or answer the posting.

Thank you

Gene VanGilder
K5FQ

1442. JRC245

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsonhe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970418204000.QAA24560@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177599

Sending this request for a friend. he has the radio, and is plagued with power supply hash. Anyone else with this problem and did you get rid of it? I want to go as fore-armed as possible before I dive into it.

W4ZCB

1443. ICOM 502 6m. for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Berlekamp <berlekamp@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4c24$b6cc30a0$619174cf@default>
Source record: 177600

For Sale:

Icom 502 6m. portable for sale. Has desk mic and handheld. Missing rechargeable battery pack. Has been well travelled but it does work. Make an offer....

Contact: berlekamp@worldnet.att.net

1444. video transmitter receiver system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mark caines <seniac@cableinet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <33582ABF.6AB6@cableinet.co.uk>
Source record: 177601
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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i am trying to obtain a video transmitter and receiver system
for use on a model helicopter i would prefer a colour system
in any format but must be legal in uk
thanks mark
email seniac@cableinet.co.uk
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1445. HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <3357e538.888027@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 177602

Hi Everybody!
For my 2 cents, I have found the gang at the
New Hampshire store to be well informed and quite intelligent. Many
times I have called, not to make a purchase, but just to ask a
technical question about this or that. They respond whether I am
spending $ or not. In 1992 I purchased a AL-80B. It never worked quite
right from the time it came out of the box. I tried to make it right
for 3 weeks and it just would not come together. After 3 weeks I said
to Timmy that the darn thing was probably a lemon. He said " hey
Gareth, I have a brand new one sitting at my feet that just came in.
Pack up the one you have and drive up here and we will switch today -
even steven" The new one is in my shack today and has run just fine
foe almost 5 years.
This is a company with real class in my opinion.

N1MSV

1446. Re: Yaesu FT920 - Glad I didnt' buy that IC756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rosch <rosch@mail.dec.com>
Message-ID: <3357C2E2.71CF@mail.dec.com>
Source record: 177603

> Mike,
>
> I agree with your comparison of the FT-920 to the IC-756, but
> I don't quite understand your reasons for wanting to switch
> from Kenwood to Yaesu. I've owned a TS-570D for four months
> now, and I checked out the specs on the FT-920 on Yaesu Japan's
> web site. The FT-920 is virtually identical to the TS-570S --
> but its receiver sensitivity specs aren't as good as the
> Kenwood's!
>
...
>
> Meade KA4RQB

Every review I've seen concerning Yaesu's products all show specs -
tested and observed - to be much better than what Yaesu guarantees.

1447. QRP Rig wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <3357ebdf.8251156@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 177604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Sold my OHR-400/DD-1, and am sorry now....

would like to buy another ohr-400/dd-1 combo, or a sierra/kc2 combo,
or what have you???

please email direct if you have something to offer
Thanks
Tim NZ8J

1448. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3357C815.3E3B@onramp.net>
Source record: 177605

Roy Church wrote:
>
> Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase
> lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to
> occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.

VCO1 has four oscillators and two of them covers the range you are describing. ie: 1- 0-7.499mhz, 2- 7.5-14.499mhz, 3- 14.5-21.999mhz, 4- 22.0-29.999mhz. The #2and #3 are not locking initially usually due to the potting compound. You can try aligning them but that is only temporary.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1449. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.D." <adwalker@mailgate.net-works.net>
Message-ID: <3357F70F.792D@mailgate.net-works.net>
Source record: 177606
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

carp dough
2 cups corn meal
1 cup flour
7 oz. of water
2 oz. corn syrup
1 oz. Vanilla (real)
1/2 teaspoon cinn.
1 box of (ROYAL) strawberry jello

heat the water, add everthing else (jello mix first) put warm mixture in to Qt. Ziplock Freezer bag and knead till mixed. Cool but don't over do it Room temp O.K. Use a #2 -#4 treble or reg. short shank hook
SuqRivGui
Allen

1450. Re: TEN TEC Complaint !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Loek d'Hont <ldhont@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4c48$6bf36200$8f0aaa9d@pc-tir22.pac.sc.ti.com>
Source record: 177607

Ken, no reason to flame you, because you hit the nail on the head with your remarks.
Ten Tec has excellent customer support, but no reason to declare the company holy.

I've had a TenTec Paragon radio in the past, I bought it because it appeared like a good, made-in-the-US radio, using glass-epoxy boards, professional enclosures, and real craftmanship.

Actually, it had all that. But, as it turned out, it also had other, less likeable features:

- The synthesiser digital electronics radiated digital noise in the receiver, very noticeable.
- The keypad on the front panel was of poor mechanical construction
- There is quite a lot of birdies, in spite of the very good shielded compartment construction
- The PA heatsink is mounted in the wrong way. For a good convection cooling, the fins need to be vertical, not horizontal. As a result, this heatsink gets very hot. I never could understand how Ten Tec can make a stupid mistake like this.
- The 12V bulkhead power connector on the rear is really a cheap one. I always was afraid that I would pull it out right from the chassis when attaching or detaching the power cable.
- The FM option is really a poor design. It is very wide-band, as they only use the first-IF filter in this mode and bypass the second IF filters. It would have been easy for Ten Tec to used the 8 MHz AM filter for the FM mode. Actually I modified the radio so that it does use this filter (simple modification) which improved the selectivity a lot in FM.
Also the center frequency in FM mode has a large error compared to the other modes. It would have been easy for Ten Tec to derive the local oscillator that they now generate on the FM board, directly from the synthesizer module.
- The battery backup was a 9V cell, and didn't last very long. This was designed in a time that all other major HAM manufacturers had long-life battery backup already, using a 3V lithium cell.
- The PWB boards are glass-epoxy, but had cheap, bare copper traces, unplated. I have never seen that in other rigs. It also looks real sloppy, like a homebrew rig made by someone that didn't have the means to make professional PWBs. Other manufacturer's rigs have this plated, to prevent corrosion.

I agree with Ken that if Ten Tec would bring out a rig that is truly new and advanced, and they have the brains in house to develop that, I would buy it on the spot.

A truly new Ten Tec rig should have :
- General coverage RX and MARS TX (this crystal mixing synthesizer concept that they like so much themselves for the Omni-VI I think is silly)
- Low phase noise DDS
- Motherboard construction with plug-in daughterboards
- IF DSP (Watkins- Johnson can do it, Ten Tec should be able to do this too. This is REALLY where an American, communications-equipment producing company could beat the Japanese!)
- Good mechanical construction for front panel controls, but ALSO for the jacks and controls on the rear!
- 50 MHz capability
- All mode, also AM and FM
- All internal frequencies derived from master TCXO, 1 PPM stability
- Good, solid flywheel feel on frequency tuning
- AC power supply built-in

Things like dual-receive, compact design, memories and built-in ATU I don't care about at all. On the contrary.

For a Ten Tec rig like this, I would pay $3000 + without a problem.

But guess what: A rig almost like this already exist, the FT990 from Yaesu. I have that rig now for 3 years, I have never had a better rig. And believe me, I had many. It offers almost everything that I listed above, for less than $2000. The only thing I miss is the 50 MHz capability, and an IF DSP, but the low price more than makes up for this. Will just wait till SOMEONE turns out a good rig like this, in the meantime I am very happy with my FT990!

Maybe Ten Tec can use the above in their advantage. Because I DO like American-built stuff, even if it costs a bit more.

Loek PA2JBC

Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com> wrote in article <3354CA4F.214C@notify1.com>...

>
> I've owned a Ten-Tec Paragon and, overall, thought it was a good rig.
> Maybe not a great rig -it had some rough edges- but I'll grant it was
> TT's first try at a "modern" HF rig. That was 1986 and this is 1997.
> The Paragon (and my 1985 Ford) are gone and replaced by new. QST
> produces FINE technical reviews of new amateur equipment, but when is TT
> going to start building new radios? The Paragon II was an obious last
> gasp (like Drake trying to market the TR7A as somehow better than the
> TR7!), as was their withdrawl from the real competition of retail sales
> (did the market even glitch?). I would consider TT in a minute if they
> would produce a modern, general coverage HF rig. Ten-Tec's customer
> service IS truly unmatched, but you can only sell so many ham-band-only
> rigs and $29.95 kits in today's market.
>
> Since the world tends not to be one sided, here are some more Ten-Tec
> facts:

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> *If you own one of TT's 2m HT's and it needs a new uP chip, you'll have
> to trash it. I'm afraid the mask-programmed chip is no longer
> available.
>
> *There is so much processor noise rattling around inside a Paragon that
> the clock (verified by several owners) actually gains time when the rig
> is switched on.
>
> *The Paragon's S-meter is useless (constant S5 to S9 readings) in
> several large swaths of the HF spectrum due to IF leakage (suspected).
>
> *The "Watts" scale on the Paragon meter seemed to be a cruel joke. The
> sensing circuitry looked conventional, so all I could figure was that
> the engineer had the meter manufacturer silk-screen the meter face
> incorrectly.
>
> I'll probably get flamed for this, however, I WOULD consider purchasing
> a new MODERN (general coverage) Ten-Tec HF rig.
> -Ken WB0QNA
>

1451. RC-85 Repeater Controller for sale...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Childers <childers@garlic.com>
Message-ID: <3357FA88.4E1F@garlic.com>
Source record: 177608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Our RC-85 controller is about to be taken out of service. This RC-85 is in great shape, and is fully operational, with Version 5.2 firmware (last revision for the RC-85), and manuals. The controller will become available for sale on Monday, April 21. (We're bringing it down off the hill on Saturday.)

We're currently taking offers for this unit... please respond via email to childers@garlic.com.

73,
Bill Childers
KE6VVW

Control Operator, K6THR Repeater, GVARC
147.825 -600kHz, South Santa Clara Valley

1452. Re: Index Labs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE3JSJ <gem@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <5j6gtj$6rk@news.istar.ca>
Source record: 177609

The QRP+ transceiver is no oonger in production - I understand from talking form the guy at Index Labs a month or so ago that the SGC will be producing an updated version (0 to 20 watts, USB & LSB, built in SWR meter, backlight, etc. etc.) using surface mount technology. Supposed to be 2"x6"x6" , <200mA on receive.

Have a browse through SGC web page at www.sgcworld.com

1453. Tone Burst for Kenwood TH78A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE3JSJ <gem@istar.ca>
Message-ID: <5j6h1p$70c@news.istar.ca>
Source record: 177610

Can any one suggest a simpole (ic) circuit to build into the Kenwood TH78A so as I can use it on my trips to Europe? Maybe someone has done the mod already. Kenwood Corpo wern't much help!

Thanks

1454. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4c52$15b5da80$7d4f85d0@ns1.megsinet.net>
Source record: 177611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Carl Hodder <sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca> wrote in article >
> If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your equipment
> because they don't mix.
>

Gee, and my cat doesn't even use my equipment. And I sure don't keep
my rigs in his litter box. Problem??

1455. Re: FS: Motorola System Saber +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nycoem@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970418234901.TAA09448@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177612

Of course they still make them and thats what the NYPD uses. I have a SABER III and love it, 120 channels and the best damn radio on the market. Beats any of the crap made by the Amateur Radio Companies by a long shot plus you can beat someone to death with it then call an ambulance for them on it afterwards, hi.
Robert de N2OWI

1456. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-747GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <33580699.9544718@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 177613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 18 Apr 1997 16:55:12 GMT, kf4kjf@post1.com (Benjamin Blavat)
wrote:

>Hi ,
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>I have a Yaesu FT-747GX to sell. Covers .5-30 mz. Its "as new" in the box not
>a single mark on it. I would like to get $500.
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>/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
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What kind of tubes does it use?
VE2ATD

1457. FS:HW-101 HF Transceiver $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <33580280.1F6A@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 177614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tranceiver in good condition. I've gotten good reports within the last
week on 40M. Included is; matching Pwr Supply, Spkr, Mic, original
Manual. All for $150 ....U-Ship from San Diego. Reply E-mail..73

1458. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Willard Flagg <flagg@TFF.Com>
Message-ID: <33581059.388F659A@TFF.Com>
Source record: 177615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I don't see a rec.radio.amateur.swap. I do see a rec.radio.swap and a rec.ham-radio.swap. Perhaps others don't get the sub-group either.

-will flagg, n1vlb

Marty Albert wrote:
>
> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
>
> This morning, out of 23 new articles in one group, 18 were
> inappropriate.
>
> Makes you wonder why we have rec.radio.amateur.swap for, eh?
>

1459. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4cde$ce8f9be0$a40f2399@peter->
Source record: 177366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Marty Albert <marty@trucom.com> wrote in article
<3357a131.1626891@news.trucom.com>...
>
>
> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...

I like the ads here.

1460. FS: Outbacker Perth Mobile Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dshelton@iglou.com
Message-ID: <E8w7D8.Fnw@iglou.com>
Source record: 177367

For Sale, Outbacker Perth Mobile antenna in excellent condition with
retractable stinger whip.

Price: $175.00 or best offer

reply via email to: deshelton@juno.com

tnx es 73,

KE4FPS
David E. Shelton, Amateur Radio Transmitting Society of Louisville, KY (ARTS)
deshelton@juno.com (e-mail)
KE4FPS@WD9AGK.#SIN.IN.USA.NA (packet)
ARCI #9079
FISTS #2103

1461. FS: Connect Systems CS900 Simplex Autopatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barnett <fleet@mbl.edu>
Message-ID: <33590445.1DFD@mbl.edu>
Source record: 177368

Brand new never had power applied, I paid 359.95 a week ago, ship lower
48 for 300.00. Decided not to install.

1462. ARD230C MANUAL/USER GROUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "George E. Benko" <gbenko03@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <3358FF32.198B@sprynet.com>
Source record: 177369

I am looking for a copy of the manual for the Advanced Radio Devices ARD-230 C manual...This is the commercial 3 tube version...Also looking for any information on a user group for the ARD230 amplifier or who in Nevada bought out the production surplus when they stopped production...

73 and thanks for reading this....George K8BRW (216) 331-3856

1463. Re: HRO President calls to apologize

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3358FBA0.7091@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177370

John T. Young wrote:
>
> Last week I posted a note to this newsgroup expressing my dismay over a
> really bungled sale by HRO on a TL 922 amplifier. Well lo and behold,
> today Bob, W6RJ, President of HRO called me on the phone to apologize for
> his company's handling of the sale, particularly with regard to the
> shipping/box situation. We had a pleasant chat for over a half an hour
> regarding my experiences with his company. I offered my criticisms of the
> handling of the sale and offered some suggestions as to how to handle
> shipping heavy items such as amplifiers in the future (since my profession
> deals with shipping very heavy objects on a regular basis). Bob agreed
> with my advice and mentioned that he was going to implement new shipping
> policies immediately. I was impressed with his attitude and approach.
> Clearly he was looking out for his business. But it takes a big man with
> big shoulders to spend the time to call individual customers on the phone
> to try to figure out what went wrong, to apologize, and to try and make it
> right. Who knows...maybe the company will pay attention to us little guys
> and strive to improve its service? I got the impression that this is what
> Bob was trying to do. Who knows...maybe next time I'll give HRO another
> chance....73, de John, K7JY, Seattle.

I feel that Bob Ferraro did the right thing in calling you up. In
addition he should have given you a "GIFT CERTIFICATE" for $$ to make up
for the foulup. The gift certificate would force you to give HRO another
try. Also the salesperson who refused to ship the Amplifier
to you because it was not in the box should be repremanded. All hams
should post any bad Ham Store reviews that happened to them and also
post positive experiences also.

73's Steven Hershman NS1R

1464. Re: Kenwood TM-732

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garth KA7MHN <garth@alinc.com>
Message-ID: <3359012C.7DEC@alinc.com>
Source record: 177371
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mario Melendez wrote:
>
> I need a manual for a Kenwood TM-732. Nothing complex, just the regular old
> operations manual that comes with the radio. Unfortunately some functions
> are just too complex to guess...
>
> Anybody got one handy or know where I can get one?
>
> --
> //\/\ario //\/\elendez- TI2DLL
> hitman@expreso.co.cr
> www.expreso.co.cr/gate/
Hi Mario,
I wouldn't mind sending you a copy of the manual, if you can post the
serial number of the radio and a call sign for yourself I would be glad
to send you a copy of the manual. 73 de Garth...

1465. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org
Message-ID: <slrn5li0qb.678.mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 177372
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 19 Apr 1997 16:32:02 GMT, Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>Marty Albert <marty@trucom.com> wrote in article
><3357a131.1626891@news.trucom.com>...
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>>
>> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
>> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
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>I like the ads here.

In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.

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Rich Mulvey
mulveyr@frontiernet.net Rochester, NY USA
http://www.frontiernet.net/~mulveyr
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@amsat.org, aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

1466. WTB YAESU FT-50 or FT 51

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcs@starnets.ro
Message-ID: <861472261.30136@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

HI ALL !

As I said, I am looking for like NEW Yaesu HANDHELD FT50/51R
Any other offers/models are wellcome.

PLS. reply w./ Prices & Specs (accessories, etc).

Regards,

Mr. Bogdan Oancea
bcs@starnets.ro

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1467. Re: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gary@ke4zv.atl.ga.us
Message-ID: <1997Apr19.172343.6360@ke4zv.atl.ga.us>
Source record: 177374

In article <19970419123601.IAA22062@ladder01.news.aol.com> wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV) writes:
>
> I have a feeling this could be the Lemon of 2mtr mobiles.
> I have not based my information on the net post, only local
> complaints of trusted hams here in Iowa.
> All are owned by older Hams on limited bugets and found them
> a very good deal for a new radio????????????? Maybe!
>
> Of the seven TM-241a radios I have been in contact with all have
>
> had one or more of the following problems.
>
> 1. Display get scrambled trash of mixed numbers and symbols.

Design flaw. The firmware doesn't do sanity checks. Kenwood isn't the
only one with buggy firmware, but their radios seem to have more than
their fair share of this sort of problem. There isn't much you can do
about this except complain. (Spikes and sags on the DC input can
sometimes cause the firmware to go off to la-la land, and the firmware
doesn't self-check to recover from this. You can try to make sure you
feed the radio really clean power. That does reduce the frequency of
this problem.)

> 2. Receiver sensitivity drops considerable when radio gets warmed up.
>
> 3. Transmitter goes intermittiant as it warms up with possible #2.

Final quality control problem. Do a VCO alignment. If VCO output is low,
receiver sensitivity drops, and if it unlocks, the transmitter shuts down.
When you properly align the VCO, these problems go away. If that doesn't do
it, look for cold solder joints, or the infamous potting compound problem
generic to Kenwood radios.

[snip]

> 5. Display is unreadable in very cold weather.

Nature of the beast. LCDs can freeze up in very cold temperatures (and
go totally black in high temperatures). This can happen to other radios too.
But there are LCDs with different temperature ratings. Kenwood may have made
a poor choice in specifying this part, IE they may have cut a corner here
on operating temperature range to reduce costs. Fortunately, the LCD will
recover when the temperature returns to the normal range.

> 6. Receive audio is trash sounding in very cold weather.

Fairly normal. It's off frequency due to the cold. That happens to lots of other radios too. You may be able to install a crystal oven, which is always powered, on the reference crystal to cure this. Or you can try substituting a higher quality reference crystal.

> 7. Hi power operation overheats PA and heatsink gets super hot.

Generic problem with Kenwood VHF/UHF radios. I've complained about this one for years. The TM731 was even worse. They don't seem to be able to do proper thermal design. I had a 790A that you could cook eggs on after only short transmissions. That's unacceptable, and can lead to premature PA module failure.

I think Kenwood cuts corners too much. I believe this is a result of their consumer equipment heritage where saving a few pennies per unit mounts up to real money because of the large production volumes. That just doesn't fit with the amateur market. Volumes are much lower, our service requirements much more demanding, and a dollar or two won't make the difference in which radio we'll buy. (Amateurs are aggressive price shoppers, but that's mainly to see which dealer will give them the best deal on a particular radio they want, and isn't the primary factor in choosing which radio to buy.)

Gary
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Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it, | Due to provider problems
Destructive Testing Systems | we break it. | with previous uucp addresses
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed! | Email to ke4zv@radio.org
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | |

1468. Yaesu FT-50R Earphone mic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: joshn3xgr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419183701.OAA16581@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177375

Hi,

I saw this in a catalog and was wondering about getting one for bicycle mobile operation. It is the MH37A4B. My main question is, how well does the darn thing work?

73,
Josh n3xgr@qsl.net

Check out N3XGR's Index of ARES/RACES Pages --- Frequently updated with new links!
http://www.qsl.net/n3xgr/

1469. Re: HTX 204 - what's this about a recall???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerryc@airmail.net
Message-ID: <gerryc-1904971334370001@dal16-06.ppp.iadfw.net>
Source record: 177376

In article <861413277.4923@dejanews.com>, axinar@one.net wrote:

> Say ... I saw a story that said that the Radio Shack Dual Bander
> HTX 204 was being recalled due to fears that it could be used for
> illegal purposes.
>
> Huh?
>
> What's this about?
>
> Thanks!
>
> Ax
>
> ----------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

I am looking for this also.

I talked to a ham who works for radio shack today, who says their manafacturer messed up and used a micropressor they had in stock rather than wait for the new one.

The radio is capable of transmitting out of band and scanning cell phone freq's., both are a FCC no-no for type acceptance.

The person who discovered this bug posted it on the internet and thus the demise of the HTX204.

I am looking for the original post if someone can point me.

Gerry WD4BIS
gerryc@airmail.net

1470. Kenwood TS 450 Questions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tjenk@sccoast.net
Message-ID: <5jalhl$fr5@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 177377

First of all I am not a Ham so excuse the ignorance of my questions. In talking to my uncle about his Kenwood TS 450 SAT he said it was not Xmitting at full power. After bench testing with power supply and oil filled dummy load, no SWR, we had 68 Watts. This unit is a 100 watt radio. To confirm the meter we tested another transmitter and it tested to full rated power. My suggestion was to ask others if anyone else has had this problem? Has this radio had any classic problems relating to this symptom? I did find some info on the driver circuit before the final output. It mentioned a replacement transistor and mod. Anyone who has any input let us know.
My second question is: Does this transceiver have computer interface and what software is available to control it? My uncle just turned 80, and got his first computer. This would be of great interest to him if he can combine his old and new hobby.
Any info would be greatly appreciated. Thanks in advance. Please post and respond to both our email addresses.

Terry Jenkinson Tjenk@sccoast.net
Urnest Jenkinson (my uncle) EJDJ@infoave.net

1471. HF-380 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: liber.fab@iol.IT
Message-ID: <v01530500af7ecf4eee4b@[195.45.5.190]>
Source record: 177378

Hello everybody,
I have an excellent HF-380 for sale, full loaded (NB,
speech proc.,filters, all service bullettins and updates, diode mod, fan
cooler, keypad), plus the original desk mike. $ 3.500 plus shipping.
Thanks
I0LBE,Fabio

1472. Any Mods for FT8000R Please !!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter@miniman.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <335a21d6.3304005@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177379

Hi, Can anyone send me any mods for the FT8000R Please

Peter@miniman.demon.co.uk

1473. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Cecil A. Moore" <cecilmoore@delphi.com>
Message-ID: <3359284C.476C@delphi.com>
Source record: 177380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Peter Gottlieb wrote:
MA > Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
MA> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
> I like the ads here.

Doesn't matter who likes it - it is against r.r.a.* newsgroups
rules. Wonder how many posters haven't bothered to read the rules?

73, Cecil, W6RCA, OOTC

1474. Updated Yaesu Manual List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33592C55.187E@onramp.net>
Source record: 177381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have updated the manual list with a few we found and deleted the ones
that have been sold. Thanks for looking.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1475. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpimlott@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5jbaeg$qf6@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 177382

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test message
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1476. Re: Kenwood TS 450 Questions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33592DE4.3B98@onramp.net>
Source record: 177383

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> Any info would be greatly appreciated. Thanks in advance. Please post
> and respond to both our email addresses.
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> Terry Jenkinson Tjenk@sccoast.net
> Urnest Jenkinson (my uncle) EJDJ@infoave.net

#1. Sounds like the protection circuit is out of alignment, it is very
touchy to get right and picky if not right. You didn't mention what band
this was occurring on nor if the power levels varied between the bands.
These would be symptoms of the protection circuit. Do not mess with the
drivers, that was for replacement of them with a different type in the
event of failure.

#2. The radio will talk to a computer via a IF-232C level converter. In
numerous websites there are control programs that will work with this
radio.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

1477. FS: Yaesu FRG 8800 & MFJ 1278 MMDC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fran Huguet <fmhuguet@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <3359309A.3CB3@mtu.edu>
Source record: 177384

Taking bids... both have manuals and are in good shape.

Fran

1478. FS Yaesu FT-2500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry J. Brock" <larry666@gdi.net>
Message-ID: <33592979.5472@gdi.net>
Source record: 177385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello,
I have 2 Yaesu FT-2500M's for sale.

Both are in mint condition,low hours,mil-spec construction,alpha
display,31 memories,3 power levels (5,25,50 watts).

Asking $200 each and I will ship anywhere in the continental US.

I can be reached at larry666@gdi.net

73,
Larry Ke4rur

1479. FS: Kenwood TS-50, AT-50, CW Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbohner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419220601.SAA01744@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177386

Kenwood TS-50, New price @ AES=$1019 -- Asking $750
Kenwood AT-50 Antenna tuner, New Price @ AES=$329 -- Asking $245
Kenwood YK107C CW Filter, New price=$129 -- Asking $90

All in excellent condition, no scratches or marks. Original boxes and manuals. Purchased new 3/94. The AT-50 was used only about 30 minutes, I ended up using an SGC tuner instead, because of the type of antenna. It has served me well and since I don't need a small radio, like I thought I might, I have upgraded to a TS-850.
I'll pay COD shipping.
Send email to GBohner@aol.com
Guy, W6LJL
St. Petersburg, FL

1480. Ham Estate Tag Sale in Western Connecticut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD1YV <jimkd1yv@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33593278.4D8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD ON THIS TO ANYBODY THAT YOU THINK MIGHT BE INTERESTED.

Ham gear, test equipment and electronic parts from the estate of John Gruss, W1ACR will be sold at a tag sale on Saturday and Sunday, April 26-27 from 10 am to 4 pm in Danbury, Connecticut (near the CT/NY border.)

The location is 20 Edgewood St., Danbury at I-84 exit 4. Turn left off of the exit ramp, and take an immediate left onto Shannon Ridge Rd. Go past the stop sign to the 2nd house on the right.

There is literally tons of equipment and parts, and EVERYTHING MUST GO! Come on out for some great deals. For additional information, contact Brian Gruss, N1IXI, (203) 743 0914.

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73 de Jim, KD1YV
http://pw1.netcom.com/~jimkd1yv/hamily.html

1481. Hallicrafter S-240 info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5jbg0t$88i@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 177388

I have a Hallicrafter S-240 shortwave receiver and would like to find out a bit about it. This is the solid state table top model with the FM broadcast band (88 MC to 108 MC).

How old is it?

Are they rare (I doubt it but had to ask)?

How many other solid state receivers did hallicrafter make and what models were they?

I seen a matching (looks just like the S-240) VHF receiver by hallicrafter. What model was it?

It's in excellent condition except it's missing the volume knob. Where can I get a replacement knob?

Where can I get a copy of a owners manual, service info or schematic?

1482. Hallicrafter S-99 or SX-99 value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5jbgo2$88i@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 177389

I know someone with either a S-99 or SX-99 Hallicrafter shortwave receiver that may be selling it. I'm pretty sure it's a SX-99 but it could be a S-99 model.

What is price range for this receiver?

Are they very common?

1483. FS: ICOM 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darren Carroll <dtkp@mail.superlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4d10$fdb2cbe0$3651c8d0@DANGER.superlink.net>
Source record: 177390

ICOM 735 forsale in excellent condition with manual & mic asking $650.00
plus shipping you can emal me at dtkp@mail.superlink.net. Thanks

1484. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4d12$795fc1c0$3d4f85d0@ns1.megsinet.net>
Source record: 177391

Roy Church <rac@isise.rl.ac.uk> wrote in article
<5j5g4v$h2m@newton.cc.rl.ac.uk>...
> Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase
> lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to
> occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.

Symptoms:

Just dots across display and silence from speaker
for only certain ranges in frequencies. The ranges
narrow down slowly to zero as the radio warms up
over a couple of hours. This problem was intermittent.

Other times, rig would make some kind of oscillating
sound over the normal audio. Also would be off-frequency.
As rig warmed up, oscillations would slow slowly to zero,
again over a couple hours, and over certain frequency
ranges which would narrow over the warm-up.

I had these problems with my ts440s for a few YEARS.
I bought the rig from Erickson's (now defunct) in
Chicago. The rig was out of warranty when the problem
began. Erickson's sent the rig to A.E.S. in Milwaukee
for repair. Came back, a hundred and some odd dollars
later, with the problem still there. Erickson's sent
it back two additional times. Problem got better, but was still
there and got worse over time.

I e-mailed Kenwood. They sent me three service sheets addressing
the problem. (What, I'm supposed to be do these repairs?) I felt
that since this was such a common problem with the 440, that
Kenwood should have offered a free repair.

I finally, in desperation, sent the rig to Kenwood's east coast
repair facility. Three weeks, and a hundred and twenty bucks later,
I now have a perfectly working radio. I use this radio with a dsp
unit for everything from ragchewing to rtty, to weak signal
contest cw'ing. I absolutely love it. Great rig.

So do yourself a favor. Send the rig to Kenwood. Mention that
you know it's a common problem, and maybe you'll get a price
break on the repair! Didn't work for me, but maybe you'll
have better luck.

73.... Mike

1485. FS: TS-450S/AT Kenwood xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AE0Q / V31RY <v31ry@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5jbi5d$lcg@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177392

Posting this for another ham, please reply directly to him via e-mail:

For Sale - TS-450S/AT with narrow CW filter
AND mike AND manuals AND 20amp PS AND Radio Shack DSP
all for the ridiculously low price of $875 shipped CONUS.

Regards, N3FRT, in WDC
Robert D. Haslach

rhaslach@CapAccess.org
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73 -- Glenn AE0Q/V31RY

1486. FS: IC-970H w RX unit, 2 decode and more!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419225100.SAA05107@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177393

I am trying to help a friend sell his IC-970H. He doesn't have internet
access.
1.It is near mint conditon.
2. It has the receive unit with dual decoders.
3. FM8 Desk microphone.
4. Power supply.

Asking $2,600
Email me for more information.

Eric
N9VJG@aol.com

1487. Re: Hallicrafter S-99 or SX-99 value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Doran S. Platt" <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33594FA5.1AD5@erols.com>
Source record: 177394

Carl Hodder wrote:
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> I know someone with either a S-99 or SX-99 Hallicrafter shortwave
> receiver that may be selling it. I'm pretty sure it's a SX-99 but it could
> be a S-99 model.
>
> What is price range for this receiver?
>
> Are they very common?I got a pristine one, eg: s-meter no scratches, etc. w/ orig. book
for
$125. Regards K3HVG

1488. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jarad@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <jarad.133.0122B440@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 177395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <slrn5li0qb.678.mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org> mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org (Rich Mulvey) writes:
>From: mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org (Rich Mulvey)
>Subject: Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here
>Date: 19 Apr 1997 17:45:46 GMT

>On 19 Apr 1997 16:32:02 GMT, Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
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>Rich Mulvey
>mulveyr@frontiernet.net Rochester, NY USA
>http://www.frontiernet.net/~mulveyr
>Amateur Radio: aa2ys@amsat.org, aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

Yeah i like ads too
jarad

1489. Newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rancor <ranc0r@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4d34$370f02a0$6d1c7fcf@default>
Source record: 177396

Is it possible for someone to e-mail the instructions on building an antennae and transmitter?

1490. Re: JRC245

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Ulrich's <not-my-addr@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <5jbnm1$1na$1@news2.i-2000.com>
Source record: 177397

JohnsonHE wrote in article <19970418204000.QAA24560@ladder01.news.aol.com>.
..
>Sending this request for a friend. he has the radio, and is plagued with
>power supply hash. Anyone else with this problem and did you get rid of
>it? I want to go as fore-armed as possible before I dive into it.
>
>W4ZCB
>

I have a JRC 245. It is very quite..not a hint of hash.. send it back to
the shop..

1491. FS: Kenwood TS-850SAT w/ DSP-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdecker@metronet.com
Message-ID: <861495535.12041@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177398
Cross-posted to: dfw.forsale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Kenwood TS-850S/AT with:

Kenwood DSP-100 Digital Processor
YG-455C-1 500Hz CW Filter
Hand Microphone
DC Power cable
Boxes and Manuals

Will only sell as a package for $1325US,
and ship to anywhere in the continental US
via FEDEX 2nd Day.

Ratings:
Appearance - 9
Functionality - 10

de Jerry N5RV

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1492. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5jbbh1$1f12@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 177399
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> In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
>charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
>rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.

A lot of newcomers may or may not know this. Hell, they may not know
hat a FAQ is, or where to look. The title of the group should be
rec.radio.amateur.equipment.discussion or something similar. If you
were new, and saw the title as it is now, wouldn't you think this is
the place to sell equipment? Also some servers may or may not access
all the groups.

On the subject of "noise level", some would think that the HRO and cat
pee threads, as well as old what's his name the teacher (Who
thankfully has been absent of late) might well be considered noise
level by many.

It would be a simple matter to set up a killfile for any ads
containing "FS, WTB",. etc.

Bill
kb2rmi@frontiernet.com

1493. FS CW STATION IDENTIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka2qep@webspan.net
Message-ID: <5jbqi7$ddu@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 177400

** FoxGap CW Station Identifier **

This unit is great for repeater identification, when your machine is up and running, or when you are down for repair and want to maintain a presence on a desired frequency. Also it is perfect for beacon use, just add a transmitter. For beacon use it will control your PTT on your FM rig, or key your output in sideband mode.

Features:
- Adjustable CW speed, 5 to 60 words per minute
- Adjustable code tone, 200 to 1200 Hz
- 55 character message buffer, plus a
- 55 character alternate message buffer.
- Eeprom memory is non-voltile. over 100,000 write cycles.
- Power monitor. will auto-restart in event of loss of power
- repeat message time, 1 min. to 24 hours.
- PTT output and Key (or beacon) output.
- BUSY (COR) input (active high or low).
- BUSY hold of delay timer.
- programmable from your IBM computer.
- Windows 3.1 or Win 95 compatible.
- adjustable audio output.
- programming cable is supplied.
- small size, 3" x 1.25"
- standard 12 volt operation.

Programming requirements: IBM or compatible computer with a mouse and one 3.5" HD floppy drive, running Windows 3.1, Win 95, or higher.
And a second COMM. port (2,3, or 4).

The FoxGap CW Station Identifier lists for $69.95 For a limited time the intro offer is $50.00 Shipping extra. We can ship UPS COD cash only, MO, or certified check. For further information contact Jim at 610-588-0282
Fax 610-588-0253 Or email n2gkw@epix.net

1494. FS great stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net>
Message-ID: <335924F4.79AB@thezone.net>
Source record: 177401

For sale
I am posting this for VO1JN Jack Norman .If interested Please contact
JACK at 709-722-
7986 now for the list
Bird whattmeter c/w 7elements will not subdevide 325.00
200-500 5 watts
.45-2.5 1000 watts
100-250 25 watts
50-125 5 watts
2-30 250 watts
100-250 250 watts
50-125 50watts
Heathkit 1KW dummy load
20.00
Telex 6M-624B 6 meter 6 el beam 350.00
4-400 tubes
10.00
Midland 40ch. programable VHF c/w manual 150.00
Fluke Freq. counter c/w RF probe
150.00
amprobe jr.
50.00
Sound Level meter
50.00
sheet metal nibbler 16 ga.
125.00
large whitney punch .25 hole thru.25 steel
75.00
hand whitney punch
50.00
propane furnace c/w regulator & hose
75.00
Battery pwr. drill c/w spare battery
50.00

1495. Model number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cleve Massey <cmassey@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <33598610.7BC0@airmail.net>
Source record: 177402

What is the model number for the ICOM that is same vintage and matching unit for the 551D?

Would be nice to have twins...

tnx...cleve/wd5bor

1496. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3359764A.154@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177403

Mike Pender wrote:
>
> Roy Church <rac@isise.rl.ac.uk> wrote in article
> <5j5g4v$h2m@newton.cc.rl.ac.uk>...
> > Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase
> > lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to
> > occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.
>
> Symptoms:
>
> Just dots across display and silence from speaker
> for only certain ranges in frequencies. The ranges
> narrow down slowly to zero as the radio warms up
> over a couple of hours. This problem was intermittent.
>
> Other times, rig would make some kind of oscillating
> sound over the normal audio. Also would be off-frequency.
> As rig warmed up, oscillations would slow slowly to zero,
> again over a couple hours, and over certain frequency
> ranges which would narrow over the warm-up.
>
> I had these problems with my ts440s for a few YEARS.
> I bought the rig from Erickson's (now defunct) in
> Chicago. The rig was out of warranty when the problem
> began. Erickson's sent the rig to A.E.S. in Milwaukee
> for repair. Came back, a hundred and some odd dollars
> later, with the problem still there. Erickson's sent
> it back two additional times. Problem got better, but was still
> there and got worse over time.
>
> I e-mailed Kenwood. They sent me three service sheets addressing
> the problem. (What, I'm supposed to be do these repairs?) I felt
> that since this was such a common problem with the 440, that
> Kenwood should have offered a free repair.
>
> I finally, in desperation, sent the rig to Kenwood's east coast
> repair facility. Three weeks, and a hundred and twenty bucks later,
> I now have a perfectly working radio. I use this radio with a dsp
> unit for everything from ragchewing to rtty, to weak signal
> contest cw'ing. I absolutely love it. Great rig.
>
> So do yourself a favor. Send the rig to Kenwood. Mention that
> you know it's a common problem, and maybe you'll get a price
> break on the repair! Didn't work for me, but maybe you'll

> have better luck.
>
> 73.... Mike

I also had the same problem and cured it by tearing the radio appart
and cleaning up the glue (not an easy task). Since it was such a
widespread problem Kenwood should openly admit to it and do the repair
for free. Every Kenwood TS-440 will have this problem eventually.
This is main reason why I do not buy Kenwood products. Around the
same time I owned a Kenwood Dual band mobile radio model Tm-731???
I'm not sure but this was about 6 years ago. Anyway the radio kept
losing its memory settings if the power was shut off. I found out
that this was also a problem since several of my friends had the same
radio and same problem. Kenwood said it never heard of this before
even though most owners of the model were sending in the radio.
Finally after the problem reached epidemic proportions they had to.
I had a problem with a early serial # Yaesu FT-900at that kept shutting
off own its own. Once Yaesu came out with a new CPU chip that corrected
the Problem they repaired all units in/out of warranty. Same thing on
a Yaesu FT-990 etc . Buy only from a company that will back up its
product. Do not buy Kenwood!

1497. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <5jb86j$go4@linet06.li.net>
Source record: 177404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

>Yes, I've dealth with Lentini and they are GREAT, as is THE HAM
>STATION, and the smaller retailers.

About Lentini, I had a friend who drove up to Lentini's and spent
about $150 on a Astron 35M power supply and about $1300 dollars an a
new Yaesu Hf rig. I don't remember the model number (sorry).
Anyway, my friend (who was about 70 years old) took the radio home.
He returned the rig in about 2 weeks because he could not see the
analog meter very well, his eyesight was failing because of his age.
At this time my friend chose to exchange the rig for a Kenwood TS-450S
with the built in antenna tuner. This radio had a digital, bright,
easy to read meter. Lantini was delighted to take the rig back!
HE ONLY CHARGED MY FRIEND 150 DOLLARS
RE-STOCKING FEE after buying the TS-450!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Now ain't that nice !?
Oh by the way, My friend dealt with the owner both times.

1498. Swan 700 Finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Young <ryoung@wcnet.org>
Message-ID: <335971BD.6DA5@wcnet.org>
Source record: 177405

I am trying to repair a Swan 700. I am trying to find a pair of finals. The only place that I have found that can get them wants $97 each. I was told I could use a different tube with a little mod to the radio. The current tubes are 8950s. Any help would be appreciated. Thanks
Ryoung@wcnet.org N8EBH

1499. Re: Icom-706 or Yaesu FT-900CAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: loushery@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <3359886E.6B68@pacbell.net>
Source record: 177406

Don't know about pros and cons But, Ive had my 706 for over a year and
am real happy with it.
Lou
KB6FFT

1500. Index Labs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T.McCuen" <74032.172@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <33593D95.4396@compuserve.com>
Source record: 177407

Here's a reply I got from SGC corp re Index labs;.....
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Thank you for your interest in SGC and Index Laboratories.
In response to your inquiry and concerns, we have attached a statement
from
Bruce Franklin of Index Laboratories.

The following letter was received from Index Laboratories by SGC on
4/9/97.

The purpose of this letter is to clarify the relationship between SGC,
Inc.
And INDEX LABORATORIES.
SGC has contracted with Bruce Franklin for engineering design services
to
develop a new transceiver, the SG-2020.
SGC has not acquired INDEX LABORATORIES, its product line nor its
customer
service obligations.
Warranty service for the QRP PLUS Transceiver will continue to be
provided by
IINDEX LABORATORIES.
SGC will be responsible for manufacturing, sales and customer support
for the
SGC 2020 transciever currently under development.
Sincerely,

Signed "Bruce Franklin"
INDEX LABORATORIES
9318 Randall Dr. NW
Gig Harbor, WA 98332

The latest details and updates regarding the SG-2020 transceiver will be
posted regularly at http://www.sgcworld.com
Our projected release date is posted there with much additional
information.
If you need additional information, please let us know.

Best Regards,

Robert Gregg
Sales Director
SGC
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1501. Re: HELP ON MOTOROLA MICOR RPTRS PSE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbecks@sun.lssu.edu
Message-ID: <5jashr$jrh@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 177408

A second thought just came to me. Problem could be precip static. What kind of antenna do you use on the repeaters? Folded dipole designs are very quiet as a rule. Others are not. High wind, snow, and rain can cause static to build up. It can usually be detected as it will desense and noise up weaker signals.

In article <3356CB3B.1FC9@erols.com>, mgreen@erols.com wrote:
>
>We presently are using 2 motorola micors for our local club repeaters.
>Recently after installation, the repeaters began ping-ponging for hours
>on end. The odd part of this was that it only occurs on rainy days.
>
>On one of the rainy days the antenna was removed and the ping-ponging
>stopped indicating that it was an incoming signal although non could
>actually be heard coming in on the receiver when the antenna was
>connected. First the occurence happened on one of the repeaters. And now
>the second one is beginning to experience the same problem, again only
>during rainy days.
>
>Wondering if any one has experienced an identical problem with their
>micor repeaters? Any help, at all, would be appreciated. 73 Murray. My
>email is mgreen@erols.com
>

1502. FS: Kenwood TS-850S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Decker N5RV <jdecker@metronet.com>
Message-ID: <33593DF2.597A@metronet.com>
Source record: 177409

Kenwood TS-850S/AT with:

Kenwood DSP-100 Digital Processor
YG-455C-1 500Hz CW Filter
Hand Microphone
DC Power cable
Boxes and Manuals

Will only sell as a package for $1325US,
and ship to anywhere in the continental US
via FEDEX 2nd Day.

Ratings:
Appearance - 9
Functionality - 10

de Jerry N5RV

1503. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <33582b09.18400472@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 177410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 18 Apr 1997 20:22:49 -0400, Willard Flagg <flagg@TFF.Com>
wrote:

>I don't see a rec.radio.amateur.swap. I do see a rec.radio.swap and a
>rec.ham-radio.swap. Perhaps others don't get the sub-group either.
>
>-will flagg, n1vlb

rec.radio.amateur.swap has been around for well over a year now.
Sounds like your ISP is falling down on the job of getting new groups
added.

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

Heartland Internet Services

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Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****

1504. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <335902D3.309F@icss.net>
Source record: 177411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Marty, what is getting bad? Is the equipment getting bad and hams want
to sell it? Is the introduction of new radios getting so bad that hams
have to sell their 4-month old "state-of-the-art" stuff to buy this
weeks Yae-com-wood intruduction? Maybe we should just buy radios and
not sell them - like guns, you can never have too many!
I would rather see folks selling stuff than the inane "whats the mod (so
I can transmit on COP frequencies or listen to cellular phones) posts?
And let us not forget the "Teddy Bear" posts that just wouldn't stop.
So, gosh, someone is trying to sell a radio. Should we also be
concerned that others are trying to find or buy, as in WTD and WTB,
radios as well?
I'll probably feel a little guilty for responding to this, but sometimes
you feel like a nut...
Brian/N0iMD

Marty Albert wrote:
>
> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
>
> This morning, out of 23 new articles in one group, 18 were
> inappropriate.
>
> Makes you wonder why we have rec.radio.amateur.swap for, eh?
>
> Take Care & 73
>
> Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
> Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM
>
> Heartland Internet Services
>
> **
> Interested in Amateur Radio?
> http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
> **

1505. Re: transmitting on cell bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <33590B54.17CE@icss.net>
Source record: 177412

JK, the Motorola flip phones do a wonderful job on the cell bands.
Good luck on the cell bands and 73, Brian/N0iMD

me@at.yo.mama's wrote:
>
> Just wondering if anyone knows of an HT that can be modded to transmit
> on cell bands or harmonics of cell bands. Please post to newsgroup.
> Thanks JK
> --
> "The road to tyranny,
> we must never forget,
> begins with the destruction of the truth."
>
> (William J. Clinton)
> (From his 10/15/95 speech at the University of Connecticut to mark-
> "Fifty Years After Nuremburg: Human Rights & The Rule Of Law")

1506. Re: FT530 Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <33589B94.40@pacifier.com>
Source record: 177490

gvang@seine.com wrote:
>
> Just purchased a FT530, Like it so far.
>
> I would like to know how to scan on the local frequencies listed as
> available "non ham"
>
> Could any one please help?
>
> You may email me at gvang@seine.com
> or answer the posting.
>
> Thank you
>
> Gene VanGilder
> K5FQ
Hi. I have one and I think it is a grate rig. If you have some FREQs programed in just hold down one of the arrow keys for one-second and it will scan what you have in memory.

1507. FS: Service Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Hatcher <chatcher@ramlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4c59$45ea13e0$a3518cd0@chaos>
Source record: 177491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

For Sale:

CT Systems, Inc. 3000B Communications Service Monitor
(seems to be a newer version of the Wavetek 3000SSI, anyone know?)

Transmit or Receive 400kHz to 1000 MHz in 100Hz steps, AM/CW/FM.

Audio synthesizer generates audio, subaudible tone, and timed bursts.

RF output 0.03uV to 316mV.

LCD Readout displays freq error, modulation, or received subtone.

CRT displays modulation or signal strength, or external voltage.

Analog meter reads modulation, SINAD, voltage, or RF Power 1 to 100W.

Internal dummy load for up to 100W.

Weighs 32 lbs.

Condition: Unused, Like New, manufactured 1988.
Includes Operation/Service Manual, Antenna, Front Cover.

Price: $2,000.00 or best offer.

May trade for: Quality HF receiver(s) or decent ham gear .

Chuck Hatcher
Ashland, Kentucky

1508. Sony 2010

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419010500.VAA15372@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177492

Sony 2010 with all orig. packaging. Excellent cond. 22 ft reel-in antenna.

$250.00 shipped.

Email if interested.

KK4TL

1509. Bird 43P, KW TM-241A, KPC3 TNC, MFJ 1272BYV TNC/MIC Sw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419013600.VAA17871@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177493

BIRD 43P Peak reading wattmeter, SO-239s, New in Box. AES Price $377.
I'll ship for $275.
BIRD 2500H 2500W 2-30Mhz slug, New in Package. AES Price $120. I'll ship
for $75.
KENWOOD TM-241A 2M Mobile. 5/10/50 watts. Never mobile. Mint with box,
manual, mmb, dtmf mic, dc power cable. $200 shipped.
KANTRONICS KPC-3 Packet TNC. Version 5.1 software. 32K Ram, Like new. $85
shipped.
MFJ 1272BYV TNC/Mic Switch; KAM VHF $25 shipped.

All equipment in like new condition except the birds, they're both new.

Contact Van at:
wb0nzv@aol.com
73 de Van

1510. Re: transmitting on cell bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4c6c$4a569b20$b1102399@peter->
Source record: 177494

me@at.yo.mama's wrote in article <5j5lnp$rla@argentina.earthlink.net>...
> Just wondering if anyone knows of an HT that can be modded to transmit
> on cell bands or harmonics of cell bands. Please post to newsgroup.
> Thanks JK

Perhaps you could modify a cell phone. Used ones are dirt cheap.

1511. MOTAROLA 1200 SERVICE MONITOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kevind@communique.net
Message-ID: <5j9dnu$t1j$3@kiyoko.communique.net>
Source record: 177495

I'm looking for broken or used 1200 service monitors and plugin's. Call me at 504-276-1111 or 504-593-2105.

1512. WTB: 2M allmode, ICOM 551D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kevind@communique.net
Message-ID: <5j9dis$t1j$2@kiyoko.communique.net>
Source record: 177496

I'm looking for a 2 Meter allmode and a ICOM 551D 6 meter rig . Call me at 504-276-1111 or 504-593-2105.

1513. FS ICOM RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cptclnr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419034500.XAA28298@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177497

2 HF ALL MODE ICOM RADIOS FOR SALE
1 IS A MODEL 730 IN EXCELLENT COND WILL SACRIFICE $350.00
THE 2nd IS AN ICOM MODEL 745 IN EXELANT COND W/ POWER SUPPLY WILL
SACRIFICE FOR $ 550.00

BOTH RADIO'S ARE IN TOP QUALITY CONDITION
*** WONT LAST ***

CALL ME AT (941) 497-6768 BUDDY
THANK YOU

1514. WANTED...Low Pass for 6Mtr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: conel@thecore.com
Message-ID: <33586ae5.19905424@206.136.149.12>
Source record: 177498

Hi ,
I am looking for a low pass filter for 6 meters. Cut off must
be at 54 Mhz. Should handle 200 - 300 watts.

Thanks
73'
John
N2VJE
conel@thecore.com

1515. Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kovar@zeus.ia.net
Message-ID: <5j9bu3$nma@hera.ia.net>
Source record: 177499

I have a feeling this could be the Lemon of 2mtr mobiles.

I have not based my information on the net post, only local

complaints of trusted hams here in Iowa.

All are owned by older Hams on limited bugets and found them

a very good deal for a new radio????????????? Maybe!

Of the seven TM-241a radios I have been in contact with all have

had one or more of the following problems.

1. Display get scrambled trash of mixed numbers and symbols.

2. Receiver sensitivity drops considerable when radio gets warmed up.

3. Transmitter goes intermittiant as it warms up with possible #2.

4. Receiver audio get fuzzy sounding at times unknown.

5. Display is unreadable in very cold weather.

6. Receive audio is trash sounding in very cold weather.

7. Hi power operation overheats PA and heatsink gets super hot.

As you can see some of these problems overlap.

I am just sick of seeing older hams thinking they are getting a great

deal on this radio. Hearing local results may save you some grief.

I would be very interested in hearing your results GOOD and BAD.

PS, I have other model kenwoods that are fine rigs.

Jack Kovar
K0VAR
Iowa

1516. FS: DRAKE TR-7 & PS-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419022000.WAA21357@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177500

Hi All!
I have for sale; DRAKE TR-7 w/PS-7 power supply, all filters, noise blanker, all manuals, all original cartons, EXC. CONDX. From original owner!
Price is $650 plus shipping UPS

1517. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5ja1u7$12q6@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 177501

I had the same problem with mine and was cured by removing the so
called glue in the area where the individual VCOs are located. This was a
lengthy process due to the amount of glue and the way it permeated into
every crack and crevice. Kenwood used this stuff to stablize the parts
and it broke down after time and became conductive and corrosive, this
also means you may have to replace a part or two.
I did this myself so I could save some money but this is not an easy
task so I do not recomend to try this unless you have some experence. AES
will do this job for around $100. There is another area on the board that
suffers from the same malady and needs the same attention.
My rig works great now and happy with my savings.
Good luck and 73 Rod KB8DNS

1518. Re: Mods for PRESIDENT LINCOLN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33587337.B2B@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 177502

No, Ted. It is not unlawful for a ham to own and operate a President Lincoln. We hams are responsible for our emissions. The FCC could care less about how we create those emissions. Heck, we can even build our own rigs.

On the other hand, it might be unlawful for a retailer to sell such a radio.

Ed Cregger, NM2K

Ted wrote:
>
> That is a CB radio, not a ham radio. And that model is illegal to own in
> the USA, even for hams.
>
> And yes, I know that you are in Spain.
>
> Ted (ted@caprica.com)

1519. Lots of stuff for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hal S <hals@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5ja2gl$g72@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177503

A lot of equipment for sale - from Kenwood SSB transceivers, 2 meter transceivers, Hammarlund HQ160 receivers, Vibroplex Bug, etc.
email for listing

1520. RE: HTX 204 - what's this about a recall???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <9704190208531276 2@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 177504

>>Say ... I saw a story that said that the Radio Shack Dual Bander
>>HTX 204 was being recalled due to fears that it could be used for
>>illegal purposes.

This week's THE ARRL LETTER stated that Tandy was pullin' the HTX-204
due to potential ease of out-of-band operations.

Haven't talked to Tandy myself on this rumor.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

1521. ICOM IC24ET defective

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: la8ak <la8ak@online.no>
Message-ID: <3358A14D.7454@online.no>
Source record: 177505

Hi
I bought secondhand IC24ET some years ago. It is one problem - the antenna connector loosens now and then and it is necessary to solder the wire to the PCB. Last time I soldered it, the rig went defective, drawing excessive current when activating PTT. I use it only at QRPP (0.5W) and 8V supply voltage.
Do you have any idea what might have been shortcircuited??
--

OPR.: Jan-Martin Noeding - LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 KristiansandS, Norway
Main interests: Amateur radio technical experiments, VHF/UHF/SHF CW/SSB opr.
Tel. QTH +47-380-87178, QRL: +47-380-52660, GSM: 9064-4295

1522. * CALL ANYWHERE WORLDWIDE 25 CENTS/MIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: thetruth@cozmic.com
Message-ID: <E8vrBK.lrH@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 177506

INTERNATIONAL CALLING
Your Passport to International Savings
JUST 25 CENTS / MIN
CALL: ASIA ANYTIME
MIDDLE EAST
AFRICA PASSPORT (tm) CALLING CARD
LATIN AMERICA No Upfront Charges
EUROPE Pay Only For Time Used
ANYWHERE ELSE
CALL : 810 - 932 - 0464 (24 hrs)

1523. Re: TED the big mouth ... HRO ... Lessons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970419020105.14895C-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 177507

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[1]------------------------------------------------------+
| My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
| is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
| When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
| not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
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On 17 Apr 1997, Larry Robison wrote:

> What should also be learned is that I saw replies to my post that that
> actually were critical of me because ted@caprica.com had the FACTS and was
> trying to do good!

That's because my erroneous conclusion was a mistake that anyone with normal logic could make having compared the info that was then available. HRO understood this and that's why they dropped the matter. Larry seems to have so much dificulty dropping things that by the same line of logic it makes one wonder if he can drop his pants to take a crap... or is someone still changing his diapers for him?

(Sorry folks... I couldn't resist that one).

> How easily did they follow the loud mouth piper over
> the cliff. Ted presents very well but in the end, is trying to get his
> foot out of his mouth because he did not have the FACTS and probably
> realizes that he could easily be sued! Ted's statements, in the end,
> proved to be libelous and although HRO probably will not sue him, Ted did
> HRO a real bad injustice!

I also made it up to them which is something Larry would probably never be man enough to do. I don't think he's the type to apologize to anyone, because,(as we say down South), he's got a bad case of the big head.

> Teds own statement:

...And don't you forget it.

> > Let me say it plainly and clearly:
>
> > I was WRONG and I retract what I said about HRO's pricing on Standard's
> > radios and I sincerely apologize to and ask the forgiveness of HRO and
> > all of you who read these newsgroups for posting the same misinformation
>
> > that was given to me, which I did not know was incorrect at the time. I
> > hope that this apology, explanation and retraction is satisfactory

> > because it's the best I can do and it has caused me undue embarrassment,
>
> > which I can assure you is NOT something that I take lightly! To be
> blunt,
> > I am extremely pissed at Standard for this. I feel that Standard owes us
>
> > all an apology!
>
> Now it's Standards fault !!!!

So? It was Standards fault. But even if it was that doesn't matter to a
person with a vindictive obsession like Larry.. and I mean OBSESSION!

> Ted doesn't know all.

I know what I saw. I didn't write Standard's pricelist and forget to
mentin that there are TWO MSRP's, they did.

> He claims that my system is poorly set up. Without thinking you might say
> aha "NetOhio" is poorly set up. FACT: I chose not to set up
> postmaster@netohio.net.

Then he chose poorly to go against a network standard.

> Many systems do and many do not.

Let's see the statistics on that. I'll bet the majority DO have a
postmaster alias.

> It is not a
> standard by which one judges how well a system is set up. The reason is it
> keeps junkmail down

It also makes it hard for people to complain about bad users, but then
look at who is the Admin there.

> if Ted Hershman is sued over the HRO thing,

Ted Hershman? Hmmm... An admin who doesn't even know how to work finger!
What a dolt!

> I have learned one very important thing. There are Ted Hershmans
> everywhere. They are pitiful. I can do nothing to rid the planet of them
> or keep them from doing what they do. I can ignore them! Thanks Ted.
>
> Larry Robison W9MDX
> w9mdx@netohio.net

At least I say what I have to say and,(unless someone replies), move on
to something else.

Larry on the other hand, has convinced me that he LIVES to psycoticly
pursue and pursue anyone he doesn't like. The word obsessive comes to mind.

He's mad as hell because HRO decided to consider the matter closed and because he, with a rather weak cause to complain, couldn't convince my ISP Admin to kick me off this system. What he didn't count on was my Admin being a fair and just man, who doesn't easily get talked into sharing some kook's vindictive obsessions.

Sure I shot off my mouth and was wrong... it happens. Admittedly, it happens to me a little more than many, but then not as much as some. But I'm not BENT on obsessively harrassing people.for eternity. I say what I have to say with a passion and then I move on to another thread.

I only get negative when I feel something is wrong. And any honest person would admit that there is alot of things wrong, in a wide ranging variety of severity from insignificant to atrocious. But I don't relentlessly pursue someone who leaves me alone. Larry will only learn to leave people alone when he provokes someone with a worse temper than I have to put a bullet in his head. That's what happens to stalkers nowadays, as recently reported in the news. One day his obsession could compell him to bother the wrong person if he isn't careful. There is help available for such compulsive obsessions, but people who have them also have delusions of grandeur that won't let them see that they need help.

As for complaining, some people are apathetic about nearly everything and some are zealous about nearly everything. But if there is a man among you who says that he has no pet-peaves at all I'd have to say that that man either lacks honesty or lacks a pulse! We ALL have something we gripe about. In other words, there was plenty of bitchin' & moanin' before I got here and there will be plenty bitchin' & moanin'when I'm gone so let's GET REAL! Nobody here is any better or worse than I am in their own way. The only person that was better than someone else proved it by walking on water and rising from the dead. I bet Larry thinks he could top that. I know I can't.

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

[2]---+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
| sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
| cancelation of internet service without refund and |
| possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
| Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
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[3]------------------------+---------------------------+
| My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
| Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
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[4]------------------------+---------------------------+
| Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |

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| It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
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[5]-------------------------+----------------------------+
| Don't even bother griping about my signature file. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you a harsh reply, but NEVER a change. |
| Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| flip the page or just ignore the sig file content, |
| but have the maturity not to whine like a big baby. |
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1524. Re: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419123601.IAA22062@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177508

Subject: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?
From: kovar@zeus.ia.net (Jack Kovar KE0AX)
Date: 19 Apr 1997 02:50:43 GMT
Message-ID: <5j9bu3$nma@hera.ia.net>

I have a feeling this could be the Lemon of 2mtr mobiles.

I have not based my information on the net post, only local

complaints of trusted hams here in Iowa.

All are owned by older Hams on limited bugets and found them

a very good deal for a new radio????????????? Maybe!

Of the seven TM-241a radios I have been in contact with all have

had one or more of the following problems.

1. Display get scrambled trash of mixed numbers and symbols.

2. Receiver sensitivity drops considerable when radio gets warmed
up.

3. Transmitter goes intermittiant as it warms up with possible #2.

4. Receiver audio get fuzzy sounding at times unknown.

5. Display is unreadable in very cold weather.

6. Receive audio is trash sounding in very cold weather.

7. Hi power operation overheats PA and heatsink gets super hot.

As you can see some of these problems overlap.

I am just sick of seeing older hams thinking they are getting a
great

deal on this radio. Hearing local results may save you some
grief.

I would be very interested in hearing your results GOOD and BAD.

PS, I have other model kenwoods that are fine rigs.

Jack Kovar
K0VAR
Iowa

I've owned mine for 2 years now through Nebraska winters and summers and have yet to have a single problem with it. 73 de Van

1525. HLP! FT-50 CPU SETTINGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcs@starnets.ro
Message-ID: <861456420.20233@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177509

Hello everybody !

I nedd your help to set-up the internal CPU settings for YAESU FT-50.

I wish to gnow the default values for the following settings:

VHF:

HSSQ
*THSQ
*TISQ
*S1LV
*S9LV
HPO
L3
L2
L1,

and the same corresponding settings for UHF

!!! Do NOT push the KNOB while diplaying the * marked settings !!!
To enter to the CPU mode settings the action is :

1) reset the FT50 by KNOB+MON+POWER-ON
2) press LAMP+PTT+KNOB+POWER-ON
3) The display shows BAND A1(A3)
4) then rotate the KNOB WITHOUT PRESSING IT !!!!

To exit press POWER OFF again

Thnx in advance

Bogdan
bcs@starnets.ro

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1526. Re: Ten Tec 9 Band HF Rxer Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: 3W8PE1B <willi6@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3358F3DD.5802@erols.com>
Source record: 177510

Al Lorona wrote:
>
> Ron Lister wrote:
> >
> > Has anyone built this kit? I realize that it's a Regen rxer, but I've
> > never listened to a regen before. Just how bad is it? Is this kit
> > worthwhile?
> >
> > Thanks
> > Ron
>
> Ron,
>
> I built one last year to take with me on business trips. It works very
> well and receives AM stations especially well. On SSB or CW, the regen
> detector is rather squirrelly and can be pulled off frequency easily by
> strong stations (or weak ones, for that matter), making copy difficult.
> It takes a rather strong SSB station to make for comfortable copy.
>
> I had some local AM broadcast overload which I corrected with a series
> trap at the antenna input.
>
> The audio quality is awesome. It sounds like TV audio quality when
> conditions are right.
>
> Have fun!
>
> R,
>
> Al

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Al paints a very accurate picture. It is a neat little receiver.
One has to realize it is a regen and get used to that. Also, there
are a lot of powerful signals around (compared to the "good old days")
so some ideas like the broadcast trap, may help you.

I was impressed by the overall kit quality and rugged construction.
Also, the way they bandswitch and tune is very state-of-the-art,
although I do miss plug-in coils and tuning capacitors (and all
those hand capacitance symptoms....)

Cheers es 73 Dave K7HMP

1527. WTB: Heath / STANDARD ctcss board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: putra000@uwp.edu
Message-ID: <5jalp3mtc1@news.inc.net>
Source record: 177511

I am looking for a source for a CTCSS board for my HEATH HW4P, which is made by STANDARD radio company. The number on the inside of the radio is 'W7261C0413 STANDARD' I think that the HW2P takes the same board. This is a sweet little radio, and I would like to get a little use out of it (440 is like a PL-only band! here anyway)... Also, I am looking for a source of parts for this radio. (I need the very top piece of the case , where the antenna, mic connectors , and knob is. The battery is slipping out!)

Thanks for you help, I will take any ideas or sugggestions.
-John

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1528. WTB Icom HM-7 hand mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419150800.LAA01720@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177512

I would like to purchase a used Icom HM-7 hand mic. If you have one please state the price when replying

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR
810-541-1740

1529. TS-570D with 6M & 2M Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Blake <k9jri@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4cd7$2e86d840$3da392cf@INmc8602771908.d51.lilly.com>
Source record: 177513

I want to use my TS-570D with a transverter. Can anyone tell me how to unlock the transmitter so that I can get 4 megs of continuous coverage?

Please respond via E-Mail:

K9JRI@WORLDNET.ATT.NET

Thanks - Mike

1530. WTB: ALPHA 76PA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970419153700.LAA03857@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177514

LOOKING FOR A MINT ALPHA 76PA STEVE W1SN TEL 508-222-1261

1531. Re: HTX 404

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org
Message-ID: <slrn5lhsft.5vm.mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>
Source record: 177515

On Mon, 14 Apr 1997 04:16:07 GMT, Craig Stimson <cstimson@hookup.net> wrote:
>Greetings,
>
>I would be interested in hearing from any HTX404 owners regarding
>your experiences with power output at different input voltages.
>
>At voltages > 12 volts the power output should be a "nominal 5 watts"
>I measured 3 watts at 12.6 V from a Gell cell.
>
>The alkaline pack @ 9 volts should output 2.5 watts. I measured 1
>watt. The batteries are fresh too.
>
>I just purchased the unit for a good price (almost 50% off) using a
>coupon supplied by the The Canadian Amateur. The Ni-Cad is still
>charging but I don't expect the output to be at spec. either. The
>manual does state the specs are nominal and individual units
>performance may vary but this seems a little off. Maybe I got a dud??
>

How accurate is your wattmeter at low power levels? If you're measuring
output on a 20W or above range, you could very well be seeing "low"
readings simply due to the lack of accuracy in the wattmeter.

- Rich

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--
Rich Mulvey
mulveyr@frontiernet.net Rochester, NY USA
http://www.frontiernet.net/~mulveyr
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@amsat.org, aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

1532. For Sale: Motorola Star Point 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlloyd <dlloyd@lakemartin.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4dce$26cb7140$6202d3cf@defaults>
Source record: 177316

I have two motorola starpoint 2000's for sale. Model # k88pb-005p

Let me know if you are interested.

Danny
dlloyd@lakemartin.net

1533. Want info on Kenwood TS-870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Taylor <anonymous@home>
Message-ID: <01bc4dd4$1c401ae0$5b38fcc6@none.netsrq.com>
Source record: 177317

I'm looking for a new rig. Does anyone have any experience with the
Kenwood TS-870?
Thanks

Tim K8XS
tim.taylor@netsrq.com

1534. FT-2500M's have been sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry J. Brock" <larry666NOSPAM@gdi.net>
Message-ID: <335A8A6D.6D3B@gdi.net>
Source record: 177318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hello,
I would like to thank everyone,but I have sold both radios.

Take care and 73,
Larry Ke4rur (All writtens passed to Extra.Now I am working on CW)

1535. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861572224snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3378609f.37930378@news.cyberhighway.net>
address@sig "Glen Quarnstrom" writes:

> tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold") wrote:
>
> >In article <3352A7C2.980@usaor.net> freq@usaor.net writes:
> >
> >> Burt Fisher wrote:
> >
> >> > antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has
> >> > decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
> >> > necessity.
> >
> >> It would have nice if you listed the frequencies re the above info.
> >
> >Serves the public necessity? This stuff must be straight from the
> >pen of someone who teaches illiteracy in the public education system.
>
> Ever heard of PICON? If not, find out about it and get back to us.

Sorry but I confess that I disobeyed your command to find out about
PICON. Maybe you will tell me whether it is a special Civil Service
dictionary which confuses a necessity a need.

(Hint: A necessity is something which satisfies a need.)

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1536. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: holford@cnwl.igs.net.nospam
Message-ID: <5je17e$5pf$1@nntp.igs.net>
Source record: 177320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

> As an avid American I would buy the Drake, and try to
> keep at least one American and not Japanese company in business.
>All my radios, cars, and televisions were made here, how about you guys?

That must be some OLD television if it was made in the US by a US company!

--
Dave Holford.

1537. I am looking for the Icom 2000H mod...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Harris <skwirly@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335A9716.1454@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177321

DE KF4OEG, Robert Harris. I am looking for the Icom 2000H mod. I have looked at qrz.com and www.cdrom.com/pub/hamradio/oak/mods and have found nothing. I was hoping someone would be able to help.

73's,

Robert Harris, KF4OEG
skwirly@ix.netcom.com

1538. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Cox <mikecox@icon.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4ddb$88e7cb00$50c460ce@mikecox>
Source record: 177322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Mark Russo <mrusso@hoflink.com> wrote in article
<5jb86j$go4@linet06.li.net>...
> >Yes, I've dealth with Lentini and they are GREAT, as is THE HAM
> >STATION, and the smaller retailers.
>
> About Lentini, I had a friend who drove up to Lentini's and spent
> about $150 on a Astron 35M power supply and about $1300 dollars
> HE ONLY CHARGED MY FRIEND 150 DOLLARS
> RE-STOCKING FEE after buying the TS-450!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
> Now ain't that nice !?
> Oh by the way, My friend dealt with the owner both times.
Hard to see any problem there. Many companies charge a restocking fee of at
least 10% when a customer has a change of heart on a purchase.

1539. National Weather Service equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Morris <msftrncs@htcnet.com>
Message-ID: <5je5nq$c81@insosf1.netins.net>
Source record: 177323

Please give me an opportunity as an amateur to offer you a product for which you may be interrested.

Over the last several years several issues have come up, some concerning amateurs. One was about the reairing of the National Weather Service's transmissions. Another was about the protocol that the NWS used to diseminate warnings to specific areas. The first come out that amateurs could reair NWS transmissions over amateur frequencies for the direct use of amateurs, specially those involved in SKYWARN type activities. The second resulted in the formation of the Emergency Alert System.

We have created a device that can decode the Specific Area Messages contained in the National Weather Service's portion of the EAS protocol and reair those warnings over an amateur station for use in informing or activating amateur spotter groups.

We have been using a prototype device for several years and have found the medium to be much faster than older mediums and to be quite reliable. The final product is nearing a shipable state, and orders will start to be accepted soon.

To keep from wasting any more newsgroup time, I ask that if you want more information on what we call our National Weather Specific Area Message Decoder (NWSAMD) then please visit:

http://199.120.83.179/msftrncs/products/nwsamd/index.html

between the hours of 4pm and midnight UTC -0500 (CDT). Or check out old information on an old mirror server at http://inet.htcnet.com/~msftrncs/msftrncs/products/nwsamd/index.html .

You may also call 402-654-2482 nearly any day of the week from 9am to 10pm CDT or FAX us a request for more info, we'll FAX you back, FAX to 402-654-2102. You may request info by e-mail to at msftrncs@htcnet.com, I can e-mail you the HTML information or FAX you back information.

If you want, write to

Morris Softronics
PO Box 48
Hooper, NE 68031-0048

And we can send you information back via USPS mail service.

By amateurs for amateurs but there are also commercial applications for this product which include commercial paging, etc...

Carl Morris (N0YUV)
msftrncs@htcnet.com
http://199.120.83.179/~moreese/

1540. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jedent@phoenix.net
Message-ID: <jedent.154.002B1643@phoenix.net>
Source record: 177324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <861572224snz@microvst.demon.co.uk> tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold") writes:
>From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold")
>Subject: Re: FCC to get rid of hams
>Date: Sun, 20 Apr 97 21:37:04 GMT

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>dictionary which confuses a necessity a need.

>(Hint: A necessity is something which satisfies a need.)

>Regards,
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> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com
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it ok to eat.. snakevetom

1541. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jedent@phoenix.net
Message-ID: <jedent.155.002C5F02@phoenix.net>
Source record: 177325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <861572224snz@microvst.demon.co.uk> tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold") writes:
>From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold")
>Subject: Re: FCC to get rid of hams
>Date: Sun, 20 Apr 97 21:37:04 GMT

>In article <3378609f.37930378@news.cyberhighway.net>
> address@sig "Glen Quarnstrom" writes:

>> tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold") wrote:
>>
>> >In article <3352A7C2.980@usaor.net> freq@usaor.net writes:
>> >
>> >> Burt Fisher wrote:
>> >
>> >> > antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has
>> >> > decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
>> >> > necessity.
>> >
>> >> It would have nice if you listed the frequencies re the above info.
>> >
>> >Serves the public necessity? This stuff must be straight from the
>> >pen of someone who teaches illiteracy in the public education system.
>>
>> Ever heard of PICON? If not, find out about it and get back to us.

>Sorry but I confess that I disobeyed your command to find out about
>PICON. Maybe you will tell me whether it is a special Civil Service
>dictionary which confuses a necessity a need.

>(Hint: A necessity is something which satisfies a need.)

>Regards,
>--
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com
ham if well cooked is not too harmful to most but IS high in salt..

1542. FS: HP laserjet 92291A Toner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Long N. Phan" <longphan@mit.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc4ddd$b38e2640$2600e212@aerial>
Source record: 177326
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: 92291a.jpeg

HP 92291A Laser Toner Cartridge
List Price: $184.00
Will Sell for $95/OBO plus s/h

All New, Never Used!
Compatible with many HP and
other brands of laser
printers (see below)

For these HP printers:

- Hewlett Packard Laserjet IIISi
- Hewlett Packard Laserjet IIISi/MAC
- Hewlett Packard Laserjet IIISi/PS
- Hewlett Parkark Laserjet IVsi

And these compatible printers:

Canon LBP-NX Canon P 170 Chameleon Proofing Sys. GBT 6817 SI Interface Systems 7817 Pacific Semi. Turboi PCL5 QMS PS 1700 Tandem 5577 Wang LDP-17

Please email me at:

Long N. Phan
longphan@mit.edu

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1543. Re: FS- Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: George DuBord <duby@evansville.net>
Message-ID: <335AA47A.5685@evansville.net>
Source record: 177327
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Fredric J. Einstein wrote:
>
> "The Manning's" <silverd@datasync.com> wrote:
>
> >For sale. Pro 2006
> >$500.00 + S&H
> >silverd@datasync.com
>
> I reply:
> You must have made a typo. Perhaps $300.00 would be more
> reasonable????!!!

REALLYY HHHHHAAAAHHHHHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHHHHAHAHAHHAHAHAHAHAAAAAAAHAH
HAHAHHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHHEHHEHEHEHEHEHEHEHAHAHAHAHAH
HEHEHEHEHHHHHaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaahaaeeeaeahahahahahehehehaehaehahaehah

1544. Wanted MFJ-1274 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidj@salsgiver.com
Message-ID: <335ca677.432508491@news.alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 177328

I am looking for a manual for a MFJ-1274 packet controller. Please email if you have one or a source.

Dave KN3ZAN

1545. DSP 59+ wanted!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bvkirk@kanza.net
Message-ID: <335aa84d.3549450@news.kanza.net>
Source record: 177329

I am looking for a timewave DSP 59+. Please state price and condition
to bvkirk@kanza.net

1546. Kenwood 711 and Kantronics Kam sold!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bvkirk@kanza.net
Message-ID: <335aa80b.3482829@news.kanza.net>
Source record: 177330

The 711 and Kam have been sold. Thanks for all those that sent email.

73

Bill

1547. REF. MOTOROLA PROBLEMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <335AB8DF.789D@erols.com>
Source record: 177331

Thanks to the many responses to my message concerning the Motorola micors. If we ever isolate the problem we will post it. 73 Murray K3BEQ

1548. Comments on TS-870, IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Umina <umina@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4de6$f9d90ee0$29647392@kirk.ultranet.com>
Source record: 177332

Tim,

I have one, and I also have an ICOM 756. I'm trying to send back the 756, it's a piece of CRAP, but the 870 is a JOY to operate. I have the voice module (I think it's a VS2 which is the only accessory) and it's fantastic.

I'm currently using the 756 as a bandscope for the 870 by looking at the 8.3 Mhz IF in general coverage mode.

The 870 voice message keyer is great for contesting and pileups, the selectivity is beyond imagination, and the overall "operability" is very high.

It's lacking in only two things I can think of. One is no dual RX capability for split operation. The other is that the extra antenna connection isn't used as an input and you don't get automatic selection between RX and TX of the other two jacks. For example, if you put up a beverage antenna and want to use it on RX and automatically TX on a different antenna, the 870 (apparently) will not do this. You have to do it manually by pushing a button.

Whatever you do stay away from the 756. They are in big trouble with this rig. Their "DSP in the IF" turns out to be the pick up point for their audio to the audio DSP (prior to the AGC), and major trouble is brewing over this issue and others. I doubt the right will be around for more than 6 more months.

73,
Len
N1LU

Tim Taylor <anonymous@home> wrote in article
<01bc4dd4$1c401ae0$5b38fcc6@none.netsrq.com>...
> I'm looking for a new rig. Does anyone have any experience with the
> Kenwood TS-870?
> Thanks
>
> Tim K8XS
> tim.taylor@netsrq.com
>
>

1549. FS: Kenwood TS-430S HF Transceiver $375.00. Plus shipping. COD only.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David T. Messerschmidt" <messy@pcpros.net>
Message-ID: <335AAEC0.33B3@pcpros.net>
Source record: 177333

The transceiver includes an up/down scanning microphone.

I did not receive any documentation/manual when I purchased this unit.

The TS-430S has general coverage receive for AM, USB, LSB, and CW.
The FM unit was optional for this radio and is not installed.
My understanding is that FM is used on 10M or higher. I can not say how important this item would be for you, but most of my communications are EXPECTED to be with SSB. I currently can only monitor as my license is a Technician class.

There have been no mods done to this radio that I am aware of.

There are no additional filters installed into this unit.
The factory filters are what is in this rig.
There is an area inside the transceiver to facilitate three additional filters such as the narrow CW, narrow SSB, and wide AM filters.

There is a 12 volt wiring harness that also comes along.

Cosmetically, the front bezel is nice. On the top side, there are scratches (possibly from placing other equipment on top of it? I don't know for sure as I bought this radio used).

Operation is fine except for one item..., the squelch knob (internal potentiometer seems to have failed). This knob is actually two controls... outer is for the squelch and the inner is for the notch filter). The notch filter works fine. I have not investigated the replacement cost for this, but would expect it to be around $10-$15.

There is one and only one reason for my posting this radio... I bought two HF radios in a two week time-frame! One was a Kenwood TS-850SAT for $1,180.00. The other is the TS-430S that I am posting. I went off the deep end when I got my licenses last year and bought the TS-850SAT (used) over the Internet. There was a three week delay in receiving the TS-850SAT (didn't know for sure if the guy was really going to send it) and then saw another posting for the TS-430S (also on the Internet). Needless to say, I pretty much had two HF rigs in a couple days time-frame. I have no need for two HF rigs.

The TS-850SAT is a better radio than the TS-430S in two areas... 1) I have additional SSB filtering (which the TS-430S will support if you install the optional SSB) and 2) automatic internal antenna tuner. That really sums up the big differences for me. For the TS-850SAT has more whistles and bells, but both have the same receiver performance/sensitivity.

I am only being as honest as possible with helping you determine if this radio will fit your needs. There are many Amateur Radio Operators using the TS-430s and many saying that they wished they had never sold theirs.

I bought the radio for the same price that I am selling it for.

If interested, you can contact me via email at messy@pcpros.net or telephone at 715-675-4904.

I reside in Wausau, Wisconsin.

Thanks much and good luck in finding the radio rig you are looking for.

73 Dave Messerschmidt KB9OPQ

1550. YAESU FTC-1123 - How program?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Means <joe@tvsonline.net>
Message-ID: <335AC213.7C41@tvsonline.net>
Source record: 177334

I bought a YAESU FTC-1123 for $20 at a garage same. No manual for it.
I have no idea how to prgram this thing. Do I have to send it in to
program it for 10 amateur radio frequencies?

Thanks Joe
joe@tvsonline.net

1551. Re: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Means <joe@tvsonline.net>
Message-ID: <335AC312.6F0C@tvsonline.net>
Source record: 177335

Jack Kovar KE0AX wrote:
>
> I have a feeling this could be the Lemon of 2mtr mobiles.
>
> I have not based my information on the net post, only local
>
> complaints of trusted hams here in Iowa.
>
> All are owned by older Hams on limited bugets and found them
>
> a very good deal for a new radio????????????? Maybe!
>
> Of the seven TM-241a radios I have been in contact with all have
>
> had one or more of the following problems.
>
> 1. Display get scrambled trash of mixed numbers and symbols.
>
> 2. Receiver sensitivity drops considerable when radio gets warmed up.
>
> 3. Transmitter goes intermittiant as it warms up with possible #2.
>
> 4. Receiver audio get fuzzy sounding at times unknown.
>
> 5. Display is unreadable in very cold weather.
>
> 6. Receive audio is trash sounding in very cold weather.
>
> 7. Hi power operation overheats PA and heatsink gets super hot.
>
>
> As you can see some of these problems overlap.
>
> I am just sick of seeing older hams thinking they are getting a great
>
> deal on this radio. Hearing local results may save you some grief.
>
> I would be very interested in hearing your results GOOD and BAD.
>
> PS, I have other model kenwoods that are fine rigs.
>
> Jack Kovar
> K0VAR
> Iowa

>
I've had the scrambled display problems and have had it sent in 3 times. The first two times while it was under warranty. I don't trust it to go in the car anymore. Just use at as a base and don't mess around with it anymore than necessary to prevent problems.

Joe

1552. SABER DVP MODULES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Garabedian <westernmobiletel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335AC709.4EFD@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177336
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Saber DVP modules $90 ea. or $50 ea. in bunches of 10.
Regards, ARTHUR KC6KUK . . .

1553. Re: ?? JT 1000 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335AD418.5B56@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177337

Have been out of town, sorry for not responding. I believe, without looking it up, that the JT1000 VHF (also MT2000, HT1000, etc) is standard at 136-174Mhz, so no problem. UHF is a differant story. There are several band-splits available in UHF Jedi radios. The most common, unfortunately, is 450-520. BUT, they are also offered in a band-split of 406-470 (I would reccomend that dealers order this version unless they specifically need 470-520, makes the radio more valuable for resale, Hams you know!) If you get the proper bandsplit, you will not have any problems with amateur use, BE VERY CAREFUL, I have seen Jedi radios advertised as 403-470 but when contacted, was given a 450-520 model number!

Tom

1554. Looking For Lab Quality Frequency Standard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: butch@maestro.com
Message-ID: <3359f49c.1418932@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 177338

Hello,

I am looking to obtain a lab quality standard; sulzer, tracor genrad
or other such brands. i am a ham and i am looking to expand my lab at
home.

thanks,

allan bart
WA2RZQ

1555. ICOM AT-150 auto tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb <hb@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <335AD762.7669D27F@hevanet.com>
Source record: 177339

Matches IC-735, but works with most any ICOM hf rig (with proper cable)

Multi-coax outputs; 1 random wire out
Pre-sets for each band make auto-tuning very quick and precise

Requires no external power; very small and lightweight

Has never fed with more than 150 watts
Absolutely showroom condition, inside and out

$300, including shipping at my cost ($529 in latest HRO catalogue)

1556. Will the ADI AT-600 Be Recalled???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John B. Lawrence" <ke6tgn@lightspeed.net>
Message-ID: <335AC81B.1D07@lightspeed.net>
Source record: 177340

Since the RS HTX-204 is being recalled, how will this affect the availability of the ADI AT-600? Will it still be keypad mod programmable? I don't care about cell recieve, just extended tx/rx.

John B. Lawrence KE6TGN

1557. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-430S HF Transceiver $375.00. Has been SOLD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David T. Messerschmidt" <messy@pcpros.net>
Message-ID: <335AE23D.2B7C@pcpros.net>
Source record: 177341

David T. Messerschmidt wrote:
>
> The transceiver includes an up/down scanning microphone.
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> If interested, you can contact me via email at messy@pcpros.net or
> telephone at 715-675-4904.
>
> I reside in Wausau, Wisconsin.
>
> Thanks much and good luck in finding the radio rig you are looking for.
>
> 73 Dave Messerschmidt KB9OPQ

1558. Re: Programming the Regency 10ch VHF Hi?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpierce/NoSpam@usit.net
Message-ID: <cpierce/NoSpam-2004972359430001@col-max10.dynamic.usit.net>
Source record: 177342

In article <5j59e8$1u2$1@news.fas.harvard.edu>, tham@husc.harvard.edu wrote:

> Does anyone knows how to program this radio via keypad? I got the
> jumper. And is it possible to program 2 meter freq in there?
>
> Please e-mail reply
>
> Tnx,
>
> KA1NUB
> Fu S. Tham
> tham@fas.harvard.edu
> Harvard University
> Science Center
> Electronic Shop
> One Oxford Street
> Cambridge, MA 02138
> (617) 495-5356
> (617) 495-5304 FAX

If the radis isn't in the 2mtr range now (ie it is tuned to the 150 mhz range) you must retune the radio and then you can reprogram it. I did two a few years ago and they worked great. I may have the schematics if you will send me the modle of the radio you have.

C

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To respond remove "NoSpam"from address

1559. Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tigger
Message-ID: <5jed0s$j2t@lori.zippo.com>
Source record: 177343

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test
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1560. Better Dead than Ted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avenger
Message-ID: <5jeerf$osm@lori.zippo.com>
Source record: 177344

Turd (turd@kaprika.com)

Just want to tell all you ignorant jackasses -&#65533; I will continue to post,
but will not read any replies at all. Ahhhhhhh Haaa Haaaa Haaaa!!!!
Turd@Kaprika.com

[1]--+
| My name in the address header is bogus! I am Bogus! |
| This is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
| To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
| My correct email address to use is: turd@kaprika.com |
| When replying, do so standing on your head, remembering |
| at all times &#65533; I AM GOD!!!! I speak, but do not listen. |
| If offended I will rip your nipples off and force you to smell |
| my coffin breath! |
+--+

[2]--+
| My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
| It is My sacrosanct home from which I spew platitudes, |
| inanities and scathing criticism to all who offend me! |
| Any of you unwashed infidels who dares to send unsolicited |
| advertising mail is risking eternity in your own personal hell, |
| reading my ignorant, vitriolic postings, enduring prosecution for |
| offending a true asshole, and/or fraud! | |
| Any email replies from newsgroups will be mis-quoted and replied |
| to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
+--+

[3]--+
| My webpage contains many mundane URL&#65533;s to try! |
| Webpage: http://www.kaprika.com/~turd/main.html |
| Lots of meaningless bullshit & NO content! |
+--+

[4]--+
| Come browse the free Adolph Hitler Fan Club Webpage! |
| It&#65533;s at: http://www.kaprika.com/~turd/Hitlerfan.html |
+--+

[5]--+
| Don&#65533;t even bother griping about my signature file. |
| I fart in your general direction you sniveling commoner. |
| Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and |
| can ONLY get you another ration of vitriolic paranoia, |

| but NEVER a change. The ignorant one has spoken! | | Add me to your killfile, jump to the next message, |
| But don't try to kill me! I live in a special compound |
| surrounded by my camouflage wearing armed disciples |
| who truly believe in the word of Turd. |
| Blow me off or just ignore the sig file content, but have the |
| maturity not to whine and display your ignorance like I do! |
+--+

1561. Re: Out of Band XMIT Antennas (HT'S)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ZygomaD & Darkezza <do_not@spam.here>
Message-ID: <3359F396.7963@spam.here>
Source record: 177345

Nick wrote:
>
> I see requests for differnent mods for radios, especially HT's. It
> would seem that if you modify an HT to transmit at lets say 475MHZ or
> 142MHZ (common UHF and VHF out of band frequency ranges) that you
> would need an antenna that is resonant near these frequencies. Where
> do people get these antennas? I never see them for sale at hamfests.
> The reason I am asking is because I know many public servants that
> might be able to use these as backup radios. Maybe they are there but
> I just never notice. Just a question. NIck

Nick --
Centurion International makes a very wideband UHF antenna, only about 4" long, looks like a skinny spike with some sort of transformer or something in the base. I use them on my shop radios, and they usually outperform 6" 1/4-wave rattails.
For high band, they make two different models. I think one is for like 136-155 and the other is 142-170 or something. They're a little longer than a typical rubber duckie, at about 8 inches.
In my case, I use these in the reverse configuration from which you requested info: I use them for commercial radios in the business and public safety bands, and can also put in 2M and 440 freqs and not lose performance. Sorry I don't have better specs, but I believe Centurion has a webpage. Hope this helps.
73,
--Barney Wilborg--
kl7hny@qsl.net
Soldotna, Alaska, USA

1562. GAP Antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tjenkins@pnet16.navy.mil
Message-ID: <E8y632.FIr@nctamsep.navy.mil>
Source record: 177346

Anyone have any experiences with the CAP Challenger? I just can't get my 2nd hand one to resonate at 75 mtrs. It seems to want to bottom out around 3.6Mhz.

I've got it ground mounted, but it's adjancent to a metal (large 24'x48') roof.

--Tom

INET: tjenkins@pnet16.navy.mil

1563. WTB chart recorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clark M Wockner <clark@localline.com>
Message-ID: <335AF355.987@localline.com>
Source record: 177347

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Looking for drum type chart recorder
Respond to clark@localline.com
Thanks Clark
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1564. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Grimm <ajgrimm@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4d79$a2f9e940$01f6a0ce@ajgrimm>
Source record: 177348

Barry O'Grady <barryoXX@fastlink.com.au> wrote in article
<335a9a09.3098224@news.fastlink.com.au>...
>
> atla0001@umn.edu wrote:
>
> :There are many articles regarding the not-so-wide wide band receive on
> :the FT50 at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50
> : (previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)
>
> What I would like to know is why their picture of the ADMS-1C
> memory screen shows up to six alpha characters when only four
> are possible in reality.
> I would email them but the web page doesn't seem to have an
> email address.

Maybe they got a picture from the vertex vx-10 programing software that
accepts 8 chars?

73's
N9SLI

1565. Re: Mods for PRESIDENT LINCOLN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Grimm <ajgrimm@hsonline.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4d78$d93d0380$01f6a0ce@ajgrimm>
Source record: 177349

> Ted wrote:
> >
> > That is a CB radio, not a ham radio. And that model is illegal to own
in
> > the USA, even for hams.
> >
> > And yes, I know that you are in Spain.
> >
> > Ted (ted@caprica.com)

Sorry Ted,

I am going to have to agree with ed, on this one, just for the simple fact that 99.9 percent of all ham radios are capable of transmitting out of band, and by being a former owner of an HR-2510, and an RCI-2950, both of which will transmit out of band the only stipulation to the matter is they cannot be sold this way, Manufacturers build these easily modifiable radios, one because of the different countries they produce them for, ie Chine, europe, which have different amatuer band limits and two, most of the mods performed most generally void the manuf. warranty, The Speed limit is 55 but cars will run alot faster than that. You yourself are responsible for the transmissions that you make. And I for mine and so on.

N9SLI
Al Grimm

1566. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <335a95ac.3424332@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 177350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 19 Apr 1997 17:45:46 GMT, mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org (Rich Mulvey)
wrote:

>
>On 19 Apr 1997 16:32:02 GMT, Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>>
>>I like the ads here.
>
> In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
>charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
>rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.
>
>

As Rich points out, the ads here are a violation of the non-*.swap
group charters.

I suppose that those who want the ads here could file the needed
actions to get the charter changed, but I doubt that will ever
happen... If they are too complacent to post in the appropriate
groups, it is doubtful that they will bother with the paperwork.

Take Care & 73

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

Heartland Internet Services

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Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****

1567. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <335a3dc2.2299474@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 177351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 18 Apr 1997 20:22:49 -0400, Willard Flagg <flagg@TFF.Com>
wrote:
>
>>I don't see a rec.radio.amateur.swap. I do see a rec.radio.swap and a
>>rec.ham-radio.swap. Perhaps others don't get the sub-group either.
>>
>>-will flagg, n1vlb

Just did a little checking of a number of the inappropriate WTB and
For Sale ads being posted...

Most are being cross-posted to rec.radio.swap and/or
rec.radio.amateur.swap as well as spamming them to the wrong groups.

Seems that the idea of the *.swap groups not being on someone's server
just don't hold water.

Take Care & 73

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

Heartland Internet Services

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Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****

1568. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <335A3446.7360@icss.net>
Source record: 177352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

robbin decker wrote:
>
> mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org (Rich Mulvey) wrote:
> > In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
> >charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
> >rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.
>
> A lot of newcomers may or may not know this. Hell, they may not know
> hat a FAQ is, or where to look. The title of the group should be
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment.discussion or something similar. If you
> were new, and saw the title as it is now, wouldn't you think this is
> the place to sell equipment? Also some servers may or may not access
> all the groups.
>
> On the subject of "noise level", some would think that the HRO and cat
> pee threads, as well as old what's his name the teacher (Who
> thankfully has been absent of late) might well be considered noise
> level by many.
>
> It would be a simple matter to set up a killfile for any ads
> containing "FS, WTB",. etc.
>
> Bill
> kb2rmi@frontiernet.com
Bill, where do I find the FAQ? And how many Hail Mary's for my sins?
Brian

1569. FS: AOR AR-2002 25-1300 AM-NFM-WFM Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <335A07AF.2A21@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: AOR-2002 20 Channel Mobile / Base Scanner with AM, narrow FM, wide FM, search, priority, illuminated LCD display, rear ext.spkr. out., front headphone out., delay, lockout, etc. (all the standard scanner functions), plus switchable built-in 20dB attentuator, ext. S-meter out (I'll include an external analog needle meter with calibration control - I used to use this radio for transmitter hunting - the external meter could be placed anywhere convenient - it has about 4' of cable), 2 mobile mounting brackets, original telescoping right angle BNC antenna, AC power cube, 2 DC power cables for mobile installation, and manual. In good shape and working condition.

Asking $300. Located in Orange County, California. If interested, E-Mail me and I'll reply promptly.

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

1570. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33599655.7679550@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

:14/04/97 I JUST GOT A NASTY LETTER FROM BOB FERRARO,OWNER OF HRO CHAIN.
:I JUST WANT TO CLEAR THE AIR. I RESPONDED TO THIS THREAD BY SAYING:
:"WE HAMS SHOULD BUY FROM MANY OF THE SMALLER GUYS WHO ADVERTISE A LOW
:PRICE WITH GUARANTEES. DO NOT GO TO HRO TO GET THEM TO MATCH THE PRICE.
:GO TO THE DEALER WHO WAS HAPPY TO SELL IT TO YOU FOR THE LOW PRICE IN
:THE FIRST PLACE. IF ALL THE SMALL DEALERS KEEP GOING OUT OF BUSINESS
:THE THERE WILL ONLY BE A COUPLE OF GIANT DEALERS WHO CAN FIX THE PRICES.
:WE HAMS WILL BE POWERLESS AND WILL BE FORCED TO PAY."
:I DID NOT SAY HRO ADVERTISES FALSE PRICES ETC. BOB FERRARO, PLEASE
:READ THE NEWSGROUPS MORE CAREFULLY BEFORE ACCUSING PEOPLE OF THINGS
:THEY DID NOT SAY. 73'S , HERSHMAN

SAY! DO KNOW ANYWHERE THAT A PERSON CAN BUY A COMPUTER WITH LOWER CASE?
ALL THIS SHOUTING IS NOT GOOD FOR MY EARS.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1571. Re: HRO's response to your posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <335999e5.8591754@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

mc@shore.net (Michael Crestohl) wrote:

:Geezuz - don't you AOL'ers have a text editor???
:
:W1RC
:mc@shore.net

AOLers are not permitted to have text editors in case they hurt
themselves with it.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1572. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #427 TM-241a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: stunroe@orion.BRanch-co.lib.mi.US
Message-ID: <335970F1.31DC@orion.branch-co.lib.mi.us>
Source record: 177415

I own a TM-241a and have never experienced any of the problems that were mentioned, garbled display, bad audio, ect. the radio was used in both the house and in a variety of vehicles including a semi where it logged over 100,000 mi over all manner of road conditions some of which would bounce you out of the seat if you weren't wearing a seatbelt. The radio was left in the truck all the time -20 to +100 degree conditions and is now being used as a base at my home. I taped a radio shack speaker to the top of it so the audio was directed at me which helped in the noisy environment of the truck. One thing I would suggest is getting the backlit mic model, trying to access an autopatch at night isn't the easiest with the standard mic. It's not a fancy radio but I wouldn't hesitate to recommend it to someone.
Steve KG8TX

1573. Using Mirage Amplifiers at 12v

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: axxis@infinet.com
Message-ID: <5jbpg4$nns@news1.infinet.com>
Source record: 177416

I'm wanting to purchase a Mirage Amplifier for 2 Meter operation. I do not currently have a 13.8 volt power supply and have been wondering if I could run the amp off of a 12V DC Deep cycle battery.

Some products perform fine when run at 12 volts, but I've had a few that absolutely *do not* perform unless they're operated at 13.8v DC.

Some ads for these amps list them at running at 12v, some list them as running at 13.8v...just wanna make sure it will work ok before purchasing.

Can someone please give me some info?

Rick Mann
N8KLW
Dayton, OH

1574. WTB: KLM 661 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5jbqkm$6fv@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177417

Hi, I am still looking for a clean unmodified KLM 661 6M xcvr. Let me know if you have a unit.
Thanks,
Tim

1575. FS: Kenwood TK-330 Commercial UHF HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420012700.VAA16615@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177418

For sale: Kenwood TK-330 10 channel commercial UHF handi-talkie. Very good condition. Comes with speaker/mic, drop-in charger, antenna, high capacity battery pack, and metal porta clip.......$250

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1576. FS: Yaesu FT-470 HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420013000.VAA16825@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177419

For sale: Yaesu FT-470 handi-talkie. UHF side dead due to improper frequency conversion attempt. Yaesu said they can fix it for $60. VHF side and all other radio features unaffected. Comes with "AA" battery case, drop-in rapid charger, soft case, antenna, belt clip, manual, and origional box....$150

Brian
spectra@291@aol.com

1577. FS: MFJ-208 VHF SWR analyzer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420013100.VAA16960@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177420

For sale: MFJ-208 VHF antenna/SWR analyzer. Good condition and comes with instruction booklet. Powered by standard 9 volt battery or by adapter using existing jack. Also has jack for connection to a frequency counter.....$40

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1578. Heathkit VFO value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5jbrg6$via@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 177421

I'm not sure of the model number but the VFO covers from 160m to 2m.
What's it worth?

Also what's a DX-60 Transmitter worth?

1579. FS: Larsen UHF antennas.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420013400.VAA17125@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177422

For sale: Three Larsen 5/8 wave UHF antennas with spring assembly. Model NMO-UHF.....$20 for all three or $8 each.

For sale: Six Larsen 1/4 wave UHF antennas.....$20 for all or $4 each.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1580. FS: Kenwood TM-241A 45 watt 2meter mobile.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420013700.VAA17373@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177423

For sale: Kenwood TM-241A 45 watt two-meter mobile rig. New condition, never mobile, and non-smoker owner. Converted for MARS/CAP operation by Kenwood tech. Recently checked and aligned by Kenwood. Comes with power cable, DTMF mic, bracket, manual, and origional box.......$250

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

1581. WTB: Telefunken extension speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: vintel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420022500.WAA20779@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177424

Wanted to buy-Telefunken extension speaker "Allvox radiator" RS 1. Wood cabinet with rounded ends & gold trim. Originally had a 16' cable with the european connector on end.
If you have one available please respond to vintel@aol.com stating color, cosmetic condition, working condition, any changes from original & your price, including shipping to Baltimore, Md. 21206.
Thank you.
John E. Kendall

1582. Experience with ADI/Premier HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Irvin <irvind@seds.lpl.arizona.edu>
Message-ID: <5jbvg8dpm1@news.ccit.arizona.edu>
Source record: 177425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does anyone have any experience with Premier HTs? I'm thinking about buying one. It would be my first HT (I'm a new ham) and was wondering about performance, durability, all those sort of things.

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| Irvin
| UASEDS/UAARC
| CallSign: KC7VDD
| E-mail: irvind@seds.org
| URL: www.seds.org/~irvind
|
| "There is no off position
| on the genius switch."
| - David Letterman

1583. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: markbond@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <markbond-ya023680002004970011340001@news.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 177426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <slrn5li0qb.678.mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>,
mulveyr@frontiernet.net wrote:

> >> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
> >> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...

> In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
> charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
> rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.

I plead guilty, but i think the noise that the ads are creating is drowned
out by a lot of the other less than useful dialog here.
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/__Mark_S_Bond__W2MB____/__markbond@bellatlantic.net__\
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1584. START a FREE Online Business TODAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: glucas@netusa1.net
Message-ID: <5jbu5l$8p1@news.netusa1.net>
Source record: 177427

FREE TURNKEY ONLINE BUSINESS

Build a residual income from time you spend on the Internet placing FREE advertisements.

Successful Internet company wants you to help them market their services online. Place FREE advertisements and get paid residual commissions on any sales that you bring to the company. NO cost to start immediately, and all you have to do is place pre-written ads online in your sparetime. Complete training and instructions will be provided to you FREE.

You can even choose to get other online entrepreneurs involved and build your own "sales organization" where you can even earn commissions from the work of others.

You can get started TODAY absolutely FREE, and you can even check the status of your sales ONLINE!

PLEASE WRITE THIS DOWN: GD2854

You will need the above code to join this FREE program.

For more information, retrieve an auto-reply from OVERVIEW@NETOPP.COM, or visit: http://www.netopp.com.

This message is being brought to you by Dynamic Mail software - the powerful online marketing tool to explode your business easier and faster. For more information please visit our web site at :
http://www.australia.net.au/~apexpi/dynamail.htm

1585. TNC/Amp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan Hicks, Jr" <dan@kb8uyz.com>
Message-ID: <335995EF.CBE920E6@kb8uyz.com>
Source record: 177428

I have a Radio Shack 2m amplifier, new, that has the power cables, box, and manual. It is in excellent condition and really works good with any HT. I am asking $75.00 for it.

I also have a KPC-3 TNC with the cables (serial and power), manuals, software, and boxes. It works good and I have used the Radio Shack HT with the amp and TNC to contact MIR. I have used it to connect to the DX packet cluster and found the two work really good together. I am asking $90.00 for the TNC.

I will take $160.00 for both. Simply email me at dan@kb8uyz.com or danjr2@juno.com for more information.

Thanks,
Dan KB8UYZ
dan@kb8uyz.com
http://www.kb8uyz.com

1586. FOR SALE-> Radio Shack HTX-212 2meter Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gsutton672@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420052301.BAA03489@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177429

Selling my HTX-212. It is back in the box and is complete. I bought it and didn't use it enough. It is a great Ham that every one has been talking about. If youdo not know exactly what this is I will send you a detailed list.

$200.00 US + shipping.

GSutton@aol.com

1587. Re: FS PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4d55$e893f1e0$e2be2299@Earthlink.net.gottria>
Source record: 177430

Yea, but the radio is not in that great of demand! Sure people are still buying the them in $225 to $325 and maybe even to $375. With other great radios on the market why spend $500 when you can have a new one and still have money in your pocket.

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley, California
E-Mail: Gottria@Earthlink.net
1996 Sea Doo GTX

Ray Roberts <kb8tpw@concentric.net> wrote in article
<3358A906.4482@concentric.net>...
> The Manning's wrote:
> >
> > Radio Shack Pro 2006 for sale
> > asking $500.00
> > silverd@datasync.com
>
>
> This scanner is a classic ! Classics demand premium prices and I'll be
> surprised if he doesn't sell it! I know it didn'tell new for near that
> much, but supply and demand rules the world !!!!!! He has the supply...
>

1588. Re: FS- Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gsutton672@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420081900.EAA12080@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177431

In the 1993 Radio Shack catalog the Pro-2006 sold for 399.95. Hummmm how does something get more expensive over the years. If I could get 500.00 for a Pro-2006 then mybe I could get 550.00 for my Pro-2035 that sells for 450.00 at Radio Shack.

I will gove you 100.00 for it. Mybe more if it is full 800Mhz.

1589. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861526231snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <5jb86j$go4@linet06.li.net> mrusso@hoflink.com "Mark Russo" writes:

> About Lentini, I had a friend who drove up to Lentini's and spent
> about $150 on a Astron 35M power supply and about $1300 dollars an a
> new Yaesu Hf rig. I don't remember the model number (sorry).
> Anyway, my friend (who was about 70 years old) took the radio home.
> He returned the rig in about 2 weeks because he could not see the
> analog meter very well, his eyesight was failing because of his age.
> At this time my friend chose to exchange the rig for a Kenwood TS-450S
> with the built in antenna tuner. This radio had a digital, bright,
> easy to read meter. Lantini was delighted to take the rig back!
> HE ONLY CHARGED MY FRIEND 150 DOLLARS
> RE-STOCKING FEE after buying the TS-450!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
> Now ain't that nice !?
> Oh by the way, My friend dealt with the owner both times.

It doesn't sound bad to me. How many hams would pay full price for a
second hand rig, albeit one that had been used for only 2 weeks? What
is the right discount if 150 per 1,300 (11.5%) is too high?

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1590. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbaka@syix.com
Message-ID: <N.042097.022402.47@syix.com>
Source record: 177433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I'm looking into the new Kenwood TS-570 unit. I think that could meet all
> your needs as both a ham and an SWL.

I disagree,
As an avid American I would buy the Drake, and try to keep at least one American
and not Japanese company in business.

Do some of you celebrate Pearl Harbor?

Damn, Patriotism is hard to find these days.

All my radios, cars, and televisions were made here, how about you guys?

Rant and rave over.

Bill

1591. Re: ?? JT 1000 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Lewis <michael@winternet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4d32$2fb62120$7842f6cc@none.winternet.com>
Source record: 177434

I have one that belongs to my employer (law enforcement). It is a good reliable radio although spendy at $900 and another $100 for the programming module (last years price).
It outperforms my Kenwood TH79A, but is heavy (too heavy for everyday use for me as I work plainclothes.) As most Motorola's, it is heavy duty and stands up to lots of punishment.

73, Mike

Paul J. Roberts <robertsp@rcinet.com> wrote in article <01bc4a65$65e6ad20$f7d412c7@nexrad1>...
>
> Anyone have anything good, bad, or useful information on this radio.
> Thinking of getting one.
>
>

1592. Out of Band XMIT Antennas (HT'S)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude@wherever.net
Message-ID: <335a5e2b.4808619@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 177435

I see requests for differnent mods for radios, especially HT's. It would seem that if you modify an HT to transmit at lets say 475MHZ or 142MHZ (common UHF and VHF out of band frequency ranges) that you would need an antenna that is resonant near these frequencies. Where do people get these antennas? I never see them for sale at hamfests. The reason I am asking is because I know many public servants that might be able to use these as backup radios. Maybe they are there but I just never notice. Just a question. NIck

1593. Re: FS- Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: tahoefranz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420101101.GAA14934@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177436

Hello Mr. G........

I thinks what you are overlooking is the theory of Supply and Demand. In this case, the Demand for a product that is no longer made, is very high. As you get more into scanning, you will discover that the Pro-2006 is a very desireable radio. It has many computer interfaces that make it an even more desireable piece.

I have two sitting here that I would not dream of selling for less than $500.00 each, and even then, I would wonder why I sold them. I can't replace them easily and it is, in my opinion, a hard one to beat.

Good luck with your endevors.....

Franz in Tahoe

1594. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <335a9a09.3098224@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177437

atla0001@umn.edu wrote:

:There are many articles regarding the not-so-wide wide band receive on
:the FT50 at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50
: (previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)

What I would like to know is why their picture of the ADMS-1C
memory screen shows up to six alpha characters when only four
are possible in reality.
I would email them but the web page doesn't seem to have an
email address.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1595. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <335aa2e3.5364613@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177438

Roy Church <rac@isise.rl.ac.uk> wrote:

:Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase
:lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to
:occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.

Presumably you mean affecting?

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1596. Radio and antenna for GRAPES 56 Kb RF Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: konratba@boun.EDU.TR
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.91.970420153629.67798B-100000@hamlin.cc.boun.edu.tr>
Source record: 177439

I got an offer to buy GRAPES 56 Kb RF modem and Gracilis PackeTwin, so
I will need a radio and antenna to complete the kit.
If anybody knows what type of radio and antenna will work with that,
please mail to my e-mail address.

1597. WTB 19" rack AC 612

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvr@pclink.com
Message-ID: <335a088e.2571137@news.protocom.com>
Source record: 177440

Hi, I want to buy a used 19" rack, 5 or 6 feet tall. Must be in area code 612. Thanks, Bob.

1598. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@mnsinc.com.spam.stinks
Message-ID: <335a0dcb.5913225@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 177441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 19 Apr 1997 17:45:46 GMT, mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org (Rich Mulvey)
wrote:

>On 19 Apr 1997 16:32:02 GMT, Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>>Marty Albert <marty@trucom.com> wrote in article
>><3357a131.1626891@news.trucom.com>...
>>>
>>>
>>> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
>>> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
>>
>>
>>
>>I like the ads here.
>
> In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
>charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
>rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.

>Rich Mulvey

Problem is that the FS and WTB ads in the r.r.s group are SO NUMEROUS!

A few specialized ads in boatanchors for example, are VERY welcome by
the majority of readers.

We do not want to wade through 150 ads for dual band VHF/UHF whatsits
and packet terminals trying to find a DX-100!

Why not take this thread to r.r.a.policy?

To reply to this message, you MUST remove ".spam.stinks" from my address. It is there to
fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry@mnsinc.com
VISIT: http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/

1599. Duplexer Question (cavities)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Carter <n4gca@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5jd3j6dol1@news9.gte.net>
Source record: 177442

Just bought a set of DB products cavities (6) that are tunable for 146-174. I have heard that the phasing harness needs to be cut to special lenghts.
The person I bought them from told me he had added a copper ring that will allow them to be tuned down to 145. The split that I am putting them on is 145.33 down 600. He told me that I needed to put a new harness on them and that the length needed to be 13.5 " from tip to tip of each PL-259 (it is now appx 11.5). I would like to get this thing pretty close to what it really needs to be. Can anyone tell me if the 13.5 " is close to the proper length ? I will be using RG-214 for the harness so that might help in figuring the length of each cable.
If anyone feels that the length needs to be different, please holler and let me know how you arrived at your decision (so I can get a little wiser on this stuff).

Thanks

Johnny Carter
N4GCA

1600. Heathkit SB104 Extender board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: georgie@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <5jd5e6$hns@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 177443

Does anyone have a Heathkit SB104 extender board laying around.
Please let me know if you do. Will buy or trade.

73 George in Phoenix

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1601. Re: ICOM IC DELTA 100 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: stefdg@mbox.vol.it
Message-ID: <335a1b89.818023@news.tin.it>
Source record: 177444

First of all thank for the tip, but I was so
unluck because I was unable to find some
infos about my equipment (maybe it's a
forgotten equipment).

Can you help me more ???

Thanx

EMAIL stefdg@mbox.vol.it until 1st of May
EMAIL marl@geocities.com since 1st of May
POWADD marlboro@monital
URL http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Heights/7204/

1602. FS: Ten Tec Century 21

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.861544562.27162.c_sieg@conknet.com>
Source record: 177445

Hi Radio Folks,
I have a decent TenTec Century 21 CW transceiver for sale. Some scuffs on the vinyl, nice front panel. Works well, good receive sensitivity and 50 watts out on 80M, 40 watts out on 15. I will include a copy of the manual also. $130 + shipping from New Hampshire.

73's
-Chris WA3LDI
e-mail c_sieg@conknet.com

1603. Re: Newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@mnsinc.com.spam.stinks
Message-ID: <335a2419.11622075@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 177446

Yes - what kinds do you want?

Don't you have a web browser?

This stuff is all available right off the WWW

On 19 Apr 1997 23:39:10 GMT, "rancor" <ranc0r@geocities.com> wrote:

>Is it possible for someone to e-mail the instructions on building an
>antennae and transmitter?
>

To reply to this message, you MUST remove ".spam.stinks" from my address. It is there to fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry@mnsinc.com
VISIT: http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/

1604. KAM for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bvkirk@kanza.net
Message-ID: <335a2fa4.16396142@news.kanza.net>
Source record: 177447

I have a Kantronics KAM for sale. It is not the Kam plus. It works fine, manuals included. 125.00. email to bvkirk@kanza.net

1605. Kenwood 711 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bvkirk@kanza.net
Message-ID: <335a2e62.16074517@news.kanza.net>
Source record: 177448

I have a kenwood 711 all-mode rig for sale. It works great! The front panel is clean however the top has some scratches. $500.00. email to bvkirk@kanza.net

1606. For Sale: Ten Tec and MFJ QRP rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420152300.LAA28895@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177449

This is listed for Pete, W6JFR/0, St.Louis, MO:

1)MFJ 9420X, 12 watt,20mtr ssb/cw xcvr with mic,a/c supply and manual, all in excellent condition. Asking $200.

2)Ten Tec 509 Argonaut with cw filter, mic & manual, all in excellent condition. Asking $250

Please respond via e-mail or call Pete directly at 314-537-3732

Thanks & 73,
Dave, K2DP, St.Louis

1607. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: burt@rocketmail.com
Message-ID: <861549952.1163@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177450

In article <3353164c.92920718@news.ro.com>,

> Burt, your as full of crap as a Christmas turkey.

Say it to my face you gutless ham.

Burt K1OIK

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1608. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES! (repost)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335A34C8.3E0A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Anthony R. Gold wrote:
>
> In article <5jb86j$go4@linet06.li.net> mrusso@hoflink.com "Mark Russo" writes:
>
> > About Lentini, I had a friend who drove up to Lentini's and spent
> > about $150 on a Astron 35M power supply and about $1300 dollars an a
> > new Yaesu Hf rig. I don't remember the model number (sorry).
> > Anyway, my friend (who was about 70 years old) took the radio home.
> > He returned the rig in about 2 weeks because he could not see the
> > analog meter very well, his eyesight was failing because of his age.
> > At this time my friend chose to exchange the rig for a Kenwood TS-450S
> > with the built in antenna tuner. This radio had a digital, bright,
> > easy to read meter. Lantini was delighted to take the rig back!
> > HE ONLY CHARGED MY FRIEND 150 DOLLARS
> > RE-STOCKING FEE after buying the TS-450!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
> > Now ain't that nice !?
> > Oh by the way, My friend dealt with the owner both times.
>
> It doesn't sound bad to me. How many hams would pay full price for a
> second hand rig, albeit one that had been used for only 2 weeks? What
> is the right discount if 150 per 1,300 (11.5%) is too high?
>
> Regards,
> --
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

Most Dealers only back up the radio for 10 days from the day you
purchased it. None sell the radio for Evaluation. Your friend should
go to the local Ham store and sit down with the radio and take his time
making his decision. The Dealer cannot sell the radio as "BRAND NEW"
and will have to discount it inorder to find a buyer.
I think it is funny that for the amount of money we hams spend we
get the worst return/exchange policy in the world. Like at Radio Shack
you can return the radio up to 30 days later for any reason for a prompt
refund. Same thing at Sears etc. We are being scammed.
Steven Hershman NS1R

1609. Re: Using Mirage Amplifiers at 12v

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@flash.net>
Message-ID: <335A3E67.1A95@flash.net>
Source record: 177452

-=[AXXIS]=- wrote:
>
> I'm wanting to purchase a Mirage Amplifier for 2 Meter operation. I do not
> currently have a 13.8 volt power supply and have been wondering if I could run
> the amp off of a 12V DC Deep cycle battery.
>
> Some products perform fine when run at 12 volts, but I've had a few that
> absolutely *do not* perform unless they're operated at 13.8v DC.
>
> Some ads for these amps list them at running at 12v, some list them as running
> at 13.8v...just wanna make sure it will work ok before purchasing.
>
> Can someone please give me some info?
>
> Rick Mann
> N8KLW
> Dayton, OH
It should run just fine to the extent that the battery will power it.
Remember that the power output values that are published are dependent
upon the voltage input, so as the voltage drops, so will the wattage
output. In any event, it will beat a barefoot rig.
gary
ab5rm

1610. Re: ALINCO DX-70T (H) INFO WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin mueller <kc5vwz@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4db4$54eb73a0$944a84d0@kc5vwz>
Source record: 177453

NZ8J <timcook@erinet.com> wrote in article
<33556868.16131616@news.erinet.com>...
> I am considering buying a DX-70 for port/mobile/base and wonder how
> the CW operation is? Does it have QSK? If so, how loud is the T/R
> relay> is it loud enough to be distracting during QSK operation?
> Thanks for your help
> Tim
> NZ8J
>
In answer to your questions.... CW operation is exceptional, yes it has
QSK, the T/R
relay isn't loud enough to distract the operator. This is just my opinion.

Martin
KC5VWZ
P.S. I live with a general class operator who uses a DX-70 on a regular
basis.

1611. WANTED: S-BAND SATELLITE RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: martin mueller <kc5vwz@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4db5$82359420$944a84d0@kc5vwz>
Source record: 177454

I am looking for a S-band receiver for down link of weather data.
Frequency range of
1.2Ghz to 1.4Ghz.

EMAIL TO kc5vwz@datasync.con
Martin
KC5VWZ

1612. TS-780 Tone Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion**@capital.net
Message-ID: <335a447f.10191328@news.capital.net>
Source record: 177455

Would anyone here have a tone board for sale for the Kenwood TS-780?
Please reply by e-mail if possible. Thanks.

--
73,
Butch N2YMJ
To send mail, delete
the two stars from
my address.

1613. Beware of: KC5MDM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4CRP <Southtec@icanect.net>
Message-ID: <335A8310.62F0@icanect.net>
Source record: 177456

Please beware of this guy, Kc5mdm goes by the name of Murray Neece but is listed as Jackson M. Neece in the call book he's just using his middle name, this man sold a customer of mine a bad Heath SB-220 / HeathKit SB 220. stating that it was operating fine on the 10 metter band, this man had the high power wire disconnected so the unit had problems with high power operation. I now also belive the keying relays are bad too so the unit was never operational..

1614. WTB: IC-375 and/or IC-1275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: James M Heedles <heedles@ww1y.mv.vom>
Message-ID: <335A6163.2FD2@ww1y.mv.vom>
Source record: 177457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,

I'm looking for an IC-375 and/or an IC-1275.

Jim Heedles, WW1Y Home:heedles@ww1y.mv.com
Work:(603)885-3497
Home:(603)673-7395
Packet: ww1y@n1ft.nh.usa.na Work:james.m.heedles@lmco.com

1615. Help wanted on diode matrix

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mpw@stadsnet-rdam.nl
Message-ID: <335b5748.9012604@news.tip.nl>
Source record: 177458

Hello,

I have received a Shinso sv1100 porto.
It's a twelve channel unit with a diode matrix.
Can anyone help me out on what matrix will give
a certain frequency ?

Replies by email please

E-mail : mpw@stadsnet-rdam.nl
Mob. tel: +31-6-54.68.68.98

1616. Re: HT failure question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4dba$29e8a6e0$0bd666ce@paul>
Source record: 177459

You might look in your manual and see if your radio is set properly to the correct offset ie: -600 +600 or simplex. Also determine if your battery has enough charge to make a transmission. It may have enough power to receive but not transmit. Ask any local ham how to purge a nicad battery of "memory" in case yours is not charging up fully. After charging you can check the voltage with a volt meter to see if it charged up fully. 73 Paul ki4xz@peganet.com

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote in article
<Pine.SOL.3.91.970416234337.20216B-100000@general1.asu.edu>...
>
> I finally got my NC-Tech license, (now I can stop loaning out my HT to my

> buddy who has had his license for a while now), and wouldn't you know it,
> a glitch with my HT after a week of use.
>
> I would appreciate greatly any advice, thoughts on possible causes, etc.,
> you with more experience might be able to offer. (I will make one
> exception, that being suggestions to dump my Radio Shack HT. I got
> it used within my budget (a full-time student with a family takes
> what the budget will allow).
>
> My problem follows:
>
> Said HT transmitted for about a week (actually for a while now, but a
> week of my possesion). Now, it receives well, but won't transmit. The
bar
> graph at the bottom of the screen shows full power upon operation of the
> transmit key, but I can't key up the repeaters. As a matter of fact, it
> won't even break the squelch of another xcvr in the same room.
>
> I have checked the obvious things. PL tones, offset, battery power,
> connector to the DC power supply, disconnecting the antenna and
> reconnecting it.... anything else.
>
> I had been using it on the way back and forth to/from school, with it
hooked
> up to the cigarette lighter, via the handy cable. The fuse blew three
days
> ago (in the power supply cable), and I didn't use the radio for another
> day, so that may or may not have had an influence.
>
> Well let me know what you think please. I'd hate to take it to Rat Shack
> for something I could troubleshoot, but I'm running out of bright ideas.
>

> If anybody in the Phoenix Metro has some suggestions on where else to
> take it locally, other than RS, I'd appreciate that input as well.
>
> Thanks,
> Dave (KC7VTP)
>

1617. For sale Icom 2700h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpimlott@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5jdq0q$eks@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 177460

For sale a
For sale Icom 2700H with Infared mic with extented xmt and rcv.. Only
4 weeks old .. $490 firm phone 209-858-5432 scott ke6nwx

1618. Re: Kenwood TS 450 Questions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Wood <david@wood2.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Sh6JqKAA7mWzEwF9@wood2.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177461

In article <33592DE4.3B98@onramp.net>, Clif <avvid@onramp.net> writes
>#2. The radio will talk to a computer via a IF-232C level converter. In
>numerous websites there are control programs that will work with this
>radio.

You can homebrew the interface fairly simply - the radio side is TTL.
You need to invert all four signal lines, then run it through a MAX232
or similar. Serial parameters are 4800 8-N-1. A couple of web searches
should give you a schematic - rather cheaper than Kenwood's interface,
which retails in the UK for about UKP80.

The 'language' talked by the rig is documented in the 'computer control'
manual. I received a copy with the rig - it's a separate small book from
the rig's manual.

[Not emailed - my program won't deal with this too easily].

David
--
David Wood, G0WZA
david@wood2.demon.co.uk

1619. Looking for a mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stafford <mikes@enhcom.com>
Message-ID: <335A78B1.1C31@enhcom.com>
Source record: 177462
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.info,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I purchased a Yaesu FT-416 2M handi at a hamfest yesterday. This is either the A1 or B2 version, (I don't know how to find out), with a TX/RX of 144-148Mhz.

What I would like to do is mod the radio to RX from 130-174. (match the A2 version) I know this is possible, but don't know how.

One note: I DON'T want to TX out of band, just RX. However, I am sure that any mods will affect both.

If anyone can help me, please contact me.

I am VERY unfamiliar with the newsgroups and how they operate; so it might be better if any responses are directed to mstaff@enhcom.com

Thanks to all, and 73!

T. Stafford, KF4NCB
Shelby, NC

1620. HAM IV SOLD SOLD THANKS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4de2$8f0a5d20$b32b74cf@default>
Source record: 177463

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HAM IV SOLD THANKS
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1621. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <5jduem$gii@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 177464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cecil A. Moore <cecilmoore@delphi.com> wrote:
>Peter Gottlieb wrote:

>MA > Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
>MA> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...

>> I like the ads here.

>Doesn't matter who likes it - it is against r.r.a.* newsgroups
>rules. Wonder how many posters haven't bothered to read the rules?

Hi Cec - I'm reading your remark on r.r.a.boatanchors, and as I recall,
the charter for .boatanchors does allow for BA ads.

I wonder who the goofball was (M.A. maybe?) who originally included so
so many newsgroups? Neither .misc nor .homebrew have a problems with
lots of ads - only .equipment does, so followups should be directed
just to that group.

Jeff

1622. RE: radio shack hh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlmott@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970420204900.QAA20978@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177465

Well, the previous poster told you everything you need to know, but I just wanted to say it is a great radio. It is a little bigger and has no extended receive, but it is built like a tank. If you want extended receive, get a scanner.

Loyal 202 owner

JLMott@aol.com
KF4OKL

1623. FS: Kenwood TM-742a Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <335ae833.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 177217

I'm selling my Kenwood TM-742a mobile that I
purchased about a year ago.

Features:
- Dual-Band Operation (2m and 70cm Installed)
- Tri-Band Capable, Add a Third Band!
- Simultaneous Receive on All Three Bands!
- 2-Way Detachable Front Panel
- 100 Memories per Band
- Cross-Band Repeat
- DTMF Remote Control Capability
- Mint Condition! Used as a Base Station!
- Optional TSU-7 CTCSS Decoder Installed

Includes:
- Comet CF-4160 2m/70cm Duplexer
- Daiwa 2m/60cm Cross-Needle SWR/Power Meter
- Original Boxes and Manuals for everything!
- Extra copy of owners manual.

Paid over $800 a year ago.
I'm asking $600 with shipping!

Thanks,
Steve White
N2RWE

I have a complete listing of Audio/Video/Photo/Computer and Amateur
Radio stuff that I'm selling at my company web site at
http://mypage.ihost.com/unitedsound

1624. Re: Newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion**@capital.net
Message-ID: <335ded0f.53350297@news.capital.net>
Source record: 177218

On Sun, 20 Apr 1997 14:12:05 GMT, bry@mnsinc.com.spam.stinks (Brian Carling) wrote:

>Don't you have a web browser?

You may be surprised to find out that not everybody does, BRY.

--
73,
Butch N2YMJ
To send mail, delete
the two stars from
my address.

1625. Re: FT-5200 Dual In-Band Receive?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <335af8b4.5419286@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 177219

On Wed, 16 Apr 1997 13:59:52 -0500, Gary Winkelman
<wink@felix.kodak.com> wrote:

>Hi, Thanks for reading!
>I'm considering buying a Yaesu FT-5200. Is it capable of dual in-band
>receive where I can have both receivers on either 2 meters or 70 cm at
>one time? I think it would be handy while travelling to have one
>receiver scanning on 2m while the other receiver is sitting on 146.52
>looking for simplex calls.
>
>With the drastic close-out prices at some dealers and the remote
>control head capabilities of this radio, it looks rather attractive to
>me!
>
>73,
>
>Gary, N2UM
>wink@felix.kodak.com
>wink@rpa.net

The FT-5200 does not have dual in-band receive;
The FT-5100 does have dual in-band receive.

The FT-5200 does have detachable control head;
The FT-5100 does not have detachable control head.

Hope this helps!

73 to all,

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

1626. Re: MASTR II frequency changes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <335af950.5575620@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 177220

On Wed, 16 Apr 1997 17:33:57 -0500, Samuel Johnson
<samjohnson@Bledsoe.net> wrote:

>I am setting up MASTR II's for repeater use. The only problem I have,
>is that the manual says to read the frequency with a frequency counter
>at a certain point in the radio. My point is, it has to be 9 times the
>frequency. In the 440 range, this puts the frequency far above the
>frequency counters that I have access to. Am I looking at the problem
>wrong?

Sam - I'll betcha dollars to donut holes that you're looking
at it wrong ... you are looking at a point that triples,
then triples again to get to resultant (440 MHz) frequency
.. what you should see here is one ninth of frequency
(f/9), not nine times frequency.

Good luck!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

1627. Re: HTX 204 - what's this about a recall???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <335afef6.7021402@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 177221

On Sat, 19 Apr 1997 09:55:00 GMT, clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
(Clint Bradford) wrote:

>
>>>Say ... I saw a story that said that the Radio Shack Dual Bander
>>>HTX 204 was being recalled due to fears that it could be used for
>>>illegal purposes.
>
>This week's THE ARRL LETTER stated that Tandy was pullin' the HTX-204
>due to potential ease of out-of-band operations.
>
>Haven't talked to Tandy myself on this rumor.
>
>
>--
>Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
>ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
>--

Here's the exact text, as taken from the "ARRL Letter" for
April 18, 1997, as found on their web site
http://www.arrl.org:

quote:

RADIO SHACK TAKES HTX-204 DUAL-BAND HT OFF THE MARKET

Radio Shack notified its stores April 17 that it's
immediately recalling unsold stocks of its new
HTX-204 dual-band handheld transceiver because of what a
source at Radio Shack headquarters
called "a regulatory compliance issue" involving the
transceiver. Radio Shack said it plans to take
the HTX-204 off the market and has no immediate plans to
offer another dual-band HT. The
HTX-204 started showing up in the chain's 7000 retail stores
about six weeks ago.

A Radio Shack official at the company's Ft Worth, Texas,
headquarters said the company was
concerned about the "potential for illegal use" of the
HTX-204. He declined to be specific, but he
did emphasize that the HTX-204 is perfectly legal for use on
Amateur Radio frequencies.

Radio Shack expressed disappointment with the turn of events
surrounding the HTX-204 and
directed any questions to local Radio Shack retail stores.

End of quote; end of article.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

1628. Re: Model number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <335b007d.7412654@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 177222

On Sat, 19 Apr 1997 20:57:22 -0600, Cleve Massey
<cmassey@airmail.net> wrote:

>What is the model number for the ICOM that is same vintage and matching
>unit for the 551D?
>
>Would be nice to have twins...
>
>tnx...cleve/wd5bor

If you're talking about the two meter and 70 cm versions of
that radio, they were the IC-251A and IC-451A, respectively.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

1629. Re: w\repeater info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <335b0171.7657260@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 177223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 21 Apr 1997 02:04:53 -0700, Brad Gulleff
<bgulleff@pacifier.com> wrote:

>Hi Name hear is Brad KJ7VW . I just took over ownership of a 440
>repeater and want to know how to go about putting it in my call sign
>any help will be appreciated . 73 KJ7VW

First thing that needs to be done is to contact your area
Repeater Coordination body, to retain coordination.
Retention of coordination on transfer of ownership is
normally routine, but does entail a little paperwork on your
part, and approval on their part. (If you are unsure who the
coordinating body is in your area, you can find them listed
in the ARRL Repeater Directory.) As long as nothing other
than ownership changes (i.e., you stay at same site, with
same antenna and power level, etc.), it should breeze right
through.

The next thing that needs to be done is to change the actual
call sign sent by the repeater; that needs to be done in the
controller - see your controller manual for details.

Good luck, and 73!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

1630. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gelleric@kafka.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de
Message-ID: <5jff2u$3of@zdi.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de>
Source record: 177224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <slrn5li0qb.678.mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org>, mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org (Rich Mulvey) writes:
|> On 19 Apr 1997 16:32:02 GMT, Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
|> >Marty Albert <marty@trucom.com> wrote in article
|> ><3357a131.1626891@news.trucom.com>...
|> >>
|> >>
|> >> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
|> >> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
|> >
|> >
|> >
|> >I like the ads here.
|>
|> In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
|> charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
|> rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.
|>

I agree with that statement. We have a "sell-newsgroup" and everyone should use it. However, as there is a _lot_ of traffic in r.r.a.swap, how about splitting this group into a WBT and a FS part?

73, Wolfgang

1631. FT-DX400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "See Fung, Lee" <seefung@pc.jaring.my>
Message-ID: <335C14FF.38F4@pc.jaring.my>
Source record: 177225

Does anyone have the crystals list for the Yeasu FT-DX400?

Someone gave me one unit but all the crystals are missing, so it can't receive.

Any help is appreciated.

Thanks.

See Fung, Lee

1632. HELP!!! KENWOOD TH79a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlajsa@EUnet.yu
Message-ID: <335b3377.1713130@news.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 177226

Please can anybody help me where I can find a board for Kenwood TH 79a
with original mark X-57 (A/7).Due of "I dont know how" circumstances
it completely burn out and I dont know what to do it now.I contact
Kenwood Japan but they have no solution.
Thank you Sascha Yugoslavia
vlajsa@eunet.yu

1633. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gelleric@kafka.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de
Message-ID: <5jff71$3of@zdi.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de>
Source record: 177227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <jarad.133.0122B440@nbnet.nb.ca>, jarad@nbnet.nb.ca (Jarad Kardkoff) writes:
|>
|> Yeah i like ads too
|> jarad

I also read the ads from time to time. But, what's wrong with going to
r.r.a.swap for reading them? It is good that there is one newsgroup for
ads, but do we need ten of them?

73, Wolfgang

1634. BEST SITES ON THE WEB!!! A MUST SEE!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Me <Someone@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <5jfhs0$ava@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177228

http://ads.sexroulette.com/cgi-win/trax.exe?972

http://megatrondata.com/PleasureIsland/index.htm

If you are reading this then you are half way there GO FOR IT. YOU'LL LOVE IT!!!!!!!!!!!!

This message is being brought to you by Dynamic Mail software - the powerful
online marketing tool to explode your business easier and faster. For more
information please visit our web site at :
http://www.australia.net.au/~apexpi/dynamail.htm

1635. Re: Radio Shack New Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970421114000.HAA09441@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177229

I went into the Radio Shack here in RI, they told me all of them has been recalled, and they were told to ship them back.
They couldn't tell me why....

Does anyone know WHY??

1636. Re: HF-380 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2112@cris.com
Message-ID: <5jfllt$a7v@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 177230

This is to advise any interested party that this unit is missing the
manufacturers ID plate (no serial #) and the MCN # appears to have
been altered as well.

Kurt Keller

In article <v01530500af7ecf4eee4b@[195.45.5.190]>, liber.fab@iol.IT says...
>
>Hello everybody,
> I have an excellent HF-380 for sale, full loaded (NB,
>speech proc.,filters, all service bullettins and updates, diode mod, fan
>cooler, keypad), plus the original desk mike. $ 3.500 plus shipping.
> Thanks
> I0LBE,Fabio
>
>

1637. NOTE: The HF-380 Listed For Sale on 4/19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2112@cris.com
Message-ID: <5jfmip$a7v@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 177231

Please be advised that HF-380 listed on 4/19 that is located in Italy is missing the manufacturers ID plate and it appears the MCM # has been altered as well. The unit was purchased in this condition by the current owner.

Kurt Keller

1638. FT-8500 slow squelch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael K. Singewald" <n1plh@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4e50$d3bc1440$1a2774cf@default>
Source record: 177232

I like this radio except for a very annoying attribute. When a repeater un-keys, or any transmission stops, I get a terribly long "squelch crash". It was sent back to Yaesu, but nothing changed. I heard a friend of mines same radio, and it does the same thing. Am I the only one to notice this, or doesn't it drive anyone else nuts... especially when talking simplex? It happens the same even with the squelch turned up all the way.

1639. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Harrison <davidhar@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <335B5455.147@interlog.com>
Source record: 177233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

D. Holford wrote:
>
> > As an avid American I would buy the Drake, and try to
> > keep at least one American and not Japanese company in business.
> >All my radios, cars, and televisions were made here, how about you guys?
>
> That must be some OLD television if it was made in the US by a US company!
>
> --
> Dave Holford.

Dave; I've got a Drake R8 and it sure beats the JRC NRD525 I had before.
Bought it new in '93 and I'm still finding ways to dig stuff out of the
mud with it. I've thought about replacing it with the R8A but I'm used
to working with the selector system it started with, and the latest
reviews don't have much good to say about how synchro works on the later
version!
Read the reviews in Proceedings '92-'93!

73 de Dave

1640. FOR SALE: 440 Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9qam@empnet.com
Message-ID: <335b677d.0@208.212.139.3>
Source record: 177234

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**************************************************************************
---------------------------------------> FOR SALE <-----------------------------------

1 440 Mobile

1 440 HT

Both MINT

Ron Smith K9QAM <k9qam@3mpnet.com>

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1641. Kenwood 850AT mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Harrington <markh@ozramp.net.au>
Message-ID: <335B6940.411C@ozramp.net.au>
Source record: 177235

Does anyone have mods for the Kenwood 850-AT?

Also appreciated would be any information on controlling the radio via a
PC and serial cable

TIA

Mark Harrington

1642. Where is XPwin software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kreblon@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu
Message-ID: <5jfqjq$r75$1@geraldo.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 177236

Greetings-

Does anyone know where to get the XPwin software for running a KAM?

Thanks-

Bob
AB5N

1643. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4ufa@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970421.091911.3799.7.ke4ufa@juno.com>
Source record: 177237

PLESE SUSCRIBE

1644. Wanted! Circuit diagrams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Harrington <markh@ozramp.net.au>
Message-ID: <335B68F6.342F@ozramp.net.au>
Source record: 177238

Urgently need circuit diagrams for the following sets:

Electrophone UHF TX-470S

Uniden PRO 810E

Any other information about mods to these sets would also be
appreciated.

TIA

Mark Harrington

1645. FS: Riders Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: henrybii@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970421142100.KAA16690@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177239

Have a complete 17 volume set (abridged) of Riders plus indexes. Also theree TV + Transistor Radio Volumes. The whole shebang for $425.00 and you pick them up. Located in NE NJ email if interested.

Henry

1646. Heathkit HW-16

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <335b7397.6908060@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177240

I have the opportunity to purchase a Heathkit HW-16 CW Tranceiver (80, 40 & 15 meters @75-90 watts input). The kit is still packed in the original box and not assembled. (Postmark is Feb. 1979)
Neither the seller nor I know what the value of this kit is. He wants me to give him "What I think it's worth". Any hints on a realistic value? Thanks.

Ron

1647. FS: FT-901DM station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335B8028.4F45@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177241

FOR SALE- I have a Yaesu FT-901DM station that works perfectly
and is in "MINT" like new condition.
Will sell items seperately.

FT-901DM just back from Yaesu for alignment to factory new spec's.
$575.00
SP-901P speaker/patch $85.00
FV-901DM remote vfo with 40 channels memory and up/dwn scan $230.00
FC-902 500 watt ant. tuner $150.00
Original YD-844 Desk Mic for 901 station $70.00

All prices plus insurance and shipping via Post Office.
All equipment works perfectly and comes in original boxes with all
manuals.
This is probably the nicest 901 station around.
Bob WB5APD/4 <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Pelham, AL USA -

1648. Station For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Whit Crowley <wcrowley@magibox.net>
Message-ID: <335B6C13.7B9B@magibox.net>
Source record: 177242

All Prices Are COD-UPS (48 States)

MFJ ALS-500 HF Amp (10 meter coil installed) $525.00
2 Power Cords Included!!!!

MFJ-989C 3 KW Tuner-Roller This unit is NEW condition.
The most power I have run thru this unit is about
400 watts..Box/Manuals $275.00

MFJ-1270C New TNC purchased 2 months ago... $ 75.00
Box/manuals

MFJ-1786 HF Loop Antenna 10-30 MHZ with deluxe control
head. This unit has seen about 6 months of
weather. $175.00

ICOM 2GXAT Very Clean 2 Meter HT with wall charger and
12v car adapter/with manual (no box) $110.00

Standard C5718DA Twin Bander - Good Clean Condition $425.00
Box/manuals

Kenwood TM733A Backlight mic/duplex/remote mount kit. This
unit is LIKE NEW (less than 6 months) and includes
tone board $410.00

Kenwood TS-570D

This unit is less than 6 months old and is
VERY/NEW/CLEAN condition. $1250.00

Yaesu FT-2500 - Good Condition $200.00

1649. ADI AT-600 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <335c7a28.8589251@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177243

Does anyone know when the ADI AT-600 will hit the stores?

Ron

1650. MFJ-9406 & MFJ-1762 Performance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: MATTHEW ERICKSON <mattall@speedlink.com>
Message-ID: <335B8400.351F@speedlink.com>
Source record: 177244

Any one have (or, have had) experience with the MFJ 6-meter SSB rig?
What's its performance on both TX and RX?

How about MFJ's 3-element, 6-meter yagi (the MFJ-1762)? Is it as easy
to set-up and have the performance they claim?

Thanks for info.

Allen, KJ6XH

1651. Neutec hand-held Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darwin Thom <darwin@nortel.com>
Message-ID: <335B7DAE.4A0@nortel.com>
Source record: 177245

If anyone has info (or can point me in the right direction) on a Neutec SV-1100-22A handheld, I would appreciate hearing from you.
The radio has 6 diode banks to set the Rx and Tx frequencies. How do I read the diode pattern to change the frequencies?

Thanks in advance,

Darwin (VE3DXR)

1652. TS450 IF232 Protocol?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: McCoy <rmccoy@nospamhere.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4e5a$c85b96c0$31aa3bc6@hotel.intranet.asctmd.com>
Source record: 177246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm designing a repeater interface to my TS450 using the IF232 port on the rig. Does anyone know where I can find the communication protocol across this port??

Please respond via email via the following address:
rmccoy@alb.asctmd.com

Don't reply to this post as it is intended to filter the spam mailers.

Thanks,
Russ

1653. Re: Radio and antenna for GRAPES 56 Kb RF Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Curry <recurry@insighttec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4de8$8a7f9620$5ba19ecd@expressp5.insighttec.com>
Source record: 177247

The GRAPES IS the radio - what you need is a transverter for the band you plan to use it on and an antenna (or antenna's if you go full duplex) for that band. Plan on spending $300-$500 for the transverter depending on power output and band.

Ron
KE6WED

Azamat Konratbaev <konratba@boun.EDU.TR> wrote in article
<Pine.A32.3.91.970420153629.67798B-100000@hamlin.cc.boun.edu.tr>...
> I got an offer to buy GRAPES 56 Kb RF modem and Gracilis PackeTwin, so
> I will need a radio and antenna to complete the kit.
> If anybody knows what type of radio and antenna will work with that,
> please mail to my e-mail address.
>

1654. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: caseyx@ssd.intel.com
Message-ID: <5jg4a5$a6u@news.co.intel.com>
Source record: 177248
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

In article <335662F7.7DBA@snowcrest.net> Troy or Michelle Nicolls <mnicolls@snowcrest.net> writes:
>Darrell wrote:
>>
>> Anyone got any good carp bait recipes to e-mail me I would appreciate it.
>> There for a Friend.
>>
>> Many Thanks
>>
>> daryl@carol.net
>Now that's what I like, a Ham who likes to fish. I have used frozen
>corn and it worked great in Shasta Lake. I caught about 7 in 30 minutes
>or so. Just a couple kernels on a #10 hook and a small splitshot. I
>have seen carp eat duck food (corn/grain mix) at the docks where I work.
>Good luck. Troy

But how do you cook the darn things??

Casey
KK7FX

1655. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970421124451.152938D-100000@homer33.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 177249
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

I wouldn't bother to try to cook them. Instead, they resonate extremely
well on 2 meters. They're much better as antennas. 73, k7jy.

On 21 Apr 1997, Casey Bahr wrote:

> In article <335662F7.7DBA@snowcrest.net> Troy or Michelle Nicolls
<mnicolls@snowcrest.net> writes:
> >Darrell wrote:
> >>
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> >>
> >> Many Thanks
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> >have seen carp eat duck food (corn/grain mix) at the docks where I work.
> >Good luck. Troy
>
> But how do you cook the darn things??
>
> Casey
> KK7FX
>
>

1656. Marconi CH 25 SSB Transceiver info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5jggic$34v@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 177250

Could someone tell me the specifications of the Marconi CH Twenty-Five
SSB Transceiver. All I know is this is a 6 channel 100 watts PEP transceiver.

What's the frequency range, is it crystal controlled, etc.?

Is this a Marine or Commercial Transceiver?

How old is it?

1657. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <5jgidt$i5m@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 177251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

> Carl Hodder <sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca> wrote in article >
> > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your equipment
> > because they don't mix.

Huh??? I used to get a lot of mouse droppings, urine corrosion, etc.,
in equipment UNTIL I got my cat. No problem with mice OR the cat.

Don K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

1658. Re: HRO President calls to apologize

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <335bcd7d.1065319198@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 177252

Mr. Hershman:

Do you happened to run a business that sales HAM gears? If you do, I would like to do business with you. But you'll have to find someone to work for you who will never make mistakes (yes, not even dumb mistakes).

I am not a boss, but I am thankful that my boss and my teammates forgive mistakes that I made. We all learn from mistakes and I believe that is a good way to improve performance.

If you don't run a business, I am thankful that there is at least one less boss to be feared of.

Best wishes and 73.

de AF4BH (VS6UE/W4)
David Ho
davidho@one.net

On Sat, 19 Apr 1997 13:06:40 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>John T. Young wrote:
>>
[deleted to save bandwidth]
>
>
>I feel that Bob Ferraro did the right thing in calling you up. In
>addition he should have given you a "GIFT CERTIFICATE" for $$ to make up
>for the foulup. The gift certificate would force you to give HRO another
>try. Also the salesperson who refused to ship the Amplifier
>to you because it was not in the box should be repremanded. All hams
>should post any bad Ham Store reviews that happened to them and also
>post positive experiences also.
>
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

1659. WTB: Service Manual for Tektronics 335 Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DWINN@TNG.NET
Message-ID: <335bc2c5.0@news.tng.net>
Source record: 177253

I 'm looking for a service manual or Microfilm of the manual for the Tektronics model 335 scope. The schematic would help.

Don AF4Z
dwinn@tng.net

1660. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: djp@suba01.suba.com
Message-ID: <5jgk9r$dt5$1@suba01.suba.com>
Source record: 177254
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

In article <5jg4a5$a6u@news.co.intel.com>,
Casey Bahr <caseyx@ssd.intel.com> wrote:
>
>In article <335662F7.7DBA@snowcrest.net> Troy or Michelle Nicolls
<mnicolls@snowcrest.net> writes:
>>Darrell wrote:
>>>
>>> Anyone got any good carp bait recipes to e-mail me I would appreciate it.
>>> There for a Friend.
>>>
>
>But how do you cook the darn things??

PLANKED CARP

Clean, skin, and fillet the fish. Marinate in cooking sherry for an hour
or so, then lay the fillets on an oak plank. Season to taste, and place
in a 475F oven for 30 minutes, or until the flesh separates with a fork.

Then throw the fish away, drink the cooking sherry, and eat the board.

(w/apologies to P. J. O'Rourke)
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Don Piven | If you meet a beautiful woman wearing skintight, clingy
Chicago IL | lycra, and one of the first five words out of your mouth
djp@suba.com | is "Campagnolo" . . . . . you might be a cyclist.

1661. Re: FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hughes <afn01079@afn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.95.970421110145.43282A-100000@freenet2.afn.org>
Source record: 177255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What's this? A reasonable guy on this newsgroup? Hmm

I like it, I like it!

73 de John, ks4xn

1662. New Ham Radio Web Site!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cblount@stic.net
Message-ID: <861661432.10750@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A friend of mine just set up a ham radio web site. Check it out at:

http://ns1.qs1.net/n4nxt

The site is just starting out so any suggestions are greatly appreciated.
Thanks!

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1663. FS Ediestone Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335C020C.7C8C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177257

I have for sale a very good condition full coverage Ediestone
receiver. With rack mounts. In case you are not familiar this is
without doubt the Cadillac of receivers. Many ships at sea depend on
these. It's tube type, very sensitive, and crystal controlled band
switching. Large ruler type dial, excellent selectivity, superb filters.
great for AM or SSB. This receiver makes the Collins A4 sound like a
cheap Radio Shack walkie talkie. Sorry I'm also a Collins collector
but it's the truth. This item will go to the best offer above $500.00
I'm in South Florida
Tnx 73 Chris

1664. FS Yeasu 2500m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335C03BB.53CC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177258

This radio has never been in the car. No sign of any use on it.
Absolutely mint. Original, manual, mic, power cord and box. I don't
know what I did with the bracket but if I find it you can have it.
I want $230.OO ck5@ix.netcom.com I'm in Ft Lauderdale Fl.
73 Chris

1665. TS-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: khalifa <khalifa@qatar.net.qa>
Message-ID: <335ABF36.5FB6@qatar.net.qa>
Source record: 177259

First of all I am not a Ham so excuse the ignorance of my questions
I have the TS-50 and I want to know to adigital signal processor
unit i want to know if i can do it or not
2-what best software is available to control it

Thanks in advance. Please post
and respond to both our email addresses.

khalifa E-mail :khalifa@qatar.net.qa

1666. WTB MOTOROLA MITREK CHANNEL ELEMENTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: thermonl@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5jgqhe$7cc@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177260

nEED SEVERAL SETS OF MOTOROLA MITREK CHANNEL ELEMENTS. LOW BAND T
KXN1087A TRANSMIT, AND KXN1085B RECIEVE

KF4NFI

1667. Some Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: adell@mailhost2.planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.dc59184bb99d03989855@news.planet.net>
Source record: 177261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am switching from a Yaesu FT890 to an Icom 706, for mobile DX. I have heard unfaltering things about the Icom external tuner, especially pricing.

I have also heard that the Kenwood AT-50 external tuner will work. For those who are using this set-up...

Any problems hooking the two up?

Any special cables or modifications needed?

What type of antenna are you tuning up. I will be running the Outbacker JR. I know there are better, but space and area traveled preclude them.

Any comments or suggestions are graciously accepted.

Thanks and c u on HF

73

Steve
KF2TI/M on SSB
KF2D on CW

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Steve KF2TI

1668. FS: Pristine Kenwood AT-130 Ant. Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970421170400.NAA25852@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177262

May be un-used. Original box, manual, warranty card. $125 shipped/insured.
73
Van, WB0NZV

wb0nzv@aol.com

1669. Re: newby needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill@carolinacommerce.com
Message-ID: <335ac93b.7879979@news.sccoast.net>
Source record: 177263

On 7 Apr 1997 19:04:48 GMT, calljeff@aol.com wrote:

>Hi All,
>
>My son and I are going for our "No-Code Tech" license. I am wondering what would be a good radio to start with that has the bands allowable for that level.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Jeff
Jeff,
It depends on what you are looking for. Do you want to have more then
one band in a radio? Do you want a moble/base, or a hand held. Mobiles
can be used as a base station (and often are), and put out a lot more
power. The only problem is they cost more. Look through a catalog with
a fellow ham in your area. Betwein the three of you, you will find
something that will suit your needs. Have Fun, and remember it's just
a hobby!
Happy Hamming from the SHARC
****
From the desk of Wild Bill Marcus N3WNC
Socastee High Amateur Radio Club (SHARC)
http://www.carolinacommerce.com
Phil 4:19
****

1670. Re: HT failure question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <5jgj77$i5m@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 177264

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote:

> Well let me know what you think please. I'd hate to take it to Rat Shack
> for something I could troubleshoot, but I'm running out of bright ideas.

Unless you have a surface-mount rework station, I'd suggest staying out
of it. The R/S HTs are well made, but this isn't your run-of-the-mill
PC board technology. Working on surfacemount stuff without the proper
tools is like doing brain surgery with an axe, regardless of your tech-
nical fix-it skills. Send it back to R/S, they'll either fix it or re-
place it.

...and congrats on the new ticket.

73 from Don, K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

1671. Re: Heathkit VFO value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@mnsinc.com.spam.stinks
Message-ID: <335bfcaf.3403317@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 177265

On 20 Apr 1997 01:28:38 GMT, sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:

>I'm not sure of the model number but the VFO covers from 160m to 2m.
>What's it worth?

I see the VF-1 sell from $15.00 - 100.00

I see the KG-10B VFO selling from $25 - $100.00

>Also what's a DX-60 Transmitter worth?

I've seen them go from $20 - $125.00

It ALL depends on WHO is selling, WHO is buying, WHERE it is being sold and what condition/accessories/manuals etc.
come with the equipment.

You should try this in the Heath e-mail group.

They can tell you more normal price ranges, but they seem to go for prices in the middle of those ranges.

1672. Some Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: adell@mailhost2.planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.dc591c996f53390989856@news.planet.net>
Source record: 177266
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Thanks and c u on HF

73

Steve
KF2TI/M on SSB
KF2D on CW

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Steve KF2TI

1673. FS PRO 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <hartbeat@greenepa.net>
Message-ID: <861670646.17447@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Beautiful, Pro 2006, next to new. Used very little. Comes with box, manual and antenna and all mods. $400. firm.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1674. New Ham Radio Web Site Correction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cblount@stic.net
Message-ID: <861673503.19496@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Whoops! I made a mistake in my last post about the new ham radio web site. Here is the correct address:

http://ns1.qsl.net/n4nxt/

My friend just set this one up so he needs suggestions. Thanks!

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1675. FS : Alinco DJ 580 dual band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <E902sK.DKn@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 177269
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Alinco DJ 580 dual band HT for sale, the radio is in excellent condition, in box with manual, all accessories, drop in charger, EBP 20N 700mAH battery, and EBP 20 NS 1500 mAH battery. The radio has been modified for out of band TX and RX, as well as the 800 band, (cellular included). Very sensitive. Also has PL DECODE as well as encode on board.

$325.00 shipped to 48 states pre-paid. COD terms negotiable.

Not interested in any trades.

E-Mail if interested
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine BendixK43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

1676. Re: Want info on Kenwood TS-870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Bryan <Bryan@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <335BBC81.6455@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Source record: 177270

Tim Taylor wrote:
>
> I'm looking for a new rig. Does anyone have any experience with the
> Kenwood TS-870?
> Thanks
>
> Tim K8XS
> tim.taylor@netsrq.com
If a like new TS440S, PS50, SP430 would suit, please EMail me.
If not, please excuse. I am selling euipment that belonged to a HAM.
Greg Bryan

1677. Repeater logic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans Einar Steinsland <datastr@netpower.no>
Message-ID: <01bc4e96$65b5b780$781813c2@louise.netpower.no>
Source record: 177271

Is there somewone who had a discription of a simple repeater logic, or any link??

tnx and 73

LC2CAT - Hans Einar

1678. Re: Comments on TS-870, IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335C28A2.472B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177272

I've used both and would buy the IC-756. Why? Len Umina wrote:
>
> Tim,
>
> I have one, and I also have an ICOM 756. I'm trying to send back the 756,
> it's a piece of CRAP, but the 870 is a JOY to operate. I have the voice
> module (I think it's a VS2 which is the only accessory) and it's fantastic.
>
> I'm currently using the 756 as a bandscope for the 870 by looking at the
> 8.3 Mhz IF in general coverage mode.
>
> The 870 voice message keyer is great for contesting and pileups, the
> selectivity is beyond imagination, and the overall "operability" is very
> high.
>
> It's lacking in only two things I can think of. One is no dual RX
> capability for split operation. The other is that the extra antenna
> connection isn't used as an input and you don't get automatic selection
> between RX and TX of the other two jacks. For example, if you put up a
> beverage antenna and want to use it on RX and automatically TX on a
> different antenna, the 870 (apparently) will not do this. You have to do
> it manually by pushing a button.
>
> Whatever you do stay away from the 756. They are in big trouble with this
> rig. Their "DSP in the IF" turns out to be the pick up point for their
> audio to the audio DSP (prior to the AGC), and major trouble is brewing
> over this issue and others. I doubt the right will be around for more than
> 6 more months.
>
> 73,
> Len
> N1LU
>
> Tim Taylor <anonymous@home> wrote in article
> <01bc4dd4$1c401ae0$5b38fcc6@none.netsrq.com>...
> > I'm looking for a new rig. Does anyone have any experience with the
> > Kenwood TS-870?
> > Thanks
> >
> > Tim K8XS
> > tim.taylor@netsrq.com
> >
> >
I have used both on contests and would choose the IC-756. This is due to

getting 6 meters and the bandscope included for the same price. Yes,
the DSP in the IC-756 is pretty close to audio but it works great!
I recommend that you read QST MAY 1997 which just came out. The magazine
is pretty good at giving you the facts. What ever your decision I think
you will be happy with either.
73's Steven Hershman NS1R

1679. Noise blanker / speech proc KWM-380

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Loek d'Hont <ldhont@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4e94$e73ea520$8f0aaa9d@pc-tir22.pac.sc.ti.com>
Source record: 177273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

I have searched for the KWM-380 noise blanker board and speech processor board for almost a year now, it seems they cannot be purchased any more. It is just impossible.

Therefore I am planning to build these boards from scratch for my KWM-380

I would like to keep them as close as possible to the original, of course. For that purpose, I am looking for the original Collins documentation: schematic diagrams, part lists and PWB layout, and what else there might be.

Therefore, can any-one get me copies of the original documentation ?

Also, if there is people out there who are interested in this project and want to share the PWB board costs (and the results!) with me, please be my guest. I plan to have these (bare) boards done at a professional PWB manufacturer, which won't be cheap. So the more people we can find, the better.

Maybe someone else picked up this project in the past already. If you know that person, I would appreciate it if you send me his/her name.

LDHONT@ti.com

1680. six meters help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: al evangelista <aevang@amspay.otnay.cris.com>
Message-ID: <335C5283.1958@amspay.otnay.cris.com>
Source record: 177274

Hi Gang, I am interested in learning more about 6 meters technical and 'cultural' issues. I understand that the 6M season is approaching. Is it reasonable to expect consistent communication from, say, the midwest to east coast on a regular basis? on 40 watts? Any recommendations on equipment? / common modes SSB / FM / ?? - commonly used polarization?? I see 'fully featured' rigs at around the $400 mark - any less expensive alternatives?

Please reply directly if possible.

Many Thanks..

73
Al Evangelista KG8WU
aevang @ cris . com

1681. avanti antenna information needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Da Kender <dakender@telepath.com>
Message-ID: <335C314B.2E79@telepath.com>
Source record: 177275
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Looking for anyone who might be able to help me find a manual or information on an antenna my grandfather gave me.... The only thing it says is "avanti" on both ends. It has 3 vertical elements and the center one ends up in a big circle. It is in pieces at the moment and would like to know if I have all the parts and maybe get the thing back up in the air someday.

Thanks... E-Mail me at dakender@telepath.com

1682. Re: Station For Sale - UPDATED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Whit Crowley <wcrowley@magibox.net>
Message-ID: <335C3AB1.E55@magibox.net>
Source record: 177276

Only remaining items are
MFJ ALS-500 Amp
MFJ 989C 3kw tuner
Kenwood TS570D
Mfj TNC

1683. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jarad@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <jarad.136.0146A09E@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 177277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <5jbbh1$1f12@node2.frontiernet.net> kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com (robbin decker) writes:
>From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com (robbin decker)
>Subject: Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here
>Date: Sat, 19 Apr 1997 22:57:01 GMT

>mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org (Rich Mulvey) wrote:
>> In spite of your personal preferences, the various rec.radio.* newsgroup
>>charters specify that the WTB and FS ads are supposed to go into
>>rec.radio.swap. It helps to keep the noise level down.

>A lot of newcomers may or may not know this. Hell, they may not know
>hat a FAQ is, or where to look. The title of the group should be
>rec.radio.amateur.equipment.discussion or something similar. If you
>were new, and saw the title as it is now, wouldn't you think this is
>the place to sell equipment? Also some servers may or may not access
>all the groups.

>On the subject of "noise level", some would think that the HRO and cat
>pee threads, as well as old what's his name the teacher (Who
>thankfully has been absent of late) might well be considered noise
>level by many.

>It would be a simple matter to set up a killfile for any ads
>containing "FS, WTB",. etc.

>Bill
>kb2rmi@frontiernet.com

Yeah i agree

jarad

1684. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5jgj6h$1lei@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 177278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

gelleric@kafka.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de (Wolfgang Gellerich) wrote:
>I agree with that statement. We have a "sell-newsgroup" and everyone should
>use it. However, as there is a _lot_ of traffic in r.r.a.swap, how about
>splitting this group into a WBT and a FS part?
Good point, although the same effect might be better served by
separating the commercial gear. I am sure that the motorola guys are
as sick of sifting through the TS520's as I am of downloading 75
headers to find that 55 of them are for
trunking/sabre/jobcomm/phoenix/whatever commercial band rigs that
don't interest the average ham. How about rec.radio.commercial.swap,
and let r.r.s. pick up the rest of the SW/ham/scanner/CB/etc. gear?
Bill

1685. Blackout's Box REAL AUDIO pranks are hilarious!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Blackout <Blackout@wizlink.net>
Message-ID: <5jgpas$11c@wiznet.wiznet.net>
Source record: 177279

Ok, it may not go in this group but I have to get the word out somehow so
I am letting you know here.

The funniest web site EVER has now officially opened using REAL AUDIO technology.

Blackout's Box
WWW.BLACKOUT.COM

You will laugh, you will cry, you will pee on yourself... you will cough up your lunch
from the intense amount of laughter you will be experiencing.

You MUST check out Blackout's Box at

http://www.blackout.com

Hear the most insane stuff you have ever heard, broadcast to your
computer instantly over the net with REAL AUDIO 3.0 which you can DL
for FREE if you don't have it already. This is not a commercial site or a business
or any other type of advertisement. It is just a very funny and very FREE site that I
want Everyone to know about. If you like Monty Python, Jerky Boys, Howard Stern,
Kids In The Hall, The State, Robin Williams, Who's Line Is It Anyway,
or anything like that - you will love Blackout's Box, there is nothing like it on the net.
Don't let the words 'prank call' scare you away.. this is no 12 year old fun, this is
intensely funny candid phone call radio drama that critics on and off the net are giving
two thumbs up.

Blackout's Box simply kicks ASS, stop whatever work you are doing,
take a break, and check it out now! Life is short - LAUGH some.

Blackout's Box
Insanity On the Net
http://WWW.BLACKOUT.COM

1686. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@mail.cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <335C13E9.2D07@mail.cadvision.com>
Source record: 177280
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Dave Harrison wrote:
>
> D. Holford wrote:
> >
> > > As an avid American I would buy the Drake, and try to
> > > keep at least one American and not Japanese company in business.
> > >All my radios, cars, and televisions were made here, how about you guys?
> >
> > That must be some OLD television if it was made in the US by a US company!
> >
> > --
> > Dave Holford.
>
> Dave; I've got a Drake R8 and it sure beats the JRC NRD525 I had before.
> Bought it new in '93 and I'm still finding ways to dig stuff out of the
> mud with it. I've thought about replacing it with the R8A but I'm used
> to working with the selector system it started with, and the latest
> reviews don't have much good to say about how synchro works on the later
> version!
> Read the reviews in Proceedings '92-'93!
>
> 73 de Dave
If you cannot find a drake you like why not consider TEN TEC..Peter
VE6LP.

1687. RACAL RA6790/GM Schematic NEEDED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: cstarr@expocard.com
Message-ID: <5jgmq6$rue@client2.news.psi.net>
Source record: 177281

I have a troublesome unit (read boatanchor) that I am trying to fix.
Need schematic and/or technical manuals for this beast. Any help would be
appreciated.

1688. MODs to Kenwood ST570D for MARINE Band TX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred.Gerbstadt@unisys.com
Message-ID: <5jgckk$1p9$1@trsvr.tr.unisys.com>
Source record: 177282

I have a Tech ticket and only need code for general. I have a
Kenwood ST570D. I want to install it on my small sailboat for
a cruise in fall 97.

Question: What do I have to modify to permit the set to transmit
on the marine bands? Who can give me the info?

I have been told by a reliable source that it is an easy mod to do ...
like cuts and/or jumpers ... no magic like burning a new PROM or
something.

I do understand that I will need a marine license and that transmission
can only be done on a shipboard set. These are similar to restrictions
on my marine VHF radios. I regard having BOTH ham AND marine band
transmissions capabilities on my boat as a matter of safety. Marine band
allows coms to the Coast Guard, other vessels and ham Herb Hingenburger's
Wx net. Ham allows coms to the mobile maritime nets ... like on 14.3Mhz
which I can only listen to now (need that general ticket!).

Respond to Fred.Gerbstadt@unisys.com or this posting.

FRED

1689. Yaesu FL2000B Amp sick..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham Warrington <ve1fc@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc4e5d$53f19e80$1285b3cf@ve1fc.surfcity.nb.ca>
Source record: 177283

I have a FL2000B with new tubes. It oscillates and burns out the parasitic supressor resistors....I can't tame it down . Even have new svetlana 572B's , and lowered the plate voltage..
Any help appreciated.
Graham
ve1fc@nbnet.nb.ca
http://www.surfcity.nb.ca/~ve1fc/index.html

1690. Re: Hallicrafter S-99 or SX-99 value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rapuppa@lightspeed.net
Message-ID: <335b2597.1204439@news.lightspeed.net>
Source record: 177284
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On 19 Apr 1997 22:25:06 GMT, sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:

<<
<about 4 yrs ago i picked up an sx ver. on a 1-10 scale about an 8.
>i paid 40$ but i also bought a national and a bc-314 and a
>a school gym locker full of all but marconi himself
>but did price it individually at 75-80$
>as for there abundance ?? *"youll be at least the only
>one on the block with the finest piece of solid state
>receiving equiptment in an above average $'s per LB
>range" (BUY IT) life is window of time. opon which
>you must sail you are the vessel. seas are the aether
>your oars must be strong but even more importantly
>your anchorage. boatanchorage. that is
>have fun rapuppa
>*above statement with asteric is a
>bias opinion. reasons?
>radio
>love
>note:order
>

1691. FS:Collins KWM2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Ramirez <robtram@ns.net>
Message-ID: <335C55F9.72FC@ns.net>
Source record: 177285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have one KWM2A that is complete but real rough.Most would consider it a parts unit.It is a winged emblem and I have an old KWM1 mobile P.S.to go with it.I will take best offer.
I also have a V.F.O. unit for a 32V2.It is a 70E-8A and is new.I will take $75 plus shipping for that.

Thanks,

Robert Ramirez

1692. FS:HRO 50T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Ramirez <robtram@ns.net>
Message-ID: <335C5735.7370@ns.net>
Source record: 177286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have one HRO 50T It is in rough shape,it's been heavily modified,but works.Coils included are B,C,D,E,AA,and AC for a total of 6 I'm asking $200 plus Shipping.

Thanks,

Robert Ramirez

1693. Re: Some Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <carl@ais.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4eac$48a14040$2bc1e1ce@carl.ais.net>
Source record: 177287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Steve (KF2TI-Landing, NJ) <adell@mailhost2.planet.net> wrote in article
<MPG.dc591c996f53390989856@news.planet.net>...
> I am switching from a Yaesu FT890 to an Icom 706, for mobile DX. I
> have heard unfaltering things about the Icom external tuner,
> especially pricing.

Not use what you mean by "unfaltering" ... but I used an Icom
736 with an Icom autotuner (I believe it was an "AT-2") on the
boat to tune the backstay ... it was insulated from the mast and
other rigging at the top and connected via a humongous bronze
turnbuckle to the chainplate at the bottom. The tuner was below
deck in the very aft part (about 20' from the radio) and was connected
to one of the bolts for the chainplate with a heavy insulated copper
wire (about 4 gauge) ... since the chainplate was throughbolted to
the fiberglass hull, it was insulated pretty well ... and the tuner
had NO problem loading up on anything from 160m (which I used
a fair amount at night from Mexico to the states (SSB)) to 10m.

I ran SSB and AMTOR predominantly, with a little HF packet once
in a great while ...

The key to this working well was grounding and bonding ... the engine
block (down below the floor in the bilge), prop shaft and prop, all of the
tankage (2x 70 gal. stainless for H20 and 2x65 gal epoxy-coated black
iron for diesel), as well as the ballast in the keel (a single 11,800 lb.
cast iron casting, encapsulated in fiberglass) were bonded together with
numberous runs of 4" wide heavy copper tape ... actually it was more like
a very long roll of flashing material ... heavier than typical tape ...

The radio(s) were all bonded to this ground system with the shortest
possible runs of the same copper and a double-wide run ran back to
the auto-tuner from the same point where the HF radio ground joined
the main ground system.

The large area of tankage and keel under water provided a LOT of
capacitive coupling to the sea water surrounding the hull and all
of the exposed surface of the propshaft, prop, and all of the bronze
thruhull fittings provided direct contact ... great performance and I
never had a hint of any electrolysis problems (errosion of underwater
metal parts) ... oh, I forgot, there were NO zincs on the prop shaft,
only two roughtly 4" x 6" plate zincs thru-bolted on either side of the
back, bottom part of the keel, where special contact pads of metal
had been cast to stick out flush to the surface of the fiberglass hull

at the right places. (The zincs would last 6 months, plus.)

> I have also heard that the Kenwood AT-50 external tuner will work.
> For those who are using this set-up...

Can't comment on the Kenwood tuner ... sorry.

>
> Any problems hooking the two up?
>
> Any special cables or modifications needed?
>
> What type of antenna are you tuning up. I will be running the
> Outbacker JR. I know there are better, but space and area traveled
> preclude them.

YMMV with the Icom tuner, using a shorter mobile antenna ...
I was loading about 65 feet of 5/8x19 stainless steel rigging
wire ... but for me the performance was flawless and the
reliability excellent ... I never had a moment's trouble in
5 years of bouncing around in constant use in the salt
environment of ocean voyaging ...

Carl - wa6vse
carl@ais.net

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1694. Re: Alinco DJ-580

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Howard Gould <w4nvf@avana.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4e12$1e76a0c0$a485f5cd@avana.net>
Source record: 177288

Nice unit but old model no longer being made. It's a dual bander and nice but too pricey to begin with.I would make an offer assuming it is working on both bands and has no loss of Rf power out of $100.00 US.

1695. WTB: Heath HD-8999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjm@totcon.com
Message-ID: <5jdsq7$bee@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 177354

Looking for a Heathkit HD-8999 CW keyboard in good working/cosmetic condition with manuals. If you have this equipment please e-mail. Thanks HJ.

1696. w\repeater info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <335B2DB5.6954@pacifier.com>
Source record: 177355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Name hear is Brad KJ7VW . I just took over ownership of a 440
repeater and want to know how to go about putting it in my call sign
any help will be appreciated . 73 KJ7VW

1697. help ft-8000r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <335B3DF3.4FE8@pacifier.com>
Source record: 177356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Name hear is Brad KJ7VW . My yaesu FT-8000R has a problem in that it will only transmit for one minute. then say error until the mike is released. then it will transmit for one more minute. i know it is not the time out timer feature because i have it disabled. cant find any thing in the book on this. any help will be appreciated . 73 KJ7VW

1698. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa8ulx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970421002701.UAA06220@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177357

Way to go Burt your my Idiol

1699. IC-756 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Umina <umina@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4deb$0549b0a0$29647392@kirk.ultranet.com>
Source record: 177358

To all:

There is a very active reflector running for the IC-756 and I noticed that there is very little appearing here in this newsgroup about this rig, which is not good since there are a number of serious issues.

Users (I am one) are reporting on bad CW operation, problems with digital modes, noiseblanker performance, and probably the worst thing to come out yet is that there really is NO IF DSP in this radio!

Apparently ICOM picks up the audio prior to the AGC point and calls their subsequent audio DSP an IF DSP because of this! Allegedly when contacted on this by one of the other users, the ARRL mentioned the GAP antenna claims (you don't need radials, (unless you want the antenna to work))!

Yikes!

In any event if you are thinking of purchasing an IC-756 it would probably be a good thing to put off until the information is fully dealt with by ICOM, the ARRL, and the Justice Department (false advertising).

If you want more info you can send a subscribe message to ic756@access.spring.com. There are a number of people who are quite pleased with the 756, at least for the time being, and the rig does have some nice features, it's just missing a few of the ones they advertised and the selectivity, noise blanker, and CW operation are lacking.

73,
Len N1LU

1700. Heath uMATIC Keyer manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bnb@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <335cbd5f.1462542@news.atl.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177359

Anyone have a copy of the manual for the Heath Model SA-5010 uMATIC keyer? I would like to get one to go with the keyer.

Anyone know what this keyer is worth? Anyone interested in adding it to their Heath collection?

Thanks and 73's, Bob, AB4G

1701. IC-756 T/R Timing reportedly too slow for TOR modes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Umina <umina@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4df2$62307ae0$29647392@kirk.ultranet.com>
Source record: 177360

Folks,

Here are two posts to the 756 reflector that may be important to anyone
active in digitl modes considering current version of the IC-756.

/Len N1LU

"FYI"
Also, anyone notice that the QST review of the TS-570 showed too slow of
T-R recovery time for TOR modes?? In the IC-756 review the T-R time is not
even listed!
Complication of full-time IF/AF DSPs???
73,

John W0DC

> From: Robert J. Nagy <kreblon@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
> To: ic756@access.spring.com
> Subject: "Uh Oh" Continued
> Date: Friday, April 18, 1997 1:03 PM
>
> Sorry, I hit a key with my pinkey, and sent that parcial message.
> The bugs that Iocm won't fix, we will.
> Hey, that ARRL review was great. It kicks butt on the likes of the TS-870
> TS-570d..TS-950..the numbers are pretty darn good..+21db intercept
@14mhz..
> FB!
> Onto today's discovery:..and it's not good...
> I just got the KAM+ firmware upgrade..and installed it. It is the stuff
for
> the digital modes..Pactor/Amtor/G-tor etc.
> Well, guess what? None of the Ack'ing digital modes will work. Thats when

> the rig is called to rapidly key up and release continually. Forget it.
> I talked to Kantronics and tried all the fixes..to no avail.
> I then did a test with AD4QY and he said "listening to your signal, are
you
> using VOX?- because the beginning of each transmission is being cut off"
> Sound familiar? Oh No! Can this delayed keying be the culprit?
> I can't believe ARRL did not think of this...in fact, no one has
mentioned
> it yet. IS ANYONE USING DIGITAL MODES OUT THERE YET?
> This is not good.
> Anyhow, I may get to see just how friendly Icom service is if I have to
send

> this rig up there with a different AM narrow filter in it!
>
> So there you have it...anyone have any info on this topic?
>
> Bob
> AB5N

1702. Albuquerque, NM Tailgate Swapfest - April 26th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <5jeegf$r6n$1@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 177361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Albuquerque, New Mexico Tailgate Swapfest
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WHEN: Saturday, April 26th
TIME: Early (Around 7AM?) - Whenever everybody leaves!
WHERE: St. Paul's United Methodist Church
9500 Constitution NE, Albuquerque
WHY: To buy, sell & trade Amateur Radio equipment.
TALK-IN: 147.06 (+, 100 Hz PL), 146.90 (-, 67 Hz PL),
or 147.15 (+, No PL) Albuquerque

Repeaters
FEES: None. Free admission, Free tailgating!

For more information, please contact Chuck, KC5GA. Bring your
equipment, and some cash and make some room in the shack for a new
toy or two, and get ready to have a good time!

=====> SPREAD THE WORD! <=====

73,
Brian, N5ZGT

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Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
Eagle Scout (12-6-96) ARRL QRP: NorCal# 1700 QRP-L# 580 AK/QRP # 125
JASM - Troop 41 Author of Worldradio's "Youth Forum" Column
Albuquerque, N.M. Packet: N5ZGT @ KC5IZT.ALBQ.NM.USA.NOAM
O.A. Lodge 66 <-W-W-W-<< Internet: n5zgt@swcp.com
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1703. Re: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@bright.net
Message-ID: <5jek5b$7lr@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 177362

kovar@zeus.ia.net (Jack Kovar KE0AX) wrote:

> I have a feeling this could be the Lemon of 2mtr mobiles.

> Of the seven TM-241a radios I have been in contact with all have

> had one or more of the following problems.

> 1. Display get scrambled trash of mixed numbers and symbols.

I've had good luck operating my TM-241 in Ohio winters (and summers!).
I did have some difficulty with the display showing garbage
characters, which was quickly fixed with a shot of De-Oxit in the
connector between the display and the main board. It has worked
without fail since (about a year, now).

I'd buy another.

73,

Tony N8SNC
tony@bright.net

1704. WTB: Motorola parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <~steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4e04$d4f51b00$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>
Source record: 177363
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.swap

Looking for the following Motorola parts for a repeater project.

TLE1713A or TLE1714A 75 Watt Power Amplifier
TLN4669B Line Driver Module
TLN4659A DC Transfer F1-PL Module
TLN4662A Squelch Gate Module

^^

73 de N3WUU
~steves@clark.net (remove the tilde for email replies)

1705. Re: FS- Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <5jenm8$q0u$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 177364

In article <19970420081900.EAA12080@ladder01.news.aol.com>, gsutton672@aol.com says...
>
>In the 1993 Radio Shack catalog the Pro-2006 sold for 399.95. Hummmm how
>does something get more expensive over the years. If I could get 500.00
>for a Pro-2006 then mybe I could get 550.00 for my Pro-2035 that sells for
>450.00 at Radio Shack.
>
>I will gove you 100.00 for it. Mybe more if it is full 800Mhz.

Actually, not to dissappoint, but RS blew out their pro 2035's for $199, so that ought to make mine worth at least $800! :)

1706. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Wide FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <5jenpk$q0u$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 177365

In article <335a9a09.3098224@news.fastlink.com.au>, barryoXX@fastlink.com.au says...
>
>atla0001@umn.edu wrote:
>
>:There are many articles regarding the not-so-wide wide band receive on
>:the FT50 at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50
>: (previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)
>
>What I would like to know is why their picture of the ADMS-1C
>memory screen shows up to six alpha characters when only four
>are possible in reality.
>I would email them but the web page doesn't seem to have an
>email address.

They're showing a hybrid Yaesu/Vertix unit, I noticed the same thing. Did you notice teh display on the magizine add is right next to a cell freq :)

1707. Re: Radio Shack New Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <335ce3a5.9580362@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 177117

On 21 Apr 1997 11:40:08 GMT, rpd910@aol.com (RPD910) wrote:
>I went into the Radio Shack here in RI, they told me all of them has been
>recalled, and they were told to ship them back.
>They couldn't tell me why....
>
>Does anyone know WHY??

They can be made to transmit out of band with a keyboard sequence.
The FCC told RS that they were not amused. (The FCC has had a
voluntary agreement with radio importers that they won't import
radios which can be used out of band without internal modifications.
This radio breaks the agreement.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

1708. Re: TS450 IF232 Protocol?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <hank_oredson@mentorg.com>
Message-ID: <335CED73.4912@mentorg.com>
Source record: 177118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

McCoy wrote:
>
> I'm designing a repeater interface to my TS450 using the IF232 port on the
> rig. Does anyone know where I can find the communication protocol across
> this port??
>
> Please respond via email via the following address:
> rmccoy@alb.asctmd.com
>
> Don't reply to this post as it is intended to filter the spam mailers.
>
> Thanks,
> Russ

Contact Kenwood.
Ask for the manual for the IF232 interface for the TS-450 radio.
They will probably charge you $10 for this manual.
It describes everything you ever wanted to know about the interface.

If you want responses, leave your email address intact.

A lot of us just won't bother to reply if we have to spend
the time locating and editing that email address ...

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Mentor Graphics Library Products Group - "Parts 'R Us!"
Work: hank_oredson@mentorg.com Home: HOredson@aol.com
Work: http://www.eparts.com Home: http://members.aol.com/W0RLI

1709. ICOM ICR7000 **FOR SALE**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970422.100222.10135.1.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 177119

FOR SALE in mint condition.. ICOM ICR7000 Communications Receiver.
Covers 25Mhz to 1.3Ghz continuous, including cellular; AM/FM/SSB, 99
memories, one damn fine receiver.. SN# 08020. Includes original manual
and box.
First certified check for $775 firm, shipped conus via UPS brown label.
$750 firm for pickup, I'm in the Baltimore/Washington DC area.

Thanks!

Barry Thaysen W6HZW/3
6619 Buffalo Rd
Mt Airy, MD 21771
Bthaysen@Juno.com
301-829-3891

1710. FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Costas Spanos <spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Message-ID: <335D0F6E.41C67EA6@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 177120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Anybody has a list of Family Radio Service (FRS) radios that
are on the market today?

Any input on price/performance will be appreciated. We need
them for work around the lab, distances up to a couple hundred feet
over a couple of floors in a metal frame building.

thanks

Costas

1711. HW-8 Call to Experts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Loranger <we6w@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <335D14ED.6E57@qsl.net>
Source record: 177121
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello Everyone: I recently acquired an nice QRP station
from another HAM. HW-8, tuner, qrp wattmeter, speaker,
and power supply. This rig is outstanding in the 80/40
bands but somewhat less so at 20; Nothing at 15 Meters.

Using my pixie2 as a frequency spotter, I have verified
correct frequency readings on all bands but it is the only
thing I pick up on 21.120 MHz (3rd Harmonic of 7.040 xtal)
from my pixie2.

I have replaced the antenna connector (RCA) with a high
quality RF-type BNC. The old connector was intermittent.
Reception has improved slightly on all band, with an increase
in noise the only observation on 15 Meters.

I have a good compilation of articles regarding the HW-8 describ-
ing a sensitivity weakness at 15 Meters, but this is ridicul-
ous! It's gotta be better than this! I'm going to run thru
the unit with a commercial rf detecting probe tonight. (The
first 2 alignments I used a basic detecting diode as described
with the manual.)

I appreciate any help given.
TIA
-Ed Loranger

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72/73 de WE6W QRP .3W QSX 7040 KHz SK ee (First and Last callsign!)
OHR-100, Pixie2, Johnson Viking II w/VFO.
mailto:we6w@qsl.net QRP-L member #1068.
http://www.qsl.net/we6w

1712. Kenwood 850SAT+MISC Kenwood Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: LOTUS <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <335D3929.1BE4@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 177122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood 850SAT in excellent condition with optional narrow 1.8 SSB
filter
and optional IF-232 interface. Just realligned and checked out by
service center
in 3/97. $1200.

SW2100 2KW Kenwod Meter - $100 Condition Excellent
MC60A Desk Mic - $85 Condition Excellent
10 Meter HT SSB/CW Mizubo, 1.5 lbs,2 watts output. $200

He will condsider a excellent TS50 in part for deal.
Also consider Kenwood 850SAT station plus for Icom 756 or Yaesu 1000MP.
E-Mail to 74364.207@CompuServe.com.
You cannot use reply you must type in E-Mail name.

1713. Heathkit Paint, Available ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsnowden@ncdc.noaa.gov
Message-ID: <861740166.31679@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Is the Heathkit Green (dark and light) available anywhere?
I need some for touchup. Also, anyplace that has a stock
of old Heath parts? Junkers? etc...

Doug, N4IJ
dsnowden@ncdc.noaa.gov

----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1714. What's the diff. in GE "5C" vs. "EC" Channel Element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sidener@saucer.cc.umr.edu
Message-ID: <5jj40h$15e$1@news.cc.umr.edu>
Source record: 177124

Hi,

I was wondering what the difference is between the "EC" and "5C" channel elements for the GE Mastr II radios.

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Scott Sidener N0WFL

1715. Re: HW-8 Call to Experts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861742462snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <335D14ED.6E57@qsl.net> we6w@qsl.net "Ed Loranger" writes:

> Hello Everyone: I recently acquired an nice QRP station
> from another HAM. HW-8, tuner, qrp wattmeter, speaker,
> and power supply. This rig is outstanding in the 80/40
> bands but somewhat less so at 20; Nothing at 15 Meters.

Make sure the band is really open before tearing the rig apart.

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1716. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: deli-bear@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <335D1004.1D01@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

anyone have a list of the frequencies used for this service? Is there no license needed?

1717. Re: Info WTD: B&W-852 Tapped Inductor for Pi Network

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jupiter@europa.com
Message-ID: <jupiter-ya023580002204971407250001@news.europa.com>
Source record: 177127
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <335C4D90.3241@Realestatelady.com>, Jacqui@Realestatelady.com wrote:

:I would like to find out any data on a B&W 852. It is a tapped inductor
:for a Pi Network, Looks like 5KV or better. Would like to know the
:rating and the inductance at the taps. This unit has a built in rotary
:switch to change taps. Thanks for the help N1DVE, Jacqui

These are really nice units. They could easily run at 5kW. I think B&W is extremely conservative in their power ratings.

I ordered mine for an 8877 linear back in 87. Took them a few months to deliver, mainly because unit was at plating shop for so long. But was worth wait. Think I paid about $120 for it back then.

They also sent along extra switch hardware and contacts. A real class act.

But, don't do what I first did before I decided on B&W: I bought one of those silver plated roller inductors using spiraling rectangular conductors. Insulation was lucite or plexiglas. On 10m the insulators started to bubble and explode like fire crackers. It might work for antenna tuners, but not in amp tanks.

Rob.

1718. Want GE Master

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4f6a$f2cd4dc0$a11aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 177128

Want a VHF and a UHF GE Master II or newer sleds

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Stan Staten
3winks@msn.com

1719. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwilkers@netcom.com
Message-ID: <jwilkersE92945.18o@netcom.com>
Source record: 177129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

deli-bear@worldnet.att.net writes:

>anyone have a list of the frequencies used for this service? Is there no
>license needed?

no license required. 14 channels.

1- 462.5625
2- 462.5875
3- 462.6125
4- 462.6375
5- 462.6625
6- 462.6875
7- 462.7125
8- 467.5625
9- 467.5875
10-467.6125
11-467.6375
12-467.6625
13-467.6875
14-467.7125
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John L. Wilkerson Jr. jwilkers@netcom.com

Rec.radio.cb FAQ located at my Web site:
http://members.tripod.com/~jwilkers/index.html

Supporting two-way radio for the family of the 90s.
Spamgard(tm) in effect to attend to unwanted commercial email.

1720. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwilkers@netcom.com
Message-ID: <jwilkersE928wM.z8@netcom.com>
Source record: 177130
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Costas Spanos <spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu> writes:

>Anybody has a list of Family Radio Service (FRS) radios that
>are on the market today?

>Any input on price/performance will be appreciated. We need
>them for work around the lab, distances up to a couple hundred feet
>over a couple of floors in a metal frame building.

Radio shack has 3 units ranginf in price from $99 to $179. The model I
have can transmit about a mile in a typical city environment.

Midland has a model out around $150. Same range, with CTCSS tones to
secure the channel, plus all 14 channel coverage.

Motorola has about 4 models out now, priced about low to mid $100s.
Various features.

You could check into business VHF handhelds. May even be lower in price.

--
John L. Wilkerson Jr. jwilkers@netcom.com

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http://members.tripod.com/~jwilkers/index.html

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1721. FS: 40 ft. crankup in Ohio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4f64$05a42a60$1a78d4cd@kelchr>
Source record: 177131

Hello and thanks for reading this,

I have the following items available:
40 foot crankup tower
Ham-M rotor
Ringo Ranger
100 ft. 8 conductor rotor cable
100 ft. 9913 cable

Make me an offer!!!...I'm located near Akron Ohio. I can be reached by calling 330-927-6191 or by email at kelchr@bright.net

1722. FS: AEA PK232 MBX Packet Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4f63$55933a80$1a78d4cd@kelchr>
Source record: 177132

Hello and thanks for reading this,

I have the following items available:

AEA PK232MBX Packet Controller (Promset 8-1-91)
GE Century 25 watt radio crystalled for 145.05 and 145.59

Available for $195.00

I can be reached at 330-927-6191 or by email at kelchr@bright.net

1723. WTB: GE MASTER2 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <sandersj@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <335D30EB.429C@swbell.net>
Source record: 177133

I am looking for a uhf master 2 radio to build a repeater out of, I would perfer a E series 100 watt 450-460 radio but will take a 40 watt .let me know what you have and how much...thanks..john n5nme..

1724. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwalker <rwalker@iamerica.netANTI-SPAM>
Message-ID: <335D3D10.3B35@iamerica.netANTI-SPAM>
Source record: 177134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

deli-bear@worldnet.att.net wrote:
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> anyone have a list of the frequencies used for this service? Is there no
> license needed?

(FRS) Family Radio Service

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4. 462.6375 11. 467.6375
5. 462.6625 12. 467.6625
6. 462.6875 13. 467.6875
7. 462.7125 14. 467.7125

No License needed.....Robert in Okla

1725. Re: What's the diff. in GE "5C" vs. "EC" ICOMs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: byoung@qni.com
Message-ID: <5jjefd$3sm$1@scoop.suba.com>
Source record: 177135

> sidener@saucer.cc.umr.edu (Scott Sidener) writes:
> Hi,
>
> I was wondering what the difference is between the "EC" and "5C" channel
> elements for the GE Mastr II radios.
>
> Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Scott Sidener N0WFL
>
>>>>
Hi Scott!

5C ICOMs have additional circuitry to do temperature compensation and hold the TX and RX within 5 ppm.
A single 5C can do the comp for up to 15 EC RX and TX ICOMs (which lack that capability...). Also,
there's a third type of ICOM, the 2C. It has the ability to do 2 ppm, but only for itself. It can't do the comp
for full banks of RX and TX ICOMs like a 5C can. You should have at least one 5C in the radio.

I'm getting a couple VHF Mastr II radios running on 145.790/simplex for APRS. What are you up to?
There's a couple of web pages that have some mods you may want to know about...

Bill Young
byoung@qni.com
KB0UZQ

1726. really works

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: free <free@space.net>
Message-ID: <335D42E2.1BCE@space.net>
Source record: 177136

///PAY TV DECODER PLANS///

MATERIALS REQUIRED:

1 - Radio Shack mini-box (#270-235)
1 - 1/4 watt resistor, 2.2k-2.4k ohm
(RS #271-1325)
1 - 75pf-100pf variable capacitor
(Hard to find)
2 - F61a chassis-type coaxial
connectors (RS #278-212)
12" - No. 12 solid copper wire
12" - RG59 coaxial cable

///INSTRUCTIONS///

1. Bare a length of No. 12 gauge solid copper wire and twist around a 3/8" nail or rod to form a coil of 9 turns. Elongate coil to a length of 1 1/2" inches and form right angle bends on each end.

2. Solder the varible capacitor to the coil. It doesn't matter where you solder it, it still does the same job. The best place for it is in the center with the adjustment screw facing upward

Note: When it comes time to place coil in box, the coil must be insulated from grounding. This can be done by crazy-glueing a piece of rubber to the bottom of the box, and securing the coil to it.

3. Tap coil at points 2 1/2 turns from ends of coil and solder to coaxial chassis connectors, bringing tap leads through holes in chassis box. Use as little wire as possible.

4. Solder resistor to center of coil and ground other end of resistor to chassis box, using solder lug and small screw.

5. Drill a 1/2" diameter hold in mini-box cover to permit adjustment of the variable capacitor from the outside. Inspect the device for defects in workmanship and place cover on mini-box. Tighten securely.

6. Place device in line with existing cable on either side of the coverter box and connect to television set with the short piece of RG59 coaxial cable. Set television set to HBO channel.

7. Using a plastic screwdriver (non-matalic) adjust the varible capacitor until picture tunes in. Sit back, relax, and enjoy!!!

1727. free

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: free <free@space.net>
Message-ID: <335D4202.151C@space.net>
Source record: 177137

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1728. Re: HTX 204 - what's this about a recall???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlmott@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970422235000.TAA20149@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177138

I talked to a RS salesperson, and he sort of played dumb. He said he bought one before to recall and said it might pick up some out of band, but I think they pulled it because of the TX mod.

Oh well, I'm sure the people that mess around trying to find all these mods will find another one.

73
JLMott@aol.com
KF4OKL

1729. Re: avanti antenna information needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: morisset@saglac.qc.ca
Message-ID: <335D14C9.509B@saglac.qc.ca>
Source record: 177139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Da Kender wrote:
>
> Looking for anyone who might be able to help me find a manual or
> information on an antenna my grandfather gave me.... The only thing it
> says is "avanti" on both ends. It has 3 vertical elements and the center
> one ends up in a big circle. It is in pieces at the moment and would
> like to know if I have all the parts and maybe get the thing back up in
> the air someday.
>
> Thanks... E-Mail me at dakender@telepath.com
Just to tell you that i had a cb antenna from avanti 25 yrs ago.Not much
help but it sure existed.. Gilles ve2ztt

1730. looking for pro-2006 (Montreal)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: IMAGES PHOTOGRAPHIE <images.photographie@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc4eae$690d8120$7f8760cf@hitachi>
Source record: 177140

Montreal guy looking for Radio Shack pro 2006 in good shape.Michel

1731. Icom IC-R10 Mods Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marshall A. Paisner" <paisner@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <335D57EE.EBE8E793@ibm.net>
Source record: 177141

Looking for the cellular mod for the R10 I bought last week.

None of the mods databases are showing any mods for this great litle receiver.

Thanks for the help!

Marshall

1732. FS: Kantronics KPC-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Truman Williams, Jr." <truman@null.net>
Message-ID: <335D5F3F.24BA@callsign.net>
Source record: 177142

I have a "new" KPC-3 for sale for $90.00. Please email nn4c@callsign.net
if you are interested. Thanks.

1733. Re: RS Frequency Counter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9str <n9str@mail.fwi.com>
Message-ID: <335CCBE3.820@mail.fwi.com>
Source record: 177143

Alan Biddle wrote:
>
> RS has had a small frequency counter for sale for some time. It is
> fairly basic, but does go through 1.2 GHz. Right now it is on sale
> for $79. Clearly it will not be with the much more expensive top of
> the line units, but does anybody have any experience. I am especially
> interested in stability and accuracy.
>
> Alan
> WA4SCA
>
> For E-mail reply, change the .com at the
> end of the address given to .net
Mine works ok for non-precision work.
However it does drift with temperature!!!!
It will get you in the ballpark though, and it is
fairly sensitive. Do yourself a favor and get
ni-cads for it. 73

1734. Comparisons-HF-Transcievers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjohnh@brigadoon.com
Message-ID: <861761536.19319@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177144

I Know I've seen it before BUT !
Im new, and am considering ONE of the following radios.
Yeasu FT-1000D
Icom IC-775DSP
Kenwood TS-870S
Or Maybe The Yeasu FT-1000MP
I was almost ready to place an order for the Icom when the
salesman told me that that model has had problems with the tuning dials
freezin up and not moving.
Would everyone (ANYONE?) please let me know which rig has the FEWEST
problems with the best reception. User Friendly ? any and all comments
will be greatly appreciated.
Thankx
John H
ps the NEW Icom 706 model 2 looks promising also. Anyone know anything
bout it ?

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1735. FS: Motorola MCX-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Kassay <mkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <335D9840.E23@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 177145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale Motorola MCX-1000 VHF transceiver

- 56 channel , programmed for HAM freqs
- fully synthesized
- 35 watts output
- alpha-numeric display
- CTCSS encode/decode
- scan
- EEPROM programmable
- meets and exceeds mils specs
- 9600 baud capable

This Heavy Duty commercial radio comes complete with power cable, mic,
ext speaker and brackets!

Price $325 US + shipping
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* *
Michael Kassay - Barrie, Ontario, Canada.
VE3MKX
mailto:MKassay@Sympatico.ca
Packet - VE3MKX @ VE3FJB.#con.on.can.noam

1736. Help! Astron RS-7A PS Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: aryp@win.bright.net
Message-ID: <aryp.1.00078088@win.bright.net>
Source record: 177146

Dear somebody,

1737. Schematic for Astron RS-7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: aryp@win.bright.net
Message-ID: <aryp.2.00078FE7@win.bright.net>
Source record: 177147

I need help finding a schematic for a Astron RS-7A Power Suppy. Could somebody tell me where to find a Astron Home page or there snail mail adress.

Please help I am off the air until I get it fixed.

Aryp

KB9PEV

1738. Re: avanti antenna information needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Hoover <shoover@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4f98$9b6f09a0$9c45b6cd@buzz>
Source record: 177148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You might have an old super scanner. if not, the avanti line is now sold by
antenna specialists co. any ham shop should have either their phone# or
maybe order parts for you.
steve

Da Kender <dakender@telepath.com> wrote in article
<335C314B.2E79@telepath.com>...
> Looking for anyone who might be able to help me find a manual or
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> the air someday.
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1739. FS: GE Mastr UHF HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Shorney <jshorn@binary.net>
Message-ID: <335D950C.49B0@binary.net>
Source record: 177149
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two GE Mastr high-power UHF hand held transcievers, each with rapid charger and one good battery. Each unit has PIPO DTMF pad attatched, and they are crystalled for r462.950/t467.950 and r462.975/t467.975 (both units have both channels). One unit has a Channel Guard (CTCSS) module with 156.7 and 179.9 filters, the other has a T99 (pager) module with 712.5 and 772.5 filters. Both units work and both are in reasonably good confition, considering how old they are.

I would like to trade for some kind of hand-held that is usable on 440 MHz, preferably an HTX-404 (we can deal...), but age and appearance are unimportant as long as it works.

Jim, NU0C

jshorn@binary.net

1740. Re: Radio and antenna for GRAPES 56 Kb RF Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <335ce585.10060012@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 177150

On 20 Apr 97 11:42:19 GMT, konratba@boun.EDU.TR (Azamat Konratbaev)
wrote:

> I got an offer to buy GRAPES 56 Kb RF modem and Gracilis PackeTwin, so
>I will need a radio and antenna to complete the kit.
> If anybody knows what type of radio and antenna will work with that,
>please mail to my e-mail address.

The *RF* modem is the radio. You will need a *transverter* to convert
its 29 MHz output to the UHF band of your choice. We use the Microwave
Modules MMT432S around here to put it on 70cm. Down East Microwave
also makes a line of transverters which work well with the modem. SSB
Electronics transverters also work, but you'll need to modify them
slightly to split the IF Tx and Rx ports.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

1741. DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <pSDgrHAjfIXzEwoL@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
These are for a 160m mosfet tx design that I am working on, please help.
An e-mail direct would be greatly appreciated: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk

Thanks

Phil de G4ZOW.
So many toys,
So little time and so little money!

1742. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: J-M Noeding <la8ak@online.no>
Message-ID: <335D1CAD.5977@online.no>
Source record: 177152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

I philip de cadenet wrote:
>
> Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
> manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
> These are for a 160m mosfet tx design that I am working on, please help.
> An e-mail direct would be greatly appreciated: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk
>
> Thanks
>
> Phil de G4ZOW.
> So many toys,
> So little time and so little money!
believe I got some from Birkett or was it AJH electronics at Rugby...
--

OPR.: Jan-Martin Noeding - LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 KristiansandS
Main interests: Amateur radio technical experiments, VHF/UHF/SHF CW/SSB
Tel. QTH +47-380-87178, QRL: +47-380-52660, GSM: 9064-4295

1743. Re: Out of Band XMIT Antennas (HT'S)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Stafford <mikes@enhcom.com>
Message-ID: <335D1F81.6C22@enhcom.com>
Source record: 177153

James Aeschliman wrote:
> In a previous article, dude@wherever.net (Nick) says:
>
> > >I see requests for differnent mods for radios, especially HT's. It
> > >would seem that if you modify an HT to transmit at lets say 475MHZ or
> > >142MHZ (common UHF and VHF out of band frequency ranges) that you
> > >would need an antenna that is resonant near these frequencies. Where
> > >do people get these antennas? I never see them for sale at hamfests.
> > >The reason I am asking is because I know many public servants that
> > >might be able to use these as backup radios. Maybe they are there but
> > >I just never notice. Just a question. NIck
>
> Since they are not type accepted for use in the public service bands, the
> legality of using them as backup up radios is in serious doubt.
> --
> Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
> Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

Just a quick note on this subject: I was on our local rescue squad for
a long time;
and the rule that was passed to us was that NO MODIFIED GEAR was to be
used to transmission
on the Fire/Rescue/Police frequencies. If someone was caught using this
gear, it would be
confiscated and the person could possible be suspended.

The reasons given for this was that there was a lot of interference,
crossbanding, and
plain-old messed up radios that would interfere with operations. Not to
mention splatter and
wide-banding.

While I did not personally agree with the restriction, I did abide by
it; and can see the
reasons for it. I might also note that in all of the locations I have
lived since that time, I
usually have some type of contact with the local fire/rescue personnel,
and I always find some
type of similar policy. If this is due to an FCC reg, I do not know
what it is.

Thanks!
--
M.T. Stafford mstaff@enhcom.com
Shelby, NC KF4NCB

1744. Re: AEA Isoloop or MFJ Loop?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <335D1C2E.4A97@ibm.net>
Source record: 177154

Moparnut wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I am interested in getting either the AEA or MFJ Loop type HF antenna.
>
> How well do they work? Any users have comments?

I talked from PA to a ham in FL who was using the AEA in a closet of his
condo. Also talked to the friend in midwest who
skeds regularly with him. This was on 20 SSB. I couldn't
believe how well he was getting out.

Why would his shack not be full of RF?

At my end was 2 KW into a 4-el. monobander at 60 feet. I'm sure
the beam at my end helped, but I would never have guessed what
he was using.

However, someone on the net the other day commented on some
problems, but I don't recall them.

As per the mobile antenna discussion, bigger is better.

73, Larry
****

E-mail: larrygibbs@ibm.net

Amateur Radio W3UIO, Operating Ten-Tec

Running Netscape at OS/2 Warp 4

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1745. How Do I Subscribe to IC-756 Relector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: SEREIKAS@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <5jj6tf$leu@mtinsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177155

I heard that there is a reflector for the Icom IC-756....Can anyone
tell me how to subscribe?

Thanks,

George
KC2MF

1746. Yaesu FT-51R Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lara <gameshow3@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <335DB22A.68DF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177156

I&#65533;m interested in buying the Yaesu FT-51R dual band hand held. Does anybody know where I could find a write up on the radio? I currently have a Kenwood TH78A which has been modified with the extended band TX & RX capabilities. I was told the Yaesu can be modified for extended band TX & RX functions. I would like to know if anyone knows where I could go to look for modification information.

Robert

1747. WTB: UBC9000XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Cox <i2567@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <335D49F0.8AC@netnitco.net>
Source record: 177157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Want to buy one in good condition. E-mail replys

Thank you
Ed

1748. FS HR2600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tkrohn <tkrohn@mail.microserve.net>
Message-ID: <335D34A2.39D4@mail.microserve.net>
Source record: 177158

FOR SALE UNIDEN HR-2600 10M ALL MODE TRANSCIEVER LIKE NEW. CONTACT TOM K3IJ E-MAIL tkrohn@mail.microserve.net

1749. FS: Mobile Amps, etc. 144 & 220 mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: denny@increase.com
Message-ID: <5jji61$j56@taurus.adnc.com>
Source record: 177159
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,sdnet.forsale

For Sale, On behalf of a non-ham, non-Internet friend:

A - Diamond brand antenna, model # CR2145 in Chrome.

B - Larsen brand mag mount base for item A above

C - Astron brand # RS-7A 120 volt amplifier, 13.8 volt 5amp continuous , 7 amp 50% duty cycle

D - 2 each: Standard # CMP 111 HT speaker mics

E - Mirage #C22G 20 watt mobile amp, FM/SSB switch, preamp switch, and power switch

F - Mirage # B23G 30 watt mobile amp, same switches as above item E

All items in near new condition. Reasonable bids considered, terms to be discussed.

E-mail to 'rdenny@4dcomm.com' or fax to 760-727-0175 (San Diego, California area).

Thanks.

Denny

1750. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <335c4bf2.1016831@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 177160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 21 Apr 1997 22:38:16 GMT, kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com (robbin decker) wrote:
>Good point, although the same effect might be better served by
>separating the commercial gear. I am sure that the motorola guys are
>as sick of sifting through the TS520's as I am of downloading 75
>headers to find that 55 of them are for
>trunking/sabre/jobcomm/phoenix/whatever commercial band rigs that
>don't interest the average ham. How about rec.radio.commercial.swap,
>and let r.r.s. pick up the rest of the SW/ham/scanner/CB/etc. gear?
>Bill

Already been done, more or less, Bill...

rec.radio.amateur.swap is for the Ham gear (non commercial)

rec.radio.swap is for everything else.

Perhaps even finer divisions are needed?

Take Care & 73

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

Heartland Internet Services

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Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****

1751. Stuff For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bobby Raymer <AD4HL@Twlakes.Net>
Message-ID: <335D7730.65D5@Twlakes.Net>
Source record: 177161

For sale MFJ-981 3kw antenna tuner $200.00 Shipped

Yaesu FT-2200 two meter vhf radio box,manual,mikephone, like new $240.00 shipped

3 box of GE master II,Motorola manuals $200.oo shipped for all

DB System 4bay vhf antenna $275 pickup only

All price are FIRM email too Bobby AD4HL@InfoAve.Net

1752. Re: Amp Questions: LK500Z Amp Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul@actiontel.com
Message-ID: <335c5ffc.60804396@news.abilene.com>
Source record: 177162

On Sun, 13 Apr 1997 19:26:34 -0500, Sir Robin <nexus15@flash.net>
wrote:

>Would anyone like to give some information or opinions on the Amp Supply
>LK-500ZB dual 3-500Z amplifier?
>
>Thanks...Rick....W5RH

I've had an LK500NTC since 1987. Been a great AMP. The Peter DAHL
xformer and heavy duty power supply make it a real work horse. I've
put many hours on it in several different modes and have had little
trouble. Don't know if the ZB has the ALO feature but I know that
feature has saved my AMP a couple of times. You can still get parts
and/or service on them from Omega Electronics in N.C. also.

Have fun with it.

Paul
N5DUP

1753. Re: FT50RD wide recv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5jhq84$d7a$2@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 177163

Make the Software modifications, you can switch to any mod, enable
wide RX , ...

1754. Re: FT50RD wide recv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5jhq5t$d7a$1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 177164

Make the Software modifications, you can switch to any mod, enable
wide RX , ...

1755. Kenwood 851 all-mode for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bvkirk@kanza.net
Message-ID: <335c0856.12250867@news.kanza.net>
Source record: 177289

I have a Kenwood 851 432 all mode rig for sale. It is in mint condition, with Box, Mic and Manuals. Asking $550.00.

email to dkimrey@nava-link.net

1756. Re: Gel Cell Charging??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki0dz@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970421.194013.4614.1.ki0dz@juno.com>
Source record: 177290

Hello,
I'd try to keep any lead acid type battery topped off, though a deep
discharge every now and then shouldn't hurt if the battery is recharged
ASAP after the discharge.
73,

Mary-Frances

Mary-Frances R. Bartels (((#))) ^ ^
Amateur Radio Callsign: KI0DZ Denver, CO | ^ - ^
"Owner and Operator" of Rudolph's Rabbit Ranch ------- (o o)
Independent Rep. of Watkins products |ooOoo| >{ | }<
(303) 428-5884 ki0dz@juno.com ------- ")*

1757. FS-MOTOROLA SABER SPKR/MIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970422022700.WAA05733@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177291

Hi All!
I have for SALE:
Brand new Speaker microphones in the boxes by motorola, the numbers are,
(5)ea. KIT # NMN-6129B With the optional UHF antenna.
(1)ea. KIT # NMN-6128C, this type has no antenna provision but with coiled cable.
These items are $70-ea. Shipped CONUS
Thanks es 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM

1758. FS-DRAKE R-4C FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970422023100.WAA06058@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177292

Have three(3) filters for the Drake R-4c reciever for SALE:
250 cycles, 500 cycles, 1.5 KHZ
Made by NETWORK SCIENCES CORP.
Price is $175- shipped CONUS Will not split up!
Thanks es 73........RICH RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM

1759. Computer Boards FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James M.Carman", K6ARR <jmcarman@jps.net>
Message-ID: <5jh7kn$n0@blush.jps.net>
Source record: 177293

For sale:
Paradise Bahamas 64 SVGA VLB display adp. $35.00
Zoom 14.4 Faxmodem Ver. 1.624 RPI+ software $25.00
486DX2 80 mhz cpu 3.45 volt and fan $25.00
Data Switch DB25S 1X4 never used $20.00
Best offer on any or all.

James M. Carman, K6ARR
email jmcarman@jps.net
tel 916 885 9335

1760. FS- ICOM IC-761 XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970422023500.WAA06373@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177294

HI All;
I have for SALE:
ICOM IC-761 in EXC. Condx. W/manual, All Bands, General coverage, built in tuner! PRICE IS $1250-shipped conus
Thanks es 73......RICH RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM

1761. Ten Tec Argonaut 509 - revised listing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970422034601.XAA11723@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177295

This is listed for my friend Pete, W6JFR/0, St.Louis

Ten Tec Argonaut 509, Mic and Manual,excellent condition

Asking $220

Please reply via e-mail or call Pete at 314-537-3732

73,
Dave, K2DP

1762. Re: IC-756 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <335c2b4d.8074012@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 177296

On 21 Apr 1997 00:28:49 GMT, "Len Umina" <umina@ultranet.com> wrote:

>
>Users (I am one) are reporting on bad CW operation, problems with digital
>modes, noiseblanker performance, and probably the worst thing to come out
>yet is that there really is NO IF DSP in this radio!
>
>Apparently ICOM picks up the audio prior to the AGC point and calls their
>subsequent audio DSP an IF DSP because of this! Allegedly when contacted
>on this by one of the other users, the ARRL mentioned the GAP antenna
>claims (you don't need radials, (unless you want the antenna to work))!
>
>Yikes!

The DSP not audio, It is IF, as the DSP processing is done BEFORE
Baseband audio is detected> Where the ACG point is does not have a
thing to do if the DSP is AF or IF. Have a look at the radios block
and schematic diagrams for the 756 you will SURELY see that DSP is
before baseband audio. In learning radio, the IF generally was
before baseband audio unless superhets have changed over the years
greatly.
By the way The DSP is at 15 Khz, Yaesu's DSP is at 10.5 Khz and
Kenwood's DSP is at 11 Khz. ICOM samples at 62.5 kHz which is faster
than the other two manufacters.

I do not understand what a GAP antenna has to do with DSP and if it is
IF DSP or not.

Have a look in the radio instruction manual for the noise blanker and
see just what type of noise ICOM says it will work on, it mentions
pulse type noise, nothing more or less.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

1763. Re: Lots of stuff for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: binder@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5jhgsaojh1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 177297

Hal S <hals@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

ok, let 'er rip!

>A lot of equipment for sale - from Kenwood SSB transceivers, 2 meter transceivers,
>Hammarlund HQ160 receivers, Vibroplex Bug, etc.
>email for listing

1764. FS BATTERY BACK-UP SYSTEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: TGHN73A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5jhfff$2dus@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 177298

For Sale:
Tripp Lite Battery Back-up System, model SB-2000

Consists of a single cabinet containing a 2000 watt square-wave inverter, 8 ampere regulated battery charger, a "brown-out" line sensing transfer switch and an ISOBAR spike and noise suppression circuit.

Selling for $299 or B/O. Reply to: tghn73a@prodigy.com

The Tripp Lite SB-2000 battery back-up system protests line operated sensitive equipment from:

1. Potentially dangerous voltage spikes, noise and rdio frequency interference (RFI) coming in on the commercial power line.

2. Equipment interaction caused by power line noise going from one piece of equipment to another.

3. Low line voltage (brown-out) and total line power failure by providing virtually instant emergency power to preserve your data or process until orderly sutdown can take place.

Emergency power comes from rechargable batteries. This 24 volt DC power is converted to 120 volt AC power by a solid state inverter. This battery derived power substitutes for lost line power within 10 milliseconds of the line power loss.

Status lights: LINE POWER and BATTERY POWER indicate which mode the unit is operating in.

1765. Re: Out of Band XMIT Antennas (HT'S)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb840@scn.org
Message-ID: <E90rrn.6LC@scn.org>
Source record: 177299

In a previous article, dude@wherever.net (Nick) says:

>I see requests for differnent mods for radios, especially HT's. It
>would seem that if you modify an HT to transmit at lets say 475MHZ or
>142MHZ (common UHF and VHF out of band frequency ranges) that you
>would need an antenna that is resonant near these frequencies. Where
>do people get these antennas? I never see them for sale at hamfests.
>The reason I am asking is because I know many public servants that
>might be able to use these as backup radios. Maybe they are there but
>I just never notice. Just a question. NIck

Since they are not type accepted for use in the public service bands, the
legality of using them as backup up radios is in serious doubt.
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Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

1766. Info WTD: B&W-852 Tapped Inductor for Pi Network

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jacqui <Jacqui@Realestatelady.com>
Message-ID: <335C4D90.3241@Realestatelady.com>
Source record: 177300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I would like to find out any data on a B&W 852. It is a tapped inductor for a Pi Network, Looks like 5KV or better. Would like to know the rating and the inductance at the taps. This unit has a built in rotary switch to change taps. Thanks for the help N1DVE, Jacqui

1767. FT50RD wide recv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Hicks <chicks@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335C4D06.1D38@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177301

I purchased a apparent "new" version of the FT-50R (w/FTT-12 keypad). I performed the CAP/MARS mod (works) and the wideband recv mod using the pull-the-plug method with the ADMS-1C write method.

I cannot get the radio to fully open up for recv.

Does anyone know the procedure (if it exists) for the newer versions or has anyone successfully opened the newer versions up for full recv (76-999 Mhz)?

Is the freeband mod required for full recv range?

Thanks..
Charlie

1768. Info WTD: E.F.Johnson 226-5 Roller Inductor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jacqui <Jacqui@Realestatelady.com>
Message-ID: <335C4F39.6E5@Realestatelady.com>
Source record: 177302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am looking for any info anyone may have on an E.F.Johnson Roller
Inductor model # 226-5.
Thanks in advance for any specs you may provide ! N1DVE, Jacqui

1769. Re: FT-8500 (& FT-8000R) slow squelch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kennex Chi <chiapet@PEAK.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.91.970421235829.4296A-100000@kira>
Source record: 177303

I have the FT-8000R and I have a similar problem on the 144 mhz side...

For some reason, even with the squelch turned all the way up I'm still
getting backgroud noise, along with the blanking green LED. I tried the
S-Meter squelch but it only made it worse. I tried the cpu reset but
nothing seems to work! Very annoying because I can't
use my Search function anymore!!! (not to mention the constant backgroud
noise!!!) does any other ft-8000r doing this? any ideas?

thanks,

ken kc7put

On 21 Apr 1997, Michael K. Singewald wrote:

> I like this radio except for a very annoying attribute. When a repeater
> un-keys, or any transmission stops, I get a terribly long "squelch crash".
> It was sent back to Yaesu, but nothing changed. I heard a friend of mines
> same radio, and it does the same thing. Am I the only one to notice this,
> or doesn't it drive anyone else nuts... especially when talking simplex?
> It happens the same even with the squelch turned up all the way.
>
>
>

1770. RE: GRAPES 56K RF Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: CBERRY@ALOHA.INTel.COM
Message-ID: <9704220255.utk24021@ALOHA.intel.com>
Source record: 177304

Is additional information, on this modem, available on the web?

Thx,
Chuck Berry
n7chs

>Ron Curry" <recurry@insighttec.com> wrote:
>The GRAPES IS the radio - what you need is a transverter for the band you
>plan to use it on and an antenna (or antenna's if you go full duplex) for
>that band. Plan on spending $300-$500 for the transverter depending on
>power output and band.
>
>Ron
>KE6WED

>Azamat Konratbaev <konratba@boun.EDU.TR> wrote in article
><Pine.A32.3.91.970420153629.67798B-100000@hamlin.cc.boun.edu.tr>...
>> I got an offer to buy GRAPES 56 Kb RF modem and Gracilis PackeTwin, so
>> I will need a radio and antenna to complete the kit.
>> If anybody knows what type of radio and antenna will work with that,
>> please mail to my e-mail address.

1771. FS: MOTOROLA & MUSTEK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: st155@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970422112500.HAA00451@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177305

FOR SALE

(IMAGE SCANNER)
MUSTEK CG-6000 SCANMAGIC COLOR SCANNING PACKAGE.
CAPTURE OVER 262,000 COLORS WITH A 18-BIT HANDHELD SCANNER
OR 64 GRAYSCALE. RESOLUTION FROM 100-400 DPI IN LINE ART AND
GRAYSCALE & 50-200 DPI IN COLOR MODE.
COMES WITH THE CG-6000 262,144 COLOR SCANNER
TWAIN COMPLIANT
PHOTO MAGIC LE SOFTWARE
OCR SOFTWARE
JPEG COMPRESSION
FOR MICROSOFT WINDOWS COMPATIBLE
MANUALS, CABLES, WARRANTY CARD INCLUDED $150.00 + SHIPPING

(SVA) NEW
SABER VEHICAL ADAPTOR
COMES WITH MIC & BRAND NEW POWER SPEAKER
WILL WORK ON SABER I, II & III SECURE OR NON SECURE
BUILT IN RAPIAD CHARGER...
HAS EXTERNAL ANTENNA CONNECTOR $400.00 + SHIPPING

800 STX TRUNKING TYPE I WITH SUB SWITCH ON TOP.
FULL KEYPAD / W DISPLAY & BATTERY 645 LU DATE CODE . $350.00 + SHIPPING

ALL OFFERS WILL BE CONCIDERED
IF INTERSTED LEAVE E-MAIL TO: ST155@AOL.COM
THANKS!
RICK...

1772. Re: HELP ON MOTOROLA MICOR RPTRS PSE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: william.r.jones.1@gsfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <5ji7j1$i40@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 177306

In article <3356CB3B.1FC9@erols.com>, Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com> says:
>
>
>We presently are using 2 motorola micors for our local club repeaters.
>Recently after installation, the repeaters began ping-ponging for hours
>on end. The odd part of this was that it only occurs on rainy days.
>
>On one of the rainy days the antenna was removed and the ping-ponging
>stopped indicating that it was an incoming signal although non could
>actually be heard coming in on the receiver when the antenna was
>connected. First the occurence happened on one of the repeaters. And now
>the second one is beginning to experience the same problem, again only
>during rainy days.
>
>Wondering if any one has experienced an identical problem with their
>micor repeaters? Any help, at all, would be appreciated. 73 Murray. My
>email is mgreen@erols.com
>

I listened to the repeater last night. I would bet that the problem
is either a spurious or parasitic that just happens to fall on the
RX frequency as the TX is unkeyed. Since the problem seems to be
intermittent, that points to it even more. I don't think that rain
is the key, its probably more like temperature. If the problem is
parasitic, somewhere in the PA there is a self-oscillation that varys
with temperature.

I listened with my service monitor in the AM mode and heard some
abnormal AM component on the TX signal. You can do the same by using
an all-mode transceiver. Put it in SSB mode to generate a beat note
and see if the freqncy wanders. It's best to put a directional
coupler in the RX line off the duplexer to use it (the duplexer) to
trap out the fundamental TX. Tune the all-mode RX to the repeater
RX -- better yet if you have a spectrum analyzer, put that in the
RX line and look for any spurious around the repeater input.

Back to the problem. If the repeater TX generates a spur that crosses
the RX frequency as its unkeyed, the repeater will key up again, etc.

Look for a bad ground in or around the PA board, or possibly a bad
bypass cap around the PA assembly.

1773. Re: Mods for PRESIDENT LINCOLN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: claude@bauv.unibw-muenchen.de
Message-ID: <claude.861710491@bauv111>
Source record: 177307

Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com> writes:

>No, Ted. It is not unlawful for a ham to own and operate a President
>Lincoln. We hams are responsible for our emissions. The FCC could care
>less about how we create those emissions. Heck, we can even build our
>own rigs.

If I'm informed right, this rig can easly be modified for 10 m.
Can everybody post the modification information ?

Thanx.
--
Claude
(claude@bauv106.bauv.unibw-muenchen.de)
The opinions expressed above represent those of the writer
and not necessarily those of her employer.

1774. Re: Info WTD: B&W-852 Tapped Inductor for Pi Network

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <335CAC5E.7963@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 177308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

>From the B&W catalog, the taps are 7, 3.72, 2.34, 1.34, and 0.95 uH. The recommended capacity to resonate each band is 268, 144, 73, 48.5, and 36 pF. Suitable tube types for a pi network using this tube are 4cx1000a, and 2ea 3-400z. Plate load impedance range 1500 - 3000 ohms. Plate supply voltage 2000 - 4000.

Chuck, KE9UW

Jacqui wrote:
>
> I would like to find out any data on a B&W 852. It is a tapped inductor
> for a Pi Network, Looks like 5KV or better. Would like to know the
> rating and the inductance at the taps. This unit has a built in rotary
> switch to change taps. Thanks for the help N1DVE, Jacqui

1775. If you only knew!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barb@wiredboys.net
Message-ID: <199704221358.GAA21659@web1.zzz.com>
Source record: 177309

It's not bad meat in a can...it's saving trees! That's why
I.S.P.O.T. (The International Society for the Preservation of Trees -
http://www.local-touch.com/ISPOT/) is using an electronic means to tell you
about their newest sponsor...

SUBMITKING (http://www.submitking.com)!! They'll promote your URL to 100
of the top marketing resources on the web(like Yahoo, Altavista, Webcrawler,
etc.) for just $10US and you fill out 1 form and press 1 button, thus
saving yourself at LEAST seven hours of work while at the same time making
it 100 times EASIER for people to find your information!

Tell them Barb says hello!

1776. Re: six meters help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1bqt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970422135801.JAA07801@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177310

Hi Al--

Starting in May, sporadic E openings will permit 1000-mile+ contacts on an intermittent basis. These openings may be to one specific area or more general--depending upon conditions. "Double-hop" sporadic-E contacts may go from coast to coast or to Europe for east-coast stations. Sporadic E generally winds down by mid-August. Openings tend to occur mid-morning and in the evening--and may last from a few minutes up to several hours.

The best mode is SSB (or CW). FM skip is also workable, but other stations may "outcapture" the one you're talking to mid-QSO. 40-Watts is more than adequate for power, but you'll benefit greatly from using a small beam (3-elements is fine). The cheapest equipment options are probably the Ten-Tec 20-to-6 Meter transverter kit ($99) and the MFJ-9406 SSB transceiver (about $220 street price). Used equipment is also available. Avoid older tube type gear such as the Swan 250 or Heathkit units--unless you're into high maintenance.

I think six is a lot of fun. I've worked over 150 Grids--including several countries in Europe and Central America in two years--using only a MFJ-9406, a small chimney-mounted antenna, and a 150-Watt Mirage amplifier. Good luck.

Rick K1BQT

1777. Re: six meters help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: fedpress@omnifest.uwm.edu
Message-ID: <5jigpp$kcg@omnifest.uwm.edu>
Source record: 177311

Hi Al:

When 6m is open, it's quite possible to work from the midwest to the East, Gulf, and West Coasts using less than 100w (at least on SSB). The popularity of the various modes varies from locale to locale, but I suspect that the inclusion of 6m in many of the newer rigs has really led to an upsurge in 6m SSB activity.

Antenna polarization is vertical for FM and horizontal for everything else, although it's a lot less critical during band openings. (Hell, I've worked Panama on 6m with 90w from an old Icom IC-551D to a Cushcraft R-7 HF [only] vertical!)

Yes, the full-featured newer rigs are expensive (why would anyone expect 6m to be different?) but I've worked people using the new MFJ rigs and low dipoles, and many experienced 6m ops consider the Ten-Tec 20m-to-6m transverter to be an incredibly cost-effective way to get on Six for those who already have HF rigs.

To anyone considering getting on 50 MHz, I strongly recommend buying a copy of "Six Meters: A Guide to the Magic Band" by Ken Neubeck, WB2AMU. It is IMHO the best currently available introduction to six meters and is particularly good for new-to-six ops. It's available from:

Worldradio Books
Box 189490
Sacramento, CA 95818

The price is $14 (that includes shipping). Calif. residents should include 93 cents extra for state sales tax.

Six is a fun band. Since returning to ham radio a few years ago after an absence of 20 years, it's become my favorite band.

73,

Rick WB9GYT
Milwaukee, WI
EN62ax (get the book if you don't know what that means!)

1778. Kaprika letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel_F._Stiles@ushmm.ORG
Message-ID: <9703228617.AA861728808@ushmm.org>
Source record: 177312

The following is a E-mail I sent to Ted Kaprika concerning his promotion of the Adolph Hitler Fan club page on this Ham Radio List.

I apologize for the length but given Mr. Kaprika's past record of half-quoting and taking out of context. I wanted all to see exactly what was said.

Dan, KB1BG

Dear Mr. Kaprika:

I have read your recent posting containing your reference to your Adolph Hitler Fan Club Page.

Rather than use words of anger, let me attempt to persuade you to rethink your position.

I work for the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington, DC. May I invite you to visit the Museum as my guest and let me show you first hand the results of the man you wish to glorify. I will introduce you to survivors of Auschwitz, Dachau, Berger-Belsen and let them tell you of the cold blooded murders of their mothers, fathers and other family members. I will be happy to show you geniune artifacts. The man you choose to glorify is directly responsible for the murder of over 6,000,000 human beings. 1,500,000 of these were children. Not all were Jewish. Many were Romas that your hero decided were inferior human beings and did not deserve to live.

You might find it interesting that the first religious leaders murdered were Catholic Priests in Poland. Then he ordered the murder of handicapped people- then children.

Please come visit and learn about the man you glorify.

Before you spew forth any anti-semitic diatribes, let me tell you I am not Jewish and have no axe to grind on religious grounds. I am a member of the human race like you and the 6 million your hero murdered.

One final note-I have given the name of your web page to our Internal Security unit. They will take a look at it and notify the FBI Anti-Terrorism unit who keep tabs on these kind of sites. This is required procedure when we discover a site like this.

Sincerely,

Daniel Stiles
dstiles@ushmm.org

1779. Re: six meters help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335CCBE1.6117@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177313

al evangelista wrote:
>
> Hi Gang, I am interested in learning more about 6 meters technical and
> 'cultural' issues. I understand that the 6M season is approaching. Is
> it reasonable to expect consistent communication from, say, the midwest
> to east coast on a regular basis? on 40 watts? Any recommendations on
> equipment? / common modes SSB / FM / ?? - commonly used polarization??
> I see 'fully featured' rigs at around the $400 mark - any less expensive
> alternatives?
>
> Please reply directly if possible.
>
> Many Thanks..
>
> 73
> Al Evangelista KG8WU
> aevang @ cris . com

Good Morning Al -- check out the six meter links on the DX Reference
Guide below.

Go to INDEX -- click on 6 Meters

Good Luck es 73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V DX Reference Page
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
Main Page: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Index: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

1780. Re: Radio Shack New Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970422071703129 79@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 177314

>>Does anyone know WHY??

Yes. Ease of out-of-band transmitting, apparently, is what was published publicly. But there's gotta be a little more to it than that. We'll keep you posted.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

1781. Eddystone receiver is mod 830

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335CF58F.3C5B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177315

Sorry for not putting the model number is mod 830. It was the top of the line.

1782. Re: RS Frequency Counter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: akrol29b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423200300.QAA01345@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177067

can say how stable or accurate it is but in two different stores
I went to they had NO range at all,would not lock on the stores
cell phone inches away and the second time with an older cordless phone I
use with an on/off switch on it... same thing
its junkanese junk

1783. 10 meter conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larin <larin@blueriver.net>
Message-ID: <335E93B3.26F@blueriver.net>
Source record: 177068

OK now.... I have a 10 meter rig that is really nothing more than a big 11 meter CB. It is a Ranger RCI 2980 base station. I want it to cover the 10 meter band -- the whole thing! All the way up to 29.700 because when I get my General ticket I want to be able to use it!

How is the best (right) way to modify this radio to the 10 meter band?

What if I wanted to go down to 12 meters?

Is there a way to make it cover 10 11 and 12? Probably not without retuning each time huh.

Well, someone let me know what they think. I am familiar with such kit as the Expander 120 and 160 and have used the 120 for a channel conversion on the Cobra 2000. What do you all think?

Larin
larin@blueriver.net

1784. Re: TS450 IF232 Protocol?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <335E6F23.3FF6@techie.com>
Source record: 177069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You can download the specs on the MAX232 chip from the Maxim web site:

http://www.maxim-ic.com/
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Ed
W5CE@usa.net

1785. Wanted--AC3 or AC4 power supple for Drake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: SEVENTH@Worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <5jlorv$s9i@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177070

need ac3 or ac4 power supply for Drake transciever. Also looking for
some power supply capacitors--if you know where i can get, i would
appreciate the info.
Dave

1786. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Message-ID: <335E71D0.758@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Source record: 177071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SOME CALL ME THE BIG BOPPER wrote:
>
> In article <3357a131.1626891@news.trucom.com>, marty@trucom.com (Marty Albert) writes:
> >
> >
> > Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
> > lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
> >
> > This morning, out of 23 new articles in one group, 18 were
> > inappropriate.
> >
> > Makes you wonder why we have rec.radio.amateur.swap for, eh?
> >
> > Take Care & 73
> >
> >
> >
> > Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
> > Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM
>
> I agree! Are we going to turn into CB'ers, who in their selfishness, not
> only ruin things for everybody, they even ruin it for themselves.
>
> I say, Send an email complaint to each person who posts inappropriately
> (and turn this place into 75 meters).

While you're counting things, count the number of postings to this thread and the number of newsgroups that are spammed. Which is the bigger bandwidth/time waster??? Sometimes the cure is worse than the disease...

Best thing you can do is to boycot the good deals that are posted here so that I can buy them :-).

1787. FS: ICOM R7100 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmf1@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5jlsre$1ob@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177072

ICOM IC-R7100 Scanner Available

Frequencies continuous from 25 mhz to 2Ghz
Good condition; with manual

$900, negotiable

If purchasing IC-R7100 and Kenwood R-5000, there will be a $50
discount. (Total - $1350)

C. O. D., or conus, cash only

James Gonsalves
mmf1@ix.netcom.com
510/839-6547

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>>> Please: No uninvited commercial e-mail <<<
Mary Marshall Fowler Mayors Commission on Disabled Persons
James A. Gonsalves Mayors Commission on Human Relations
Raphael Brooks JG's Assistant
Terry Morgan JG's Assistant
>>> We do not speak for the Commissions <<<

1788. FS: Kenwood R-5000 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmf1@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5jlt0t$e09@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177073

Kenwood R-5000 Receiver Available

Good condition, with manual
Includes: . sideband filter
. AM filter

$500, negotiable
$50. discount if purchasing the R-5000 and the ICOM IC-R7100
(Total = $1350)
C. O. D., or conus, cash only

James Gonsalves
mmf1@ix.netcom.com
510/839-6547

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1789. 767gx need final for 6 meters module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: airwolf000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423174300.NAA21836@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177074

hi i try mitsuibishi for the part no luck i try yaesu part back order
until august of 97 i need to repair it oh buy another 6 meters module tnx
for the response if any

1790. Re: What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: airwolf000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423174500.NAA21996@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177075

yes 2 company one is picking up the antenna analyzer and the people that make the dsp filters pick up the tnc and rest of products time wave

1791. Re: Generic Connector Liquidation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland Brade <roland@venusww.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <+pnoeBAKQhXzIwAf@venusww.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177076
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

In article <335e09cb.33000013@news.mv.net>, Customer Service
<sales@connect.mv.com> writes
>To: Retail, wholsale, OEM, and industrial customers
>From: Connectors Unlimted - Sales Dept.
>Date: April 01, 1997
>
>Effective immediately, Connectors Unlimited has terminated all small
>dollar retail sales. We will continue to supply "Name Brand" products
>to our wholsale, OEM, and industrial customers who meet the minimum
>order requirements.
>
>Existing inventory of products in our "Generic" line will be sold by
>lot with a minimum order of $250.00 or the entire line item. A
>complete listing of this inventory will soon be available by e:mail
>and on our Webb site. Any one interested may send a message to:
>
>Connectors Unlimited
>P O Box 5973
>Manchester, NH 03108-5973
>
>"We'll keep you well connected"
Well thats a bitter blow to all the Radio Amateurs in the UK,
--
Roland Brade
roland@venusww.demon.co.uk
http://www.venusww.demon.co.uk

1792. FS: MFJ 931 & MFJ 941E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsnider@access.digex.net
Message-ID: <33609086.4917130@news.erols.com>
Source record: 177077

I've got an MFJ 931 and an MFJ 941E that I'd like to sell. Both are in great condition with box and manuals.

MFJ931 $45
MFJ941 $55

73,

Don Snider,
WB4ZHO

1793. FS:Kenwood TS690 + PSU (UK Only)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Linney <ken@g3uda.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <5YBnrHAqMjXzEw6x@g3uda.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177078

Hello All

Here is a description of the following For Sale :

Kenwood TS690 + Power Supply. As new, boxed. Desk Mic, Speaker, Auto
ATU.

RX: General coverage. TX/RX for HF with 6mtr. Filters.

Please Email me as below or contact:

Dave, G0RQX QTHR / 01743 240724 Evenings / 01743 366143 Day

73 Ken

Ken Linney BSc.
Internet : ken@g3uda.demon.co.uk
Amateur Radio : G3UDA
AX25 : G3UDA@GB7PMB.#28.GBR.EU
TCP/IP : g3uda@g3uda.ampr.org [44.131.88.75]

1794. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: frenchy <frenchy@cybrzn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc503b$67b15a20$3a6b43cf@default>
Source record: 177079
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

> >>Darrell wrote:
> >>>
> >>> Anyone got any good carp bait recipes to e-mail me I would appreciate it.
> >>> There for a Friend.

there was just a show on in-fisherman about carp fishing. they were using a mixture with wheaties in it(no kidding). they were also using corn. tnn usually replays sunday's show the following saturday sometime. check your tv guide.

1795. FT411E Sold TNX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: GPridemore <gpridemore@kih.net>
Message-ID: <01bc502f$c0f99b80$c77169ce@default>
Source record: 177080

FT411E SOLD...TNX ALL and 73 !

1796. Re: really works

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Kunz <RAKunz@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <335EAF38.321F@webspan.net>
Source record: 177081

free wrote:
>
> ///PAY TV DECODER PLANS///
>
> MATERIALS REQUIRED:
>
> 1 - Radio Shack mini-box (#270-235)
> 1 - 1/4 watt resistor, 2.2k-2.4k ohm
> (RS #271-1325)
> 1 - 75pf-100pf variable capacitor
> (Hard to find)
> 2 - F61a chassis-type coaxial
> connectors (RS #278-212)
> 12" - No. 12 solid copper wire
> 12" - RG59 coaxial cable
>
> ///INSTRUCTIONS///
>
> 1. Bare a length of No. 12 gauge solid
> copper wire and twist around a 3/8"
> nail or rod to form a coil of 9 turns.
> Elongate coil to a length of 1 1/2"
> inches and form right angle bends on
> each end.
>
> 2. Solder the varible capacitor to
> the coil. It doesn't matter where you
> solder it, it still does the same job.
> The best place for it is in the center
> with the adjustment screw facing upward
>
> Note: When it comes time to place coil
> in box, the coil must be insulated from
> grounding. This can be done by crazy-
> glueing a piece of rubber to the bottom
> of the box, and securing the coil to it.
>
> 3. Tap coil at points 2 1/2 turns from
> ends of coil and solder to coaxial
> chassis connectors, bringing tap leads
> through holes in chassis box. Use as
> little wire as possible.
>
> 4. Solder resistor to center of coil

> and ground other end of resistor to
> chassis box, using solder lug and small
> screw.
>
> 5. Drill a 1/2" diameter hold in mini-
> box cover to permit adjustment of the
> variable capacitor from the outside.
> Inspect the device for defects in
> workmanship and place cover on mini-
> box. Tighten securely.
>
> 6. Place device in line with existing
> cable on either side of the coverter
> box and connect to television set with
> the short piece of RG59 coaxial cable.
> Set television set to HBO channel.
>
> 7. Using a plastic screwdriver (non-matalic)
> adjust the varible capacitor until picture
> tunes in. Sit back, relax, and enjoy!!!
>
This will work if your cable system is about 20 years old. If not, it
won't do anything.
-John
P.S. There aren't any systems this old still operating.

1797. HELP ON MOTO TLE6292B & TLE1062B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lee <aw688@lafn.org>
Message-ID: <335EABBE.4781@lafn.org>
Source record: 177082

WHAT TYPE OF AMP IS IT AND HOW MANY WATT?

THANKS IN ADVANCE

1798. WTB: duplexers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samuel Johnson <samjohnson@Bledsoe.net>
Message-ID: <335E4A2D.3E3B@Bledsoe.net>
Source record: 177083

I need a set of VHF duplexers for a repeater I'm building, as usual I want to find the cheapest possible, sell or trade. I could also use another MASTR II UHF radio, if the price is right.
Sam Johnson KF4GQS

1799. Re: TS450 IF232 Protocol?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Welton <John_Welton@unc.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5014$27015ce0$d5e70298@JWELTON.UNCH.UNC.EDU>
Source record: 177084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Russ, one "trick" you might try is to put a DSP with pseudo COR output on the TS450 audio to simulate COR. JPS in Raleigh has such a mod for a little more than the price of their amateur product (high $300's) and you get DSP audio filtering as well.

You might also look at the Link Communications Controllers, They have TTL logic output on each radio port (one direction - to radio) to talk to the Kenwood directly without an interface.

Good luck, John

McCoy <rmccoy@nospamhere.com> wrote in article
<01bc4e5a$c85b96c0$31aa3bc6@hotel.intranet.asctmd.com>...
> I'm designing a repeater interface to my TS450 using the IF232 port on
the
> rig. Does anyone know where I can find the communication protocol across
> this port??
>
> Please respond via email via the following address:
> rmccoy@alb.asctmd.com
>
> Don't reply to this post as it is intended to filter the spam mailers.
>
> Thanks,
> Russ
>

1800. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: vx701205@woods.uml.edu
Message-ID: <1997Apr23.144840.1@willow>
Source record: 177085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3357a131.1626891@news.trucom.com>, marty@trucom.com (Marty Albert) writes:
>
>
> Has anyone else noticed all the WTB and For Sale ads in the groups
> lately? Seems to be getting bad again...
>
> This morning, out of 23 new articles in one group, 18 were
> inappropriate.
>
> Makes you wonder why we have rec.radio.amateur.swap for, eh?
>
> Take Care & 73
>
>
>
> Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
> Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

I agree! Are we going to turn into CB'ers, who in their selfishness, not
only ruin things for everybody, they even ruin it for themselves.

I say, Send an email complaint to each person who posts inappropriately
(and turn this place into 75 meters).

1801. WANTED--TR-4 TRANSMIT/RECEIVE RELAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: SEVENTH@Worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <5jlolr$s9i@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177086

need a transmit/receive relay for my tr4--if you can help me locate
one, i would be very appreciative. Thanks, Dave N1WAY
email to SEVENTH@Worldnet.att.net

1802. Re: Some Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: markm@banspam.mdhost.cse.tek.com
Message-ID: <335e65ba.416326281@goodnews.tek.com>
Source record: 177087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 23 Apr 1997 09:23:39 -0400, adell@mailhost2.planet.net (Steve (KF2TI-Landing, NJ)) wrote:

>[This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.dx and a copy was sent to
>the cited author.]
>
>In article <01bc4eac$48a14040$2bc1e1ce@carl.ais.net>, carl@ais.net
>says...
>> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>>
>> Steve (KF2TI-Landing, NJ) <adell@mailhost2.planet.net> wrote in article
>> <MPG.dc591c996f53390989856@news.planet.net>...
>> > I am switching from a Yaesu FT890 to an Icom 706, for mobile DX. I
>> > have heard unfaltering things about the Icom external tuner,
>> > especially pricing.
>>

Let me cast a vote for the SGC-230 tuner (about $450 from HRO). I used it with my IC-706 during the Pacific Cup sailing race from San Francisco to Hawaii last year. Once installed, it's just about fire-and-forget; no need to push buttons to initiate tuning; and I didn't even bother to install a "TUNED" indicator -- just watched the SWR drop. It tuned my 23-foot marine whip on 160 to less than 2:1 SWR. (No assertions about the radiation efficiency of this configuration, though!)

It's well-built for the outdoor environment and works very well with the 706 in my experience. I chose it over the available Icom tuner at the time.

Regards,

Mark
K7MPH

1803. wtb: yaesu ft727 battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: akrol29b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423200500.QAA01455@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177088

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mine broke beyond the help of superglue so if you have an extra
fnb4/4a or alkaline pack to sell leave email
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1804. Need mods for Icom 2GXAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: twurts@netreach.net
Message-ID: <twurts-2304971028540001@ppp-207181-145.netreach.net>
Source record: 177089

Looking for mod to allow for coverage of marine bands with 2GXAT.

If you have info:

Topher Wurts, twurts @ netreach.net

1805. For Sale:Rohn 25G Folover Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423220700.SAA10941@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177090

I still have for sale a Rohn 25G foldover kit model number Fk-2558 in excellent condition. The foldover kit is 6 years old no rust and comes with everything you need to get it up. I'm asking $450 or will take best reasonable offer. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or leave a e-mail.
WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma

1806. Re: FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.970423211321.238C-100000@randomc.com>
Source record: 177091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

looking for schematic for lafayette kt-320 or he-30 if there is anyone out that has one out there, e-mail back. thanks from n4pge in griffin, georgia, i am working on this rig, it was ready for the trash can.

1807. Re: FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: fzbruss@rocky.ucdavis.edu
Message-ID: <5jlt6o$73q$1@mark.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 177092

Scott Wilkerson (n9kqk@hsonline.net) wrote:
: Does anyone have a part number for the DC input plug for the FT-50R
: ht? A friend got one without the cord or recharger, all my adapters
: seem to be too big. Is there an aftermarket replacement or one at the
: local RShack?
:
: Thanks in advance
:
: Scott - N9KQK
:
It's part #274-1532; $1.99 for two.

Mike, KF6IMS.

1808. Re: FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Message-ID: <335EEFF7.6CC4@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Source record: 177093

Michael Bruss wrote:
>
> Scott Wilkerson (n9kqk@hsonline.net) wrote:
> : Does anyone have a part number for the DC input plug for the FT-50R
> : ht? A friend got one without the cord or recharger, all my adapters
> : seem to be too big. Is there an aftermarket replacement or one at the
> : local RShack?
> :
> : Thanks in advance
> :
> : Scott - N9KQK
> :
> It's part #274-1532; $1.99 for two.
>
> Mike, KF6IMS.

Anybody make this work? I can get it to work if I hold it pushed in,
but when I let go, it breaks contact. Seems like the contact is
too far up inside the barrel.
miker
--
Please remove NOSPAM from return address before replying.

1809. Which One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John L. Hammers" <Pjohnh@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335EF1F7.DB5@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177094

i am interested in buying a new rig, so far i have narrowed my selection down to either the yaesu 1000D or the icom 775DSP, and maybe the kenwood 850. any and all reviews, comments, history, problems will be greatly appreciated. please e-mail me with responses pjohnh@brigadoon.com
thankx
John H

1810. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfurno@interact.net.au
Message-ID: <335d9a63.2051515@news.interact.net.au>
Source record: 177095

Hi There

the most likely problem if you rig goes out of lock from 7.5mhz and up is the filter switching diodes on the rf board "there is a service bullitin about this" at kenwoods ftp site or in the vco on the rf board it could the a capacitor in there i had a problem simmilar to what you described and it turned out to be a 56pf cap located near T22 in the vco box on the rf board witch is the occilator for 7.5 - 14.5 mhz!! so it should be one of them two problems!!! i take it you have done the vco 5 mod on the pll board that also gives similar symptoms of pll unlock normaly over the full range of the transceiver!!!

good luck bill vk2eu

Roy Church <rac@isise.rl.ac.uk> wrote:

>Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase
>lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to
>occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.
>

****
Bye
Bill
E-Mail bfurno@interact.net.au
****

1811. ADVERTISE TO OVER 100 MILLION PEOPLE FOR FREE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: nejeh@gdi.net
Message-ID: <5jmd2a$65g@news.gdi.net>
Source record: 177096

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Email Lock Box etc.
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along with this order form.
nejeh@gdi.net

1812. FS: Timewave 599zx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsnider@access.digex.net
Message-ID: <335e8e2a.4312880@news.erols.com>
Source record: 177097

I've got a mint condition Timewave 599zx that I'd like to sell.
It's available for inspection in the Washington, DC metro area.

Asking $270

73,

Don Snider
WB4ZHO

1813. Drake SW for sale...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rokeith@wco.com
Message-ID: <rokeith-2304971721340001@hydra60.wco.com>
Source record: 177098
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.shortwave,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio,pl.rec.radio,francom.radio_amateur

A friend of mine has a DRAKE R-8 Shortwave receiver for sale.

Asking US$650.00

For further info, contact:

Trey Boothe
415.349.9218
(united states telephone number)

=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=
Keith W. Seckel
rokeith@wco.com
City College of San Francisco
3rd semester ADN student
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1814. Ten-Tec 1220 - Comments ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Rettig <rettig@cct.infi.net>
Message-ID: <335E1E82.5246@cct.infi.net>
Source record: 177099

I'm thinking about buying one. Any comments on quality/value/performance?

1815. WTB: FT-207R non-working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crsdan@mis.net>
Message-ID: <335E95D7.16CC@mis.net>
Source record: 177100

HI guys........

I'm looking for a non-working Yaesu FT-207R HT for parts. Antenna,

battery, and charger not needed. This is an old LED read-out type of HT.

Please call 606-238-0029 days or 502-863-0500 nights and ask for Mark.

Thanks.........KB4AEP

1816. Cross Band Repeater????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <335EF66C.DDC@flash.net>
Source record: 177101

What is this used for and why would you need it on a dual band radio?

Thanks
lee H.

1817. FS: Cushcraft 220MHz 11 el. Yagi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <335DEC46.48B4@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:
Cushcraft 11 element 220MHz Yagi (Beam) Antenna

In good shape, currently assembled but removed from service as of
4-20-97.

Asking $40. Pickup in Orange County, California

73,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

1818. FS: Telex - Hy-Gain 18AVT 10-80M Vertical Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <335DEBA3.1258@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:
Telex - Hy-Gain 18AVT Multiband Vertical Antenna

Covers 10 through 80 meters. In great shape, currently assembled but
removed from service as of 4-20-97. May be ground- or roof-mounted.
With manual for reinstallation.

Asking $75. Pickup in Orange County, California

73,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

1819. FS: 220MHz G7 Vertical Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <335DEB6C.6CC2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:
G7 220MHz Vertical Antenna

Good for base or repeater use. In good shape, currently assembled but removed from service as of 4-20-97.

Asking $40. Pickup in Orange County, California

73,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

1820. Re: 10/11 meter recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <335d7230.2487363@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 177165

I suggest 10 since the less meters you have the less wiring is involved.
It might be better if you use 2 meters with switching to save front
panel space.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1821. Info Wanted Dentron DTR-2000L Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423003600.UAA24030@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177166

I recently aquired a DENTRON DTR-2000L Amp. I am told that there are a few mods you must do unless you want to be buying a new 8877 every six months. Something was said about exceeding grid current specs on hi power SSB operation due to the low plate voltage on the tube. Also the filaments are getting 6.5 volts from the transformer and should only have 5.00 volts which causes the filaments of the tube to vaporize or go open. Perhaps the need for step start in rush circuit. Any information, experiences good or bad, or anything you can tgell me that might be of some help, I would appreciate. 73 de Van, WB0NZV

wb0nzv@aol.com

1822. WTB : 2 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4f76$0566f520$45f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 177167

i am looking for a good 2 meter mobile.
preferably 50 watts ,but,will consider others
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

1823. FS : Alinco DJ 580 dual band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <E92IGw.3At@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 177168
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Alinco DJ 580 dual band HT for sale, the radio is in excellent condition, in box with manual, all accessories, drop in charger, EBP 20N 700mAH battery, and EBP 20 NS 1500 mAH battery. The radio has been modified for out of band TX and RX, as well as the 800 band, (cellular included). Very sensitive. Also has PL DECODE as well as encode on board.

$325.00 or BEST OFFER.

Not interested in any trades.

E-Mail if interested
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine BendixK43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

1824. FS-TENTEC 242 REMOTE VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423013501.VAA28968@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177169

Hi All!
I have for SALE:
TENTEC model 242 remote VFO in exc. to mint condition. Was in use with the
triton IV and works fine, no manual! Price is $100- Shipped UPS CONUS
Thanks es 73........RICH RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM

1825. IC2350H vs. FT5100?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjhanso1@students.wisc.edu
Message-ID: <335d5b38.21952321@news.doit.wisc.edu>
Source record: 177170

My car got broken into and my old radio was stolen. So, now I am looking for a new one.

It looks like I can get an IC2350H or an FT5100 for about $400.00. Which should I buy?

Here is what I'd like:

Dual reception - one receiver on each band or both on the same band
Extended Rx - 144-160 MHz and 430-460 MHz
Mod for extended Tx - 144-160 MHz and 430-460 MHz
(ease of modification does count, I'm not an amateur with a soldering iron, but I'm no expert either...)
Large memory bank (preferably more than 70 memories)

Does anyone have any comments one way or another on these radios? If you had to choose, which way would you go?

Thanks,

N9LEA

1826. Kenwood TS-950SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: brufel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423032900.XAA08580@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177171

Have for sale MINT condition Kenwood TS-950SDX with optional 1.8 SSB filter. Also have SP-950 matching speaker and MC-85 microphone. I am original owner. Rig is 3 yrs old. Have all original boxes and packing and manuals. Non-smoker.
$2950 for all, including UPS CONUS.

Bruce K3BF
brufel@aol.com

1827. Yaesu FT-736R + options FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: brufel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423033300.XAA08982@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177172

Have excellent condition Yaesu FT-736R all mode VHF/UHF satellite
transceiver for sale. Rig contains the following options:

50 MHz module
1.2 GHz module
Narrow CW filter
Tone board
Speech synthesizer

Rig looks and works perfectly. Will sell for $1850 incl UPS CONUS.

Bruce K3BF
brufel@aol.com

1828. Yaesu FT-736R + options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: brufel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423034800.XAA10057@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177173

Have for sale excellent condition Yaesu FT-736R VHF/UHF satellite
transceiver.
Non-smoker. Have all paperwork. Radio looks great and works fine. No
problems.
Rig has the following options in it:

50 MHz module
1.2 GHz module
Narrow CW filter
Tone board
Speech synthesizer

Will sell for $1850 incl UPS CONUS

Bruce K3BF
brufel@aol.com

1829. Re: FT50RD wide recv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <335d7a26.794599@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 177174

The mod for the newer version of the ft50 is at
http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50
(previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)

Charlie Hicks <chicks@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I purchased a apparent "new" version of the FT-50R (w/FTT-12 keypad). I
>performed the CAP/MARS mod (works) and the wideband recv mod using the
>pull-the-plug method with the ADMS-1C write method.
>
>I cannot get the radio to fully open up for recv.
>
>Does anyone know the procedure (if it exists) for the newer versions or
>has anyone successfully opened the newer versions up for full recv
>(76-999 Mhz)?
>
>Is the freeband mod required for full recv range?
>
>Thanks..
>Charlie

1830. Re: TS450 IF232 Protocol?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5jk1np$f6g$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 177175
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Kenwood TS450 uses the RS-232 serial protocol. The signaling is TTL logic level, that must be converted to +/-12 volt to interface to the more popular "PC" type signaling standard. This can be accomplished by purchasing and interfacing a MAX-232 chip (TTL - RS232 level converter), and a TTL inverter. Get a spec / interfacing sheet on the MAX 232 chip, it will explain how to build a simple converter board. After that, the rig communicates at 4800 baud, Hardware flow control, 8 data bits, 2 stop bits, and no parity (if my memory serves me). After that, the commands to be sent and received should be found in the supplimental guide that comes with the TS-450. If you don't have that book, email me, and I'll send them to ya. Good luck, 73, Mike - WQ0N

In article <01bc4e5a$c85b96c0$31aa3bc6@hotel.intranet.asctmd.com>, "McCoy" <rmccoy@nospamhere.com> wrote:
>I'm designing a repeater interface to my TS450 using the IF232 port on the
>rig. Does anyone know where I can find the communication protocol across
>this port??
>
>Thanks,
>Russ

1831. WTB:*Kenw'd Modules*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael D. Ryan" <kb4cvl@erols.com>
Message-ID: <335DA583.7878@erols.com>
Source record: 177176

I am looking for Kenwood tribander band modules, especially the 6 meter, 10 meter and 220mhz units. These are compatible with all the Kenwood 641, 642 741 and 742 radios. Any help would be appreciated. (703)791-8280 or e-Mail kb4cvl@erols.com Thanks, MIKE

1832. Re: Emergency Mangement Office

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423062700.CAA21315@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177177

>What type of rigs are you looking for and how many of each

Check out the Emergency Management Agency (mine) page at
http://members.aol.com/richmondpd/ema.html

Also looking for donations of ANY working transceivers.

Any questions, email me direct!

1833. Re: Opinions on ADI AT600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423063200.CAA21537@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177178

>Considering purchase of either ADI AT600 or R/S HTX-204, and am seeking
>opinions and personal experience with the radio(s). I see that ADI is
>relatively new to the ham market, and is made in Taiwan...don't want to
>buy junk !

Rich,

considering Radio Shack just pulled all their HTX-204's off on recall
(anyone tell me why????)
Looks like your chopices might be narrowed down

1834. FS: ICOM 736 or Trade for ICOM 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Roe <johnr@bicnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4f7b$b1990ae0$2924c6cf@jrr>
Source record: 177179

I first posted this on the 756 reflector group to see if any of those who professed that they wanted to get rid of their 756, would take me up on the deal. As you can see by this posting so far all those folks have decided to hang onto their 756's.

I am trying to sell my IC-736 so I can buy a 756, or I would be willing to trade it on a 756's. How about it any takers?

It is approximately two years old and in excellant condition.

Some of it's features include:

All band (160 - 6 Meters), All Mode (SSB, CW, AM, FM).
General Coverage Receiver (500kHz - 29.995 MHz)
Built in Automatic Antenna Tuner
Includes 110 VAC power supply.
Automatic selection of 2 Antenna Inputs
100 Watts on all Bands at 100% Duty Cycle
101 Memories plus up to 10 memo pad memories
Includes hand microphone
have original box and manual

Reason for selling, Want new Icom 756.

Will Ship Fedex 2nd day.

Asking $1,300.00 dollars.

If interested please respond to KE1CQ@bicnet.net

Thanks & 73's John KE1CQ Harvard, MA

1835. Want: Manual for HAL ST-8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@psyber.com>
Message-ID: <01bc4fb5$ee07e160$60c087cf@packard-bell>
Source record: 177180
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello -
Looking for a manual (or copy) for the Hal ST-8000
RTTY terminal unit. Any costs happily repaid!
Thanks de John WB6GHA
occupant@psyber.com
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1836. FS: KENWOOD TM732 DUAL BAND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tdemos@cts.com
Message-ID: <335d9658.120225881@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 177181

For sale: Kenwood tm732 in very good conditon. Price includes
diplexer. $350. Respond by email to: tdemos@cts.com.
Thanks, Ted

1837. FS: Kenwood TS 680 S HF + 6 Meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don & Monica Casella <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <335DCB96.3142@ziplink.net>
Source record: 177182
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,ne.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS 680S HF with 6 meters.
-100 watts on all bands, 20 watts on 6 meters, all mode.
- Narrow CW filter
- SP 430 matching external speaker
- Orig. box, manual, and service manual.
$850.00 including shipping continental U.S.

The only reason for selling is that I work full time and will be attending Grad. school part time and simply will not have time to operate.

1838. FS: MFJ HF/VHF Vertical Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don & Monica Casella <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <335DCCBE.EFD@ziplink.net>
Source record: 177183
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.equipment,ne.forsale,ny.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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MFJ Model 1796 Vertical Antenna:
- Covers 2, 6, 10, 15, 20, and 40 meters.
- Pick up or delivery near Hartford, CT
$100.00
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1839. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <5jjmvt$34v@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 177184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Marty Albert <marty@trucom.com> wrote:
>Willard Flagg <flagg@TFF.Com>

>>I don't see a rec.radio.amateur.swap. I do see a rec.radio.swap and a
>>rec.ham-radio.swap. Perhaps others don't get the sub-group either.

>rec.radio.amateur.swap has been around for well over a year now.
>Sounds like your ISP is falling down on the job of getting new groups
>added.

Actually Marty, it sounds more like your ISP falls for every bogus news-
group that's created outside of the recognized and accepted procedure.
There was no Call For Discussion, nor was there a Call For Votes, and
there was no posting of any r.r.a.swap charter. Thus, it's bogus and
will eventually be cancelled.

(Are you sure it's not under the alt hierarchy?)

Jeff

1840. FS: 12 Volt 20 Amp. power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don & Monica Casella <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <335DCC61.4A7@ziplink.net>
Source record: 177185
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,ne.forsale,ny.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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20 Amp. Regulated Power Supply
- 12 Volts
- Pick up or delivery only, near Hartford, CT
$50.00
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1841. Any GPS/VHF tnc's out there?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwshock@access.usa.net
Message-ID: <5jk8h9$79m$2@shiva.usa.net>
Source record: 177186

Is anyone out there aware of a VHF TNC capable of doing GPS also? I am working on a weather balloon project and something of this nature would sure be handy.

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73 de "Its not who asked the question but
AA0UF/Doug what the question was that counts."

1842. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsonhe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423074800.DAA24939@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177187

ARCO trimmers. Available from most supply houses. If you only need a few,
E-mail me.

W4ZCB

1843. Looking for Daiwa NS-660PA schematic diagram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <335DDAA3.5D3C@shani.net>
Source record: 177188

I'm looking for the Daiwa SWR/powermeter model NS-660PA
schematic diagram. I want to upgrade my CN-101 meter with
same PEP circuit used in the NS-660. I'll be glad to pay
for postage and copy fees.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD
e-mail: morel@shani.net
mail post: G.Morel, Box 836, Bat-Yam 59107, ISRAEL
fax: +972-8927-3488 Attn. Morel

1844. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335E053E.6F7D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

philip de cadenet wrote:
>
> Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
> manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
> These are for a 160m mosfet tx design that I am working on, please help.
> An e-mail direct would be greatly appreciated: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk
>
> Thanks
>
> Phil de G4ZOW.
> So many toys,
> So little time and so little money!

I've found this trick very useful. Look inside any radioshack device (2 meteramp Transeiver etc) if you find a part that matchs your needs call RSparts at 1-800-the-shack. Tell them you need that part! Inside the little 2 meter amp are 3 variablecap. I know 1 of them is a 10-50 pf unit. It'll set you back a cool $1.99....Good luck!

1845. Re: HW-8 Call to Experts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Miller <brmiller@Tracy.com>
Message-ID: <335DF68C.2E71@Tracy.com>
Source record: 177190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You need the HW-8 Handbook, it has all kinds of mods and fixes for the HW-8. You can get one from Mike Bryce WB8VGE 2225 Mayflower NW, Massillon, OH 44647. The cost is $11 which includes shipping.

I have a HW-8 and it has the same problems as yours. The cure is to rewind the coils for those bands along with changing some cap values.

Good luck

Bob

Wb6KWT
http://www.tracy.com/~brmiller

1846. WTT: Kenwood TR-9000 2M all mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970423.082236.10135.2.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 177191

I have a TR-9000 <2M all mode, 5 memories, 10 watts>. that I'd like to swap for a late model 2M FM tranciever.. this unit is in excellent condition, includes mobile bracket, microphone and manual.. what am I offered? replies: Bthaysen@Juno.com

1847. Re: Some Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: adell@mailhost2.planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.dc7bc525fc6e4f398985a@news.planet.net>
Source record: 177192
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

[This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.dx and a copy was sent to
the cited author.]

In article <01bc4eac$48a14040$2bc1e1ce@carl.ais.net>, carl@ais.net
says...
> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>
> Steve (KF2TI-Landing, NJ) <adell@mailhost2.planet.net> wrote in article
> <MPG.dc591c996f53390989856@news.planet.net>...
> > I am switching from a Yaesu FT890 to an Icom 706, for mobile DX. I
> > have heard unfaltering things about the Icom external tuner,
> > especially pricing.
>
> Not use what you mean by "unfaltering"

Should be unfavorable, but the spell checker did not know that's what I
meant when I typed it.

> ... but I used an Icom
> 736 with an Icom autotuner (I believe it was an "AT-2") on the
> boat to tune the backstay ...

A few have mention this tuner, I think it's now model AH-2A or B. I
bears looking into. Unfortunately, there are no specs (space is at a
premium) I did see some picture and it looks fairly compact

The connections sound straightforward. Both the tuner and the RF section
will be mounted in the truck, so the ground connections will be very
short and there are places aplenty to find suitable grounds
>
> Carl - wa6vse
> carl@ais.net

So far the vote is 4 for the Icom tuner 2 for the SGC tuner.

Thanks for the input. :)

--
Steve KF2TI

1848. Generic Connector Liquidation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@connect.mv.com
Message-ID: <335e09cb.33000013@news.mv.net>
Source record: 177193
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

To: Retail, wholsale, OEM, and industrial customers
From: Connectors Unlimted - Sales Dept.
Date: April 01, 1997

Effective immediately, Connectors Unlimited has terminated all small dollar retail sales. We will continue to supply "Name Brand" products to our wholsale, OEM, and industrial customers who meet the minimum order requirements.

Our "Generic" connector line has been discontinued. Inventory will not be replaced. Most connectors and adaptors are available in one or more of our "Name Brand" lines. These lines are simply higher grade, better quality and manufactured to more stringent specification. Prices are, on average, 60% - 100% higher than our Generic line.

Existing inventory of products in our "Generic" line will be sold by lot with a minimum order of $250.00 or the entire line item. A complete listing of this inventory will soon be available by e:mail and on our Webb site. Any one interested may send a message to:

sales@connect.mv.com

with a subject of "Generic Inventory"

You will be added to a distribution list. Information will be distributed as available.

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Customer Service
Connectors Unlimited
P O Box 5973
Manchester, NH 03108-5973

Mailto:tech@connect.mv.com (Technical Support)
Mailto:sales@connect.mv.com (Orders only)
http://hightec.com/connectors/

(603) 641-1179 fax
(603) 668-3804

"We'll keep you well connected"

1849. Re: Looking for Daiwa NS-660PA schematic diagram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <335E0037.5DE2@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 177194

morel grunberg wrote:
>
> I'm looking for the Daiwa SWR/powermeter model NS-660PA
> schematic diagram. I want to upgrade my CN-101 meter with
> same PEP circuit used in the NS-660. I'll be glad to pay
> for postage and copy fees.
>
> 73 de Morel, 4X1AD
> e-mail: morel@shani.net
> mail post: G.Morel, Box 836, Bat-Yam 59107, ISRAEL
> fax: +972-8927-3488 Attn. Morel

I have never seen a schematic of the 660 but the parts count looks very similar to the PEP converter kit available from HI-RES Communications for $19.95 US. There are few reasonable ways to design this simple circuit. The HI-RES kit works very well on any wattmeter. The address for HI-RES is 8232 Woodview, Clarkston, MI 48348-4058. Phone # is 810-391-6660. They also have Collins repair and maintenence video tapes.

Chuck, KE9UW
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Charles (Jack) Hawley Jr.
Amateur Radio: Chuck, KE9UW
BMW Motorcycles: Jack, BMWMOA #224
c-hawley@uiuc.edu
Sr. Research Engineer Emeritus
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

"...gimme the fat beat"

1850. Re: Icom BP-160 Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <335e009d.1187472@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 177195

On Mon, 21 Apr 1997 21:46:41 GMT, dougd@lrbcg.com (Doug D) wrote:

>BP-160
>
>How many volts is this battery? When I got it, it had 5 volts; after
>charging for 24 hours it has 8.0 volts. I thought this was a 12 volt
>battery since the HT (IC2GXAT) is sold as 7 watts.

I think it is 12 volts, though do not have any literature with me
supporting that. If I find out differently I will try to get back to
you. Sounds as if there is more than one bad cell in the BP-160

Gary

THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

1851. WTT: Kenwood TR-9000 2M all mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970423.094633.10135.4.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 177196

Howdy.. I have available for trade a Kenwood TR-9000 2M all mode radio, includes microphone, mobile bracket, and manual... I'd like to swap it for a late model 2M FM mobile .... OR? .. what am I offered..? 73's,
Barry W6HZW/3
replies: Bthaysen@juno.com or 1-301-829-3981

1852. RADIO HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc2bcg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970423123500.IAA03496@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177197

I have a couple of radios and would like some opinions on their operation
and value. Thanks in advance!

Hammerland HU-180 and HC-10
NRC HR500
Racal RA6790
Hallicrafter SX-88 and SX-100
Eddystone 850-2 and 770 U
Collins S15-1 and 75A-4
Drake T4X and MS4

73,
George
KC2BCG

Take Care of Number 1
Don't Step in Number 2

1853. TrAnSmItTiNg wItH MiCrOwAvE GuNn DiOdEs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: PlAsTiC MaN <kiss@techie.com>
Message-ID: <5jkvn3$f2g$1@nuacht.iol.ie>
Source record: 177198

Does anyone know anything any transmitting on the 10 GHZ
band with Gunn Diodes?
What do they cost?
How do you stop them drifting?

Tony

kiss@iol.ie

1854. FS: Yaesu FT-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <335E02AB.332A@notify1.com>
Source record: 177199

For sale: Yaesu FT-10R 2-meter handheld radio. This is the
FT-10/40-A16 version (2.5 Watt battery, 30 channels, DTMF, PL encode).
Modified to transmit and receive from 140 to 174MHz. The FT-10 has some
notable features not included on the dual-band FT-50:

-Memories can be managed in groups of 10 channels.
-True "prioroty" channel while scanning other memories.
-1/2 sec. "Turn-on" delay prevents accidental battery drain.
-Menu has "half deviation" mode for narrowband repeaters.

Purchased new in October of '96. Price: $195.00 plus shipping.

Ken Gianino - WB0QNA
ken@notify1.com
(day) 314-241-1188 Ext.203
(eve) 314-894-1822

1855. Wanted Icom 726

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <335E20F0.6707@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 177200

I have an Icom 725, and now am looking for a 726. Please send your best price, including what accessories you have, shipped.
Frank KG9H

1856. Re: HLP! FT-50 CPU SETTINGS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Toscano" <tosca005@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <335E2FF1.27F9@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Source record: 177201

bcs@starnets.ro wrote:
>
> I wish to gnow the default values for the following settings:
>
> VHF:
>
> HSSQ
> *THSQ
> *TISQ
> *S1LV
> *S9LV
> HPO
> L3
> L2
> L1,
>
> and the same corresponding settings for UHF

I screwed up the THSQ, TISQ, S1LV, and S9LV values on the VHF side of my radio because I foolishly thought that I could set them in the "usual" manner, i.e. by selecting the option and turning the knob. With lots of frustration, I have managed to get them to usable values but I'm sure that they are not yet "correct". Unlike the other variables that are set normally (and probably HSSQ, but I didn't change that one from zero), you FIRST provide an input signal of the correct strength, and THEN pick the option to have the radio pick whatever numeric value that signal produces. Twirling the knob does nothing. Since I didn't have an RF Signal Generator with variable output available, I had to scan the 2M band with the radio in normal operation mode until I found "weak" and "strong" signals, quickly return the radio to the setup mode, and hope that the QSO's were still underway so I could grab the signal at that moment as the value for the option. It's a real pain, because you can't change the frequency while in setup mode without cancelling setup mode. Grrrrrrr!

I also don't know the "default" values of the 8 power settings, mainly because they were set wrong at the factory. I got out my Power/SWR meter and adjusted them all so that I was actually putting out the power as specified in the manual (5, 2.5, 1, 0.1 watts).

Since no one seems to have volunteered any "default" values yet, I'll post what I have currently, and I'll be interested to see if someone else posts the "correct" factory values for the 4 that I screwed up, although I'm not so sure I want to try to change them again. Maybe

I'll have to resort to sending the radio in for service...

SETTING	VHF VALUE	UHF VALUE
HSSQ	0	0
THSQ	123*	113
TISQ	126*	70
S1LV	42*	107
S9LV	196*	199
HIPO	255**	255**
L3PO	105**	100**
L2PO	80**	70**
L1PO	35**	32**

*These readings are almost CERTAINLY wrong! See the note above.

**These readings are NOT factory settings, but they are CORRECT FOR MY RADIO -- I set them with an RF Wattmeter. The factory settings were ALL too low to give the rated output power.

By the way, in case it matters, my (unmodified) radio comes up in setup mode with BAND A2C, not BAND A2 or A3...

1857. IC765 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <335E1F90.36FF@millcomm.com>
Source record: 177202

I have a very clean, virtually mint IC765 for sale. Standard features including 500hz CW filter. PBT mod installed. Mid 3000 serial number.

This is a wonderful radio. Built in keyer and power supply, extremely fast built-in tuner for 10-160, and still a choice for serious contesters and DXers around the world.

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$1500 firm. Shipping and insurance from Minneapolis to CONUS will run about $50 (if it's more than that, I'll pay it). I'll make sure it's packaged right.

Email direct please. I'll provide my phone number if you want to talk about it.

Larry N0XB
Northfield, MN

1858. IC765 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <335E1FA9.3C93@millcomm.com>
Source record: 177203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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1859. Is the Kenwood ST570D too new?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred.Gerbstadt@unisys.com
Message-ID: <5jkth9$3go$1@trsvr.tr.unisys.com>
Source record: 177204

Is the Kenwood ST570D so new that noone has found out how to modify it for transmissions outside the Ham bands?

Specifically am interested in Marine Band. I will soon have a marine band license.

I checked Oak.oakland.edu on the web... no luck. I have the schematics but what do I look for??? Most of the out of band mods on Oak.oakland.edu seem to do simple cuts to enable out of band operation. I will be willing to experiment ... but I need some idea of what and where to look. Got any Ideas? Reply by Email. FRED N3UZD

1860. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hartmus II <jhartmus@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc4ff7$f6e43a80$8073d4cd@jhartmus.brutus.bright.net>
Source record: 177205

I have a Motorola Radius GP-300 UHF hand held with a rapid charger and two batteries.
This radio is programmed for 440 Mhz. repeater pairs common in central Ohio. I would like to sell it (for $350) or trade it for an amateur dual band hand held (2m/70cm). Anyone interested can reach me at (614) 775-1508 or jhartmus@bright.net.

1861. DJ-160

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: msolomon@mitre.org
Message-ID: <msolomon-2304971124420001@moise.mitre.org>
Source record: 177206

A friend of mine wants to sell me his used Alinc DJ-160 and being new to the hobby, I have a couple of questions I hope someone can help me with. First, if the radio is left off for more than an hour or so, it locks up (blank readout) and has to be reset which causes it to loose memories, etc. Is there an internal battery or capacitor that saves the memories? Any other suggestions as to possible fixes?

Also, what is this radio worth in perfect condition?

Thanks,
Moise Solomon
msolomon@mitre.org

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Moise Solomon
msolomon@mitre.org
J/24 #4112

1862. Swap IDE Drive for Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <crsdan@mis.net>
Message-ID: <335E6629.2FEE@mis.net>
Source record: 177207

Hi guys......
I'm looking to trade a good working 1GB 3.5" IDE hard drive for a Drake
MN-4 anteena tuner or an MFJ-949E or MFJ-941E tuner.
Call (606)238-0029 days or (502)863-0500 nights and ask for Mark.
Thanks..........KB4AEP

1863. Alinco DJ-S41T Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbye@crl.com
Message-ID: <861819312.21903@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The mod can be found at www.crl.com/~mbye/djs41t.html

Do it at your own risk!

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1864. FS: CSI CS900 Simplex Autopatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-2304971417550001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 177209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Brand new (never powered on) This is the model that does not need a dualband radio to operate, 300.00 shipped lower 48.

1865. FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9kqk@hsonline.net
Message-ID: <335e205b.0@news.hsonline.net>
Source record: 177210

Does anyone have a part number for the DC input plug for the FT-50R ht? A friend got one without the cord or recharger, all my adapters seem to be too big. Is there an aftermarket replacement or one at the local RShack?

Thanks in advance

Scott - N9KQK

1866. FS: 2 ARRL books--Satellite...;RFI...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: perry@scn.org
Message-ID: <E93sH4.GvI@scn.org>
Source record: 177211

1. The Satellite Experimenter's Handbook, Davidoff, 1990, 2nd ed, new $20
2. Radio Frequency Interference: How to Find It & Fix It, 1991, new $15
Will sell @ 40% off making them $12 and $9 + shipping.
Or both for $16 + shipping (4th class book rate).

Thanks,
Perry WA0UNU

1867. Electronic Goodies for Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <335e3a42.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 177212

I own a small Audio business that I'm selling out of so I
decided to set up a web site dedicated to trying to sell
my equipment as well as some person electronic items as well.

A quick listing of what I'm selling:

-Mackie CR-1604 Mixer -Peavey PV-8.5c Amplifier
-Ross Typhoon Loudspeakers -XLR Drop Snakes
-Mic Stands -Generic Microphones
-Adapteres/Transformers -Microcassette Recorder
-Sony TR-600 Camcorder -Canon AE-1 35mm Camera
-Archer Video Processor -Epson Stylus Color II Printer
-Radio Shack CT-1055 Bag Phone -Powerhouse X-10 Computer Interface
-M.Y.O.B. Accounting Software -Brand New Cell Phone Battery for Nokia 232
-1963 ARRL Handbook -More...

Please visit my web site at: http://mypage.ihost.com/unitedsound
for complete details and asking prices on any of the items listed
above including specifications and features. Or e-mail me at srwhite@ibm.net

Thanks,
Steve White - N2RWE
United Sound

1868. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <pmetcalf@xyplex.com>
Message-ID: <5jlds6$bhm@cronkite.xyplex.com>
Source record: 177213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

John:

Could you email me with the model numbers of the radio shack units if you can find them. I went in to a RS a while ago and the only one that they had listed was 1 unit for $179.00. Too much money for this service!

Thanks in advance!

-> Phil KKC4849 (Calamity), KA1NHZ, AFA1MY, Patriot 655

1869. ADI AT-200 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@netnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199704231621.LAA06686@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 177214

Does anyone know of a mode for the ADI AT-200 to allow it to transmit out
of Band?

___
/ \ Mike Hughes
O/_____\O 211 Woodland Drive
/_____/\ Lowell, IN 46356
(>> (_) <<) (219)696-3637 H (219)696-2436 Office
| _/ | <macmike@netnitco.net>
\ |^| / Preacher for Prairie Street Church of Christ
\|^|/ ETL List Manager to subscribe Write:
|^| ETL-request@genesis.acu.edu
|_| Looking for a Place to Preach Write:
ETL-churchlook@genesis.acu.edu

1870. Re: No smoking, or No Sale!, No Cats or No Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tonyz@rose.hp.com
Message-ID: <5jlelu$hdi@rosenews.rose.hp.com>
Source record: 177215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Don Montgomery (donrm@sr.hp.com) wrote:
: > Carl Hodder <sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca> wrote in article >
: > > If you own a cat you should either get rid of your cat or your equipment
: > > because they don't mix.

: Huh??? I used to get a lot of mouse droppings, urine corrosion, etc.,
: in equipment UNTIL I got my cat. No problem with mice OR the cat.

: Don K6LTS
: donrm@sr.hp.com

Please, if you do allow your kitty to peruse around the stuff
as I do (they're my friends) be sure they cant get into the
HV. I have a friend in Aptos, Ca. that was on the radio running
a homebrew linear amplifier in a rack. Mr. Kitty was poking
around and contacted the B+ somewhere and got fried. It was
very sad losing his friend that way.

And all you cat-hating flamers out there who are going to
say it got what it deserved...well, all I can say is cats
and ham shacks have been around together for a long time

I have a picture of operator 9CU dated 1913 when he was 12
years old pounding brass on his spark-gap transmitter in
his garage in Chicago with his old trusted friend Mr. Tabby
curled up and purring on the desk next to the key.

I've never met a cat I didnt like :-)

1871. RS Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kevin S." <khs01@gnofn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.95.970423144645.18034F-100000@sparkie.gnofn.org>
Source record: 177216

After speaking with the RS communications buyer, he said that ADI was not supposed to make the RS radios able to be modified for certain TX ranges. Well, it was able to. Therefore, they were pulled and sent back to ADI. They will keep the radios, and as of this moment, no replacement is on its way. RS doesnt want any new radios from ADI. He said he is very interested in getting a dual bander, but many companies (alinco, icom, etc) dont seem to want to give them a good price. Oh well....

73...

KC5ZOC
Kevin Schiffman
Email: khs01@gnofn.org
Web Page: http://www.clubnexus.com/nosp

1872. WTB Hammarlund SP-600 type

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlogin@gville.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5jodg5$vid@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176967

Interested in SP-600. E-mail me if you have one for sale!!!
Tnx & 73's Bob AA8A

1873. Re: 10 meter conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larin <larin@blueriver.net>
Message-ID: <335FEFB1.AFC@blueriver.net>
Source record: 176968

Larin wrote:
>
> OK now.... I have a 10 meter rig that is really nothing more than a big
> 11 meter CB. It is a Ranger RCI 2980 base station. I want it to cover
> the 10 meter band -- the whole thing! All the way up to 29.700 because
> when I get my General ticket I want to be able to use it!
>
> How is the best (right) way to modify this radio to the 10 meter band?
>
> What if I wanted to go down to 12 meters?
>
> Is there a way to make it cover 10 11 and 12? Probably not without
> retuning each time huh.
>
> Well, someone let me know what they think. I am familiar with such kit
> as the Expander 120 and 160 and have used the 120 for a channel
> conversion on the Cobra 2000. What do you all think?
>
> Larin
> larin@blueriver.net

Nevermind. I already have the conversion completed. Larin

1874. Questions on QRP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcdonld@ix.netcom.STOPSPAMMING
Message-ID: <MPG.dc9ea8c70529f98968f@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176969

I am looking into putting together a QRP setup to operate CW via a battery-powered portable on hilltops in my area.

Are there any good books or other writeups on QRP?

What are good keyer paddles that are more rugged in terms of dust tolerance and getting moved around?

I am leaning toward setting up for 40 meters if I get a single-band rig. Are there other bands (like the WARC bands) that are better for QRP than 40m?

All I have done so far is read the relatively recent reviews of QRP CW transceivers in QST and look at the web page for the Northern California QRP Club (whose meetings are a bit too far away from me); I am leaning toward the Wilderness Radio equipment because of good reviews, also the company is located closest to my home of any of those listed (for easier tech support), also I wanted a kit since I am not an EE and can't design my own but I like to further my knowledge and construction skills and have previously built an audio amp and preamp from kits. What experience do others have with kit QRP rigs?

I will probably string up a dipole antenna; are there other antennas others have found useful?

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Bob McDonald, KF6AZ
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1875. To ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John L. Hammers" <Pjohnh@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3360345C.DDB@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176970

Thankx for the info About The HF Rigs, Got a lot of feedback on Icom 775 DSP units, they appear to be least trouble prone and best reciever available. Was Very Surprised I got very little feed back on the Yaesu 1000 D, though. Doesn't anyone know anything about this radio, or is the ICOM THAT much better ?
Please respond direct to
pjohnh@brigadoon.com
or to
Pjohnh@worldnet.att.net

Thank you ...each and everyone who responded.
John H

1876. RCI 2900 schematic??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lenrev@wwa.com
Message-ID: <3363d360.3872670@news.wwa.com>
Source record: 176971

I need a schematic for the RCI 2900 transceiver if anyone can direct
me to a source. No answer from RCI. TIA

****
| Len Revelle N9IJ |
| Illinois AMA 60055 |
| lenrev@wwa.com |
****

1877. Albuquerque, NM Tailgate Swapfest - April 26th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <5jomae$k5i$1@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 176972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Albuquerque, New Mexico Tailgate Swapfest
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WHEN: Saturday, April 26th
TIME: Early (Around 7AM?) - Whenever everybody leaves!
WHERE: St. Paul's United Methodist Church
9500 Constitution NE, Albuquerque
WHY: To buy, sell & trade Amateur Radio equipment.
TALK-IN: 147.06 (+, 100 Hz PL), 146.90 (-, 67 Hz PL),
or 147.15 (+, No PL) Albuquerque

Repeaters
FEES: None. Free admission, Free tailgating!

For more information, please contact Chuck, KC5GA. Bring your
equipment, and some cash and make some room in the shack for a new
toy or two, and get ready to have a good time!

=====> SPREAD THE WORD! <=====

73,
Brian, N5ZGT

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Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
Eagle Scout (12-6-96) ARRL QRP: NorCal# 1700 QRP-L# 580 AK/QRP # 125
JASM - Troop 41 Author of Worldradio's "Youth Forum" Column
Albuquerque, N.M. Packet: N5ZGT @ KC5IZT.ALBQ.NM.USA.NOAM
O.A. Lodge 66 <-W-W-W-<< Internet: n5zgt@swcp.com
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1878. Re: avanti antenna information needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Thornton <Techmo@teleweb.net>
Message-ID: <335FF568.F67BB032@teleweb.net>
Source record: 176973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It sounds like it could be a PDL2 Beam There would be two vertical, two horizontal elements the center circle would be the gamma's. There is a place called Copper Electronics in Louisville Ky. The Address is www.iglou.com/copper/. They used to sell the paperwork for avanti beams which are now made by antenna specialists.

1879. FS-Linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicwhite@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970424232901.TAA18346@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176974

FS Henry 2K Console linear. Asking $1,000.

email: Jayyy@msn.com
VicWhite@aol.com

1880. Adios, Cochinos & Gentlemen!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ted <ted@GetOutOfSpamFree.Card>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.3.91.970424174807.27722C-100000@prog1.caprica.com>
Source record: 176975

Well folks, bad finances have forced me to close this account.

Boy I bet Larry will just love that news. He'll have to go back to Fidonet, the free international network, to harrass me now. Which reminds me... Larry are you sure your REAL name isn't Steve Winter? If not your personality could be a dead ringer for his! ANYONE who has spent more than a year on FidoNet knows who Steve Winter is and if they ever get in Larry's sights, they'll know exactly why I made such an association!

I've given my html files to my cousin,(who is a new ham and who has just signed up on this system), until he can make his own so at least the good collection of links will survive me. But I must warn idiots like Larry that he is even more hard nosed conservative than I am albeit he's a lot more skilled at eloquently articulating his points, being a campaigner for Alan Keyes, I guess he has to be. I figured it was only fair to give them to him since he basicly wrote my whole webpage for me since I am not very skilled in html coding.

So 73's to you guys & catch you on FidoNet if you use it, or on 10 Meters!

Ted (ted@caprica.com)

PS to Larry: Bite me you socialist moron!

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| This account will soon be VACATED so email will not |
| be received. There is no planned fowarding address. |
| Consider any posts henceforth as "parting comments". |
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1881. FS>YAESU FT-2500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: GPridemore <gpridemore@kih.net>
Message-ID: <01bc50ba$8449cee0$c47169ce@default>
Source record: 176976

I have a Yaesu FT-2500M for sale...Unit is 14 months old and has never been mobile,Has been used less than 5 hours in the last 6 monthsand was only used around 5 hour's a week before that!!...Asking 250.00$

Ernie Pridemore (KC4IVG)
gpridemore@kih.net

1882. FS: NIB IC728/AT160/FL100/UI7 $1250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5jo1kg$2p1$1@mhade.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176977

FS: NIB IC728/AT160/FL100/UI7 $1250

For Sale:

Each item is new and in the box, complete.

IC728 HF transceiver 160-10 meters all mode
FL100 500 hz Cw Filter
UI7 AM/FM unit
AT160 Automatic antenna tuner with band memory

$1250 Firm

Contact:
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6
drasmussen@eosintl.com
(619) 434-6135

1883. Emperor Mods??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsuss@fullnet.net
Message-ID: <335fa375.0@206.103.97.91>
Source record: 176978

Hello All,

I have a fellow amateur that is needing a mod that will allow the radio to do FM repeater splits. Right now he has to jumble with the memory channels to get it to work just right. Any and all replies are greatly needed.

TIA

Chris
cmsuss@fullnet.net
(please reply to the email address)

1884. subscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33603257.20F7@flash.net>
Source record: 176979

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subscribe
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1885. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@no.ads
Message-ID: <335f4b2a.7572399@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 177017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 22 Apr 1997 10:41:55 +0100, philip de cadenet
<phil@two-way.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
>manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
>These are for a 160m mosfet tx design that I am working on, please help.
>An e-mail direct would be greatly appreciated: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk
>
>Thanks
>
>Phil de G4ZOW.
>So many toys,
>So little time and so little money!

Phil - I was surprised (and disappointed!) at all of the responses to
this request!

Where is Birkett and AJH in Rugby?

I would like ADDRESSES and PHONE NUMBERS for these two if they sell
such trimmers!!

Also - if you want a good long list of parts suppliers that may have
them, try this:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm

and click on PARTS

All the very best - Brian, AF4K / G3XLQ

To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
It is there to fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc DAWT com
For some GREAT Messianic Jewish resources on the Web, VISIT:
http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mjlynx.htm

1886. Re: Generic Connector Liquidation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@no.ads
Message-ID: <335f4c0b.7797207@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 177018
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Does anyone here know where to buy some "BELLING-LEE" connectors
in the USA? These are used for Co-ax on British TV and used to be used
on a lot of their FM and ham gear too. I need a couple for a British
ham transmitter I got! I've tried all of the usual sources here.

On Wed, 23 Apr 1997 13:20:53 GMT, sales@connect.mv.com (Customer
Service) wrote:

>To: Retail, wholsale, OEM, and industrial customers
>From: Connectors Unlimted - Sales Dept.
>Date: April 01, 1997
>
>Effective immediately, Connectors Unlimited has terminated all small
>dollar retail sales. We will continue to supply "Name Brand" products
>to our wholsale, OEM, and industrial customers who meet the minimum
>order requirements.

To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
It is there to fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc DAWT com
For some GREAT Messianic Jewish resources on the Web, VISIT:
http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mjlynx.htm

1887. Looking for WB3JBG, KA5JVU, and KC5NG QSL cards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5jnl3v$m5i@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 177019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

This is way off-topic, and I'm sorry for that, but here goes...

I'm looking for examples of my old QSL cards. Like a dummy, over the years I did not save examples of most of my cards. I want to put up a framed display of one of each of my cards in my hamshack, but I do not have them all. Actually, I can't even remember what some of them looked like.

I do NOT need these:
- WB3JBG card with tower/beam on front (my first QSL from 1977)
- KC5NG card with farm/barn/horses on front

I know one card was a promo from RCA, with a painting on the front side that depicted some sort of communications satellite, and my call would have been hand-written along the right-hand side of the front of the card. I only ever had 100 of these, so this one may be hard to locate.

I also used some temporary U-fill-in cards when I first moved from Delaware to Texas. These will also be very hard to find.

All of the other cards were bought from regular QSL vendors.

If you have one of my old cards that you'd be willing to part with, and the front side is in mint or near-mint condition, please email me and I'll make arrangements to get the card(s) from you.

Thanks very much and 73!

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Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net
211 Addison Place
PO Box 328 Home: (817) 497-5365
Lake Dallas, Texas 75065-0328 Work: (972) 462-2033

1888. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335F5990.6291@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

Brian Carling wrote:
>
> Oh yes, I am SURE he is going to find trimmers for a 160m transmitter
> inside a Radio Shack 2 meter rig - NOT!!
>
> On Wed, 23 Apr 1997 08:49:02 -0400, Jim N8XYN
> <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> >philip de cadenet wrote:
> >>
> >> Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
> >> manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
> >> These are for a 160m mosfet tx design that I am working on, please help.
> >> An e-mail direct would be greatly appreciated: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk
> >>
> >> Thanks
> >>
> >> Phil de G4ZOW.
> >> So many toys,
> >> So little time and so little money!
> > >
> > >
> > >I've found this trick very useful. Look inside any radioshack device (2
> > >meteramp Transeiver etc) if you find a part that matchs your needs call
> > >RSparts at 1-800-the-shack. Tell them you need that part! Inside the
> > >little 2 meter amp are 3 variablecap. I know 1 of them is a 10-50 pf
> > >unit. It'll set you back a cool $1.99....Good luck!
>
> To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
> It is there to fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
> Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc DAWT com
> For some GREAT Messianic Jewish resources on the Web, VISIT:
> http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mjlynx.htm

Excuse me but he is LOOKING for 5 to 10 Nf caps...pretty small values
huh? Just so happens that small components like that do exist in 2
meter equipment! And also 160 meter stuff.....

1889. Got an IC-735 for sale or trade?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Logan <hiwatt@tir.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5099$bc3157e0$7754dacd@logan>
Source record: 177021

Need ICOM-735. Have Kenwood TS-820S w/MFJ-949C to trade/sell.

1890. Info on Palomar TX-150 Brick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Jankowski <russja@stratos.net>
Message-ID: <335F5C53.3C75@stratos.net>
Source record: 177022
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello All .!!!

I have recently purchased a Palomar Tx-150 Solid State Amp. It was manufactured by Palomar Electronics - I think . I am looking for a schematic and/or specs on the amp.

Thanks in advance,

WA8DXK --- Russ

1891. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Gonzalez <grg@umn.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc50b5$405ef980$90865486@grgdell.umn.edu>
Source record: 177023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> wrote in article
<335F5990.6291@worldnet.att.net>...
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> huh? Just so happens that small components like that do exist in 2
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Note that is 5 to 10 nf "nanofarads" not pf "picofarads". That's 5,000 to
10,000 pf,
where common trimmers are 5 to 100pf. A 2-meter rig is unlikely to have a
5,000pf
trimmer. I misread this too the first time.

1892. Re: New student radio club needs help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <335F687E.5C5C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177024

James Wells, KC5SIZ wrote:
>
> I have founded a new student amateur radio club at Cy-Fair
> High School in Cypress, TX, and WE NEED YOUR HELP!! Before
> the summer we will be getting our first batch of newly
> licensed hams, but very few of them will have any money to
> get a station on the air. If you can help with a monetary
> or equipment donation of any kind, please point your browser to:
>
> http://www.argohouston.com/pages/g/gewellss/
>
> ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE!!!
>
> 73's,
>
> James A. Wells, KC5SIZ
> President, Cy-Fair HS ARC
> mailto:jwells@argohouston.com

Hi James -- You can organize a local Ham Auction at ur Hi School parking
Lot on a weekend. Take 10% of the sales. Advertise your swap meet in
local club news letters and the repeaters. Have the crew make cookies
and lemonade at a dime a piece. Whatta you think???

73
Rod out of work in San Diego
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AC6V DX Reference Page
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
Main Page: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Index: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

1893. Blown UHF Amplifier Brick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cstampf@health.co.dutchess.ny.US
Message-ID: <199704241413.AB29425@gate.hin.state.ny.us>
Source record: 177025

Does anyone know where I can get a UHF amplifier module for my
Kenwood TM4100 dual band radio, rather than the manufacturer?

This is a good dual-bander that is left crippled without the UHF
portion. Service facilities can repair it but the cost seems to be
prohibitive. I know that I can save a few bucks by installing the
module myself, if I can find one.

Thanks
Charlie, N2CJ
cstampf@sprynet.com

Charles Stampf, SPHS
cstampf@health.co.dutchess.ny.us
Dutchess County Department of Health
387 Main Mall
Poughkeepsie NY 12601
(914) 486-3404

1894. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <335f6f4e.8331895@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 177026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 23 Apr 1997 01:00:45 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>Marty Albert <marty@trucom.com> wrote:
>>Willard Flagg <flagg@TFF.Com>
>
>>>I don't see a rec.radio.amateur.swap. I do see a rec.radio.swap and a
>>>rec.ham-radio.swap. Perhaps others don't get the sub-group either.
>
>>rec.radio.amateur.swap has been around for well over a year now.
>>Sounds like your ISP is falling down on the job of getting new groups
>>added.
>
>Actually Marty, it sounds more like your ISP falls for every bogus news-
>group that's created outside of the recognized and accepted procedure.
>There was no Call For Discussion, nor was there a Call For Votes, and
>there was no posting of any r.r.a.swap charter. Thus, it's bogus and
>will eventually be cancelled.

Jeff's right (for once), rec.radio.amateur.swap is a bogus group. And any and all rec.ham-radio.* groups are bogus as well. They were replaced by the rec.radio.amateur.* groups in the grand renaming. And there is no rec.radio.amateur.packet group either. I've seen that as a bogus group on some ISP servers, but it, like the rec.radio.amateur.swap group, is the result of some sysop doing an illegitimate group creation. All Big Eight hierarchies have an established process for creating groups. None of these bogus groups have passed through that process. But if someone wants to do it legitimately, I'd vote for the creation of an amateur swap group, and for a packet group under the digital hierarchy too.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

1895. Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Malezet Jean-Pierre <f6flv@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <335FE55C.B57@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 177027

Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment
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I have some trouble (CW-R mode only) with my IC706.

With the CW (not -R) mode, I can listen very well LSB stations.

But with the CW-R mode, I listen USB stations very badly and very weak :
The audiofrequency is very deep. If I try to listen a clear carrier, I
get 2 listening frequencies.

So, my CW-R mode seems to be out of adjustment.

Can anyone give me the component I have to adjust ?
And where is it on the board ? (Which board ?)
I do not have the technical manual.

Thanks a lot
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1896. Help on CW code settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335F7E38.120F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177028

Trying to setup a copy od NU Morse for the general class exam. (13 wpm)

What should I set the speeds to so it will be like the actual test.
Send speed=
Char Speed=
Word speed=

Thanks
Bob

1897. [=== LOOKING for OLD HP CATALOGS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <861901230.14607@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Greetings!

I am looking for old catalogs from HP and Tektronics before 1980 or so.

I will gladly pay for shipping and handeling.

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1898. help on ic2000 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: partain@leds.enet.qntm.com
Message-ID: <5jnqs3$gq1@worf.qntm.com>
Source record: 177030

I just bought an ic2000 2m and the manual sucks or the radio isn't working right...??? Two of us sat for 1.5 hrs trying to set in freq's and no joy...

is there anyone who can give me a quick what to do on this thing for programming in freq's?

I went into vfo mode (I think) and set the freq, hit the pgs button till it beeps one short/one long and 3 shorts and it doesn't put in the freq.

I tried just till the right hand bottom was blinking and it looked like something was going to happen but it wasn't programmed..why so complicated?

maybe it's n ot working correctly, it was the floor model from HRO in Salem

KA1MWP

1899. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjsilva@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5jo2c2$foe@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

In <335F5990.6291@worldnet.att.net> Jim N8XYN
<jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> writes:

>Excuse me but he is LOOKING for 5 to 10 Nf caps...pretty small values
>huh? Just so happens that small components like that do exist in 2
>meter equipment! And also 160 meter stuff.....

I've never seen compression trimmers as big as 10,000 pF, which is of course not to say they're not available. 10,000 pF has a reactance of about 0.1 ohms at 2 meters, so it's unlikely to be found in such equipment.

73,
Mike, KK6GM

1900. Re: Help on CW code settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335F7F72.5CEF@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177032

R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4 wrote:
>
> Trying to setup a copy od NU Morse for the general class exam. (13 wpm)
>
> What should I set the speeds to so it will be like the actual test.
> Send speed=
> Char Speed=
> Word speed=
>
> Thanks
> Bob
CORRECTION- the sftwr I am using is Super Morse Not Nu Morese.

Sorry
bob

1901. Yaesu FT-11R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2NRA <w2nra@netusa.net>
Message-ID: <335FADD8.5DB3@netusa.net>
Source record: 177033

Yaesu FT-11R 2 meter Hand-held Tranceiver
with: CTCSS decoder - FTS-26 installed
Spare Battery - FNB-31
Battery Charger- NC-55B
Base Charger Stand - CA-9
Mobile DC/Charger Adapter - E-DC-12

All like new condition $300.00

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Art Searle, W2NRA

1902. FS: Kenwood TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2NRA <w2nra@netusa.net>
Message-ID: <335FAE2F.5@netusa.net>
Source record: 177034

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Kenwood TS-570D HF Transceiver
with 500 Hz CW Filter $950.00
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Art Searle, W2NRA
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1903. Rat Shack 3 wire Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01bc50e9$49822800$6d60b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 177035

Has anyone had any dealings with the 15-1225 Radio Shack Rotor? I am building a 3 element 2 meter / 5 Element 70cm Quad for my attic. Obviously this is small with no wind load. Whats with the 3 Wires? Is the rotor now digitally controlled?!

Thanks for any replies in advance.

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Christopher Cox
KC8FRJ
TRA#4901

1904. Aircraft Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rt721@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970424162201.MAA15890@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177036

looking for 12 Aircraft 2-way radio, I understand that new regs are requiring upgrades, and i am looking for one that nolonger meets regs just for ground use no avat use

1905. Re: Icom BP-160 Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <335f554a.2017273@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 177037

On Wed, 23 Apr 1997 12:31:00 GMT, gfiber@news.cmc.net (Gary Fiber)
wrote:

>On Mon, 21 Apr 1997 21:46:41 GMT, dougd@lrbcg.com (Doug D) wrote:
>
>>BP-160
>>
>>How many volts is this battery? When I got it, it had 5 volts; after
>>charging for 24 hours it has 8.0 volts. I thought this was a 12 volt
>>battery since the HT (IC2GXAT) is sold as 7 watts.
>
>I think it is 12 volts, though do not have any literature with me
>supporting that. If I find out differently I will try to get back to
>you. Sounds as if there is more than one bad cell in the BP-160

Doug,

I was incorrect about the voltage for the BP-160 battery.

The BP-160 is a 7.2 volt 700 mAh battery so getting 8 volts out of it
is about correct considering a " surface charge " condition after the
charging period..

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

1906. Re: Ten-Tec 1220 - Comments ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5jnlmi$m5i@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 177038

In article <335E1E82.5246@cct.infi.net>, rettig@cct.infi.net says...
>
>I'm thinking about buying one. Any comments on quality/value/performance?
>

If you want the TT-1220 for the experience and joy of building a rig, then go for it. It's a pleasure to build. The PC board is extremely good quality, solder-tinned, plated-through holes, silk-screened, etc. The manual is quite thorough and well-written. All of the parts were there except one common 1/4 Watt resistor which I had on hand anyway. The step-by-step building process is a really good idea. If you're into packet, there's a TNC outlet on the back panel (5-pin DIN jack).

However...

If you want a rig to actually use, buy a second-hand Japanese rig for the same money and actually get features and power output that mean something. The TT-1220 is a reasonably good performer, but it lacks some very basic functions that even 2m radios from the 1980s had, such as S/RF metering, a DTMF mic, scanning, high power output (max output on the TT-1220 WITH the optional PA module is 30 Watts), etc. The LED display is useless in sunlight, so forget mobile operation.

The bottom line is...

By the time you spend the money for the TT-1220 and the optional PA module, and locate a DTMF mic somewhere, you will have spent more than the cost of a brand-new Kenwood TM-261A or similar new rig!

You have to ask yourself why you want the rig, and go from there...

73,
Dean K5DH

1907. Re: Carp Bait Recipes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregster <gregster@why.net>
Message-ID: <01bc50eb$dd104960$1c1d23a8@S44421.rehab.state.tx.us>
Source record: 177039
Cross-posted to: fj.rec.fishing,rec.outdoors.fishing,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,tw.bbs.sports.fishing

You cook the carp on a board over a campfire and when the carp looks done
you through the carp away and eat the board.

Umm Good

Casey Bahr <caseyx@ssd.intel.com> wrote in article
<5jg4a5$a6u@news.co.intel.com>...
> In article <335662F7.7DBA@snowcrest.net> Troy or Michelle Nicolls
<mnicolls@snowcrest.net> writes:
> >Darrell wrote:
> >>
> >> Anyone got any good carp bait recipes to e-mail me I would appreciate
it.
> >> There for a Friend.
> >>
> >> Many Thanks
> >>
> >> daryl@carol.net
> >Now that's what I like, a Ham who likes to fish. I have used frozen
> >corn and it worked great in Shasta Lake. I caught about 7 in 30 minutes
> >or so. Just a couple kernels on a #10 hook and a small splitshot. I
> >have seen carp eat duck food (corn/grain mix) at the docks where I work.
> >Good luck. Troy
>
> But how do you cook the darn things??
>
> Casey
> KK7FX
>

1908. FS: MAGELLAN GPS2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Mattern <TrunkTracker@webtv.net>
Message-ID: <5jofhn$ac5$1@newsd-104.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 177040
Cross-posted to: sci.geo.satellite-nav,rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,pl.rec.travel

I have a brand new, factory sealed Magellan GPS2000 handheld.

I am asking $175.00 + shipping, obo.

Please E-Mail Me!

Thanks,

Joe

1909. Looking for WB3JBG, KA5JVU, and KC5NG QSL cards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5joi4p$btc@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 177041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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PO Box 328 Home: (817) 497-5365
Lake Dallas, Texas 75065-0328 Work: (972) 462-2033

1910. Kenwood TMV7A mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kender@wwa.com
Message-ID: <5joj3s$n79$1@kirin.wwa.com>
Source record: 177042

Anyone have mods for this great new radio?

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-Kendall Jung 0- http://shoga.wwa.com/~kender O- kender@wwa.com
=World Wide Access Modem Technician, Chicago, Illinois
-Office: (312)803-9921 Fax: (312)803-9923
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1911. FS: Heathkit HM-102 Power/Swr Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lewjb@ncats.newaygo.mi.us
Message-ID: <861918417.29508@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This HF watt meter matches the Heath SB equipment,200 & 2000 watt scales,with removable remote sender.Is in excellent condition(9+) with original manual.$48.00 shipped & insured.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1912. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <335FDA27.3296@radia1.com>
Source record: 177044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

deli-bear@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
> anyone have a list of the frequencies used for this service? Is there no
> license needed?

No license needed.
1/2 watt max - simplex only.
Antenna must be integral part of radio.
Radio Shack has a single channel for $99
Motorola has one $??
Midland has a NICE one - 14 ch, CTCSS, & scan for $129.
Visit this site for more info:
http://www.clearlight.com/~jcre/family.htm
Here are the freqs

1..... 462.5625
2..... 462.5875
3..... 462.6125
4..... 462.6375
5..... 462.6625
6..... 462.6875
7..... 462.7125
8..... 467.5625
9..... 467.5875
10..... 467.6125
11..... 467.6375
12..... 467.6625
13..... 467.6875
14..... 467.7125

http://www.clearlight.com/~jcre/family.htm

1913. Source of Old fashioned crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@moyle.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861902302.17400.0@moyle.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177045

Can anyone tell me where I can get FT-243 crystals please

1914. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <335F9910.594A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

michael silva wrote:
>
> In <335F5990.6291@worldnet.att.net> Jim N8XYN
> <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> writes:
>
> >Excuse me but he is LOOKING for 5 to 10 Nf caps...pretty small values
> >huh? Just so happens that small components like that do exist in 2
> >meter equipment! And also 160 meter stuff.....
>
> I've never seen compression trimmers as big as 10,000 pF, which is of
> course not to say they're not available. 10,000 pF has a reactance of
> about 0.1 ohms at 2 meters, so it's unlikely to be found in such
> equipment.
>
> 73,
> Mike, KK6GM

Sorry, at this point I wish to retract my previous statement!

1915. Trade: JPS NF-60 for small tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <335fdf1a.11323256@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 177047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a exc condition JPS NF-60 dsp autonotch filter with the wall cube power supply thast I would like to trade for a small HF antenna tuner with built in balun. Please email with offers
thanks
Tim
NZ8J

1916. For Sale Ten Tec 556 and more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@moyle.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861903837.18691.0@moyle.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177048

Ten Tec Argo 556 80m 40m 30m 10m modules £300
MFJ411 Morse tutor £35
MFJ492 Memory keyer £50
MFJ9406 6m TCVR with CW & mike £200
G3TUX Morse tutor £25
Oak Hills Research 80m Sprint TCVR £60

Carriage extra

1917. WTB: Drake W-4 Wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki5gf@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970424174200.NAA21472@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177049

Ronnie (WA5QCH) is looking for a Drake W-4 wattmeter or some other
similiar 2000w wattmeter with a LARGE meter. Please call Ronnie
at (210) 654-7639 or email me at ki5gf@aol.com if you have one.
Thanks, Steve

1918. Re: New student radio club needs help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: *rbaker@*cris.com
Message-ID: <01bc50d6$d48c01e0$84e6adce@crc3.concentric.net>
Source record: 177050

Me too! Me too! Please send me all your unneeded ham gear! I know I could get a job and raise the money. Or, have a bake sale, car wash, check with senior centers for odd jobs that local seniors need done, work for my folks, family, or Mc Donalds, But I want to take the more honarable road. The road that will build charactor. I want to take, what has become the American way, and ask someone else to give me something for free.

This will help me appreciate the gear much more, knowing that someone actually had to work to earn the equipment, and was kind enough to, instead of sell it themself, pass on to their family members, or selfishly keep it, and pass it on to me.

If I can continue this noble path, I one day hope to work with the government. I will do what I can to keep people working by participating in the wealth distribution system or current tax and welfare system, by allowing you to send me more free things in the form of public welfare.

After all, if their were no welfare recipients, what would all the social workers do? Yeah..., Yeah.., That's what I'll do. Please e-mail me for an address to send send me your gear. Please keep in mind that you need to include postage as well. You will feel soooooo good for this. Trust me.

(Now remove tongue from cheek :))

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-=- KF6JQA - Central Ca. Hobbies > Ham Radio Earp History Sailing Computers Old-Time Radio, etc -=-

James Wells, KC5SIZ <jwells@argohouston.com> wrote in article <5jmhfo$58e@lacy.zippo.com>...
>
> I have founded a new student amateur radio club at Cy-Fair
> High School in Cypress, TX, and WE NEED YOUR HELP!! Before
> the summer we will be getting our first batch of newly
> licensed hams, but very few of them will have any money to
> get a station on the air. If you can help with a monetary
> or equipment donation of any kind, please point your browser to:
>
> http://www.argohouston.com/pages/g/gewellss/
>
> ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE!!!
>
> 73's,
>
>
> James A. Wells, KC5SIZ

> President, Cy-Fair HS ARC
> mailto:jwells@argohouston.com
>

1919. IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Bailey <wm8s@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5100$ea0b7300$ac7e65ce@wm8s-1>
Source record: 177051

Just got official word from ICOM that there will be no upgrade offer for existing IC-706 owners to the Mark-II. The next time ICOM introduces a new radio, it sound like we should all wait a year before buying one, huh?

73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com

1920. WANTED VFO-120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3xof@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970424234601.TAA19680@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177052

I'm looking for a remote VFO-120 for a TS-120S.
Please send the information on address N3XOF@aol.com.
Walt, N3XOF.

1921. FS: IC765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lois Menzel <ljfm@polaristel.net>
Message-ID: <335FFE4C.6EA1@polaristel.net>
Source record: 177053

I have a very clean, almost mint IC765 for sale. Mid 3000 Serial number.

Small mar, not a scratch on the right rear top. Beautiful radio. ONe of the best receivers of the last 10 years. Great contest rig.

$1500 firm. Shipping to CONUS from Minnesota about $50. If it's more than that I'll pay it...I'll make sure it's packed right.

Email me and we can talk on the phone about it.

Larry N0XB
Northfield, MN

1922. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwilkers@netcom.com
Message-ID: <jwilkersE95nsH.89C@netcom.com>
Source record: 177054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Phil <pmetcalf@xyplex.com> writes:

>John:

>Could you email me with the model numbers of the radio shack units if you
>can find them. I went in to a RS a while ago and the only one that they
>had listed was 1 unit for $179.00. Too much money for this service!

Yes sir.. the 21-1808 goes for about $130 and a just released model...
sorry... can't find the flyer costs $99. The $99 model looks like a
single channel unit with no CTCSS. I have the 21-1808.. (FRS-108) it has
14 channels, with scan function No CTCSS.

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John L. Wilkerson Jr. jwilkers@netcom.com

Rec.radio.cb FAQ located at my Web site:
http://members.tripod.com/~jwilkers/index.html

Supporting two-way radio for the family of the 90s.
Spamgard(tm) in effect to attend to unwanted commercial email.

1923. WTB: Swan Wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Message-ID: <335F8A6A.5E37@gorge.net>
Source record: 177055

Greetings and thanks for the read,
I would like to buy a Swan HF Wattmeter in good condition. Please email
your response with price and info.
73
Tim,KC7QOM
timr@gorge.net

1924. WTB: 13 pin connector for Kenwood (use with PK900)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Olson <w4jo@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <33601E17.6DC7@mindspring.com>
Source record: 177056

Please e-mail to:

Jim, W4JO
w4jo@mindspring.com

Please drop the " * " in my return address.

1925. Re: really works

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: pepe <pepe@jip.net>
Message-ID: <33600FCB.7C37@jip.net>
Source record: 177057

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free wrote:
>
> ///PAY TV DECODER PLANS///
>
> MATERIALS REQUIRED:
>
> 1 - Radio Shack mini-box ( #270-235)
> 1 - 1/4 watt resistor, 2.2k-2.4k ohm
> (RS #271-1325)
> 1 - 75pf-100pf variable capacitor
> (Hard to find)
> 2 - F61a chassis-type coaxial
> connectors (RS #278-212)
> 12" - No. 12 solid copper wire
> 12" - RG59 coaxial cable
>
> ///INSTRUCTIONS///
>
> 1. Bare a length of No. 12 gauge solid
> copper wire and twist around a 3/8"
> nail or rod to form a coil of 9 turns.
> Elongate coil to a length of 1 1/2"
> inches and form right angle bends on
> each end.
> Blah Blah Blah
> Solder the other end to your nose.
> Sit back and say "I'm a fool for building
> this stupid box that does nothing"

This can't possible work.
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1926. Re: free

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: pepe <pepe@jip.net>
Message-ID: <33600E72.7C1E@jip.net>
Source record: 177058

free wrote:
>
> ///PAY TV DECODER PLANS///
>
> MATERIALS REQUIRED:
>
> 1 - Radio Shack mini-box (#270-235)
> 1 - 1/4 watt resistor, 2.2k-2.4k ohm
> (RS #271-1325)
> 1 - 75pf-100pf variable capacitor
> (Hard to find)
> 2 - F61a chassis-type coaxial
> connectors (RS #278-212)
> 12" - No. 12 solid copper wire
> 12" - RG59 coaxial cable
>
> ///INSTRUCTIONS///
>
> 1. Bare a length of No. 12 gauge solid
> copper wire and twist around a 3/8"
> nail or rod to form a coil of 9 turns.
> Elongate coil to a length of 1 1/2"

This won't work

1927. FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: pepe <pepe@jip.net>
Message-ID: <336012DB.61F@jip.net>
Source record: 177059

They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
to learn code at 20 WPM.

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--. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .

1928. Re: FS- Pro 2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: pepe <pepe@jip.net>
Message-ID: <33601325.3E40@jip.net>
Source record: 177060

Tahoefranz wrote:
>
> Hello Mr. G........
>
> I thinks what you are overlooking is the theory of Supply and Demand. In
> this case, the Demand for a product that is no longer made, is very high.
> As you get more into scanning, you will discover that the Pro-2006 is a
> very desireable radio. It has many computer interfaces that make it an
> even more desireable piece.
>
> I have two sitting here that I would not dream of selling for less than
> $500.00 each, and even then, I would wonder why I sold them. I can't
> replace them easily and it is, in my opinion, a hard one to beat.
>
> Good luck with your endevors.....
>
> Franz in Tahoe

I'll give you $100, you pay shipping.

1929. FS: Radio shack PRO-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: pepe <pepe@jip.net>
Message-ID: <336014D7.7702@jip.net>
Source record: 177061

Radio shack PRO-2006 for sale

mint condition.
has modification to transmit on 2 meter ham band.
has poor image rejection. (just a new one)
was over priced when I bought it and now I want my money back
plus a profit

sell for $600

you pay shipping
you pay insurance

Contact:
Ronald Reagan (209) 555-1212

1930. Re: FS: IC765--WRONG EMAIL ADDRESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lois Menzel <ljfm@polaristel.net>
Message-ID: <336036D7.5531@polaristel.net>
Source record: 177062

PLEASE NOTE: TO CONTACT ME SEND EMAIL TO:

LARRY N0XB
lmenzel@millcomm.com

Thanks.

Lois Menzel wrote:
>
> I have a very clean, almost mint IC765 for sale. Mid 3000 Serial
> number.
>
> Small mar, not a scratch on the right rear top. Beautiful radio. ONe of
> the best receivers of the last 10 years. Great contest rig.
>
> $1500 firm. Shipping to CONUS from Minnesota about $50. If it's more
> than that I'll pay it...I'll make sure it's packed right.
>
> Email me and we can talk on the phone about it.
>
> Larry N0XB
> Northfield, MN

1931. RE FS IC765: WRONG EMAIL ADDRESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lois Menzel <ljfm@polaristel.net>
Message-ID: <33603729.7AD4@polaristel.net>
Source record: 177063

If you want info on 765 for sale, please send email to:

lmenzel@millcomm.com

Thanks all.

Larry

1932. Re: What Happened to AEA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lois Menzel <ljfm@polaristel.net>
Message-ID: <33603883.5707@polaristel.net>
Source record: 177064

AEA, and Mr. Mike Lamb, are out of business. The digital stuff has been bought by Timewave (http://timewave.com) and they will begin shipping product again soon. Check out their web page for more info.

Larry

Ted wrote:
>
> +---+
> | My domain-name in the address header is bogus! This |
> | is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. |
> | To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! |
> | My correct email address to use is: ted@caprica.com |
> | When replying, do so between points, point-by-point, |
> | not all bunched together & delete any excess quotes. |
> +---+
>
> On 8 Apr 1997, Don Montgomery wrote:
>
> > I read on one of the other amateur NGs that AEA is out of business.
> > Anyone know what happened and if anyone is going to pick up their
> > product line?
>
> If you mean AES,(Amateur Electronics Supply), they are open and will
> continue to be. Their URL is:
>
> http://www.aesham.com/
>
> Ted (ted@caprica.com)
>
> +---+
> | My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! |
> | I do NOT want any advertizing via Email. Who ever |
> | sends unsolicited advertizing via Email is risking |
> | cancelation of internet service without refund and |
> | possible prosecution for harrassment and/or fraud! |
> | Any email replies from newsgroups might be replied |
> | to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. |
> +---------------------------+-------------------------+
> |
> +---------------------------+-------------------------+
> | My webpage contains many interesting URL's to try! |
> | Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/main.html |
> | Lots of free interesting info & NO junk-mail robot! |
> +---------------------------+-------------------------+

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> |
> +--------------------------+--------------------------+
> | Come browse the free Taral Hicks Fan Club Webpage! |
> | It's at: http://www.caprica.com/~ted/taralfan.html |
> +----------------------------------------------------+
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1933. GE Phoenix SX Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Larson <"plarson@xmission.com"@mail.xmission.com>
Message-ID: <5jpa7h$j6q$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 177065

I need some info on programming the VHF & UHF GE Phoenix SX 2 channel radios for the ham bands....if it's possible that is.

Thanks,

Paul-WA7PXD

1934. Re: Yaesu FT-51R Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lara <gameshow3@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33602903.68AC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 177066

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> Robert Lara <gameshow3@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
> :I m interested in buying the Yaesu FT-51R dual band hand held. Does
> :anybody know where I could find a write up on the radio? I currently
> :have a Kenwood TH78A which has been modified with the extended band TX &
> :RX capabilities. I was told the Yaesu can be modified for extended band
> :TX & RX functions. I would like to know if anyone knows where I could go
> :to look for modification information.
> :
> :Robert
>
> How does the FT-51R compare to the FT-50R?
>
> ==========
> To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> return address.

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Barry,
I wouldn't know since I've just looked at the FT-50R
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1935. Re: Better Dead than Ted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Farkas <jfarkas@fyi.net>
Message-ID: <335EB962.6FA0@fyi.net>
Source record: 177105

I don't know about you, but I'm liken this guy more and more....

Avenger wrote:
> =

> Turd (turd@kaprika.com)
> =

> Just want to tell all you ignorant jackasses -=96 I will continue to po=
st,
> but will not read any replies at all. Ahhhhhhh Haaa Haaaa Haaaa!!!!
> Turd@Kaprika.com
> =

> [1]--=
---+
> | My name in the address header is bogus! I am Bogus! =
|
> | This is to defeat those junk-email robots in newsgroups. =
|
> | To send me email, you MUST change the "To:" header! =
|
> | My correct email address to use is: turd@kaprika.com =
|
> | When replying, do so standing on your head, remembering =
|
> | at all times =96 I AM GOD!!!! I speak, but do not listen. =
|
> | If offended I will rip your nipples off and force you to smell =
|
> | my coffin breath! =
|
> +--=
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> =

> [2]--=
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> | My Email is neither a newsgroup or a public forum! =
|
> | It is My sacrosanct home from which I spew platitudes, =
|
> | inanities and scathing criticism to all who offend me! =
|
> | Any of you unwashed infidels who dares to send unsolicited =
|

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> | advertising mail is risking eternity in your own personal hell, =
|
> | reading my ignorant, vitriolic postings, enduring prosecution for =
|
> | offending a true asshole, and/or fraud! =
| |
> | Any email replies from newsgroups will be mis-quoted and replied =
|
> | to publicly in the newsgroup/s it originated from. =
|
> +-----------------------------------------------------------------=
------------+
> =

> [3]-------------------------------------------------------------+
> | My webpage contains many mundane URL=92s to try! |=

> | Webpage: http://www.kaprika.com/~turd/main.html |
> | Lots of meaningless bullshit & NO content! |
> +-------------------------------------------------------------+
> =

> [4]-----------------------------------------------------------------=
-+
> | Come browse the free Adolph Hitler Fan Club Webpage! =
|
> | It=92s at: http://www.kaprika.com/~turd/Hitlerfan.html =
|
> +-----------------------------------------------------------------=
-+
> =

> [5]-----------------------------------------------------------------=
--+
> | Don=92t even bother griping about my signature file. =
|
> | I fart in your general direction you sniveling commoner. =
|
> | Gripes about my sig file ARE "unwanted email" and =
|
> | can ONLY get you another ration of vitriolic paranoia, =
|
> | but NEVER a change. The ignorant one has spoken! =
| | Add me to your killfile, ju=
mp to the next message, |
> | But don=92t try to kill me! I live in a special compound =
|
> | surrounded by my camouflage wearing armed disciples =
|
> | who truly believe in the word of Turd. =
|
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> | Blow me off or just ignore the sig file content, but have the =
|
> | maturity not to whine and display your ignorance like I do! =
|
> +-------------------------------------------------------------------=
--+
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1936. Re: Yaesu FT-736R + options FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kenn2sqw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970424012901.VAA26943@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177106

Are you interested in selling only the 1.2 module?

73, Ken

1937. Kenwood TS-790A FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: brufel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970424032301.XAA06568@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 177107

Have mint condition Kenwood TS-790A VHF/UHF satellite radio for sale. This rig has no options or mods. Looks new. Hand mike, manuals. Boxed and ready to ship. $1250 incl UPS 48. Works fine. Really nice radio.

Bruce K3BF
brufel@aol.com
Pensacola, FL

1938. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jspatric@mailhost.ecn.uoknor.edu
Message-ID: <5jmlcr$i46$1@independence.ecn.ou.edu>
Source record: 177108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

marty@trucom.com (Marty Albert) writes:
>rec.radio.amateur.swap is for the Ham gear (non commercial)

This newsgroup doesn't exist on my server... or any that my server gets
news from...

>rec.radio.swap is for everything else.

This is the only swap NG I get.... :(

>Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
>Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

John
--
John Patrick (jpatrick@ou.edu) - KC5VEI
Electrical/Computer Engineering Grad @ The University of Oklahoma
* John's EE Page: <http://www.ecn.ou.edu/~jspatric/ee-info.html> *

1939. Re: avanti antenna information needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnom@muck.net
Message-ID: <335eddc9.460184@news.tir.com>
Source record: 177109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If it's about nine feet tall and has a small x on the top it's a
astro plane. That antenna is just a fair antenna, but a good
antenna considering that its only nine foot tall.

1940. Looking for room in or near Dayton during "Hamvention"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9xrg@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <3365dead.4800854@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 177110

If anyone has any information on how I could get a hotel room for two for Friday and Saturday during "Hamvention". If anyone who has a room reserved and is not going please e-mail me at hargis@mail.org.
73s
Todd Hargis
N9XRG

1941. FS VINTAGE SCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@mail.cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <335EFA69.1461@mail.cadvision.com>
Source record: 177111

For sale a Waterman's pocket scope model S-11-A. This is a fifties
oscilloscope with a hard carrying case. It is in good condition as
it has had very little use.
The price is $50.00 plus shipping costs from Calgary, Alberta, Canada.
Thank you. Peter Christensen. VE6LP

1942. Re: six meters help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: brosh@matnet.com
Message-ID: <861864149.24622@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177112

In article <335C5283.1958@amspay.otnay.cris.com>,
al evangelista <aevang@amspay.otnay.cris.com> wrote:
>
> Hi Gang, I am interested in learning more about 6 meters technical and
> 'cultural' issues. I understand that the 6M season is approaching. Is
> it reasonable to expect consistent communication from, say, the midwest
> to east coast on a regular basis? on 40 watts? Any recommendations on
> equipment? / common modes SSB / FM / ?? - commonly used polarization??
> I see 'fully featured' rigs at around the $400 mark - any less expensive
> alternatives?
>
> Please reply directly if possible.
>
> Many Thanks..
>
> 73
> Al Evangelista KG8WU
> aevang @ cris . com
Hello Al and everyone...
For a less expensive alternative to a full featured 6 meter rig,
consider the Ten-Tech 6 meter transverter, either 6 to 20 or 6 to 2
meter versions, about $100 for the kit and $150 assembled. It's
rated
for 8 watts out but most of the units that have been built around
her
put out 10 to 12 watts, which is plenty of power if there is an
opening.
I built the 1208 6 to 20 transveter and use it for both FM and SSB,
and
it took me 2 days to build it, a good day of which was taken up by
hunting down a mistake I made in assembly.

73's de Chris WL7PV

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

1943. New student radio club needs help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwells@argohouston.com
Message-ID: <5jmhfo$58e@lacy.zippo.com>
Source record: 177113

I have founded a new student amateur radio club at Cy-Fair
High School in Cypress, TX, and WE NEED YOUR HELP!! Before
the summer we will be getting our first batch of newly
licensed hams, but very few of them will have any money to
get a station on the air. If you can help with a monetary
or equipment donation of any kind, please point your browser to:

http://www.argohouston.com/pages/g/gewellss/

ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE!!!

73's,

James A. Wells, KC5SIZ
President, Cy-Fair HS ARC
mailto:jwells@argohouston.com

1944. FS or Trade: Kenwood Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekugrad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5jncm4$g6g@camel2.mindspring.com>
Source record: 177114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an excellent condition Kenwood station for sale or Trade,
consisting of the following:

TS-140S HF Tranceiver General coverage receiver. Excellent condition
with boxes manual cables and hand mic.

AT-250 automatic antenna tuner. built in SWR meter and 4 position
antenna switch. Automaticly changes bands with the 140.

PS-430 matching power supply for the 140.

SP-430 matching speaker for the 140.

All gear is in excellent condition and NON SMOKER. The rig has never
been mobile, and I am the original owner.

I am interested in trading the above station for a Kenwood TS-940S/AT
(8mill serial number plus), or will sell the complete station shipped
for $1000.

Thanks and 73's
David
KA4IKH

1945. IC756 MARS & CAP MODS pse help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: SP9EIJ Jan <jancom@silesia.top.pl>
Message-ID: <335F349A.2166@silesia.top.pl>
Source record: 177115

PSE MARS & CAP MODS
73 sp9eij
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JanCom Ham Radio Equipment
P.O.BOX 6
41-500 Chorzow-Poland
tel +32 462617 or +90 318222
http://www.silesia.top.pl/~jancom
Owner Jan T.Pucek SP9EIJ
http://www.silesia.top.pl/~jancom/sp9eij_e.htm

1946. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@no.ads
Message-ID: <335f4aec.7509455@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 177116
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

Oh yes, I am SURE he is going to find trimmers for a 160m transmitter
inside a Radio Shack 2 meter rig - NOT!!

On Wed, 23 Apr 1997 08:49:02 -0400, Jim N8XYN
<jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>philip de cadenet wrote:
>>
>> Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
>> manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
>> These are for a 160m mosfet tx design that I am working on, please help.
>> An e-mail direct would be greatly appreciated: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk
>>
>> Thanks
>>
>> Phil de G4ZOW.
>> So many toys,
>> So little time and so little money!
>
>
>I've found this trick very useful. Look inside any radioshack device (2
>meteramp Transeiver etc) if you find a part that matchs your needs call
>RSparts at 1-800-the-shack. Tell them you need that part! Inside the
>little 2 meter amp are 3 variablecap. I know 1 of them is a 10-50 pf
>unit. It'll set you back a cool $1.99....Good luck!

To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
It is there to fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc DAWT com
For some GREAT Messianic Jewish resources on the Web, VISIT:
http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mjlynx.htm

1947. Re: Ten-Tec 1220 - Comments ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <3360a46d.2082719@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 176917

Is it true that you only need a VOM to align it.?
Any special tool required?
VE2ATD

1948. Re: equipment for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970425170200.NAA17544@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176918

I am selling the following:

note: I bought this equipment less than a year ago, never got my
license and now I need the money to support another expensive hobby of
mine!!! The point is that this equipment was NEVER used, each piece
is still in its box with manuals!!!!

I would like to sell it all as a package deal, I may listen to offers
on individual pieces.

Free shipping in the USA!!!!!!!!!!

- Realistic 2 meter handheld transceiver and case

- RF Concepts 30 watt power amp

- Tucker SWR/PWR meter

- Astron 10A power supply

- Tucker mobile antenna

price = $450

email if interested,
Super-Gut

Information is too skimpy for anyone to make an intelligent guess as to
the value. Your cause would be aided by a few more details. Good Luck !

1949. Re: really works

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry J. Brock" <larry666NOSPAM@gdi.net>
Message-ID: <3360DD66.74C8@gdi.net>
Source record: 176919

pepe wrote:
>
> free wrote:
> >
> > ///PAY TV DECODER PLANS///
> >
> > MATERIALS REQUIRED:
> >
> > 1 - Radio Shack mini-box (#270-235)
> > 1 - 1/4 watt resistor, 2.2k-2.4k ohm
> > (RS #271-1325)
> > 1 - 75pf-100pf variable capacitor
> > (Hard to find)
> > 2 - F61a chassis-type coaxial
> > connectors (RS #278-212)
> > 12" - No. 12 solid copper wire
> > 12" - RG59 coaxial cable
> >
> > ///INSTRUCTIONS///
> >
> > 1. Bare a length of No. 12 gauge solid
> > copper wire and twist around a 3/8"
> > nail or rod to form a coil of 9 turns.
> > Elongate coil to a length of 1 1/2"
> > inches and form right angle bends on
> > each end.
> > Blah Blah Blah
> > Solder the other end to your nose.
> > Sit back and say "I'm a fool for building
> > this stupid box that does nothing"
>
> This can't possible work.

And you can't spell.This is a notch filter,moron!

73,
Larry Ke4rur

1950. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry J. Brock" <larry666NOSPAM@gdi.net>
Message-ID: <3360DD2D.4073@gdi.net>
Source record: 176920

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Sounds like a moron who could not pass his tests to me!!!!!!

73,
Larry Ke4rur

P.S.If you don't like hams,why are you in our newsgroup?Dickhead!

1951. Re: IC2350H vs. FT5100?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry J. Brock" <larry666NOSPAM@gdi.net>
Message-ID: <3360DB8A.4D3B@gdi.net>
Source record: 176921

Jason Hanson wrote:
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> looking for a new one.
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> Here is what I'd like:
>
> Dual reception - one receiver on each band or both on the same band
> Extended Rx - 144-160 MHz and 430-460 MHz
> Mod for extended Tx - 144-160 MHz and 430-460 MHz
> (ease of modification does count, I'm not an amateur with a soldering
> iron, but I'm no expert either...)
> Large memory bank (preferably more than 70 memories)
>
> Does anyone have any comments one way or another on these radios? If
> you had to choose, which way would you go?
>
> Thanks,
>
> N9LEA

Greetings,
Both are fine radios.I own a 2350 and an FT8500.My friend has an FT5100 which he likes very well.The only thing is that the 2350 will not do V/V or U/U,that is simultanious VHF or UHF.The Yaesu will do this.I use this feature sometimes,but I would not trade my 2350 for anything.There is a mod for the 2350 that will allow 800 and 900 Mhz receive.
If you can live without the simultanious receive,I would recommend the 2350.It is a fine radio.I am very loyal to Yaesu though.I have owned several of them and they are fine radios.

73,
Larry Ke4rur

1952. FS Standard C508 Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Rogers <DickRogers@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc50d1$f39d71e0$2c2374cf@default>
Source record: 176922

I have for sale like new a Standard C508 Dual Band HT. Come with case, manual and box. Price is $205.00 shipped ups in usa only no cod. Sorry price is firm until it is sold or I will just keep it. Name here is Dick and my call is KB2GGP. Please e-mail me if you are interested, thanks.

Dick

1953. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <3360d503.1394985833@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 176923

On Fri, 25 Apr 1997 08:46:12 +0100, Paul Higginson
<paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk> wrote:

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We have seen too many upgradable software.
We have seen too many upgradable firmware.

We have seen almost all computers are of modular design; therefore,
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It takes some gutsy and innovative R&D team for this HAM market to do such thing. Unfortunately, I am not in this field. Maybe some of you can do it one day.

I know there are fans out there. You don't have to flame me for what I have just said.

Best 73!

de AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
David Ho
davidho@one.net

1954. Re: HF-380 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Risik <drisik@oscsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3360C41C.5442@oscsystems.com>
Source record: 176924

k2112 wrote:
>
> This is to advise any interested party that this unit is missing the
> manufacturers ID plate (no serial #) and the MCN # appears to have
> been altered as well.
>
> Kurt Keller
>
> In article <v01530500af7ecf4eee4b@[195.45.5.190]>, liber.fab@iol.IT says...
> >
> >Hello everybody,
> > I have an excellent HF-380 for sale, full loaded (NB,
> >speech proc.,filters, all service bullettins and updates, diode mod, fan
> >cooler, keypad), plus the original desk mike. $ 3.500 plus shipping.
> > Thanks
> > I0LBE,Fabio
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> >

Hay Kurt... Who the crap are you... ham radios mommy... if you don't
like it, don't buy the radio... you're illegal anyway you don't have a
amateur license... what, were you going to use the HF-380 on CB? Don't
you know that it's a no-no to use any non-type accepted radio on CB?
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ESAD...

1955. Re: IC2350H vs. FT5100?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Ho <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970425135405.8029A-100000@shell.one.net>
Source record: 176925

The FT-8000R can do VV, VU, UU and the mods are out there, too! Only $440+ at HRO. No detachable head, though.

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1956. Updated Pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: asperges@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <337cee4d.22958317@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 176926
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Best wishes to all who continue to support the pages

73 de Jeremy G4NJH

1957. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <3360ec1f.1400902501@news.netnews.att.com>
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It took me 2 months of CW drill to pass my 20 WPM test, Advance, and
Extra test, not years. I find that your generalization is too
offensive and irrespectful to people who try hard and play by the
rule. I hope you don't have any friends who are in the Extra class.

>.. ..-. -.-- --- ..- -.-. .- -. .-. . .- -.. - ....
>--. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .

If you can TYPE this, get a study guide for your extra ticket.

If you haven't try dilligently, don't put label on other people.

If you cannot do it even you have tried, be happy of who you are and
stay within your band limit. There are many exciting things happening
in your part of the spectrum.

NO 73 TO YOU!

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2112@cris.com
Message-ID: <5jqre8$5l8@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 176928

As a matter of information to any interested party, Dave Risik was involved in the sale of this unit here in the states previous to the sale to the party in Italy. The individual that purchased here in the states returned it because of the missing manufacturers ID plate. It was then sold to the man in Italy who was not advised of the problem when the sale of the unit was arranged. He became aware of the problem when he attempted to resell it.

Dave is as guilty as last seller of the unit when it comes to not giving full disclosure.

I will be glad to put anyone in contact with the pary here in the states that returned the unit as well as the individual in Italy who has maintained open communications with me since I originally discussed the problem with him. The pary that purchased it here in the states and returned it contacted me after seeing my posting and advised me of his unfortunate experience with the unit.

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1959. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
Message-ID: <5jqt5m$ato@news1.sjc.in.sel.sony.com>
Source record: 176929

I can't keep myself from entering this discussion.

1) I own a 706 and have since Dec 1996.

2) I like it!

3) Some of the new features would be nice to have.

BUT, I don't beleive that the manufacturer has any obligation to upgrade my unit.

The concept of a modular radio like a modular computer is nice but, modular computers are large. Most laptop computers are not upgradable. When you design for size like the 706, you don't design for modular upgrades.

I bought the 706 for its size and am happy with it. It doesn't perform like my TS-940 but I didn`t expect it to.

Just because Icom has added some new features does not cause the original 706 to become obsolete.

I own a 1996 Ford Explorer. The standard features in the 1997 are better. Should I expect Ford to update mine, or provide me with a discount, or even an upgrade path?

Truly modular, multi vendor upgradable products are few and far between and there are always trade offs in the design.

Come to think of it, my IC706 is modular. I can replace the front panel with one from the MarkII and replace the rf unit in the trunk with one from the MarkII.

Tongue in cheek,

Jeff W2UA

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Jeff W2UA/6
reply to: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
phone: (408) 955-4116

1960. Re: TrAnSmItTiNg wItH MiCrOwAvE GuNn DiOdEs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "&^} [formerly a guy named jeff]" <hi@wpi.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.95q.970425145433.843C-100000@wpi.WPI.EDU>
Source record: 176930

On 23 Apr 1997, PlAsTiC MaN wrote:

> Does anyone know anything any transmitting on the 10 GHZ
> band with Gunn Diodes?
> What do they cost?
> How do you stop them drifting?
well... a gunn diode is the oscillator of an assembly called a
gunnplexer (what you will probaly want to use)-- this is a tuned cavity
(fine tuning with a screw) containing a varacter diode (a voltage variable
cap) and a schottky mixer diode as well. the assembly has a wave guide
output which can be bolted to a horn.
SO... you provide 9V to the oscillator so it oscillates. a good, cheap
way to communicate is to have two of these devices, one at each location.
by adjusting the tuning screw, you set them so that they are roughly 30
Mhz appart (thats standard, you can use whatever offset you like)...your
transmitted signal is ALSO your LO, meaning that at the mixer diode, you
will have a 30MHz IF signal. SO, his signal mixes with your transmitted
signal and gets mixed down to the difference of the two. got it? this is
key. the varacter diode is fed with a dc offseted audio; the dc is for
fine tuning and the audio causes the frequency modulation.
the fm is wideband-- makes drifting less of a problem. you could even
use the IF of a broadcast radio here. there will still be drifting, so
you will have to adjust your dc offset to track it...or build an afc.

how much? depends. $50-$300 each, roughly.

good luck.

jeff

1961. Affordable 2m plans???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970425200000.QAA29627@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176931

Doesn't ANYONE have affordable 2m plans??? I know, I know the Ten- Tec Kit is great to build, Yet, I don't want to pay more than a BRAND NEW rig including all the bells and whistles. I don't have to have every available option but I would like to build in the basics. I'l find my own box if necesary. PLEASE HELP ?

1962. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <33612CBD.4271@electronicinstrument.com>
Source record: 176932

I can't agree with you more Rob. I too saw the 200Mhz upper limit, and
remember how that was one of the features I wanted, and paid for.
Frank KG9H

1963. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33611457.3935@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176933

Rob Bailey wrote:
>
> Just got official word from ICOM that there will be no upgrade offer for
> existing IC-706 owners to the Mark-II. Although it's a whole different type of radio it may be of interest- Ten Tec offers 3 levels of upgrades to the Omni 6-making it a 6+.Costs run something like $ 75- 250 allowing people like me to have the latest and greatest. 3 cheers for Tennessee Technology !! Brian K3USC

1964. Re: NOTE: The HF-380 Listed For Sale on 4/19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Risik <drisik@oscsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3360C5BA.DCA@oscsystems.com>
Source record: 176934

k2112 wrote:
>
> Please be advised that HF-380 listed on 4/19 that is located in Italy is
> missing the manufacturers ID plate and it appears the MCM # has been altered
> as well. The unit was purchased in this condition by the current owner.
>
> Kurt Keller

Hey Kurt old boy, I'm listing your name as an illegal CB'er using Ham
and Military equipment for your perverted pleasure... I will post this
message on EVERY internet site dealing even remotly with ham radio. I
have in fact faxed this message to the FCC watch officer in Columbia,
Maryland, who has assured me that his counerpart in Washington State
will be alerted to your activities...

You can run, but you can't hide...

1965. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Bailey <wm8s@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <01bc51a7$9b87fc60$3e7e65ce@wm8s-1>
Source record: 176935

> On Fri, 25 Apr 1997 08:46:12 +0100, Paul Higginson
> <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
> >In article <01bc5100$ea0b7300$ac7e65ce@wm8s-1>, Rob Bailey
> ><wm8s@pobox.com> writes
> >>
> >>Just got official word from ICOM that there will be no upgrade offer
for
> >>existing IC-706 owners to the Mark-II. The next time ICOM introduces a
new
> >>radio, it sound like we should all wait a year before buying one, huh?
> >>
> >>73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com
> >>
> >I never understand this attitude, it seems only some radio amateurs have
> >it.
> >
> >When you bought your first TV or Washing mashine, did you expect an
> >upgrade to the latest model when the manufaturer updated his product
> >portfolio?
> >
> >Regards
> >--
> >Paul G8IZR
>

But to use an equally irrelavant analogy, when I pay for the R&D of Microsoft's latest C++ compiler suite, I expect a significant price break when a new version comes out: part of the money I paid for V1.0 has no doubt gone into the development of V2.0, and my time spent finding and filing reports of bugs, enhancement requests, and so forth to Microsoft is a *very* valuable part of their R&D effort that went into the development of V2.

And let's say Kenmore advertises a washing machine and touts that it will wash your clothes in 15 minutes. You - one of their most loyal supporters - rush to the store and buy one only to find out that instead, it takes their new washer the normal 35 minutes to wash your clothes. Then a year later, they re-introduce the "new and improved" version of the same washer that really will wash your clothes in 15 minutes. Would you be happy?

Yet ICOM did just that, and you (and they) can't seem to grip the problem: the IC706 I bought said "0 to 200 MHz receive" in the original ad, which they later withdrew. Do you have an IC-706? Don't even try it. Unmodified, the radio was completely deaf from 54 to 144 MHz and above 148 MHz. Now the

"Mark II" new and improved version is back to touting "0 to 200 MHz receive", plus a bunch of other things that ICOM learned from their free marketing guinea pigs: the people who paid dearly for first-generation radios.

We deserve to share in the value of the R&D investment we made by buying V1.0 rigs, and we deserve to be rewarded for the unpaid product research we did for ICOM. That's all.

73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com

1966. King KX-150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: aga@mandalay.west.sun.com
Message-ID: <5jr65o$mn3@newsworthy.West.Sun.COM>
Source record: 176936

I have acquired one of these at the right price and would like to use it to monitor the aircraft band. Dos anyone have the pinout for the power connector? It is a Jones type with I think twelve pins.

Tony WA6LZH

1967. WTB: RS HTX 212 or any 2m 2m/440mh handheld for the right price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: miller@uniplex.com
Message-ID: <33612f57.69623091@news.alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 176937

Someone stole my HTX212 so I'm looking for another one or any 2m or 2m
440 combination for a decent price.

Ben Miller - KC5NFU
miller@uniplex.com

1968. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcwren@atlanta.com
Message-ID: <33701082.193504745@nntp.atlanta.com>
Source record: 176938

The big thing for me is that the band stacking memories are surely nothing more than a software change (it's conceivable, but unlikely, that the hardware changed to support this addition).

Now, I haven't looked through the schematics for my 706, but they probably used a masked CPU, instead of an external EPROM. I'd be willing to pay $75 for a software upgrade. If they had used an external EPROM, we're talking more about $20 (I'll even pay shipping out to them).

It's a shame, but none of the major radios on the market are designed to be fixed if a software problem is found. Of course, we'ere the same people that bitch that radios cost so much, yet we want all the features. It's a trade off, for sure.

I'm pretty convinced that I can't sell my 706 for anywhere near what I paid for it, ever since the Mk II came out. So for a minor software change, and a redoing of a filter network, the value of my radio has taken a drastic hit.

- John, KD4DTS

John "Chris" Wren, KD4DTS
jcwren@atlanta.com
770-945-8288 (H)
770-840-9200 x2417 (W)

1969. Re: Help on CW code settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Sokol <john.sokol@transquest.com>
Message-ID: <336134B4.CDB@transquest.com>
Source record: 176939

R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4 wrote:
>
> R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4 wrote:
> >
> > Trying to setup a copy od NU Morse for the general class exam. (13 wpm)
> >
> > What should I set the speeds to so it will be like the actual test.
> > Send speed=
> > Char Speed=
> > Word speed=
> >
> > Thanks
> > Bob
> CORRECTION- the sftwr I am using is Super Morse Not Nu Morese.
>
> Sorry
> bob

I have mine set at 15/15/15. I figure if I can copy at above the test
speed, when I am ready to take the test, it should be a bit easier.

good luck, om .. I plan to take my test by eom May.

73
de KE4KPV
John

1970. RE: Need info on hand-held radio stands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970425174020130 98@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176940

>>...HT stands...to hold an HT securely on a desk without it being
>> pulled or knocked over...

Well, if you don't mind spending a whopping $1.98 for TWO, please consider those cheap, metal BOOK ENDS in your stationery store.

They'll hold any HT with a belt clip...up to my obnoxiously large Icom U-16 with its CM-8 battery. Just bend 'em backwards about 10-15 degrees for viewing of the display, and you're all set! They come with anti-scratch/anti-skid cork on the bottom, too!

And they even come in brown, woodgrain, or black to match your desk's decor!

You can spend a lot more...but for functionality and simplicity, they can't be beat.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

1971. Re: FRS Radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <336136F9.7DA4@radia1.com>
Source record: 176941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

John Wilkerson Jr wrote:
>
> Phil <pmetcalf@xyplex.com> writes:
>
> >John:
>
> >Could you email me with the model numbers of the radio shack units if you
> >can find them. I went in to a RS a while ago and the only one that they
> >had listed was 1 unit for $179.00. Too much money for this service!
>
> Yes sir.. the 21-1808 goes for about $130 and a just released model...
> sorry... can't find the flyer costs $99. The $99 model looks like a
> single channel unit with no CTCSS. I have the 21-1808.. (FRS-108) it has
> 14 channels, with scan function No CTCSS.
>
> --
> John L. Wilkerson Jr. jwilkers@netcom.com
>
> Rec.radio.cb FAQ located at my Web site:
> http://members.tripod.com/~jwilkers/index.html
>
> Supporting two-way radio for the family of the 90s.
> Spamgard(tm) in effect to attend to unwanted commercial email.
Midland makes one that blows the Rat Shack away! (surprise, surprise,
surprise).
See it here:
http://www.clearlight.com/~jcre/family.htm
Enjoy!
Ernie
N2OJQ

1972. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Higginson <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <S4qRfBAsQSYzEwUM@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176942

In article <3360d503.1394985833@news.netnews.att.com>, "David Ho
(AF4BH)" <davidho@one.net> writes
>
>On Fri, 25 Apr 1997 08:46:12 +0100, Paul Higginson
><paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
>>In article <01bc5100$ea0b7300$ac7e65ce@wm8s-1>, Rob Bailey
>><wm8s@pobox.com> writes

(SNIP)

>I am one of those people who think that HAM gears could (or should) be
>upgradable, too! My observations to this mentality come from the
>nowadays ever-changing technology.
>
>We have seen too many upgradable software.
>We have seen too many upgradable firmware.
>
>We have seen almost all computers are of modular design; therefore,
>many computers are upgradable (even with parts from different
>manufacturers).

If you mean you can BUY new Boards and Firmware, then yes you can
upgrade them.
>
>Nowadays the "good" HAM gears go modules, too! The FT-990 and FT-736,
>for example, are so much more flexible than before that you can plug
>add-in parts as your hobby domain expands or for maintenance purpose.
>Unfortunately, Yaesu didn't intend to make the FT-990 upgradable.
>Maybe because of this reason, the FT-990 is no more. Many of the
>Yaesu's, Icom's, and Kenwood's rigs are computer controllable.
>Especially, Icom claims all their radios are PC ready! What's good
>about it? The control software is upgradable!

I must have missed something, is the '706 not computer controlable?

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>
>Modular (or object) designs are best to me as an Engineer, moreover,
>customers would think that they are getting the best investment for
>what they pay for. Unfortunately, the VP, marketing and sales
>department, the manufacturing facilities, and maybe even the Union
>bosses probably don't think so.

Why should an end user pay for a modular aproach to design, it is more
expensive and much more unreliable .

Single board units have a much higher MTBF than modular units.

The cost of development for multi module design is higher (one reason
is the design process invariably spreads accross a wider team of people
making interface problems).

In fact the only people who are beter off are the service technicians .
(I am one of them , but I would not expect my customer to suffer a
worse product to make my life easier)

I'm sure the shareholder's of the company that employ me would not let
the design engineers double the cost of design / production , to give
the customer an inferior product.

>
>
>This leads to my question to Yeasu why they had to make their new
>FT-8000R's mic-jack 6 prongs rather than the traditional 8 prongs
>RJ-45 plug. One simply cannot directly use any other mic from other
>mobile rigs from the same exact manufacturer! Also, find me an 8-pin
>(RJ-45) to 6-pin adapter, please. Are re-usable parts a thing of the
>past? Or is it to boost the Amateur spirit -- do it your self?

I would ask the question, why dont you buy the plug and fit it yourself.
in the UK you can buy an RJ-45 type connector for next to nothing, and
the disposable crimping tool costs less than the cost of an adaptor.
>
>I have a dream: Someone some day will come up with an open
>architecture (like in the computer and the software world)

Oh come now, try putting an IDE drive into an Oliveti PC that supposedly
uses open architecture and see how you go on. Yes it can be done , but
its not simply plug it in.

> which
>accept 3rd party products. A design that allows us to pick and choose
>and upgrade when technology allows. A design that allows me to
>improve my DSP performance. A design that allows me to upgrade the
>control unit. A design that allows me to upgrade the front-end units.
>The list goes on ....

There is a simple answer to this , build something.

If you buy an Icom 706 low budget mobile with general coverage and 6m
and 200mhz and scanning and 100w and small enough to fit in a car and
etc.......
Don't expect it to out perform a single band profesional tranceiver.

If you want to be able to upgrade as technology changes, then start with
a good design, build it modular and have fun, but don't compare doing
that with buying a *new* front end for your black box.
>
>
>It takes some gutsy and innovative R&D team for this HAM market to do

>such thing. Unfortunately, I am not in this field. Maybe some of you
>can do it one day.

You can do it, YOU can build a beter receiver than the '706. The receive performance of the modern mobile sets is fairly poor, a simple design with good thought will result in a better set.

However what I can't promise is that it will be as reliable, small or easy to use.

>

>I know there are fans out there. You don't have to flame me for what
>I have just said.

I wouldn't flame anyone, my oppinion is that of my own. I own black box radios, I put up with their quirks 'cos I like them. I also build radios when I want to do something better, I put up with their quirks 'cos I am learning all the time.

Have a look at the design of the modern mobile HF tranceiver , Its not built up to a standard , its built down to a size and price. I'm afraid you pay your money and take your chance.

>

>Best 73!

>

>de AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4

>David Ho

>davidho@one.net

>

Yes 73, and enjoy whatever form of amateur radio you chose.

--

Paul G8IZR

1973. Re: NOTE: The HF-380 Listed For Sale on 4/19

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2112@cris.com
Message-ID: <5jr7pa$9dc@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 176943

David:

You cannot to too bright a fellow in that you are setting yourself up for
both a slander suit as was as possible charges for filing false statements with
a federal agency. Please advise me as to whom you have spoken with at the
FCC and I will contact them for a meeting if they so desire. Also I suspect
that you may be using a company "E" mail address, their equipment and time
in making your postings. I am sure if this be the case they would not look
favorably on your behavior.

You owe all the subcribers of this newsgroup an apology for your inappropriate
use and behavior in regard to your postings.

I will not use and abuse this news group to communicate further with you.

Kurt Keller

In article <3360C5BA.DCA@oscsystems.com>, drisik@oscsystems.com says...
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>k2112 wrote:
>>
>> Please be advised that HF-380 listed on 4/19 that is located in Italy is
>> missing the manufacturers ID plate and it appears the MCM # has been altered
>> as well. The unit was purchased in this condition by the current owner.
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>> Kurt Keller
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>
>Hey Kurt old boy, I'm listing your name as an illegal CB'er using Ham
>and Military equipment for your perverted pleasure... I will post this
>message on EVERY internet site dealing even remotly with ham radio. I
>have in fact faxed this message to the FCC watch officer in Columbia,
>Maryland, who has assured me that his counerpart in Washington State
>will be alerted to your activities...
>
>You can run, but you can't hide...

1974. FT-920 NO FM INCLUDED !!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33617051.A84@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176944

If you look at the FT-920 on the back page of QST magazine you will see that the FM capability is OPTIONAL. I think this is a sneaky play by Yaesu since they know that most Hams who buy this HF-6 mtr radio will spring for the "option". For a radio of its price class I feel it is a way of tricking Hams to buy it since it is a few bucks less than the IC-756 and about the same as the Kenwood TS-570S. My suggestion is to add up all the options you may want and come up with the grand total upfront. Then compare it against other similar models that have all the options standard. I don't mind paying for the optional filters even though the markup is huge. But to pay for "FM" crazy!

73's Steve Hershman NS1R

1975. Re: really works

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Meuse <Rmeuse@juno.com>
Message-ID: <3361872C.99@juno.com>
Source record: 176945

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Larry J. Brock wrote:
>
> pepe wrote:
> >
> > free wrote:
> > >
> > > ///PAY TV DECODER PLANS///
> > >
> > > MATERIALS REQUIRED:
> > >
> > > 1 - Radio Shack mini-box ( #270-235)
> > > 1 - 1/4 watt resistor, 2.2k-2.4k ohm
> > > (RS #271-1325)
> > > 1 - 75pf-100pf variable capacitor
> > > (Hard to find)
> > > 2 - F61a chassis-type coaxial
> > > connectors (RS #278-212)
> > > 12" - No. 12 solid copper wire
> > > 12" - RG59 coaxial cable
> > >
> > > ///INSTRUCTIONS///
> > >
> > > 1. Bare a length of No. 12 gauge solid
> > > copper wire and twist around a 3/8"
> > > nail or rod to form a coil of 9 turns.
> > > Elongate coil to a length of 1 1/2"
> > > inches and form right angle bends on
> > > each end.
> > > Blah Blah Blah
> > > Solder the other end to your nose.
> > > Sit back and say "I'm a fool for building
> > > this stupid box that does nothing"
> >
> > This can't possible work.
>
> And you can't spell.This is a notch filter,moron!
>
> 73,
> Larry Ke4rur
Like the man said, It can't work
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1976. Re: Aircraft Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: 3W8PE1B <willi6@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33618077.3055@erols.com>
Source record: 176946

RT721 wrote:
>
> looking for 12 Aircraft 2-way radio, I understand that new regs are
> requiring upgrades, and i am looking for one that nolonger meets regs just
> for ground use no avat use

There was a posting around the first of the yeaer
with older radios. They were still asking several
hundred dollars each for them.

You might try rec.aviation.???? or one of the aircraft NGs.

Good Hunting!

Dave K7HMP

1977. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Meuse <Rmeuse@juno.com>
Message-ID: <3361868A.352F@juno.com>
Source record: 176947

David Ho (AF4BH) wrote:
>
> On Thu, 24 Apr 1997 19:11:39 -0700, pepe <pepe@jip.net> wrote:
>
> >They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
> >Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
> >to learn code at 20 WPM.
> >
>
> It took me 2 months of CW drill to pass my 20 WPM test, Advance, and
> Extra test, not years. I find that your generalization is too
> offensive and irrespectful to people who try hard and play by the
> rule. I hope you don't have any friends who are in the Extra class.
>
> >.. ..-. -.-- --- ..- -.-. .- -. .-. . .- -.. - ....
> >--. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .
>
> If you can TYPE this, get a study guide for your extra ticket.
>
> If you haven't try dilligently, don't put label on other people.
>
> If you cannot do it even you have tried, be happy of who you are and
> stay within your band limit. There are many exciting things happening
> in your part of the spectrum.
>
> NO 73 TO YOU!
>
> de AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
> David Ho
> davidho@one.net

No point in learning the code, the FCC is ready to get rid of it.

1978. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.94.970425105207.12212A-100000@Stratus.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 176948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

1nF = .001uF = 1000pF

Thus the original poster, philip de cadenet, is looking for something
with 5000pF and 10,000pF (ie .01uF) capacity.

While these do seem rather large for even 160Meter equipment, there is
no way you will find them in 2M equipment. Considering how large in
capacitance they are, I do believe that they will be hard to come by.
Which is precisely why this isn't a run of the mill question.

Michael VE2BVW

On Thu, 24 Apr 1997, Jim N8XYN wrote:

> Brian Carling wrote:
> >
> > Oh yes, I am SURE he is going to find trimmers for a 160m transmitter
> > inside a Radio Shack 2 meter rig - NOT!!
> >
> > On Wed, 23 Apr 1997 08:49:02 -0400, Jim N8XYN
> > <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >
> > >philip de cadenet wrote:
> > >>
> > >> Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
> > >> manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
> > >> [snip]

> > >I've found this trick very useful. Look inside any radioshack device (2
> > >meteramp Transeiver etc) if you find a part that matchs your needs call
> > >RSparts at 1-800-the-shack. Tell them you need that part! Inside the
> > >little 2 meter amp are 3 variablecap. I know 1 of them is a 10-50 pf
> > >unit. It'll set you back a cool $1.99....Good luck!
> > > [snip]
>
> Excuse me but he is LOOKING for 5 to 10 Nf caps...pretty small values
> huh? Just so happens that small components like that do exist in 2
> meter equipment! And also 160 meter stuff.....
>
>

1979. Re: IC2350H vs. FT5100?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5jpikq$95d$1@mhade.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176949

I had a 2350. It does not do dual-in-band RX. I never owned a 5100 but I have several freinds who have them. When they are not in the shop they work OK.
Vote: 2350, I have not tolerance for rigs that blow up.
Steve KZ1X/4
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73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

1980. Re: Need IC-2000H Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3360F7C7.4770@flash.net>
Source record: 176950

hershman wrote:
>
> Looking for all mods for the Icom 2000H 2 mtr mobile fm radio.
> 73's NS1R Steven HershmanOk Steve try this site for your mod
file://ftp.qrz.com/mods/ic2000h.txt
good luck!

1981. Transmitter Hunt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33611A19.760@flash.net>
Source record: 176951

Can anyone explain the concept of a transmitter hunt? Is it just for fun?
What equipment would be needed?

Thanks.

1982. WTB: G-186 Panadapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabor@vuse.vanderbilt.edu
Message-ID: <5jrcbo$1t1$3@news.vanderbilt.edu>
Source record: 176952

I am looking for a G-186 panadapter (typically used with the G-133F
receiver). Even non-working units are of interest.
Please respond via direct e-mail.

Thanks for reading,
-- Gabor Karsai

E-mail:
gabor@vuse.vanderbilt.edu

1983. Re: Yaesu FT-51R Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33604844.11544541@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 176980

Robert Lara <gameshow3@earthlink.net> wrote:

:I m interested in buying the Yaesu FT-51R dual band hand held. Does
:anybody know where I could find a write up on the radio? I currently
:have a Kenwood TH78A which has been modified with the extended band TX &
:RX capabilities. I was told the Yaesu can be modified for extended band
:TX & RX functions. I would like to know if anyone knows where I could go
:to look for modification information.
:
:Robert

How does the FT-51R compare to the FT-50R?

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

1984. RCI 2950 MOBIL RADIO WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: helen bell <helen.bell@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <335FF2E5.3291@xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 176981

HI THERE IM in new zealand and i am looking for second hand radio called rci 2950 with incoder decoder attached if possible i will buy it state said if can be done let me know what you have thanks

1985. WTB: MT 500 VHF CHANNEL ELEMENTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgunn1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970425001900.UAA22324@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176982

WANT 2 PAIRS OF MT 500 CHANNEL ELEMENTS IN 151 0R 154 RANGE. PLEASE E
MAIL WITH FREQUENCY AND PRICE. THANKS,

JON

1986. Need Schematic for IC-25H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtippin@swbell.net
Message-ID: <33600dd0.80439023@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 176983

I'm looking for a schematic for the Icom IC-25H 2m transceiver. I'll gladly pay copying/postage costs, so if you've got the schematic and wouldn't mind sending me a copy, please reply via e-mail.

Thanks,

Marty Tippin KC0AKA
mtippin@swbell.net

1987. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: 780394@cms.ITri.ORG.TW
Message-ID: <19970425.11031192@$T103670.AccSMTP>
Source record: 176984

add ham-equip
Hi OM
Are there anyone use IC756 or IC775DSP ? How about these rigs ?
Please give me a suggestion.
Thank you .
Sincerely,

Chen

E_mail: 780394@cms.itri.org.tw

1988. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <5jp6i5$eoo@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 176985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Please remove r.r.a.boatanchors from any further responses to this thread.
There is nothing in the .boatanchors charter to prohibit FS and WTB ads,
and in fact such ads are welcome.
Jeff

1989. FS- SPEAKER for KENWOOD TWINS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970425033000.XAA08360@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176986

Hi All!
FOR SALE: SPEAKER FOR THE 599 Kenwood twins, condx 1-10 is a 6 or so. A
little scratched up, few little dings on the front. Price is $20- shipped
UPS CONUS
Thanks es 73........RICH WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM
or WA2RQY@JUNO.COM

1990. Re: help on ic2000 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3360233a.2489037@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176987

On 24 Apr 1997 14:31:31 GMT, partain@leds.enet.qntm.com (cp) wrote:

>
>I just bought an ic2000 2m and the manual sucks or the radio isn't working
>right...??? Two of us sat for 1.5 hrs trying to set in freq's and no joy...
>
>is there anyone who can give me a quick what to do on this thing for
>programming in freq's?
>
>I went into vfo mode (I think) and set the freq, hit the pgs button till it
>beeps one short/one long and 3 shorts and it doesn't put in the freq.
>
>I tried just till the right hand bottom was blinking and it looked like
>something was going to happen but it wasn't programmed..why so complicated?
>
>maybe it's n ot working correctly, it was the floor model from HRO in Salem
>
>KA1MWP
>
Look at " Programming during selection " for programming the memory
channels the first time. Follow it exactly and you should have no
problems.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

1991. equipment for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgutter@iglou.com
Message-ID: <E96Bqy.BA4@iglou.com>
Source record: 176988

I am selling the following:

note: I bought this equipment less than a year ago, never got my
license and now I need the money to support another expensive hobby of
mine!!! The point is that this equipment was NEVER used, each piece
is still in its box with manuals!!!!

I would like to sell it all as a package deal, I may listen to offers
on individual pieces.

Free shipping in the USA!!!!!!!!!!

- Realistic 2 meter handheld transceiver and case

- RF Concepts 30 watt power amp

- Tucker SWR/PWR meter

- Astron 10A power supply

- Tucker mobile antenna

price = $450

email if interested,
Super-Gut

1992. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjm@shore.net
Message-ID: <5jpbc0$s1s@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 176989

pepe <pepe@jip.net> wrote:

>They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
>Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
>to learn code at 20 WPM.

>.. ..-. -.-- --- ..- -.-. .- -. .-. . .- -.. - ....
>--. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .

--. --- - --- -. . .-.-.-

And I didn't waste a single moment learning the code. :)

If you don't like the hobby....service...whatever....get out of it!!!

==
Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
==

1993. Powerline 13.5 Vdc Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: serupp@baynet.net
Message-ID: <5jp8eu$46v$3@news>
Source record: 176990

I am seeking a schematic or manufacturer info for a
Powerline 13.5 vdc ps. This unit is at least 20 yrs old
and lacks any tag info except for Serial #17877.
Thank you kindly in advance for ANY info about this
device. Feel free to email me directly.
Eric/VE3RUE

1994. Re: HW-8 Call to Experts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8blk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970425041000.AAA11480@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176991

>
>You need the HW-8 Handbook, it has all kinds of mods and fixes for the
>HW-8. You can get one from Mike Bryce WB8VGE 2225 Mayflower NW,
>Massillon, OH 44647. The cost is $11 which includes shipping.
>
>I have a HW-8 and it has the same problems as yours. The cure is to
>rewind the coils for those bands along with changing some cap values.

Check that address, if I remember correctly, Mike Bryce is in an
apartment,
while his dream house gets built. The address that he uses in 73, is

P.O. Box 508
Massilon, OH 44648

Hope this gets read before mail gets sent off! The suggestion for the
book
though is a real good idea! -art clemons-

1995. Re: Student Radio Club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwells@argohouston.com
Message-ID: <5jp8mc$oto@lana.zippo.com>
Source record: 176992

My apologies here. I guess I didn't supply all of the information necessary in my earlier post. I wasn't just looking for handouts. We are having a tough time as it is just getting the club on its feet andputting a club station together. Yes, we can and will do fundraisers, but IMHO, group fundraisers need to benefit the whole group, and not all of our members are trying for a license just yet. We would appreciate any help or suggestions, either by direct email or at:

http://www.argohouston.com/pages/g/gewellss

My apologies and 73's,

James A. Wells, KC5SIZ
President, Cy-Fair HS ARC
mailto:jwells@argohouston.com

1996. Looking for: Foxhunt receiver kit I can modify for CAP use.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: perryrt@flinthills.com
Message-ID: <5jpch5$aeu@news.flinthills.com>
Source record: 176993

OK, Folks, I need your help.

I'm involved with the local squadron of CAP (Civil Air Patrol). I'd really like to work some electronics into the education program we do with the cadets. Specifically, part of the SAR program uses DF equipment to search for aircraft ELT's (which go off in the event of a crash). I would really like to build a rudimentary DF receiver with the kids. Ideal parameters for this project should be:

1) a kit commercially available, that I can tune (or crystal control) to 2 freqs: 121.5 and 121.6 mHz

2) Battery powered (so we can take 'em into the field)

3) Kits not too complex to test or hideously expensive.

Suggestions? What I hope to do is start with "This is a soldering iron. Grab THIS end" and go from there. Anybody done anything similar?

Would an airband radio work with a decent S-meter and a good antenna?

Thanks alot for all your input!

Regards,

R. T. Perry
perryrt@flinthills.com
KF4BAL
GMOO

- The world is divided up into two groups of people:
Those that use HP's, and those that yell "HEY!
Where's the equals sign!"

1997. Re: Aircraft Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: serupp@baynet.net
Message-ID: <5jp861$46v$2@news>
Source record: 176994

In <19970424162201.MAA15890@ladder01.news.aol.com>, rt721@aol.com (RT721) writes:
>looking for 12 Aircraft 2-way radio, I understand that new regs are
>requiring upgrades, and i am looking for one that nolonger meets regs just
>for ground use no avat use

....If you mean `12 Volt Aircraft 2-Way radio'......

Try some avionics shops near major airports....The old Narko Com120's or
some versions of the Com 11's were 12 Volt. Maybe they havn't all been
scrapped yet.
Eric/VE3RUE

1998. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Higginson <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <HswU6DAEFGYzEw3b@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176995

In article <01bc5100$ea0b7300$ac7e65ce@wm8s-1>, Rob Bailey
<wm8s@pobox.com> writes
>
>Just got official word from ICOM that there will be no upgrade offer for
>existing IC-706 owners to the Mark-II. The next time ICOM introduces a new
>radio, it sound like we should all wait a year before buying one, huh?
>
>73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com
>
I never understand this attitude, it seems only some radio amateurs have
it.

When you bought your first TV or Washing mashine, did you expect an
upgrade to the latest model when the manufaturer updated his product
portfolio?

Regards
--
Paul G8IZR

1999. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: -.....-.---...-.--.@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <336342f3.2736402@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176996

On Thu, 24 Apr 1997 19:11:39 -0700, pepe <pepe@jip.net> wrote:

>They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
>Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
>to learn code at 20 WPM.
>
>.. ..-. -.-- --- ..- -.-. .- -. .-. . .- -.. - ....
>--. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .

If you can copy the mail at 20 wpm and listen to people discuss
whatever you must be a "dumbie" as well...

My reply address is correct if you copy morse code.
Mail servers and spam-bots don't do morse so please
to reply by E-mail enter n4jvp to the left of the
@ix.netcom.com

2000. Please Help With an Antenna Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude@wherever.net
Message-ID: <336168c4.13841875@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176997

I have an HT that I would like to use as a backup radio while doing my public service job. I can't seem to find any antennas that will transmit on UHF or VHF frequencies outside the ham bands. Do these things exist? I have never seen them at hamfests. Possibly at Dayton this year? Any help would be greatly appreciated.

2001. 6V6 and 6L6 equivalents

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@moyle.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861947673.4597.0@moyle.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176998

I'm going back to the simpler days!
Can some one tell me the more modern minature equivalents of 6V6 and 6L6
and even 6SK7 please
Many thanks

2002. Re: ?? JT 1000 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgunn1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970425001301.UAA21891@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176999

Yes. It is a fantastic radio. It keeps its specs across a wide range (at least VHF) and has good audio. Sometimes, the front shield can rattle at higher volumes, but otherwise it is a superb radio. I have 2, that is how much I like them. If you have a specific question, let me know. If you buy one, you can get a 3 year warranty for about $30 bucks!!!! That is how confident Motorola is in the product.

2003. REPEATER MAILING LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Major Domo Daemon <majordom@jerrys.rogerswave.ca>
Message-ID: <5jpgvt$35j@news.bc>
Source record: 177000

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******************************
* REPEATER Mailing List *
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This is a mailing list for exchanging ideas and information about any
Repeater and Repeater Controllers (HAM or COMMERCIAL).

If your interested in Repeaters and/or Controllers and would like to
be added to the REPEATER Mailing List, send an email message to:

To: repeater-request@jerrys.rogerswave.ca
Subject: (leave this blank)

subscribe
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2004. Re: avanti antenna information needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <336066C5.2055@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 177001
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Da Kender wrote:
>
> Looking for anyone who might be able to help me find a manual or
> information on an antenna my grandfather gave me.... The only thing it
> says is "avanti" on both ends. It has 3 vertical elements and the center
> one ends up in a big circle. It is in pieces at the moment and would
> like to know if I have all the parts and maybe get the thing back up in
> the air someday.
>
> Thanks... E-Mail me at dakender@telepath.com

Your description fits that of the Avanti "Astroplane" CB antenna of some years ago. It is a very good antenna and can be tuned for ten meters, if that's where you are going to operate. Other than that I can't help you much. Try running your post on the CB newsgroup. Good luck.

Ed Cregger
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

2005. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pbunn624@teleplex.net
Message-ID: <5jp27s$e07@news.teleplex.net>
Source record: 177002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

In article <335F9910.594A@worldnet.att.net>, jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net says...
>
>michael silva wrote:
>>
>> In <335F5990.6291@worldnet.att.net> Jim N8XYN
>> <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> writes:
>>
>> >Excuse me but he is LOOKING for 5 to 10 Nf caps...pretty small values
>> >huh? Just so happens that small components like that do exist in 2
>> >meter equipment! And also 160 meter stuff.....
>>
>> I've never seen compression trimmers as big as 10,000 pF, which is of
>> course not to say they're not available. 10,000 pF has a reactance of
>> about 0.1 ohms at 2 meters, so it's unlikely to be found in such
>> equipment.
>>
>> 73,
>> Mike, KK6GM
>
>Sorry, at this point I wish to retract my previous statement!

Go with an ARCO 466 or 467 and pad it with parallel silver micas. It will take some experimenting. The largest mica compression caps I have ever seen were 2700pf and had a 1/8" tuning shaft. Danny Stevig had them a few years ago.

Pat Bunn
N4LTA

2006. Re: Marconi CH 25 SSB Transceiver info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: lyman@cyberspy.com
Message-ID: <5jq69s$iqh@usenet88.supernews.com>
Source record: 177003

In article <5jggic$34v@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>, sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:
>Could someone tell me the specifications of the Marconi CH Twenty-Five
>SSB Transceiver. All I know is this is a 6 channel 100 watts PEP transceiver.
>
>What's the frequency range, is it crystal controlled, etc.?
>
>Is this a Marine or Commercial Transceiver?
>
>How old is it?

The CH-25 and 26 went out of production about 20 years ago.
They are a hybrid radio (tube finals) made in Montreal
The are commercial and marine radios and crystal controlled with 20 cps
stablility with xtal ovens
output is 100 watts
There are coil kits for each freq band
some have internal tuners tacked on the back
there were external tuners available.

I installed a lot of them in your area Carl as I worked for CMC in St Johns
years ago....the local depot will probably still have manuals and parts!

2007. WTB:Manual TW4000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3360A462.2DEF@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 177004

Need manual or good copy for Kenwood TW-4000. Brian K3USC-Erie,PA

2008. FS: Yaesu FT-747 and QSY'R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ouv@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <861972581.29828@dejanews.com>
Source record: 177005

I have for sale a Yaesu 747 with QSY'r direct freq. keypad
both are clean and in good cond with manuals.
Asking $475.00 You ship
Joe

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2009. Need Extender Board for Heathkit SB-104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: georgie@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <5jq9fp$q0b@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 177006

Does anyone have an Extender board for a Heathkit SB104? A friend of mine was given a partially completed 104 and has it finished but needs the extender to do the alignment. Heathkit part number is 85-1465. Thank you.

George in Phoenix

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2010. Albuquerque, NM Tailgate Swapfest - April 26th

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <5jqa3fgda1@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 177007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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Albuquerque, New Mexico Tailgate Swapfest
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WHEN: Saturday, April 26th
TIME: Early (Around 7AM?) - Whenever everybody leaves!
WHERE: St. Paul's United Methodist Church
9500 Constitution NE, Albuquerque
WHY: To buy, sell & trade Amateur Radio equipment.
TALK-IN: 147.06 (+, 100 Hz PL), 146.90 (-, 67 Hz PL),
or 147.15 (+, No PL) Albuquerque

Repeaters
FEES: None. Free admission, Free tailgating!

For more information, please contact Chuck, KC5GA. Bring your
equipment, and some cash and make some room in the shack for a new
toy or two, and get ready to have a good time!

=====> SPREAD THE WORD! <=====

73,
Brian, N5ZGT

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Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
Eagle Scout (12-6-96) ARRL QRP: NorCal# 1700 QRP-L# 580 AK/QRP # 125
JASM - Troop 41 Author of Worldradio's "Youth Forum" Column
Albuquerque, N.M. Packet: N5ZGT @ KC5IZT.ALBQ.NM.USA.NOAM
O.A. Lodge 66 <-W-W-W-<< Internet: n5zgt@swcp.com
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2011. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <3360AEEC.336D@techie.com>
Source record: 177008

pepe wrote:
>
> They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
> Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
> to learn code at 20 WPM.
>
> .. ..-. -.-- --- ..- -.-. .- -. .-. . .- -.. - ....
> --. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .
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Awwwwwww!!! Did 'ems fail his novice test?
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Ed

2012. WTB Superregenerative Receivers by Whitehead

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@moyle.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <861970704.17524.0@moyle.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 177009

I am trying to purchase a copy of this book published in the 1950's by Cambridge Univ Press I think

2013. Need info on hand-held radio stands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <varpenns@usaor.net>
Message-ID: <01bc517f$b5da2480$422ac7cd@micron>
Source record: 177010

I am searching for a manufacturer of hand-held radio stands. I wanted to hold an HT securely on a desk without it being pulled or knocked over. I have various size batteries which attach to it so adjustability of the stand would be a plus.

If you know of any companies or individuals who produce such an item, I would appreciate knowing about them. Thank you very much. Please e-mail responses to

varpenns@usaor.net

Thanks,

Don (WB3CEH)
email: varpenns@usaor.net

2014. Re: Looking for: Foxhunt receiver kit I can modify for CAP use.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3360B867.66C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177011

Richard Todd Perry wrote:
>
.... Snip .... Snip
I would really like to build a rudimentary DF receiver with
> the kids.
>
> Regards,
>
> R. T. Perry
> perryrt@flinthills.com
> KF4BAL
> GMOO
>
> - The world is divided up into two groups of people:
> Those that use HP's, and those that yell "HEY!
> Where's the equals sign!"

GM Richard -- Have you seen the T-Hunting Page on the web?? A link is
available from the DX Reference Page below.

Also -- love those reverse Polish HP Calculators. Worked at HP for 21
years and used the first models. I recall a saying;
If you need an equal key -- you don't need this calculator.
Sure obsoleted the Engineering Slide Rule -- but post haste!!

Cheers
Y to the X
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V DX Reference Page
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
Main Page: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Index: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2015. FS: IC765

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <3360C002.3DA4@millcomm.com>
Source record: 177012

I have a near mint IC 765 for sale. Mid 3000 serial number.

This is still one of the best receivers available today. I love the radio and you will too. Still rates as one of the top receiever of all radios in amateur service according to ARRL Lab tests.

Radio is extremely clean, small mar, not a scratch, on the top right corner in the back. Usual features, 500Hz CW filter, PBT mod.

$1500 firm. Shipping from Minneapolis MN about $50 to the CONUS. I'll pay to package it correctly. Cashier's check or MO, please. Give me an email and we'll talk on the phone.

Larry N0XB
Northfield, MN
lmenzel@millcomm.com

2016. FS: Yaesu FT-747GX - $500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <3361bfed.8415245@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 177013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi All,

I have a Yaesu FT-747GX to sell. Covers .5-30 mz, all-mode AM,CW,SSB, and FM with optional accessory. Its "as new" in the box not a single mark on it. I would like to get $500.

BTW- I just got a old issue of CQ (1992) and there is a remote mounting mobile kit one can get for the FT-747GX.

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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF\_kfkjf@post1.com
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\ / `-' `-' \ /
`-' `-'
```

2017. 1000watt linear w/ 100watt kicker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E.B." <rebfth@netlinkcorp.com>
Message-ID: <3360C0BF.26D@netlinkcorp.com>
Source record: 177014

I have a varmit and a halicrafter for $1,500.00.
reply to :rebfth@netlinkcorp.com

2018. FS:TS-180 WARC Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <3360ADA7.67B9@techie.com>
Source record: 177015

For those of you looking for the WARC kit for a Kenwood TS-180S send
email to:

w5robert@blkbox.com

Please don't send me any email.

Thanks
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Ed
W5CE@usa.net

2019. Re: Questions on QRP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3360B570.35B9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 177016

Bob McDonald wrote:
....Snip Snip
>
> Are there any good books or other writeups on QRP?

> Bob McDonald, KF6AZ

Good morning Bob -- there are a dozen or so QRP Pages linked on the DX Reference Page below -- perhaps browse there.

QRP IS!!

73
Rod in San Diego

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AC6V DX Reference Page
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
Main Page: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Index: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2020. Don't read - 2nd Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <33622824.616A@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176817

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2021. Don't read - 2nd Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <3362284A.635B@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176818

2nd Test
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2022. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <33629310.1ED4@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176819

A.G. von Luternow wrote:
>
> On Thu, 24 Apr 1997 19:11:39 -0700, pepe <pepe@jip.net> wrote:
>
> >They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
> >Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
> >to learn code at 20 WPM.
> >
> >.. ..-. -.-- --- ..- -.-. .- -. .-. . .- -.. - ....
> >--. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .
>
> If you can copy the mail at 20 wpm and listen to people discuss
> whatever you must be a "dumbie" as well...
>
> My reply address is correct if you copy morse code.
> Mail servers and spam-bots don't do morse so please
> to reply by E-mail enter n4jvp to the left of the
> @ix.netcom.com

What is the "@" symbol in cw? Brian
--

2023. Re: Kenwood TMV7A mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <336295B4.6C55@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176820

Kender wrote:
>
> Anyone have mods for this great new radio?
>
> --
> ----------
> -Kendall Jung 0- http://shoga.wwa.com/~kender O- kender@wwa.com
> =World Wide Access Modem Technician, Chicago, Illinois
> -Office: (312)803-9921 Fax: (312)803-9923
> ----------==========

Why?, does it suffer from spurious emissions? is the audio poor? Brian
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2024. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2604970628400001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 176867

In article <5jqt5m$ato@news1.sjc.in.sel.sony.com>, jeff@sec.sel.sony.com wrote:

> I can't keep myself from entering this discussion.
>
> 1) I own a 706 and have since Dec 1996.
>
> 2) I like it!
>
> 3) Some of the new features would be nice to have.
>
> BUT, I don't beleive that the manufacturer has any obligation to upgrade my
> unit.
>
> The concept of a modular radio like a modular computer is nice but, modular
> computers are large. Most laptop computers are not upgradable. When you
> design for size like the 706, you don't design for modular upgrades.

Certainly the software side of any modern radio that ISN'T upgradeable
means that the radio really isn't modern. Kantronics has done a nice
job in this regard with their KAM - I have a unit with version "8"
firmware - a huge advance of features vs. their original offering.

I'd rather lease a radio and have the ability to pay a fixed fee and
stay current than lose the investment with partitioned feature lockouts.
Who really wants to OWN a radio? I just want to USE it and have fun.

73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

2025. Re: 1000watt linear w/ 100watt kicker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4hk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970426110601.HAA25574@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176868

R.E.B.(rebfth@nwtlinkcorp.com) I doubt the "Varmit" is amateur equipment.
If listed on rec.radio cb, don't post cb on this list.
Thanks
Jim KF4HK
REC.RADIO.AMATEUR

2026. HIGH VOLTAGE CAPS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5jsqps$ltj@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 176869

I have some high voltage caps for sale

1 MFD 5000 V 2 EA. $25
3 MFD 4000 V 1 EA. $25
2 MFD 5000 V 2 EA $25
1.43 MFD 25000 V 1 EA $50
3.7 MFD 15000 V 1 EA $65

Will ship UPS COD you pay the shipping.
If you buy them all I will pay the shipping

Norman N8RGR
nordan@bright.net

2027. Re. Measuring phase angle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Knowlton <AMDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5jsu90$65j@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176870

I insert a UHF Tee (239?) in my line and cut off the center pin in the remaining open end and then install a barrel connector,I now have capacitance between the cutoff pin and the barrel center conductor. Now if I connect my coax to the barrel and run this to my scope do I need to terminate this with 50 ohms at the scope?
What I want to do is see the amplitude of the waveform out of the amp.The coax to the scope will only be 10 ft long.

2028. FS AOR3000a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: pe1ouc@freemail.nl
Message-ID: <3361fa00.62653381@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 176871

For Sale: AOR3000a Scanning receiver.

100 kHz - 2036 MHz 400 memory channels.

Incluses original box, manuals, power supply and software for use with
the serial port.

1 1/2 jear old in excellent condition!

asking $ 900 US

E-mail fright@knoware.nl or pe1ouc@dds.nl

2029. Spring Shack Cleaning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970426.091734.15599.3.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 176872

I have for sale, the following items:

ICOM IC-R7000 communications receiver, tunes 25mhz to 1.3ghz, AM/SSB/FM,
99 Memories, multiple scan options, truly a Cadillac of scanning/monitor
receivers.
$750.00 + shipping. <firm> includes original box, and manual.

KENWOOD TR-9000 2M All mode mobile tranceiver, includes original
microphone, mobile mounting bracket, and manual. $350.00 <or trade for?>

ICOM IC-706, mint condition, never mobile, all original accessories,
manuals and box.
2M-160M compact tranciever.. $950.00 + shipping

replies to: Bthaysen@juno.com

Thanks, and best 73's, Barry W6HZW/3
Mt Airy, MD
301-829-3891

2030. For Sale: Sony ICF SW-55

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: pe1ouc@freemail.nl
Message-ID: <336203de.65180321@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 176873

For Sale: Sony ICF-SW55

Freq. range: 150kHz - 29.999MHz AM,LSB,USB
87.5MHz - 108 MHz Omroepband (Stereo)
2 mf's: 55.845 MHz and 455 kHz
125 Memorys, big LCD Screen, Alarm, Timer, Woldmap, etc.

Size: 194*127*39mm Weight: ca 900 gram incl. batteries
Comeswith wireantenna, manual., superdeluxe suitcase,
earpiece, adapter en original box.

Newprice plm $ 400.-- Its for Sale for $200
F 500.--

Reactions: pe1ouc@dds.nl of tel:+31 653430642

2031. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4ufa@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970426.100705.2479.5.ke4ufa@juno.com>
Source record: 176874

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2032. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4ufa@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970426.100705.2479.4.ke4ufa@juno.com>
Source record: 176875

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2033. Re: IC2350H vs. FT5100?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3ab@ptdprolog.net
Message-ID: <33630cd3.1414242@news.ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 176876

On 25 Apr 1997 06:23:22 GMT, Steve Jackson KZ1X/4
<76216.2557@CompuServe.COM> wrote:

>
>I had a 2350. It does not do dual-in-band RX. I never owned a 5100 but I have several freinds who have them. When they are not in the shop they work OK.
>Vote: 2350, I have not tolerance for rigs that blow up.
>Steve KZ1X/4
>--
>73 de Steve
>KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

I have a 2350 and am quite pleased with it. It does suffer from some intermod in high-RF areas, but it's not that bad. Receiver is sensitive and so far had no troubles. Also had a 28H and 25A, both ran without troubles.

John N3AB

P.S. As for the intermod, the rig does attenuate if the squelch control is rotated past mid point. That has always cleared it up for me while in the hot spots.

2034. FS: TEN TEC 229 TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <336212e7.15421877@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 176877
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Exc. Condition Ten Tec Model 229 Tuner for sale. $195 + shipping.
Manual included. It has the complete black front and case color
matches the Paragon and Omni VI. Going 100% QRP and am using a small
tuner as well. Please email for more info.
Tim
NZ8J

2035. FS: Kenwood YK-455C-1 500Hz Filter , Lower priced.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: grainone@caserta.peoples.it
Message-ID: <3362f73f.4777936@news.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 176878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Specially dedicated to TS-140/680, but VG also for lot of others KW
rtx.I sell it tested OK, like new for $ 70 shipped to your door.
e-mail me to:
grainone@caserta.peoples.it

73 de Vanni - I8JJB
--
Vanni R.
Caserta,Italy

2036. Re: WTB: HRO-50 manual, E coil, or junker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33621D56.3F4F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176879

K9SQG wrote:
>
> Interested in a manual, or will pay for a copy, for National HRO-50, and
> the E coil (broadcast band) or a junker that has the above.
>
> Evan
> K9SQG@AOL.com

Good Morning Evan -- There are several manual vendors on the web.
Go to URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagef.html#MAN

Am certain I saw National HRO-50 manuals on one or more of these.

Keep the Boat Anchors afloat
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2037. FS: Alinco DR-610T dual band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: stewart@wt.net
Message-ID: <33622179.155052696@news.wt.net>
Source record: 176880

I have an almost brand-new Alinco DR-610T for sale. It is in absolute mint condition, with all original box, packing supplies, manuals, etc. I just bought a new car, and I don't want to install a mobile radio. This radio is a steal at $425.00 plus shipping.

I also have a Larson NMO 2/70 dual band antenna with a Larson trunk lip mount for $60.00, or I'll sell both for $475.00.

If you are interested, reply to: stewart@wt.net

In case you're not familiar with the radio, it is the top of the line Alinco dual band and comes jam packed with all sorts of amazingly cool features. For example:

120 channels (30 UHF, 30 VHF, and 3 "sets" of 20 channels each which can be mixed UHF and VHF.

Remote control of most of the functions of the radio (e.g. cross-ban repeater functions) with DTMF tones from a handie-talkie (and from the mic as well, of course).

Full and flexible cross band repeater.

9600 baud packet ready.

"Channel Scope" technology allows you to monitor adjacent channel OR frequency activity (VHF only, UHF only, or both at once!!!).

Detachable remote-mount faceplate.

Can be used UHF/VHF, VHF/UHF, UHF/UHF, or VHF/VHF.

Internal duplexer.

CTCSS encode.

Expanded VHF and UHF receive.

Cross band repeat:

Power: VHF 50/10/5, UHF 35/10/5.

This is a GREAT radio... Let me know if you want it!

Stewart
stewart@wt.net

2038. Scam??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@netnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199704261558.KAA18719@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 176881

>Date: 26 Apr 1997 04:09:54 GMT
>From: enboe@aol.com (ENBOE)
>Subject: FS/TRD: HTX-204's $550 ea. (Wideband Collectible?)
>
>I have two of the quick-to-disappear HTX-204's for sale or trade.
>
>These are the units that allow for wideband RX and TX. It is the buyer's
>responsibility NOT to transmit on frequencies they are not licensed to use
>or to monitor signals forbidden by law. Given that, these would make
>great radios for police/fire reserve members who are also licensed
>amateurs. They are also a collectible as they were in stores for less
>than a month before disappearing, in current guise, for good.
>
>Price $550 each - shipping/insurance included
>Trade candidates: IC 706, IC 275H, IC 820H
>
>Eric

Nice little scam.

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/ \ Mike Hughes
O/_____\O 211 Woodland Drive
/_____/\ Lowell, IN 46356
(>> (_) <<) (219)696-3637 H (219)696-2436 Office
| _/ | <macmike@netnitco.net>
\ |^| / Preacher for Prairie Street Church of Christ
\|^|/ ETL List Manager to subscribe Write:
|^| ETL-request@genesis.acu.edu
|_| Looking for a Place to Preach Write:
ETL-churchlook@genesis.acu.edu

2039. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert John <RAJohnGM@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33624292.512F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176882

Rob Bailey wrote:
>
> > On Fri, 25 Apr 1997 08:46:12 +0100, Paul Higginson
> > <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk> wrote:
> >
> > >In article <01bc5100$ea0b7300$ac7e65ce@wm8s-1>, Rob Bailey
> > ><wm8s@pobox.com> writes
> > >>
> > >>Just got official word from ICOM that there will be no upgrade offer
> for
> > >>existing IC-706 owners to the Mark-II. The next time ICOM introduces a
> new
> > >>radio, it sound like we should all wait a year before buying one, huh?
> > >>
> > >>73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com
> > >>
> > >I never understand this attitude, it seems only some radio amateurs have
> > >it.
> > >
> > >When you bought your first TV or Washing mashine, did you expect an
> > >upgrade to the latest model when the manufaturer updated his product
> > >portfolio?
> > >
> > >Regards
> > >--
> > >Paul G8IZR
> >
>
> But to use an equally irrelavant analogy, when I pay for the R&D of
> Microsoft's latest C++ compiler suite, I expect a significant price break
> when a new version comes out: part of the money I paid for V1.0 has no
> doubt gone into the development of V2.0, and my time spent finding and
> filing reports of bugs, enhancement requests, and so forth to Microsoft is
> a *very* valuable part of their R&D effort that went into the development
> of V2.
>
> And let's say Kenmore advertises a washing machine and touts that it will
> wash your clothes in 15 minutes. You - one of their most loyal supporters -
> rush to the store and buy one only to find out that instead, it takes their
> new washer the normal 35 minutes to wash your clothes. Then a year later,
> they re-introduce the "new and improved" version of the same washer that
> really will wash your clothes in 15 minutes. Would you be happy?
>
> Yet ICOM did just that, and you (and they) can't seem to grip the problem:

> the IC706 I bought said "0 to 200 MHz receive" in the original ad, which
> they later withdrew. Do you have an IC-706? Don't even try it. Unmodified,
> the radio was completely deaf from 54 to 144 MHz and above 148 MHz. Now the
> "Mark II" new and improved version is back to touting "0 to 200 MHz
> receive", plus a bunch of other things that ICOM learned from their free
> marketing guinea pigs: the people who paid dearly for first-generation
> radios.
>
> We deserve to share in the value of the R&D investment we made by buying
> V1.0 rigs, and we deserve to be rewarded for the unpaid product research we
> did for ICOM. That's all.
>
> 73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com

Rob, you right on. This habit is very common with Icom. Bob AA8X

2040. Want comments on Emoto and Create Rotors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: no9z@prairienet.org
Message-ID: <5jtc7t$9et@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>
Source record: 176883

I would like your comments on any experience with Emoto and Create rotors.
Primarily 20 sq. ft. and up models. thanks for any comments 73 Lynn
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2041. FS: UHF HT, UHF Base Antenna, & Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas K. Neiferd" <dknife@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33623532.4113@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176884
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Standard HX-240U, UHF 16 chnl/4 watt HT, 450-470 MHz, programmable,
all original accessories and box, software and field programming
instructions, simplex/duplex, hi/low power, scan, CTCSS tones,
drop-in-charger, spkr/mic, power cords, bottom covers, extra alk
battery pack, lighted LED, mobile mag mount ant, manuals, and
digital display. Excellent condition, $300.

Hy-Gain V4R UHF Collinear ant, covers 400-475 MHz, Alpha-Delta
Transi-Trap Static Discharge Unit, extra male "N" Connectors,
cleaned-very good condition, $75.

Realistic DX-380 Portable Communications Receiver.
150 kHz-30 MHz AM and 88-108 MHz FM. Digital display.
Has local/dx and narrow/wide AM reception switches.
Stereo/mono FM switch. Also, hi/low tone and fast/slow
tune switches. AM external antenna, dc power, and headphone
jacks. Tunes by direct entry, up/down button, or rotary dial.
Original box and manual, like new, works great. $100

I will pay shipping via UPS ground.

Recent sells references available

Contact Doug, KG8EP at dknife@worldnet.att.net

2042. Re: FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <5jtdvv$237@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 176885

n9kqk@hsonline.net (Scott Wilkerson) writes:
>Does anyone have a part number for the DC input plug for the FT-50R
>ht? A friend got one without the cord or recharger, all my adapters
>seem to be too big. Is there an aftermarket replacement or one at the
>local RShack?

The official Yaesu part number is E-DC-6. It's a molded plug on the
end of a length of wire; the other end of the wire is stripped and
tinned with no connector. It will certainly fit, since it comes from
Yaesu, and it's not outrageously expensive.

Dave

2043. Re: Re. Measuring phase angle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3362223a.5283534@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176886

On 26 Apr 1997 13:00:16 GMT, Mike Knowlton <AMDX@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> I insert a UHF Tee (239?) in my line and cut off the center pin in the
>remaining open end and then install a barrel connector,I now have
>capacitance between the cutoff pin and the barrel center conductor. Now if
>I connect my coax to the barrel and run this to my scope do I need to
>terminate this with 50 ohms at the scope?
> What I want to do is see the amplitude of the waveform out of the
>amp.The coax to the scope will only be 10 ft long.

That depends on the frequency. At lower HF, you may not need to terminate the scope line. At upper HF and at VHF/UHF you certainly will. Otherwise the coax will act as a suck out trap and confuse your readings something awful. The unterminated line will show resonance effects at multiples of a quarterwave, and will, of course, exhibit phase shift and other reactive effects at other frequencies if it isn't terminated in its characteristic impedance.

Note too that if you want to use the Tee as a calibrated sampler, you have to supply a known termination to the sampling port. I use a number of modified Tees for this purpose (I use type N however). They have been calibrated as 10 db, 20 db, and 30 db couplers at the frequencies for which they are intended. Since I use them with both my IFR and with a Tek scope, and both pieces of equipment offer a 50 ohm termination, this works out well.

I made a fixture for my milling machine which allowed me to precisely mill back just the right amount of the center pin to give me the desired coupling factor. I then color coded the Tee-barrel sets and keep them in my test kit. This works very well, provided you understand that the calibration is only valid over a limited frequency span. I calibrated mine for the 440 MHz band.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2044. Re: Affordable 2m plans???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <336243db.1989217@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 176887

On 25 Apr 1997 20:01:28 GMT, kc4srn@aol.com (KC4SRN) wrote:

>Doesn't ANYONE have affordable 2m plans??? I know, I know the Ten- Tec Kit
>is great to build, Yet, I don't want to pay more than a BRAND NEW rig
>including all the bells and whistles. I don't have to have every available
>option but I would like to build in the basics. I'l find my own box if
>necesary. PLEASE HELP ?

Sadly, it seems that the array of true homebrew (as opposed to kits)
gear is rather poor, albeit somewhat band dependent...

There are a number of HF goodies available as plans, but as you move
higher in frequency, the selection gets worse and the documentation
gets worse as well.

Not sure why this is, but it seems to be the case!

Good luck!

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

Heartland Internet Services

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Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****

2045. Re: TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33624071.56AE@onramp.net>
Source record: 176888

Eugene Cockburn Ference Rayner wrote:
>
> Interesting to see that other people have problems with the TS440. I have
> a TS440s and the digital display drops out from about 7.000 to 14.999 and
> of course I cannot use the radio when there is no display in that range. I
> have sent the radio to Kenwood in CA, Barrys in NY, HRO and no one is able
> to recreate the problem so they say yet it is a definate problem said to
> lie with the phase loop lock. Any suggestions or is this another piece of
> landfill from Kenwood. All the shipping back and forth to the USA added to
> the "repair" costs could have purchased me a new radio.
> Thanks for your help
> Eugene
> VP9NLW
> <erayner@ibl.bm>

The problem is probably in the second oscillator in VCO1. Probably
conductive potting compound. If not that then leaky diodes in the
receive filter. Definately repairable.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

2046. Eddystone price drop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33625A64.4C53@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176889

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The above Eddystone 830/2 receiver is now $400.00 or best offer.
73 Chris
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2047. WTB Hallicrafters SX-122 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5jtkkt$l7a$1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 176890

Wanted

Hallicrafters SX-122 or SX-122A HF receiver.

If you have one for sale, please reply with condition and price
to csc@smartt.com

Colin

2048. Re: Generic Connector Liquidation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@no.ads
Message-ID: <33626a20.3677778@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 176891
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Thanks Walt - I have some connectors on the way. I am sure the "lossy"
connectors are NOT goint to give me much trouble at 1.9 MHz!

I have decided to keep the old Labgear TX "original."

On Thu, 24 Apr 1997 23:11:04 GMT, walt@dial.pipex.com.nospam (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>On Thu, 24 Apr 1997 12:04:43 GMT, no.spam@no.ads (Brian Carling)
>wrote:
>
>>Does anyone here know where to buy some "BELLING-LEE" connectors
>>in the USA? These are used for Co-ax on British TV and used to be used
>>on a lot of their FM and ham gear too. I need a couple for a British
>>ham transmitter I got! I've tried all of the usual sources here.
>
>Ha ha! You will not get them in the USA. They are as lossy as h***
>and prone to flash-over if you put any significant power through them!
>You would do much better to convert the connector on the transmitter
>to SO239/PL259 .... or better yet, N-type.
>
>73 de G3NYY
>
>--
>Walt Davidson Email: walt@dial.pipex.com

To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
It is there to fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc DAWT com
For some GREAT Messianic Jewish resources on the Web, VISIT:
http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mjlynx.htm

2049. Re: Cross Band Repeater????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5jtrje$skc@camel2.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176892

"Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net> wrote:

>What is this used for and why would you need it on a dual band radio?

Lee,

I'll give an example of how I used it today. Our local group was providing communications at checkpoints for the March of Dimes Walk-A-Thon in our area. We were using our normal 2 meter repeater, but the location of my checkpoint did not allow reliable access to the machine using only a handheld. My mobile rig did just fine, but I could not sit in the car and do my duties. Therefore I put the mobile radio into cross-band repeat from a UHF frequency to the repeater input frequency. I tranmitted on this UHF frequency and listened to the repeater output on 2 meters using my dual band HT. This effectively extended the transmit range from my HT to that of my mobile rig.

There are a few cautions I would give about this useful feature. Although it is tempting to just leave it in this mode for some applications, that is putting an uncoordinated repeater on the air and may cause unintentional interference to other hams or repeater systems. Also, the frequencies should be chosen carefully so that you do not wind up on someone else's repeater input or something. In my area, the SouthEast Repeater Association (SERA) recommends certain UHF frequencies for this cross-banding. Make sure the frequency you choose is clear of signals and excess noise. You would hate to have your unit get hung up on some intermod or something and tie up the repeater until it times out. Finally, make sure you are somewhere you can get to the radio to disable this feature if needed, if a problem comes up.

Sorry for all the "free" advice, but this is a feature which must be used with some care. It's a good one, though.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

2050. Re: Affordable 2m plans???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larin <larin@blueriver.net>
Message-ID: <336220BC.4AAE@blueriver.net>
Source record: 176893

Marty Albert wrote:
>
> On 25 Apr 1997 20:01:28 GMT, kc4srn@aol.com (KC4SRN) wrote:
>
> >Doesn't ANYONE have affordable 2m plans??? I know, I know the Ten- Tec Kit
> >is great to build, Yet, I don't want to pay more than a BRAND NEW rig
> >including all the bells and whistles. I don't have to have every available
> >option but I would like to build in the basics. I'l find my own box if
> >necesary. PLEASE HELP ?
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> gear is rather poor, albeit somewhat band dependent...
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> There are a number of HF goodies available as plans, but as you move
> higher in frequency, the selection gets worse and the documentation
> gets worse as well.
>
> Not sure why this is, but it seems to be the case!
>
> Good luck!
>
> Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
> Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM
>
> Heartland Internet Services
>
> **
> Interested in Amateur Radio?
> http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
> **

I have also been looking for a 2 meter kit. I have found tons of HF but
no 2 meter. If anyone knows of some please let me know too.

Larin
larin@blueriver.net

2051. *** INFO WANTED: PRECISION 88 VTVM ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dewonder@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970426211901.RAA04131@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176894

Hello;

Guess I am a sucker for older test equipment and picked up a PRECISION APPARATUS Model 88 VTVM. Looks a lot like a Simpson 260 VOM but is a vtvm.

I am looking to purchase a user/repair manual and/or schematic. If someone out there has a parts unit I also need the Volt-Ohm probe, HV Probe and the power cord. Also would appreciate any suggestions for possible source(s) for these items.

73 and Thanks for the assist!

Bob, KC5LHR
Albuquerque, New Mexico
email=Dewonder@aol.com

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2052. Re: 6V6's, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: km1h@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970426.163531.8935.20.km1h@juno.com>
Source record: 176895

Hello John.

The 6AQ5 or the mil version 6005 are identical to the 6V6 and are 7 pin miniatures.
The 6L6 is a bit harder.....the 6BQ5/ EL84 are good for 17W in PP; the 6CW5/EL86 can crank 25W as a pair. Those are 9 pin miniatures. It gets damn hard to dissapate any more heat in those small bulb sizes without a fan.

The 6CA7/EL34 will do 45W in PP but they are octal based.

A really cheap and unnoticed tube is the 2E26, a scaled down 6146. A few bucks on the surplus market and they are a 6L6 with a plate cap. Octal based, work great at audio or RF up thru 2M.

Another favorite is the 5881, a premium 6L6GC or thereabouts. Used in military and test equipment and also show up for pennies compared to a "real" 6L6. I even use here as screen regulators in 500V power supplies (triode connected) since I had so many of them.

GL...Carl KM1H 1.8MHz to 10GHz Tubes thru HEMT's....whatever works

2053. Ten Tec Reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian W. Haren" <bharen@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33622763.564B@n-link.com>
Source record: 176896

Hi All,

Can anyone point me to the Ten Tec Reflector? I used to be on akorn.net
but seems to be gone. Thanks!

Brian
KC5YNP

2054. Free Web Classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: webmaster@bro.net
Message-ID: <33626814.1FA6@bro.net>
Source record: 176897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Birmingham (AL) Amateur Radio Club is pleased to sponsor online, interactive web classifieds. Currently receiving over 3,000 visits DAILY, the BARC Swap Shop is an excellent resource for selling, trading or buying. Enjoy!

http://bro.net/barc/forsale.html

2055. For Sale /Trade (GPS)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5235$868775a0$4001e8cc@pw>
Source record: 176898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Magellan Meridian XL Satellite Navigator forsale or trade. I am looking for a TH79AD or similiar unit in excellent condition.

N5PW

2056. HELP:FT-2500 info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1nfc@callsign.net
Message-ID: <33628ad6.0@199.76.206.53>
Source record: 176899

Does the FT-2500 have an RJ-45 Mic Connector?

73 de Bill

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
LT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
KINGSLAND FIRE RESCUE
Kingsland, GA 31548 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
Home: 912-729-5287 NAVY:ETC_Carreira@trfkb.navy.mil
Data: 912-729-6067
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm

"The fire pentahedron consists of: Oxygen, Heat, Fuel, Chemical
Chain Reaction, and the Chief. Take any one of the 5 away and the
fire goes out!"

2057. 16 Bit Stereo Sound Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan Hicks Jr." <lcrm@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3362B797.6241@earthlink.net>
Source record: 176900

April 26, 1997

To anyone interested,

I have a new 16-bit SoundTastic Wave 32 sound card, complete with manuals, software, and promo CD. It is still packaged in its original box.

The card features 32 simultaneous voices, 1MB wavetable ROM, integrated effects processor, MPC-2 compliant analog mixer, 16-bit stereo sound, 2 line inputs, headphone, microphone and joystick jacks, CD-audio connectors and is compatible with Sound Blaster, General MIDI, Adlib and MPU-401.

I am asking $95.00 for the card (obo). I will pay shipping. If you are interested, please reply to this email.

Thanks,
Dan Hicks Jr
dan@kb8uyz.com

2058. Re: Ten Tec Reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33629D46.5081@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176901

Brian W. Haren wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> Can anyone point me to the Ten Tec Reflector? I used to be on akorn.net
> but seems to be gone. Thanks!
>
> Brian
> KC5YNP

Howdy Brian -- Goto URL:
http://www.contesting.com/tentecfaq.htm
Has complete information

84 other "reflectors" can be found at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego

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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2059. Re: Ten Tec Reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rsellers@rockford.com
Message-ID: <5ju2coetq1@kirin.wwa.com>
Source record: 176902

In article <33622763.564B@n-link.com>, bharen@n-link.com says...
>
>Hi All,
>
>Can anyone point me to the Ten Tec Reflector? I used to be on akorn.net
>but seems to be gone. Thanks!
>
>Brian
>KC5YNP
I dont have the address at my finger tips, but do a web search on TnTec and Contesting. the new reflector or the renamed reflector (not sure) has the word contesting in it. Hope this is of ?? some ?? help

73,
Roger Sellers

2060. Re: Affordable 2m plans???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9str <n9str@mail.fwi.com>
Message-ID: <33621663.3EBB@mail.fwi.com>
Source record: 176903

Marty Albert wrote:
>
> On 25 Apr 1997 20:01:28 GMT, kc4srn@aol.com (KC4SRN) wrote:
>
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> Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM
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> Heartland Internet Services
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> **
> Interested in Amateur Radio?
> http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
> **
Check out the October 1992 issue of Radio Electronics/
Electronics Now. They have plans for a 2 meter HT.

2061. F.S. - Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970426220600.SAA07559@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176904

Vectronics VC-300-DLP 300 Watt antenna tuner w/ internal balun & dummy load. 48-position inductor switch, cross-needle meters. 1 month old. Blank Warranty card, original packaging, sales receipt copy. $125.00 shipped. I pay COD charge.
Email direct if interested.

KK4TL@AOL.COM

2062. 2 Million E-Mail Addresses $35.95

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Purdy <mpurdy@mail.tds.net>
Message-ID: <5ju4sg$nq8@news2.tds.net>
Source record: 176905

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This message is create by Dynamic mail - a most powerful online marketing tool
will explode your business on the internet. For more information please visit
our web site at : http://www.australia.net.au/~apexpi/dynamail.htm
##

2 Million E-Mail Addresses $35.95

Payment by:
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http://www.tds.net/compurdy/2_million

2063. Icom 6-Mtr IC-551 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CalvinF15 <CalvinF15@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <3362B49B.2D89@prodigy.net>
Source record: 176906

HI folks,

I have a dusty Icom 551 that never received the FM kit mod back in it's heyday. I am now wondering if such a beast is still available as an aftermarket product or if anyone recalls an article describing its construction. I have all the docs and could weld one up if I could find schematics for it. thanks for any help. Please E-mail.

Adam, n1gar

2064. Trade: TMC GPR-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@bright.net
Message-ID: <5ju3c0$983@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 176907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Trade:

Technical Material Corporation GPR-90 receiver, circa 1956. This receiver is in excellent cosmetic condition (just a few white scuff marks on the cabinet) and it works very well. It is a general coverage receiver, with amateur bandspread, and was built to the highest standards of quality.

I wish to swap for Drake gear, especially for a TR-7 station, a R7A receiver, R-8 receiver, or any Drake commercial receivers (DSR-1, DSR-2, etc.). I can deliver the GPR-90 to Dayton, or can arrange for shipping.

Thanks!

73,

Tony N8SNC
tony@bright.net

2065. Over 1200 tubes for sale on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgp <pelley@qbc.clic.net>
Message-ID: <3362EFCF.842@qbc.clic.net>
Source record: 176908

See this URL :

http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=ame2053

2066. Radio Shack HTX-202 (reply)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thunder <kadar@rr1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5292$490b2020$1f7284d0@default>
Source record: 176909

>Hello. I have been looking at getting a basic qualification here in
>canada. Similar to technician in the Us. Anyhow I was wondering if
>anybody had any comments on radio shcaks HTX-202 2 meter ham radio.

HTX-202 is basically a good radio. They do not have the extended coverage receive which would be nice but they are very quiet, receive well and have a few (12-15) memories so that you can at least program the local repeaters. I have been told that they are the only "true" FM radios on the market. Not sure what is meant by this but I believe it is in reference to the fact that they truly are Frequency Modulated units while most other manufacturers have gone to Phase Modulation to achieve the same ends. At the time I purchased mine (Summer 1995) it was also the the most powerful handheld available on a 12 V power supply (well 13.8). The manual states that it will put out 6 watts in this manner but a QST review and my wattmeter both report 7. I think Icom has a unit that goes 7 now and maybe there are a couple of others too. Not a lot of bells and whistles but a good radio that is very user friendly. Unfortunately you don't get a lot of support on these units because the guy behind the counter of most local RS stores usually doesn't know the first thing about amateur radio. I have had good luck with the RS 1-800 Tech Service number. They can put you in touch with people who actually design, build and test the radios and if they don't know the answer to your question they will find the answer and get back to you.
Don't seem to be able to find the number right now but it is in every owners manual.

Randy Albin KB9PWJ

2067. Re: IC 706 VS DX 70TH?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Mize <antenna@c2i2.com>
Message-ID: <3362DAEB.3C1E@c2i2.com>
Source record: 176910

Erik Skovgaard wrote:
>
> Mike,
>
> I do not have any practical experience, but I recently reviewed the specs
> for both rigs carefully and it seem to me that the DX-70 comes out on top.
>
> It does not have 2m, of course, so the IC-706 has that in its favour. But
> since I already have a multi-mode 2m rig, the DX-70 is my choice for 6
> meters and possibly also for HF. I should be able to relate some pactical
> experience in about a week.
>
> 73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.
>
> SIAMK <siamk@aol.com> wrote in article
> <19970427012600.VAA22137@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> > Anyone have a side-by-side comparison of the two rigs on the HF in the
> > mobile? I'm wondering which has the best Rcvr and audio. I'm not
> > concerned about the VHF.
> >
> > Tnx and 73s
> >
> > Mike
> >
Hi Mike, I have an Alinco DX-70T and I have used the Icom, the Alinco
has better recieve audio and I have gotten great signal reports on the
Alinco also. I used a 706 at field day and it was a good radio, it has
a built in keyer, and of course two meters, but like the other gentleman
I have a two meter all mode already so the Alinco was the best choice
for me monitarily. The front head on the Alinco is removable, but it
uses a flimsy ribbon type cable to connect the two units, so its
something you would only want to remove or reattach a few times a year,
not something you can pull off and stick in your shirtpocket. The
filters on the Alinco are faily good, I think a little better than the
Icom. I have had the DX-70 for almost a year now and has no problems
with it at all, and I have used it quite a bit as a base and mobile and
special event stations.
The tranmit relay is quite, and the display is not quite as big as the
706 but easily readable. The DX70 also has full and semi keying, and it
comes with CTCSS tones built in, but thier programmed with DIP switchs
on the bottom of the radio, I cant believe in this day and age and with
all the other features this radio has that they had to use DIP switchs!
I dont think you can go wrong with either radio, the DX70 was the radio
for me, and about $400.00 cheaper than the Icom. Hope this helps some.

73s
Tim N7XAU

2068. FS VINTAGE WATERMAN'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@mail.cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3362E33E.45F9@mail.cadvision.com>
Source record: 176911

For sale a Waterman's 'Pocket Scope model S-11-A. This is an early fifties oscilloscope with a hard carrying case. It is in good condition.
The price is $20.00 Canadian plus shipping costs from Calgary, Alberta, Canada.
Thank you. Peter Christensen..VE6LP.

2069. Re: FS VINTAGE WATERMAN'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@mail.cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3362E481.5A90@mail.cadvision.com>
Source record: 176912

Peter F. Christensen wrote:
>
> For sale a Waterman's 'Pocket Scope model S-11-A. This is an early
> fifties oscilloscope with a hard carrying case. It is in good
> condition.
> The price is $20.00 Canadian plus shipping costs from Calgary, Alberta,
> Canada.
> Thank you. Peter Christensen..VE6LP.
My Email address is christep@cadvision.com

2070. WTB: ICOM CR-64 High Accuracy Oscillator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2604971433590001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 176913

I am looking for an ICOM CR-64 High Accuracy Oscillator. If you have an extra you can spare, please let me know. Thanks!

73, Dick W6OLD
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

2071. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <tsweeney@harborhi.com>
Message-ID: <k20uj5.26i.ln@harborhi.com>
Source record: 176914

Roy Church <rac@isise.rl.ac.uk> wrote:
> Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase
> lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to
> occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.

I had this problem develope about 5 years ago or so (rig vintage 1988),
and it got progressively worse until the radio is now completely unusable.
I ended up buying another transceiver (a Yaesu this time) with the
intention of sending the 440 to Kenwood to have as a backup. But as usual,
I never got around to it and the 440 has been sitting on the shelf
collecting dust. Perhaps it's time to get back in touch with Kenwood
(and my state's Attorney General if need be) and stir up the pot a bit. :)

BTW, it was known to be a common problem then, and the Kenwood tech I
talked to at the time knew about it, so Kenwood can hardly plead innocent.

--
Tim Sweeney Harborhi Consultants Boothbay Harbor, Maine

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The contents of this post are for entertainment purposes only.

2072. Scanner ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3362452A.5FCE@flash.net>
Source record: 176915

Is it possible to hook up my scanner to a ringo ranger with the 2 meter radio also?

Any suggestions on good scanner antennas??

73s
KC5ZRR

2073. Don't read - Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <3362276B.6E09@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176916

Test

2074. FT-2500 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1nfc@callsign.net
Message-ID: <336150e4.0@199.76.206.53>
Source record: 176953

Anybody have the mods for out of band xmit on the subject radio.
I can not locate them on my current QRZ CD-ROM.

Thanks

73

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
LT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
KINGSLAND FIRE RESCUE
Kingsland, GA 31548 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
Home: 912-729-5287 NAVY:ETC_Carreira@trfkb.navy.mil
Data: 912-729-6067
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm

"The fire pentahedron consists of: Oxygen, Heat, Fuel, Chemical
Chain Reaction, and the Chief. Take any one of the 5 away and the
fire goes out!"

2075. For Sale MJF 941-D Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac6pv@sfo.com
Message-ID: <5jrq72$g63@ramona.sfo.com>
Source record: 176954

For Sale MJF 941-D Antenna Tuner. Mint condition. $55. I pay
postage and insurance.
Thanks.
73,
JD
AC6PV@sfo.com

2076. Yaesu FT 890 AT Auto Tuning HF Rig $800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Message-ID: <33616d6e.50342659@news.netins.net>
Source record: 176955

Lowered Price. Yaesu FT-890 AT Compact HF Rig with built in Automatic Tuner. Extremely light use. Approximately 30 total contacts is total usage. In perfect shape, brand new with all the original boxes and packing.

100 watts power on all HF bands. IF shift and IF notch filter. Four microprocessors provide the easiest possible control interface. Two independent VFOs for each band (20 total) hold their own frequencies and modes as well as clarifier offsets and repeater shifts. 32 memories store data for the VFOs giving a total of 84 independent sets of frequency, mode and other selections. Noise blanker, all mode squelch, 4 function multimeter, and AF speech compressor with adjustable IF passband shift. Iambic memory keyer for CW with dot-dash memory.

Top panel heatsink allows this radio to run cool at all times and with an internally switched fan, it allows full transmitter output without any rear panel protrusions.

Add CAT control to hook this fine radio up to your computer.

Perfect shape and like brand new. $800.00, buyer to pay shipping.

KG0UK Don Peaslee

email don.peaslee@ncn.net
phone 712-852-3018
Emmetsburg, Iowa
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Don Peaslee (Radio Op: KG0UK) Mail: don.peaslee@ncn.net
Emmetsburg, Iowa 50536-8506 Voice/Fax: 712-852-3018
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2077. FS/TRD: HTX-204's $550 ea. (Wideband Collectible?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: enboe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970426040801.AAA06771@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176956

I have two of the quick-to-disappear HTX-204's for sale or trade.

These are the units that allow for wideband RX and TX. It is the buyer's responsibility NOT to transmit on frequencies they are not licensed to use or to monitor signals forbidden by law. Given that, these would make great radios for police/fire reserve members who are also licensed amateurs. They are also a collectible as they were in stores for less than a month before disappearing, in current guise, for good.

Price $550 each - shipping/insurance included
Trade candidates: IC 706, IC 275H, IC 820H

Eric

2078. Re: 1000watt linear w/ 100watt kicker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.com
Message-ID: <336279b7.8101881@news.syspac.com>
Source record: 176957

"R.E.B." <rebfth@netlinkcorp.com> wrote:

>I have a varmit and a halicrafter for $1,500.00.
>reply to :rebfth@netlinkcorp.com

huh?

C. Dean Norris, K7NO
e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com
If "global warming" is responsible for the current No. Dak. 500 year floods, what caused the last 500 year flood?

2079. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5jrkionoc3@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 176958

In article <3360DD2D.4073@gdi.net>, larry666NOSPAM@gdi.net wrote:
>pepe wrote:
>>
>> They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
>> Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
>> to learn code at 20 WPM.
>>
>> .. ..-. -.-- --- ..- -.-. .- -. .-. . .- -.. - ....
>> --. . - .- .-.. .. ..-. .
>
> Sounds like a moron who could not pass his tests to me!!!!!!
>
> 73,
> Larry Ke4rur
>
>P.S.If you don't like hams,why are you in our newsgroup?Dickhead!

Hey! You asked a question and answered it too! Excellent! Now help me get
passed the 8 WPM "wall". I want to get my general!

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

2080. TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Cockburn Ference Rayner <erayner@ibl.bm>
Message-ID: <01bc51fc$65dcaa20$5ffcacc7@erayner.ibl.bm>
Source record: 176959

Interesting to see that other people have problems with the TS440. I have a TS440s and the digital display drops out from about 7.000 to 14.999 and of course I cannot use the radio when there is no display in that range. I have sent the radio to Kenwood in CA, Barrys in NY, HRO and no one is able to recreate the problem so they say yet it is a definate problem said to lie with the phase loop lock. Any suggestions or is this another piece of landfill from Kenwood. All the shipping back and forth to the USA added to the "repair" costs could have purchased me a new radio.
Thanks for your help
Eugene
VP9NLW
<erayner@ibl.bm>

2081. WANTED DRAKE SP75 & NB7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dxhog@netsync.NET
Message-ID: <336181E7.179@netsync.net>
Source record: 176960

To finish off my Drake station I need a SP75 speech processor model 1553 and a NB7 noise blanker for the TR7. Thanks and 73 N2ODU/Dave.

2082. FS: Kenwood TS-120S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <336215B8.2EE1@polarnet.com>
Source record: 176961

Kenwood HF ham bands only rig.
Must sell! Very good condition.
Looks great, sounds great, and performes great.

Asking $400.00 I ship. (money order only please)

Comes with Desk mic, hand mic, DC power cord, and original
manuals and schematics.

If you are interested in this rig please e'mail me at:
beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thank you,
Charles B.

2083. FS Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5jrutk$2q2$1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 176962

For Sale

Kenwood TS-520 HF transceiver.

Covers 80m through 10m plus 10 Mhz WWV band receive

It has the optional CW crystal installed.

Overall condition and tubes are very good.

$240 US plus shipping.

If interested please reply to csc@smartt.com

Colin

2084. WTB: HRO-50 manual, E coil, or junker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970426055400.BAA14503@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176963

Interested in a manual, or will pay for a copy, for National HRO-50, and the E coil (broadcast band) or a junker that has the above.

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

2085. FS: TR-7 CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970426055800.BAA14727@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176964

Have a cw filter for Drake TR-7, with Drake label not network sciences for the Drake collectors out there, it is 500 hz, and is $50 shipped to your door conus.

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

2086. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Higginson <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <RWaxUBAuTcYzEwXU@greenrover.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176965

In article <01bc51a7$9b87fc60$3e7e65ce@wm8s-1>, Rob Bailey
<wm8s@pobox.com> writes
>> On Fri, 25 Apr 1997 08:46:12 +0100, Paul Higginson
>> <paul@greenrover.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>>
(Snip)
>
>But to use an equally irrelavant analogy, when I pay for the R&D of
>Microsoft's latest C++ compiler suite, I expect a significant price break
>when a new version comes out: part of the money I paid for V1.0 has no
>doubt gone into the development of V2.0, and my time spent finding and
>filing reports of bugs, enhancement requests, and so forth to Microsoft is
>a *very* valuable part of their R&D effort that went into the development
>of V2.
>

I would say that neither analogy is irrelavant, and I take your point
about software upgrades, but I don't think its fair to compare a
proffesional software package with what amounts to a cheap piece of
consumer electronics.

The hardware complexity is similar to that of a quality car radio. (OK
thats a bit hard, maybe a VCR) but because it is compareable in
advertised features to a top of the range TS9abc/123 then we can't help
but draw comparison.

>And let's say Kenmore advertises a washing machine and touts that it will
>wash your clothes in 15 minutes. You - one of their most loyal supporters -
>rush to the store and buy one only to find out that instead, it takes their
>new washer the normal 35 minutes to wash your clothes. Then a year later,
>they re-introduce the "new and improved" version of the same washer that
>really will wash your clothes in 15 minutes. Would you be happy?

No I would not, but I would do the following:

Take my complaint to the manufacturer,I managed to spell it this time :)
during the waranty period. If I didnt get satisfaction, and the issue
was important enough to me I would demand a refund. UK law would allow
this , is there similar protection in the US?

What I wouldnt do is wait 'till the mark 11 turned up and then complain.

This is what lots of uk customers of USR sportster modems did, they
didn't get an upgrade. I took my issues up with their complaints
procedure during the first 2 weeks of ownership, and duly got an upgrade
for free 8 months later.

And I didn't have to complain in uk.modem.user.complaints either :)

>
>Yet ICOM did just that, and you (and they) can't seem to grip the problem:
>the IC706 I bought said "0 to 200 MHz receive" in the original ad, which
>they later withdrew. Do you have an IC-706?

Oh I do know it dosen't do all they said it would. I had one for one
week on trial, and rejected it because the RX performance on 148-155
which is an important band to me was poor, also the RX overload on the
specified bands was a little poor even for a mobile.

I would however make the point that a receiver that was designed to work
from 0-200 mhz would have to be a compromise. (unless it cost 10K....)
so perhaps it would be reasonable to assume that as technical buyers we
would expect some areas of its performance to be better than others.

However, if it didn't meet spec, and it was important enough to you to
make a stand, you should have ditched it.

> Don't even try it. Unmodified,

See above

>the radio was completely deaf from 54 to 144 MHz and above 148 MHz. Now the
>"Mark II" new and improved version is back to touting "0 to 200 MHz

I have experience of the unoficial modification to improve the mk1, I
don't think that its too good. In the UK there are lots of big signals
around 155 mhz, its not much fun using a modded 706 on a home antenna.

Have you seen the mark 11 on a test set? Does it actualy do what Icom
say?

>receive", plus a bunch of other things that ICOM learned from their free
>marketing guinea pigs: the people who paid dearly for first-generation
>radios.
>
>We deserve to share in the value of the R&D investment we made by buying
>V1.0 rigs, and we deserve to be rewarded for the unpaid product research we
>did for ICOM. That's all.

In my oppinion you did, the cost of development for the mark 1 would be
very high, I feel that the low cost of the '706 reflects the market
strategy of R&D at the customers expense. If the radio had been 3 times
the price and aimed at a profesional market, I think you would have had
a true grievance.

If you want details of the modifications I can try to get them for you,
but to be honnest I wouldnt bother. I think its only the removal of some
c's in the VHF preselector and the downside is increased overload.

Let me know if you want the info

>
>73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com

>
Regards

--
Paul G8IZR

2087. Re: FT-2500 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry J. Brock" <larry666NOSPAM@gdi.net>
Message-ID: <3361C52F.21F3@gdi.net>
Source record: 176966

Bill Carreira [N1NFC] wrote:
>
> Anybody have the mods for out of band xmit on the subject radio.
> I can not locate them on my current QRZ CD-ROM.
>
> Thanks
>
> 73
>
> Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
> LT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
> KINGSLAND FIRE RESCUE
> Kingsland, GA 31548 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
> Home: 912-729-5287 NAVY:ETC_Carreira@trfkb.navy.mil
> Data: 912-729-6067
> http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
> http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm
>
> "The fire pentahedron consists of: Oxygen, Heat, Fuel, Chemical
> Chain Reaction, and the Chief. Take any one of the 5 away and the
> fire goes out!"

Hello,
Open the top cover and locate a small green jumper wire.Cut or
de-solder that wire and close the radio.You now have out-of-band
transmit.DON'T TRANSMIT OUT OF BAND!!

73,
Larry ke4rur

2088. Kenwood TS-950SDX FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brufel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427174500.NAA17478@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176767

MINT condition TS-950SDX with 1.8 SSB filter, SP-950 speaker, MC-85 mike. Original boxes and packing. Manuals, cords, plugs. 3 years old. Original owner.
Works perfect. Beautiful radio. $2975 incl UPS 48.

Bruce K3BF
brufel@aol.com

2089. Re: More TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <336398A3.1FF@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 176768

Dan Murphy wrote:
>
> Eugene Cockburn Ference Rayner wrote:
> > Interesting to see that other people have problems with the TS440. I have
> > a TS440s and the digital display drops out from about 7.000 to 14.999 and
> > ...etc...etc...etc
> > Eugene
> > VP9NLW
> >
> My TS440S (1989 vintage) was reported to have "RF in the shack" noise
> and "FMing" The reports were valid - I'm on a regular club net and these
> folks were being honest. I did all the normal things; groung
> improvements, bypass caps, isolation, da da da da; with no improvement.
> My 440 has been shelved for several years - I'm now using a Ten-Tec
> Argosy.
>
> I have heard of poor solder connections on the 440 boards. I am not
> looking forward to the tedious removal and search of each board unless
> there is a probability of success. Anyone heard or gone through this
> routine?
>
> Tnx es 73
> Dan KA1SZP
>
--
I think all these symptoms have been traced to the "goo" in the pll
board. Scrape all of it off the components and the problems will go
away. The goo seems to absorb water during the humid months.

Chuck, KE9UW

Charles (Jack) Hawley Jr.
Amateur Radio: Chuck, KE9UW
BMW Motorcycles: Jack, BMWMOA #224
c-hawley@uiuc.edu
Sr. Research Engineer Emeritus
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

"...gimme the fat beat"

2090. Re: Re. Measuring phase angle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <336396e4.3295329@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176769

On 27 Apr 1997 12:02:15 GMT, johnsonhe@aol.com (JohnsonHE) wrote:
>Whether you terminate it or not, you won't see the AMPLITUDE of the signal
>out of your amplifier. And what you do see, will be a function of the
>termination and the frequency since the capacitive coupling is frequency
>sensitive.
>
>W4ZCB

Well of course you won't see the full amplitude of the signal you're sampling. That's the whole point. You don't want to terminate an amplifier with a delicate, sensitive, and expensive piece of test equipment. You have to calibrate the coupler for the frequency range over which it will be used in order to determine the amplitude of the mainline signal. That's easy to do with a low power source which won't risk damaging your test equipment.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2091. Re: Cross Band Repeater????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427181300.OAA19792@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176770

Another practical application for cross-band repeating is found with a simplex patch. I have a CS-900 for sale in another post. Anyway, set your home radio and antenna connected to THIS simplex patch (needing only MIC and SPK connections) to your select simplex frequency (2m for example). Then tune that 2m simplex freq on one side of your mobile cross banding rig. Then pick an unused 440 simplex frequency on the other side of the mobile dual band rig. Now your 440 capable HT can transmit LOW power (longest portable battery time) and go THROUGH (cross band) the car rig with more power and better antenna TO (and from) your base station and connected auto patch. RESULT you can now take and receive telephone calls on your tiny low power HT from extended distances. The 440 is great for penetrating buildings and 2m is good for longer distance around town. Note: For this example a (full duplex) dual band HT would be better when you can HEAR the base 2m directly from the HT. Therefore you will ONLY cross band WHEN you transmit.

2092. Re: KENWOOD TM-733A PL QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif Holland <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3363A28E.26E9@onramp.net>
Source record: 176771

Mark Russo wrote:
>
> Hi everyone, Does anyone know where the PL level pot is located in
> the TM-733A? Mine are much too loud. Also, are there two pots, one
> for VHF and the other for UHF?
> Please reply via e-mail. mrusso@hoflink.com
> Thanks for your help, Mark N2FLF

Right off the top of my head the pl level is not adjustable except
through the deviation pot for the main audio.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid/

2093. kenwood th 26 e

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: vlajsa@EUnet.yu
Message-ID: <33638c6e.287177@news.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 176772

Recently I bought Kenwood TH-26 e handheld. I want to know more about specifications and maybe secret functions.I dont have DTMF for him,so if anybody have modul for upgrade please send me informations about price(second hand DTMF is allright).
Sacha
vlajsa@eunet.yu

2094. WTB: 3 kW to 1 kW Bird attenuator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Loek d'Hont <ldhont@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5334$c2e62a00$084de4c0@A0927429.itg.ti.com>
Source record: 176773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

A friend of mine is looking for an attenuator made by Bird, which attenuates from
3 kW input to 1 kW output, 50 ohms.

This particular attenuator is part of the shelterized URG-2 HF installation from Collins.

If you have this attenuator and want to sell it, please respond to:

LDHONT@ti.com

2095. Looking for 2M/70cm Hand Held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme.com
Message-ID: <3363ad80.2543148@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 176774
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.amtor,alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two things that I am looking for:

1. min 2.5W output 2M/70cm dual band hand held (under $250. newer is
better. must be functioning properly.) the information for 70cm
only hand held is also welcome.

2. Packet Terminal Controller (for Pentium IBM Compatible PC. 1200bps
minimum; perferbly 2400bps or more. under $100)

Also I would like to know a good store for hand helds or packet
terminals.

please contact me at: masa@writeme.com

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

2096. Re: FS: UHF HT, UHF Base Antenna, & Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme.com
Message-ID: <3363af27.2965644@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 176775
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 26 Apr 1997 12:02:42 -0500, "Douglas K. Neiferd"
<dknife@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Standard HX-240U, UHF 16 chnl/4 watt HT, 450-470 MHz, programmable,
>all original accessories and box, software and field programming
>instructions, simplex/duplex, hi/low power, scan, CTCSS tones,
>drop-in-charger, spkr/mic, power cords, bottom covers, extra alk
>battery pack, lighted LED, mobile mag mount ant, manuals, and
>digital display. Excellent condition, $300.

I am looking for 70cm(+ 2M preferbly) hand held for under $250. if
you are interested, e-mail me at masa@writeme.com

>Hy-Gain V4R UHF Collinear ant, covers 400-475 MHz, Alpha-Delta
>Transi-Trap Static Discharge Unit, extra male "N" Connectors,
>cleaned-very good condition, $75.
>
>Realistic DX-380 Portable Communications Receiver.
>150 kHz-30 MHz AM and 88-108 MHz FM. Digital display.
>Has local/dx and narrow/wide AM reception switches.
>Stereo/mono FM switch. Also, hi/low tone and fast/slow
>tune switches. AM external antenna, dc power, and headphone
>jacks. Tunes by direct entry, up/down button, or rotary dial.
>Original box and manual, like new, works great. $100
>
>I will pay shipping via UPS ground.
>
>Recent sells references available
>
>Contact Doug, KG8EP at dknife@worldnet.att.net

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

2097. FS:Drake Gear, Fremont, CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: teixeira <teixeira@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <336320CB.26F7@ccnet.com>
Source record: 176776

Posted for Syd, W6QWK

By Don, W6IQ

Ham Gear For Sale

DRAKE STATIONS TO BE SOLD OR TRADED BY THE AMERICAN RED CROSS
It is a common practise for people to donate ham equipment to the American Red Cross. It is done many times by well intentioned widows who believe that HF gear is usable in emergencies. Others who know better donate for the tax write-offs they receive. Whatever the reasons the Union City Red Cross Communications Leader Syd Furman has in his possession some very attractive HF stations that were manufactured by the Drake Radio Company. It is desired to trade this for more usable equipment such as 2 meter and 440 mHz transceivers, packet TNC and a working laptop. Also, this equipment is available for sale with the intention of eventually buying the listed gear. At present the Union City office is without any ham gear due to the previous rigs having been stolen. There is one station consisting of the TR-4C sideband tranceiver and its companion the L-4B linear amplifier. At the present time the power supply for the linear is missing and there is some hope we can find it to complete the station. There is a second station consisting of the T-4XB transmitter and its companion R-4B receiver. The power supply that is part of this set powers the transmitter and recieiver. There is a third station consisting of the TX-4XC transmitter and its companion R-4C receiver. The power supply that is part of this set powers the transmitter and receiver. If there is any kind of an interest in all or part of this gear please contact the following: Syd Furman-W6QWK, 396 Teddy Dr. Union City CA 94587, 510-471-1070, w6qwk@wco.com

2098. Re: Yaesu FT-51R Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Caldwell <NOSPAMseancaldwell@mindspring.com*>
Message-ID: <01bc5349$08823400$3f320c26@166>
Source record: 176777

send a message to Dan Brown. danb@acme.csusb.edu

he posted something last year that was excellent.

Sean

Barry O'Grady <barryoXX@fastlink.com.au> wrote in article
<33604844.11544541@news.fastlink.com.au>...
> Robert Lara <gameshow3@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
> :I m interested in buying the Yaesu FT-51R dual band hand held. Does
> :anybody know where I could find a write up on the radio? I currently
> :have a Kenwood TH78A which has been modified with the extended band TX &
> :RX capabilities. I was told the Yaesu can be modified for extended band
> :TX & RX functions. I would like to know if anyone knows where I could go
> :to look for modification information.
> :
> :Robert
>
> How does the FT-51R compare to the FT-50R?
>
> ==========
> To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> return address.
>

2099. WTB: Motorola 900mhz Spectra's and Maxtrac's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Curry <recurry@insighttec.com>
Message-ID: <5k0c43$f7d@masters0.InterNex.Net>
Source record: 176778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Please reply with model numbers and asking price.

Regards,
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Ron Curry
recurry@insighttec.com
recurry@inside.intel.com
KE6WED

2100. FS: Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@postoffice.ptd.net
Message-ID: <5k0cv5$2j3$3@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 176779

I have the following accessories for sale:

Optoelectronics CX-12 Interface with AC adapter, AR8000/2700 adapter, cable and demo disk. In like new condition. $ 50.00 (plus shipping)

Altec Lansing ACS-100 MultiMedia Amplified Speakers with Adapter and cables. Sound great with scanner/sw radio $ 50.00 (plus shipping)

Mr. Scanner Frequency Database CD (May 1996) $ 10.00 (incl. shipping)

Klingenfuss 1996 Super Frequency List CD $ 10.00 (incl. shipping)

Grove FCC Database CD V/4.1 with Mapping $ 25.00 (incl. shipping)

Street Atlas USA CD V/2.0 $ 10.00 (incl. shipping)

Grove Frequency Database on Disk for Pennsylvania $ 5.00 (incl. shipping)

If interested send E-Mail to:

johnl@postoffice.ptd.net

Thanks.

2101. Addendum to one way cross-band note

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427182901.OAA21134@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176780

You would set the car cross band rig to receive with a PL on 2m (that your base is not sending) so that it would not go to the HT while you can receive the base directly from the HT. Alternativly, you could set up a split instead on 2m, but it is recomended that you have PL DECODE on the cross band rig. This saves your car battery. Note that many other precations must be taken when cross banding. You CAN'T cross band two repeaters bacause they will set each other off, back and forth, and back and forth. Always be near your Cross banding rig so you can turn it off if it locks up. Set your transmit time-out timer to about 2-3 miniutes. Use low power going to your HT. Make sure the frequencies you use are NOT being used for a link or anything. Always give you call. The patch gives your call in CW. Be careful out there.

2102. Re: Radio Shack HTX-202 (reply)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme.com
Message-ID: <3363befa.7017861@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 176781

On 26 Apr 97 20:36:57 GMT, "Thunder" <kadar@rr1.net> wrote:

>>Hello. I have been looking at getting a basic qualification here in
>>canada. Similar to technician in the Us. Anyhow I was wondering if
>>anybody had any comments on radio shcaks HTX-202 2 meter ham radio.
>
>HTX-202 is basically a good radio. They do not have the extended coverage

(...)

I have HTX-202. It's a good one. You can get it for $220 right now
at Canadian RS. If you want to (or think) use UHF band, I don't
recommend buying HTX-202.

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2103. Alinco DJ-S41T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <3363BEFC.1D85@southeast.net>
Source record: 176782

Hello,

Anyone have opinions on the Alinco DJ-S41T 440 handheld? I am
considering getting one to use mainly with my crossband 2m/440 radio.

Thanks,

Jim.. WA5VPW...

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

2104. FS KENWOOD TH55AT HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL LEE <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3363BB7C.2A41@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176783

I have for sale a kenwood th55at ht for $250.
The radio is in excellent condition,operates on the 1.2 gig band.
Includes radio,antenna,battery,wall charger,book and box.
AL

2105. FS: Antique Radios & BA's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9uwa@cris.com
Message-ID: <5k0k3k$ka7@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 176784
Cross-posted to:
rec.antiques.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radios Equipment & Boatanchors going to Dayton for sale....
May 16th, 17th, 18th
Flea market spaces 2843 and 2844 that is 2 rows north of Mendelsons
tent.....stop by and see us there .....

John K9UWA & Jean N9PXF

Mfg. & Model year type additional information price
#1. GE-X216A 1939 Table fully restored $165
#2 GE-F70 1937 (SOLD)
#3 RCA 4T 1935 Cathedral " " $225
#4 General Radio 19A5 1946 Table " " $90
#5 Philco 37-84 1937 Cathedral " " $215
#6 GE C-122 1947 Plaskon Table " " $90
#7 Crosley 20AP 1946 table cab. a little rough $50
#8 Philco 37-84 1937 Cathedral photo finish rough $150
#9 Truetone model?? 1939? tbale fully restored $125
#10 Hallicrafters SX-99 Communications rcvr nice $125
#11 Gonset Communicator II (2 mtr) looks nice & works! $100
#12 RCA T4-8A 1934 Cathedral fully restored $210
#13 Heath HW100 + HP23 works fine...output only 80 watts $190
#14 Heath HW-32 + HP23 works fine $90
#15 Philco 610 1936 Tombstone fully restored $210
#16 Zenith 6R-886r 1948 record player/radio restored $110
#17 Philco 80B (jr) 1936 Cathedral fully restored $225
#18 Philco 37-61 1937 Cathedral " " $275
#19 Silvertone #1660? 1933 Cathedral " " $265
#20 Zenith 6s229 1937 Tombstone " " $270
#21 Zenith 7s529 1941 Table " " $260
#22 Zenith 705 1933 Table " " $175
#23 Johnson Viking II + 122 VFO looks good and works $210
#24 National NC-303 (SOLD)
#25 Millen Grid Dip meter + coils $85
#26 Crosley 5M3 1934 "Midget Tombstone" restored $140
#27 Zenith 6D2615 1946 table boomarang dial " $160
#28 E.H.Scott 1942 US Navy rcvr (tuning eye) works $125
#29 Zenith 12H670 1941 "Newport" console fully restored $310
#30 Zenith 8-A-02 1938 Console (SOLD)
#31 Philco 38-2 1938 Teledial console " " $225
#32 Philco 38-4 1937 Console " " $215
#33 Philco 42-380 1942 Console Restored BC Band only $120
#34 Pilot T-511 1946 table radio " " $80
#35 Delco R-1140 1937 " " " " $90

#36 GE A-82 1935 Tombstone restored but no top S/W band $170
#37 Federal ?? 1950 ? Table radio restored $25
#38 Airline 74BR-1501b 1947 Bakelite table restored $90
#39 Gonset 6 mtr amp + spare tubes works great $170
#40 Zenith G-510 1950 plastic ac/dc works $25
#41 ARC 5 / T-19 military looks OK $25
#42 Hallicrafters SX-25 comm. rcvr works nice looks nice $150
#43 Philco 38-60 1938 Tombstone fully restored $150
#44 Hallicrafters SX-99 comm. rcvr works looks OK..not mint $100
#45 JPS Comm NIR-10 Audio DSP unit has latest upgrades $150

Also numerous small AC/DC radios. A few transistors and tube testers
parts etc.etc...etc....Thanks for reading this list...

John K9UWA & Jean N9PXF Radio Restorations and Collectors
4836 Ranch Road, Leo Indiana 46765 1-219-637-6426
John K9UWA
k9uwa@cris.com

2106. Re: IC 706 VS DX 70TH?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: drgrant@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <3363d260.2724788@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 176785

On 27 Apr 1997 01:27:44 GMT, siamk@aol.com (SIAMK) wrote:

:Anyone have a side-by-side comparison of the two rigs on the HF in the
:mobile? I'm wondering which has the best Rcvr and audio. I'm not
:concerned about the VHF.
:
:Tnx and 73s
:
:Mike

Then what are you buying this radio for? Buy an FT-900 instead if you
don't care about VHF.

-Mike

2107. Re: Opinions on ADI AT600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: richard-kinkead@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <5k0ldh$rei@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176786

rpd910@aol.com (RPD910) wrote:

>>Considering purchase of either ADI AT600 or R/S HTX-204, and am seeking
>>opinions and personal experience with the radio(s). I see that ADI is
>>relatively new to the ham market, and is made in Taiwan...don't want to
>>buy junk !

>Rich,

>considering Radio Shack just pulled all their HTX-204's off on recall
>(anyone tell me why????)
>Looks like your chopices might be narrowed down

Do not be too quick to blow the HTX-204 out of the water. I think that the radios have a flaw (FCC Legal Flaw) that makes it do something for which Radio Shack might be liable. This might be a blessing for those who bought the first few. To confirm this, check other HTX-204 threads over the past two weeks.

KF4PFE

PS. Radio Shack had similar trouble with one of their scanners a few years back.

2108. Re: IC706 wide receive mod - is it worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3363c253.14416014@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176787

On Sun, 27 Apr 1997 10:25:42 -0700, Costas Spanos <spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu> wrote:
>I have the original 706 and know how to open up the VHF
>receive outside the 2m band (by doing the famous yellow wire mod).
>I consider doing this for listening to weather reports.
>
>If I do that, would I will be subject to pager (154MHz) intermod on
>2 meters? Anybody has real-life experience on this?
>
> Costas

All the yellow wire mod does is force the radio to use the 2m receive filters
all the time on VHF. Thus it will have no adverse effect on 2m operation.
Unfortunately, it doesn't offer a great deal of help outside of 2m in terms
of receive sensitivity. It will let you hear fairly strong Wx transmissions,
but you lose aircraft band reception. There is another version of the yellow
wire mod which gives you this back, but the real solution is to change the
capacitors in the wide receive filter so that the filter works *correctly*.
Then you don't cut any wires and the radio has good receive sensitivity
up to 200 MHz as claimed in the original advertising for this radio.

This mod requires you to remove and discard one capacitor and remove
another and re-install it piggyback on a third capacitor in the filter. These
are surface mount components, but with a little care, and a static hot air
source, it isn't hard to do. You really need the service manual to identify
these parts, so I won't try to tell you how to do it unless you have one at
hand. With this mod in place, receive sensitivity is flat within 3 db from
60 MHz to 200 MHz. The only downside I've noticed is pager intermod
when receiving the FM broadcast band (which this radio doesn't do very
well anyway).

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2109. Icom 761 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr.Grafenberg" <drg@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3363D528.2883@flash.net>
Source record: 176788

Icom 761 HF rig for sale.very nice condition,face excellent but top of case has a couple small scratches.Manual included.Microphone is a Heil HM-10 dual element.Microphone sells for 140.00 new,will include Kenwood mic cord ($25.oo if bought seperately) will split shipping $950.oo for all.

drg@flash.net

Dave N5SNB

2110. Re: Transmitter Hunt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3363bff6.13810482@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176789

On Fri, 25 Apr 1997 13:54:49 -0700, "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net> wrote:
>Can anyone explain the concept of a transmitter hunt? Is it just for fun?
>What equipment would be needed?

Sometimes it is just for fun, sometimes it can be deadly serious. For example, if you are hunting the ELT of a downed aircraft, it's serious. Or if you are hunting a repeater jammer, it is serious (less so, but still serious). Hams also do it for fun, or as a competitive sport. This can be entertaining, and is good training for the times when the skills may have a more serious purpose.

At the most primitive level, hunting can be done with just a HT, using the body fade technique, IE hold the HT against your body and turn in a circle. The point where the signal fades the most is where you are facing directly away from the transmitter. This is very crude, but it is often an effective technique.

Better methods use a beam, a loop antenna, or one of the more sophisticated differential time of arrival or doppler direction finding techniques. These are very useful, especially when hunting from a car, but good equipment can't make up for lack of skill. It still takes practice to be good with any of these techniques.

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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2111. FS Eimac 3-500Z RF tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5k0ogfqmo1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 176790

For Sale,

New Eimac 3-500Z RF tube.

$130 US plus postage.

Please reply to csc@smartt.com if interested.

2112. Re: Transmitter Hunt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3363F082.386E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176791

Lee H. wrote:
>
> Can anyone explain the concept of a transmitter hunt? Is it just for fun?
> What equipment would be needed?
>
> Thanks.

Hi Lee -- there are links to two WWW pages on T-Hunting or Fox Hunts as
they are sometimes called at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagew.html#TH
Should answer most questions or give a source for T-Hunting groups.

73
Get The Fox
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2113. SELL NEW KENWOOD HT BATTERIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5322$f5503880$4ad666ce@paul>
Source record: 176792

I RECENTLY SOLD MY KENWOOD TH-225A HT.
I HAVE TWO BRAND NEW//NEVER USED PERIPHEX PB-4 EXTENDED USE 2200MAH
1.5W NICAD TWIST-ON TYPE BATTERIES TH-215A = TH-225A OR OTHER
MODEL/BRANDS RADIOS USING THIS TYPE BATERY.

ORIGINAL PRICE FOR BOTH $128.00 + S&H.

WILL SELL BOTH FOR TOTAL $80.00 DELIVERED

PAUL ki4xz@kf4hfr ki4xz@peganet.com 941-637-0179

2114. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com>
Message-ID: <3363F224.AB7@rocketmail.com>
Source record: 176793
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

Gerald Schmitt wrote:

> It's another empty Saturday night on the Cape. A fat lonely ham seeks
> solace in a bottle, the rest is history.
>
> Nice troll Burt don't you have ANYTHING to do?
>
> Jerry

1. I do not drink.
2. It was a Sunday morn.
3. I had so much fun the first time I posted, I did it again.
4. I weigh 185.
5. My wife is here, we had a great day.

#================#===#
Burt Fisher	Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call	South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK	http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169
#================#===#
|Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
#===#

2115. Yaesu FT-920 FM Optional???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3363F0C1.2309@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176794

I have a confirmation on this. Yaesu wants to charge us EXTRA for the FM capability on this radio!! This is outragious. Even the $800 ALINCO gives FM as standard. I feel Yaesu is sneeky. They may fool many Amatuers who would ASSUME that FM is included. Also they know that most hams want to have FM capability especially on 6 meters. Yaesu knows that few hams will spring for the "CRYTAL OVEN". but they can coumt on post sales for the FM board once the anry hams have found out this "feature" is optional. PLEASE TELL YAESU YOU DON'T like this TRICKERY!
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

2116. wtb:10 or more amp power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: larsonlynn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427195000.PAA27541@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176795

i wouid really like a astron rs-20m.
you can e-mail me at larsonlynn@aol.com.
thanks for your help.

2117. HEATHKIT HF For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John F Sokol <ke4kpv@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <33640ABA.40F4@hotmail.com>
Source record: 176796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatachors

I am selling my Heathkit stuff ...

For Sale
SB100 Transceiver
SB630 Station Monitor
HP23 Power Supply

All in Very Good Condition ... Non-Smoker Environment

Included is a SHURE pre-amp desk microphone. (Fair Condition)

I would like to get $225.00, plus shipping CONUS.. to put towards a
newer rig

this is a great starter rig.

thanks, and 73
de KE4KPV
John
--
Atlanta, Georgia, USA
Life is what you make it ... Strive to learn from others,
with an open opinion, Your knowledge base will grow accordingly

2118. Re: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kq7e@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427200800.QAA28906@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176797

Not to mention the fact that Kenwood had a string of these radios made in China (not Taiwan, but the PRC). Have any other amateur radio manufacturers decided to go this route?

Mike, N5MJ

2119. WTB: SX-101A & HT-37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Rimsa <srimsa@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <33643336.C35@eclipse.net>
Source record: 176798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for a SX-101A and HT-37 in operable condition. Please state condition and price.

73's

WA1KBE srimsa@eclipse.net

2120. FS: Yaesu FT-8000R $475

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Justin Bodie <bodie@rrnet.com>
Message-ID: <33640CEA.516AFCD6@rrnet.com>
Source record: 176799

For sale:

Like New Yaesu FT-8000R dual-band mobile.
No Mods.

Includes: DTMF mic, power cable, box, manual,
receipt. (About 4 mo. old)

Works great!

$475 including UPS 2-day air in the continental
US. (Shipped COD)

For more information, send me some E-mail!

Justin
KB0YSZ

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Justin M. Bodie
E-mail: bodie@rrnet.com
Home Page: http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/2062/

2121. Yaesu Ft726

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eigil Hansen <eigil@post5.tele.dk>
Message-ID: <3363B9AE.4327@post5.tele.dk>
Source record: 176800

I need a display for Yaesu 726 - please help
vy 73 de OZ1CSI

2122. Upgrades to Yaesu Transceiver Firmware

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddanz@primenet.com
Message-ID: <33641ccc.210350187@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 176801

In the computer industry that I work in, it's faily common to have embedded controllers whose firmware can be downloaded and "burned" online. For example, USRobotics and the Sportster modems that were upgradable to V.34.

Does anybody know: Can the same thing be done for the Yaesu FT-8500 and/or FT-51R radios? I.e., can I expect some new version of the firmware to be made available - perhaps to fix a bug or to offer a new feature?

--
L. W. "Dan" Danz (WA5SKM) ddanz@primenet.com
Fountain Hills AZ http://www.primenet.com/~ddanz

2123. Re: FS: Motorola MCX-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Kassay <MKASSAY@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <33643AD3.365B@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 176802

Michael Kassay wrote:
>
> FOR SALE : Motorola VHF MCX-1000 mobile radio
> -56 channel
> -scan
> -alpha-numeric display
> -CTCSS encode/decode
> -EEPROM programmable
> - 136MHz to 174MHz
> -9600 baud capable
> -intermod free
> This radio is in excellent shape, complete with mic, speaker, mounting brackets, manual,
> and power cable.
> Price $400 CDN
>
> --
> *
> Michael Kassay - Barrie, Ontario, Canada.
> VE3MKX
> mailto:MKassay@Sympatico.ca
> Packet - VE3MKX @ VE3FJB.#con.on.can.noam

-- .
* *

2124. Re: FT-8500 slow squelch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddanz@primenet.com
Message-ID: <336418ed.209359633@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 176803

"Michael K. Singewald" <n1plh@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
>I like this radio except for a very annoying attribute. When a repeater
>un-keys, or any transmission stops, I get a terribly long "squelch crash".
> It was sent back to Yaesu, but nothing changed. I heard a friend of mines
>same radio, and it does the same thing. Am I the only one to notice this,
>or doesn't it drive anyone else nuts... especially when talking simplex?
>It happens the same even with the squelch turned up all the way.
>

Well, that makes three of us, then. I just bought a brand new FT-8500
and love it - EXCEPT for four things:

1) the long squelch tail. It's not what another ham who replied to
your post stated; I can make the squelch quiet the receiver, and
search functions correctly, etc. It's just the very annoying LONG
tail and the "mushy" feel when setting the squelch; there's not an
abrupt change between noise and no noise, but a long drawn out change
as the squelch point is acheived. And, no matter how tight the
squelch is set, the between-transmissions squelch tail is horrendously
long.

2) The annoying two-tone beep when using the scan function; it happens
every time the scanning stops. Yes, I know: you can use a function
setting to turn off the beeper - but that also defeats the keyboard
beeper, and with the Mr Potato Head controller, I find it's really
easy for a newbie to hit the wrong buttons - so I really want the
keyboard beep - at least for a while.

3) I was totally flabbergasted to read the fine print in the manual
and find that I needed to purchase an optional circuit card to have
tone-coded squelch. I just didn't expect this when buying the top of
the line, especially when my FT-51R HT has it built in.

4) The sub-band auto-mute function of the FT-51 is MUCH better than
the auto-mute function of the FT-8500. With the '51, activity on the
main band (VHF or UHF) mutes the sub-band. So, if you are listening
(or scanning) both bands, and switch to one to transmit (making it the
main band), the mute function automatically switches to the other.
In effect, you select the one you want to work with. Not so with the
8500. You have to - a priori - select which side you DON'T want, and
you have to do it with function setting that involves the joystick, a
few button pushes, etc. The best thing I've been able to come up
with is to NOT use the auto-mute, and just turn down the volume of the
band I'm not transmitting on.

I sure hope somebody's got a mod for #1 above; surely it's got to have driven somebody nuts before me. And if anybody has any ideas about how to modify #2, please holler at me. But I don't hold out a lot of hope, because I don't think a hardware mod could kill the one kind of beep without also killing the other. But I can hope a little bit, can't I?

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Fountain Hills AZ http://www.primenet.com/~ddanz

2125. Wanted:MFJ 9420

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: moressic@netcom.com
Message-ID: <moressicE9BMCL.5rI@netcom.com>
Source record: 176804

If anyone wants to sell the MFJ 9420 20m SSB rig Please e-mail me at
moressic@hotmail.com or
ke4qze@rocketmail.com

Thanks, and 73's

2126. FT-50 .rdf file mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: johns@isle.net
Message-ID: <3362f2d0.20966802@snews.zippo.com>
Source record: 176805

I've heard that by using a hex editor to modify the .rdf file produced by the FT-50 ADMS-1c software you can produce results similar to the hardware mod.

Does this software only mod really work (I've got a brand new FT-50HRD), and if so where can I get the info on what to change in the .rdf file. Also is there any information on the format of the .rdf / .tpl files?

js

2127. Re: Icom 6-Mtr IC-551 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete Dziomba <n2mci@mhv.net>
Message-ID: <336438F4.3698@mhv.net>
Source record: 176806

CalvinF15 wrote:
>
> HI folks,
>
> I have a dusty Icom 551 that never received the FM kit mod back in it's
> heyday. I am now wondering if such a beast is still available as an
> aftermarket product or if anyone recalls an article describing its
> construction. I have all the docs and could weld one up if I could find
> schematics for it. thanks for any help. Please E-mail.
>
> Adam, n1gar
Adam, I started to build one and still have all the parts still.. As I started building it, I came across the real Module and bought that instead... Basicly there FM board is a 9.115 FM Modulator & Demodulator.. Theirs was made out of descrete componints and the one I was going to build was Modulator out of a ARRL handbook and the Rec. IF/Demod. was a NE602 as the IF/Mixer into a 455KC filter into a CA3089 as the demod.... The reason I was going to use the CA3089 was it supplied all of the extra signals. Sq., S-meter, & dev. meter... Since I never completed it I'm not sure about matching all the levels up to what the 551 expected... Also the Xmit & Rec. IF was common so some Diode switching was needed but the ICOM FM board kind of laid that stuff out in their board.. I've since sold the rig to buy a FT-736...
73, Pete n2mci@mhv.net

2128. HF RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John L. Hammers" <Pjohnh@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3363E6FF.1E0E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176807

Thankx to everyone who responded. I just bought a
6 week old Icom IC 775-DSP (Still at ICOM) with ALL
the factory upgrades. AND THE PRICE WAS RIGHT.
Thankx to all who supplied the info in helping me
make my decision on which radio was the better, the
yaesu 1000-D or the ICOM IC 775 DSP. The responses
were Overwhelming...The Icom won hands down.
Thankx again
John H
pjohnh@brigadoon.com

2129. Wanted: Collins KW-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wizard@anon.nymserver.com
Message-ID: <5jvquk$hl1@ratty.wolfe.net>
Source record: 176808

Looking for Collins KW-1 transmitter.
Reply via email only to:
wizard@anon.nymserver.com

2130. Vandenberg AFB Launch Schedule

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <102670.1206@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5jvv9j$j4m$6@mhafn.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176809

Vandenberg AFB Launch Schedule
As of Thursday APR 24 11:00 PDT

The following table was compiled from UNCLASSIFIED information obtained from
Vandenberg AFB Public Affairs, the Kennedy Space Center, and other sources.
This schedule can be found on the Rawhide Space Page at

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/rawhide_home_page

Launch
Time/Window Launch
Date (PST/PDT) Vehicle Comments

MAY 03 08:15 Delta II Payload is three Iridium low alti-
tude communications satellites

MAY 07 01:01-07:01 Peacekeeper ICBM test launch

MAY 10 23:51-00:09 LMLV Payload is Lewis satellite

MAY 21 01:01-07:01 Minuteman III ICBM test launch

MAY 27 Unknown MSLS

JUN 15 Unknown Pegasus XL Payload is SeaStar satellite. Mis-
sile will be launched from aircraft
staged from Vandenberg AFB

JUN 18 01:01-07:01 Minuteman III ICBM test launch

JUL Unknown Titan IV Classified payload

JUL 10 Unknown LMLV Payload is Clark satellite

AUG Unknown MSLS Payload is JAWSAT satellite

AUG 01 Unknown Pegasus XL Payload is TERRIERS and MUBLCOM
satellites. Missile will be launched
from aircraft staged from Vandenberg
AFB

OCT 15 Unknown Pegasus XL Payload is ORBCOMM and SNOE satellites.
Missile will be launched from aircraft
staged from Vandenberg AFB

OCT 23 Unknown Delta II Payload is Argos, Orsted, and Sunsat
satellites

DEC 15 Unknown Pegasus XL Payload is TRACE satellite. Missile
will be launched from aircraft staged
from Vandenberg AFB

JAN Unknown Titan II Payload is NOAA-K satellite

Launches are often rescheduled several times. For current launch status, call the Vandenberg Launch Update Line at 805-734-8232 ext. 61857.

If a launch window is given, an attempt will be made to launch at the start of the window. If a problem is encountered, the launch could be delayed and occur at any time in the window, or be rescheduled for another day.

2131. Re: Affordable 2m plans???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5k085a$km1$1@mhafn.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176810

What do you mean by 'palns' and by 'affordable' ? The range here needs to b
more specific. Also, you mention 'build in the basics' and what do you mean
by that? You can build a 1 channel crystal-controlled 2/10 watt transceiver
for about $60 in parts, from scratch, if you have the test equipment. Or, you
can buy a Ramsey kit, synthesized, 2 watts, for $179, or buy a used IC2AT for
$95, I just did. You see, unless you are trying to teach yourself something, it
makes no sense to buld anything, and doing so ofetn costs more than buying a
radio already built. This is why Heathkit got out of the ham kit business.

Steve KZ1X/4
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73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

2132. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5k08g1$km1$2@mhafn.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176811

Funny. Some hams want rigs that can be upgraded when a new feature comes out. But they don't buy the rigs that have this attribute, such as the TenTec Omni 6, which can be upgraded by the user to the new Omni 6+.

I can easily get most of my money out of the 706 I bought last summer, and get the 'new' one. Price delta, about $300, oh, well. It's just a hobby.
--
73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

2133. FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keefer <Mark.Keefer@gateway.igate.net>
Message-ID: <1748263504@f0.n612.z97.ftn>
Source record: 176812

RE: FCC to get rid of hams
BY: N1XXW to All on Tue Apr 15 1997 02:27 pm

> From: N1XXW <bkbbs@mail.conknet.com>
>
>
> > that those with two letter callsigns should give them up and have their
> > callsign re-allocated to the highest bidder at a public auction attended
> > by all amateurs (on April 1, 1996). That created quite a stir, because
> > most amateurs want a callsign that's either very close to their initials
> > or very short. I suspect that a proposal to auction attractive callsigns
> > would raise even more controversy than one to auction some of our bands.
>
> Has attraction for who - rich people?
>
>
Buy your own call sign!!! What next, come up with enough cash and buy your own
frequency or band? :(

2134. Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Band <jbandr@oal.com>
Message-ID: <33644313.1FBB@oal.com>
Source record: 176813

What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.

Thanks in advance

2135. Re: Affordable 2m plans???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <33635F6A.6274@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176814

KC4SRN wrote:
>
> Doesn't ANYONE have affordable 2m plans??? I know, I know the Ten- Tec Kit
> is great to build, Yet, I don't want to pay more than a BRAND NEW rig
> including all the bells and whistles. I don't have to have every available
> option but I would like to build in the basics. I'l find my own box if
> necesary. PLEASE HELP ?

The 87 Handbook had 2M radio plans. Good luck, Brian
--

2136. FS: Standard C288A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Chrisman <**monitor1**@pacbell.net**>
Message-ID: <5ju3so$7se$1@news4.snfc21.pacbell.net>
Source record: 176821

For Sale
Standard C288A handheld in brand new like condition (no scratches)
purchased new 12/96. Radio receives 100-250 mhz, AM/FM. Includes all
boxes, documentation, speaker mic and mobile adapter.

Asking $340 USPS money order plus shipping if not in local area.

I'm located in Orange County CA.

Email if interested with name and number
Monitor1@Pacbell.net

73 de KE6NCQ
-Brian

2137. WB Kantronics KPC2 or KPC4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <kc0uh@pcisys.net>
Message-ID: <01bc529d$7c858700$49f7cccf@pcisys>
Source record: 176822

I'm looking for a KPC2 or a KPC4 for use on a new DX PacketCluster being put
together for use in Colorado Springs. Also a DRSI card would be just fine.
If you know of someone looking to sell any of the above please contact me via
my E-Mail addresss -- kc0uh@pcisys.net

Thanks
Steve

2138. subscribe

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wpeitzer@mobilelogic.COM
Message-ID: <c=US%a=_%p=WTI%l=MASAI-970427011356Z-156@rogue.mobilelogic.com>
Source record: 176823
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: WINMAIL.DAT

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subscribe wpeitzer@mobilelogic.com

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: WINMAIL.DAT]
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2139. IC 706 VS DX 70TH?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: siamk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427012600.VAA22137@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176824

Anyone have a side-by-side comparison of the two rigs on the HF in the mobile? I'm wondering which has the best Rcvr and audio. I'm not concerned about the VHF.

Tnx and 73s

Mike

2140. FS: Kenwood Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Gilbert <vis_pfg@unx1.shsu.edu>
Message-ID: <5ju5p2$iq0$2@unx1.shsu.edu>
Source record: 176825

For Sale:
Kenwood TKR-820 UHF Repeater
25 watts out
Built in Duplexer
Built in community repeater tone panel for 8 tones
Built in power supply
Desktop design about the siz of a desktop computer
Excellent shape.
Currently on 454.575, will go to ham band

$1000.00

I will pay shipping in U.S.

Contact Paul Gilbert, 409-291-9532 or vis_pfg@unx1.shsu.edu

2141. Kenwood TM-V7E mod's ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kodaks@sn.no
Message-ID: <3362b22e.277031154@news.sn.no>
Source record: 176826

Then Kenwood TM-V7E (E=Europe) does not have the X-band repeat function as the "A" version. Is there any way to mod the rig for X-band repeat?

...Arve

2142. UT-101 module for IC-2350H. What can it do for me?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5179$836d43c0$5d4e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 176827

I currently own an Icom IC-2350H, and have it mounted in my Blazer. I run cross-band through it during the day and the evening. I'm looking to broaden the capability of my cross-band setup by installing the UT-101 DTMF decode module into the 2350H.

I know this will allow remote control of the 2350H from my HT (an Icom IC-Z1A), however, I don't know to what degree I'll be able to control the 2350. If anyone currently uses a setup like this with the 2350, I'd appreciate knowing what you're actually able to do once the UT-101 is installed.

Can I, for instance:

1. Enable and disable cross-band repeat remotely from my handheld?
2. Change both the VHF and UHF via the HT?
3. Change output power settings for the VHF and UHF bands?

Right now, I currently have the 2350 set to cross-band between a simplex UHF frequency and the local repeater's input frequency. This minimizes the TX time of my mobile ('cause I don't have the $88 UT-89 decode module installed in the mobile). I would, however, like to leave the mobile ON, but NOT in cross-band repeat mode, and only enable it when I need to use it (see #1 above). Also, I'd like to be able to choose WHICH local repeater I'm cross-banding with so that I could change that from a remote location, rather than running down to my Blazer to fiddle with the mobile (see #2 above).

Enough babbling. I think everyone gets the drift...

Please email me with any responses, in addition to any posts made here on the newsgroups! Thanks, in advance, for any insight you may be able to lend!

73,

Chad, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
Posted: 04/25/97@0858

2143. IC-2350H with UT-101. What will it do for me?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc52ad$728e9ce0$544e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 176828

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Chad, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

2144. Re: 6V6's, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5jud81$l2d@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 176829

In article <19970426.163531.8935.20.km1h@juno.com>,
km1h@juno.COM wrote:

>Hello John.
>
>The 6AQ5 or the mil version 6005 are identical to the 6V6 and are 7 pin
>miniatures.
>The 6L6 is a bit harder.....the 6BQ5/ EL84 are good for 17W in PP; the
>6CW5/EL86 can crank 25W as a pair. Those are 9 pin miniatures. It gets
>damn hard to dissapate any more heat in those small bulb sizes without a
>fan.
>
>The 6CA7/EL34 will do 45W in PP but they are octal based.
>
>A really cheap and unnoticed tube is the 2E26, a scaled down 6146. A
>few bucks on the surplus market and they are a 6L6 with a plate cap.
>Octal based, work great at audio or RF up thru 2M.
>
>Another favorite is the 5881, a premium 6L6GC or thereabouts. Used in
>military and test equipment and also show up for pennies compared to a
>"real" 6L6. I even use here as screen regulators in 500V power supplies
>(triode connected) since I had so many of them.
>
>GL...Carl KM1H 1.8MHz to 10GHz Tubes thru HEMT's....whatever works
>

And 2E24 is the filament version of 2E26.
Tony, VE6CGX

2145. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian@nothing.ucsd.edu
Message-ID: <5jue95$916$1@news1.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 176830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have just sent out a newgroup message for alt.ham-radio.marketplace
Perhaps your ISP will carry that group.
- Brian

2146. FS: 12v 60A Switching Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3362bb3b.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 176831

I'm selling a 12v 60A power supply.
Approximately 2 years old.

Features:
- (2) 6.35v @ 60A Switching Power Supply Modules
- Each Module has Automatic Shutdown Overload Protection
- Each Module has a High-Velocity Cooling Fan
- Heavy-Duty On/Off Switch with 14AWG Power Cord
- Pre-Wired in Series to Achieve 12.7v @ 60A
- Voltage Drop Approx. .1v at 20A Draw

I'm asking $225 (firm) with shipping. For more
information please visit my web site at
http//mypage.ihost.com/unitedsound or
e-mail me at srwhite@ibm.net

Thanks,
Steve White
N2RWE

2147. FS: Over 1150 Mods on Disk!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3362bd87.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 176832

ATTENTION HAM RADIO OPERATORS: During my spring cleaning this past week I found
52 copies of the 1996 edition of the N2RWE Amateur Radio Modification Database which
is a software program that I created in 1994 and have updated yearly as a one-stop
source for Ham Radio and Scanner Modifications! The package contains over
1150 Mods and Service bulletins.

Asking Price: $10 SHIPPED!!

Info:

1996 Hamfest Leftovers!!! Hurry!!! Only 52 Copies Left!!!
Dealer/Volume Discounts Available!
Features:
- Over 1150 Entries!
- OVER 1000 MODS for Ham Radio and Scanner Equipment!!!!
- Over 100 Service Bulletins!
- Fast Retreival with the Easy-To-Use Database Software!!
- Database Software Allows On-Screen Viewing, Printing, and Exporting
- Version 5.01 - 1996 Edition
- 1996 Hamfest Price $15
Mods Available for Over 20 Manufacturers Such As:
- Icom
- Yaesu
- Standard
- Alinco
- Realistic
- Bearcat
- Regency
- Kantronics
- AEA
- Azden
- Many, Many More!
Requires:
- DOS 3.3 or Higher
- 640k RAM
- 4 Megabytes Free Hard Disk Space
- 3.5" Disk Drive

I'd you'd like to get one, or for more information please
visit my web site at http://mypage.ihost.com/unitedsound
or e-mail me at srwhite@ibm.net

Thanks,
Steve White
N2RWE

2148. Icom 821 vs Yaesu 736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <5juf8e$od0$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 176833

Hi.

I'm looking at purchasing either a yaesu ft-736 or an icom 821H at Dayton this year, and I'm wondering which is the better radio. I know most satellite operators like teh 736, but I'm skeptical about a design that is over 8 years old. I'm not terribly converned with 1.2GHz or 220MHz, an d I already have 6M, so the optional bands are not really an issue. I'm looking at computer controlled satellite Qso's, 9600 baud pacsats, etc. I'm evenually looking to hook up a yaesu computer controlled az-el rotor, and whichever radio to do automated pacsat uploads/downloads when I'm not home, so support (present/planned) is important.

Receiver performance is a very important item to me, I live in a above average intermod area, I'll probably want to play with Phase 3d, so that's important also.

Please forgive my (lame?) questions, but I've never worked satellites before.

Thanks for your time.

73's de Mike

2149. Re: IC 706 VS DX 70TH?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Skovgaard <Erik_Skovgaard@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc52bd$d4834300$83c56cce@default>
Source record: 176834

Mike,

I do not have any practical experience, but I recently reviewed the specs for both rigs carefully and it seem to me that the DX-70 comes out on top.

It does not have 2m, of course, so the IC-706 has that in its favour. But since I already have a multi-mode 2m rig, the DX-70 is my choice for 6 meters and possibly also for HF. I should be able to relate some pactical experience in about a week.

73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.

SIAMK <siamk@aol.com> wrote in article
<19970427012600.VAA22137@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> Anyone have a side-by-side comparison of the two rigs on the HF in the
> mobile? I'm wondering which has the best Rcvr and audio. I'm not
> concerned about the VHF.
>
> Tnx and 73s
>
> Mike
>

2150. motorola mitrek schematics or manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: thermonl@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5juip3$c45@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176835

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would like to obtain schematics or service manual for motorola mitrek,
low band 45-50 mhz, 60 watt model
THANKS
CURT KF4NFI
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2151. Yaesu FT-8000 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Hong <jim@futurevision.net>
Message-ID: <3362D8A8.1FA6@futurevision.net>
Source record: 176836

I am looking for information on unlocking the reciever on the Yaesu
FT-8000. If you have information please e-mail me at
jim@futurevision.net

Thanks
Jim KA8ZGP

2152. FS: BC200XLT and BC100XL scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dludwig@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <5jumva$3pg_002@70.38.5.holli.com>
Source record: 176837

For sale:

16-channel BC100XL scanner (Uniden).
gets 8 bands, makes a good 2-meter/440 scanner.
HT.
Asking $40 obo.

200-channel BC200XLT scanner (Uniden).
10 bands, 800Mhz, cellular can be restored easily.
HT.
Asking $175 obo.

WTB:
Icom T7A.

Derek Ludwig

2153. Re: Cross Band Repeater????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3362F592.32AA@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 176838

Lee H. wrote:
>
> What is this used for and why would you need it on a dual band radio?
>
> Thanks
> lee H.

I use my Kenwood TM-642A in crossband repeat mode at least 40% of the time. My interest in local communications with fellow hams who have similar interests (R/C) takes place on 147.42 simplex. I simply program my 642A to receive locally on an indoor antenna and to retransmit on 147.42. This allows me to wander about the house and property with my Standard 228A HT (220 MHz band) and maintain contact with my friends. I do not have to sit at the radio to talk or monitor. Frankly, I don't know how I ever got along without the feature.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

2154. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3362F7D3.7BAB@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 176839

Frank Krozel wrote:
>
> I can't agree with you more Rob. I too saw the 200Mhz upper limit, and
> remember how that was one of the features I wanted, and paid for.
> Frank KG9H

Frank, hell will freeze over before I buy another Icom radio. They got me on the 737 and now on the 706. Trade-in or resale value IS important if you have half a brain. I feel betrayed by Icom who has left me holding the bag (an empty one I might add) once again.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

2155. HAM RADIO VACATION IN CRETE GREECE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: MANOS NERANTZULIS <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc52dc$a7dea3c0$ef915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 176840

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS.OPEN FROM 14/April/97 TO 31/October/97.FOR INFORMATIONS CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA EMAIL OR FAX AT ++30 81 761382

2156. Re: All The WTB & SALE Ads Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: -=Tony=- <anthonys@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <336302EC.4FA4@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian Kantor wrote:
>
> I have just sent out a newgroup message for alt.ham-radio.marketplace
> Perhaps your ISP will carry that group.
> - Brian

News host responded: No such group alt.ham-radio.marketplace

So, now what?

2157. F.S. - AEA PK232 MBX \w radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc52ed$d743c1c0$1578d4cd@kelchr>
Source record: 176842

Hello and thanks for reading this. I have the following items available for sale:

AEA PK232MBX Controller w\ 8\1\91 promset
All manuals and cables to attach to Yaesu FT470
12v Radio Shack walwart supply for controller
GE Century 25 watt radio crystalled for 145.05 and 145.59
Cables to attach GE Century to the PK232

$175.00 or best offer. I can be reached at 330-927-6191 or by email at kelchr@bright.net

2158. YAESU Factory Mods: FT1000/d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince- ex: WV2RSX <WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net>;
Message-ID: <336330E9.115A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176843

Has anyone had their FT1000/d serviced by Yaesu and told that
modifications were made to the radio?

I am interested in becoming aware of what factory authorized mods have
been designed/issued/incorporated in the FT1000/d radios. Not concerned
about transmit freq mod, which is the only one that I have been able to
find anyway.

Tnx es 73s,
Vince
ex: WV2RSX

2159. Page Updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Brown <equinox@itl.net>
Message-ID: <3363A863.497C@itl.net>
Source record: 176844

Many new links have been added to our pages including Yaesu UK, W & S,
MFJ, etc.
There's also a dedicated 50MHz section with daily news and expedition
news for this coming Summer.
Over 1000 hits a day are currently recorded.....have a look at:
http://user.itl.net/~equinox
and
http://www.radiosales.demon.co.uk/index.html
Geoff

2160. 4_SALE Wire

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <33633D39.5B73@total.net>
Source record: 176845

COPPERWELD ANTENNA WIRE FOR SALE

2 SPOOLS P/N ER35-40PCT6AWG BRAND NEW SURPLUS TO MY NEEDS.

EXCELLENT FOR LONG WiRE ANTENNAS.

EACH SPOOL IS 418 METERS LONG AND WEIGHS APPROX 100 POUNDS.

I WILL CONSIDER REASONABLE OFFER..I AWAIT YOUR RESPONSE.

SHIPPABLE VIA TRUCK FOB MONTREAL, CANADA

JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

TEL EVENINGS 515.694.3838

PS WOULD LIKE TO GET .50/METER IN US DOLLARS

E MAIL jkmtl@total.net

2161. 4-SALE wire

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <33633C1F.691E@total.net>
Source record: 176846

COPPERWELD ANTENNA WIRE FOR SALE

2 SPOOLS P/N ER35-40PCT6AWG BRAND NEW SURPLUS TO MY NEEDS.

EXCELLENT FOR LONG WORE ANTENNAS.

EACH SPOOL IS 418 METERS LONG AND WEIGHS APPROX 100 POUNDS.

I WILL CONSIDER REASONABLE OFFER..I AWAIT YOUR RESPONSE.

SHIPPABLE VIA TRUCK FOB MONTREAL, CANADA

JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

TEL EVENINGS 515.694.3838

PS WOULD LIKE TO GET .50/METER IN US DOLLARS

E MAIL jkmtl@total.net

2162. Re: Re. Measuring phase angle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsonhe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427120200.IAA25431@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176847

Whether you terminate it or not, you won't see the AMPLITUDE of the signal out of your amplifier. And what you do see, will be a function of the termination and the frequency since the capacitive coupling is frequency sensitive.

W4ZCB

2163. Interface A for IC-900 Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <3362E37B.6C56@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 176848

Any one got a schematic for interface A for the Icom 900 system. A photocopy would work great! Thanks for responding ahead of time.

Andy

2164. FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com>
Message-ID: <336356FC.4E0@rocketmail.com>
Source record: 176849
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

FCC Expected to Unveil Plans For Two Airwave Auctions

WASHINGTON -- Federal regulators are expected this week
to set plans for two long-awaited auctions of valuable airwaves,
including one for an emerging wireless technology that could bring new
competition to the local-telephone and cable-television businesses.

Wireless operators, long-distance phone companies, electric
utilities and telecommunications entrepreneurs are eager to bid for
licenses to use huge chunks of the amateur radio spectrum to transmit
voices, pictures and data.

Wireless Auction

Up for grabs: Licenses to use most of the amateur radio
megahertz of electromagnetic spectrum in each of nearly 500 markets
nationwide. Repeater frequencies are much in demand by those with the
following: Uses: Transmitting voices, pictures and data via small, flat
antennas that can rest on a windowsill. Expected bidders: All sorts of
telecommunications companies -- but Baby Bells and cable operators will
be barred from bidding on licenses in their home territories.

"While the auctions for PCS frequencies were very specific
about how the frequencies could be used, rules governing LMDS usage are
more liberal and for a bigger chunk of amateur radio bandwidth," said
Michael Sprayberry, director ofwireless strategy for MCI Communications
Corp.

New Radio Service

The auction rules have been delayed in recent weeks because FCC
commissioners couldn't agree on what amateur radio spectrum would be
available.

The technology operates with small, flat antennas that
communicate with larger antennas mounted on towers. It has tended to
work poorly in heavy rains and fog, but industry officials say they are
working to fix the problem. Operators also could run into resistance
from cities that increasingly are blocking the construction of new
antenna towers. However ham towers could be seized as the FCC has
decided that the amateur radio service no longer serves the public
necessity.

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#================#=====================================================#
| Burt Fisher | Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics |
| Amateur call | South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod) |
| K1OIK | http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169 |
#================#=====================================================#
|Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
#=================================================================#
```

2165. Re: More TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Murphy <dmurphy@ct1.nai.net>
Message-ID: <33636288.257A@ct1.nai.net>
Source record: 176850

Eugene Cockburn Ference Rayner wrote:
> Interesting to see that other people have problems with the TS440. I have
> a TS440s and the digital display drops out from about 7.000 to 14.999 and
> ...etc...etc...etc
> Eugene
> VP9NLW
>
My TS440S (1989 vintage) was reported to have "RF in the shack" noise
and "FMing" The reports were valid - I'm on a regular club net and these
folks were being honest. I did all the normal things; groung
improvements, bypass caps, isolation, da da da da; with no improvement.
My 440 has been shelved for several years - I'm now using a Ten-Tec
Argosy.

I have heard of poor solder connections on the 440 boards. I am not
looking forward to the tedious removal and search of each board unless
there is a probability of success. Anyone heard or gone through this
routine?

Tnx es 73
Dan KA1SZP
--
=====Research:murphy-hayes-o'callaghan-moroney======
Dan Murphy KA1SZP Internet: dmurphy@ct1.nai.net
Prodigy: Dan_Murphy@prodigy.com
Packet: KA1SZP @ W1NRG.CT.USA.NA
==========finnegan-killion-coughlin-brooks==========

2166. COME SEE THE HOTTEST SITES ON THE WEB!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Me <Someone@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <5jvmm4$3gh@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176851

http://ads.sexroulette.com/cgi-win/trax.exe?972

(FREE XXX VIDEO 24/7)
(TONS OF PIXXXS and MOVIES)

http://megatrondata.com/PleasureIsland/index.htm

(LIVE VIDEO SEX FROM AMSTERDAM!!!!)
(LIVE WOMEN and MEN at your disposal as low as $.89 a minute....bettter than $2.99)
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online marketing tool to explode your business easier and faster. For more
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http://www.australia.net.au/~apexpi/dynamail.htm

2167. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5jvmdj$7a5@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176852
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

In <336356FC.4E0@rocketmail.com> Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com>
writes:
>
Nothing worth repeating
>
>#================#===#
>| Burt Fisher | Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics |
>| Amateur call | South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod) |
>| K1OIK | http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169 |
>#================#===#
>|Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
>#===#

It's another empty Saturday night on the Cape. A fat lonely ham seeks
solace in a bottle, the rest is history.

Nice troll Burt don't you have ANYTHING to do?

Jerry

2168. Need IC-2000H Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33635FF4.64E0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176853

Looking for all mods for the Icom 2000H 2 mtr mobile fm radio.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

2169. Re: Cross Band Repeater????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc531d$fe8c5d20$506157c6@520d>
Source record: 176854

I have recently aquired an FT-5100 with this and an FT-50 dualband.
the best explanation is a demonstration.
I set the FT-50 HT to recieve a local repeater but TX on a 440 freq.
I set my FT-5100 mobile with 1 band on the 2M repeater freq
and then the 440 freq. on the other band. set cross band.

Now when I am in my apartment where I normally can not
reach the repeater with my 5W HT , I Use the HT to TX on 440
Where the crossband mobile picks it up and reTX it on the repeater
2M freq. I am using the mobile the same as most HT users use a
repeater. Just different sets of bands. This lets my HT
reach out at 50W instead of 5W get it?--

==========
Baycom BP-2 AX.25
"Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
==========
Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx#semi.mi.usa.noam

Lee H. <gtsi@flash.net> wrote in article <335EF66C.DDC@flash.net>...
>
> What is this used for and why would you need it on a dual band radio?
>
> Thanks
> lee H.
>
>
>

2170. Re: motorola mitrek schematics or manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Curry <recurry@insighttec.com>
Message-ID: <5jvrhn$9gh@masters0.InterNex.Net>
Source record: 176855

Call Motorola parts and accessories - them manual is only $15.....
--
Ron Curry
recurry@insighttec.com
recurry@inside.intel.com
KE6WED
curt light wrote in article <5juip3$c45@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>...
>would like to obtain schematics or service manual for motorola mitrek,
>low band 45-50 mhz, 60 watt model
>THANKS
>CURT KF4NFI
>
>

2171. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsonhe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970427160500.MAA09847@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176856

Why do you feel that you have to cross post? Posting to the general group was OK, what your comments have to do with amateur equipment totally escapes me.

W4ZCB

2172. Eddystone SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33638831.25F9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176857

Thank you

2173. Re: Heil Audio Equilizer Info Wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33636464.1353291@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176858

On 13 Apr 1997 14:35:46 GMT, Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net> wrote:

>Tim Robertson wrote:
>>
>> Greetings to All,
>> I have heard that Heil made an Audio Equilizer at one time. Can't seem
>> to find any information on them? Does anyone know if they are still
>> being made? Any opinions on their performance,price,etc?
>
>There have been two or three versions over time. I haven't actually
>seen one advertised in ages.
>
>I have an EQ-300. No schematic came with the unit. Maybe $60 when new
>(don't remember exactly). I purchased mine direct from Heil sometime in
>the late 80's.
>
>As far as EQ's go, its mighty basic -- but certainly better than no EQ
>at all. Uses some TL072's. Has low freq cut/boost and high freq
>cut/boost. I originally bought it to use primarily as a PREAMP for Heil
>mics with Icom rigs.

If you have a good QST library in the July 1982 Issue of QST on Page
11 Heil describes his equalizer EQ 200. The artilce is complete with
schematic and PC Board layout. I found a copy when going through a
box of tear out articles I had saved.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2174. WTB: Quorum WEFAX Explorer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <33637081.1B97@qsl.net>
Source record: 176859
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for Quorum Sat WEFAX board with builtin receiver.
-Brian k7on@qsl.net (602)839-3484

2175. KENWOOD TM-733A PL QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <5jvvld$3kf@linet06.li.net>
Source record: 176860

Hi everyone, Does anyone know where the PL level pot is located in the TM-733A? Mine are much too loud. Also, are there two pots, one for VHF and the other for UHF?
Please reply via e-mail. mrusso@hoflink.com
Thanks for your help, Mark N2FLF

2176. Ham Radio Equipment Sale - hamsale.doc [01/01]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com
Message-ID: <5jvsiv$mhk@abc.minot.com>
Source record: 176861
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: hamsale.doc

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BEGIN -- Cut Here -- cut here

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: hamsale.doc]

END -- Cut Here -- cut here
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2177. FS: Timewave dsp-9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5317$297332e0$3df11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 176862

i have a like new dsp-9 for sale with box and
original paperwok
this unit works great ,but, is excess to myy needs
price....90.00 shipped
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

2178. WTB 220MGh Repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: tshortt <tshortt@cyberion.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc531e$cc047620$9387c8cf@tshortt.cyberion.ca>
Source record: 176863

I am looking for a 220 MHg Repeater with Duplxer, Or 220 strips, etc. to build one. What do you have for sale? Thank you.

2179. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A/E Modifications !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kodaks@sn.no
Message-ID: <33638140.330027957@news.sn.no>
Source record: 176864

On 10 Apr 1997 08:26:37 GMT, "Paul Nicolay" <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
wrote:

>Following modifications are possible:
>
>Conversion location:
>Remove the power cord from the main unit, remove the upper/lower case, flip
>down the panel, then operate.
>
>Factory setting destination jumper table
>Bit Destination (K, M, E)
>3 R542 (W501) O X O
>2 R543 (W502) O X O
>1 R544 O X X
>0 R546 O X O
>
>(O: Jumper, X: No jumper)

Paul, can you explain in more details, how to do this mod, and the
location. I do not have scematic's for the unit.
My unit is a TM-V7E, and I want the X-band feature.

TNX DE ARVE LC1GAT

...Arve

2180. FT-50R to TNC Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: morris@unc.edu
Message-ID: <5k0038$r5r$1@fddinewz.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 176865

Just doing some simple 1200 packet operation at 149.895MHz (CAP). Currently using a MFJ VHF Data Radio as my transceiver. I want to be able to hook-up my HT to the TNC (AEA PK-12). But I'm stumped on what to do with their 4-conductor 3.5mm plug!

Does anyone know where these plugs are sold?

Is it neccessary to include the resistor and capaictor as inidcated in the manaul?

Other suggestions connecting my HT to the TNC?

CAP Kitty Hawk 574

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Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris
Academic Technology and Networks (formerly OIT), Development
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2181. IC706 wide receive mod - is it worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Costas Spanos <spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Message-ID: <33638C16.41C67EA6@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 176866

I have the original 706 and know how to open up the VHF
receive outside the 2m band (by doing the famous yellow wire mod).
I consider doing this for listening to weather reports.

If I do that, would I will be subject to pager (154MHz) intermod on
2 meters? Anybody has real-life experience on this?

Costas

2182. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com>
Message-ID: <33651CCD.895@rocketmail.com>
Source record: 176667
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> Don't believe you. Your troll was obviously the product of a lonely
> mind damaged by years of abuse. It was a little less obnoxious than
> your Sarex BS though. A serious question do you hate yourself as much
> as you hate other hams.

Because you are dishonest does not mean I am.
I do not hate myself.
I hate no hams, only their habits.

#================#===#
Burt Fisher	Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call	South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK	http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169
#================#===#
|Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
#===#

2183. wanted schematic for palomar 200X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbennett@interserv.com
Message-ID: <5k31ua$ef1@lal.interserv.com>
Source record: 176668

Does anyone have a schematic for a Palomar 200X.

2184. Re: TM-733 Crossband repeater function

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark L. Bary" <MBary@nmaa.org>
Message-ID: <33655111.74F7@nmaa.org>
Source record: 176669

Bob Wilcox wrote:
>
> Can anyone help me set up a TM-733 for crossband repeat? I have lost my
> instructions.
> --
>
> Bob Wilcox bwilcox@shianet.org
> K8OMS

Bob,

This should fix you right up...

73
Mark
N4EOC
Germantown, MD

Cross Band Repeating

Cross band repeat isn't documented but comes ready from the factory.
To enable cross band repeat from the front panel, first select a band
by pressing BAND SELECT. Then, change the control to the other band by
hitting [CONT SEL]. Next, press [F] for one second, then the "X" button
(far right side). Decimals will appear between the Kilohertz digits,
and
the "ON" indicator will light momentarily. The microphone sequence to
enable cross band repeat while in remote control mode is "DC".

The transmitter hang time can be toggled between 500ms to 0ms by
turning on the radio with [LOW] pressed. They also recommend enabling
the Time-out Timer, for obvious reasons.

Note that the TM-733 can also be used as a "one-way" cross-band
repeater.
For example, if you can receive a distant repeater with your HT, but
have
difficulty getting into it, you can use the TM-733 to boost your
transmitted
signal. To set this up, just omit the part where you "change the
control
to the other band by pressing [CONT SEL]." Doing this will setup the
TM-733
to repeat your signal to the other band, but will not retransmit the

distant
station back to you. If this sounds ambiguous, play around with it a
little
and it will begin to make sense.

2185. Internet MINIDISC Specials!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator@melting-pot.com
Message-ID: <339b3398.32232491@news.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 176670

Internet MINIDISC Specials!

visit http://www.melting-pot.com for more info!

Sony MZ-R30 Int'l Edition w/ 100-240V AC Adaptor

$459 shipped, customs charges paid within the U.S.A.

Sony MZ-R4ST Portable Recorder w/ Docking Station

$579 shipped, customs charges paid within the U.S.A.

Sony MZ-E50 Portable PLAYER only

$419 shipped, customs charges paid within the U.S.A.

Sony MZ-F40 Portable player w/ AM/FM radio

$399 shipped, customs charges paid within the U.S.A.

JVC XM-R2 Portable MD Recorder with Pen Input (touchpad)

$499 shipped, customs charges paid within the U.S.A.

Sharp MD-MS200 Portable MD Recorder

$399 shipped, customs charges paid within the U.S.A.

Please remember that all models, EXCEPT for the MZ-R30 are Japanese
Domestic models, meaning they come with 100VAC Adaptors.

Sales tax must be paid if the buyer is in California. Please remember
to add 8.25% to the total of any purchase.

INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING ADD $39

Please email us to order at:

administrator@melting-pot.com

2186. for sale 440 and 220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff@wisdom.bubble.org
Message-ID: <E9D930.Du4@wisdom.bubble.org>
Source record: 176671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm posting for a friend, please reply directly to him at
"KB2KIR@norwich.net".

Thanks

For sale 220 and 440 Hts
Hi folks,
moved north to Norwich NY (no 220 no 440).
So I'm selling my Icom 3at and HTX-404. Both come with factory
batteries and chargers. $100.00 for 3at, $150 for HTX404
KB2KIR@norwich.net or 607.334.4291 tnx,73 de Joe
--
.Sig??? you want a stinkin' .Sig???
Jeff Ross
201-299-1819 (home) jeff@wisdom.bubble.org

2187. Re: looking for pro-2006 (Montreal)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Risik <drisik@oscsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3365132D.6507@oscsystems.com>
Source record: 176672

IMAGES PHOTOGRAPHIE wrote:
>
> Montreal guy looking for Radio Shack pro 2006 in good shape.Michel

Look in rec.radio.scanner I saw some listed there.

DR

2188. HAM equipment for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgutter@iglou.com
Message-ID: <E9DCE2.6K5@iglou.com>
Source record: 176673

I am selling the following:

note: I bought this equipment less than a year ago, never got my
license and now I need the money to support another expensive hobby of
mine!!! The point is that this equipment was NEVER used, each piece
is still in its box with manuals!!!!

I am now selling this equipment piece by piece!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Free shipping in the USA!!!!!!!!!!

- Realistic 2 meter handheld transceiver, case, and Tucker mobile

antenna = $180

- RF Concepts 30 watt power amp = $100

- Tucker SWR/PWR meter = $60

- Astron 10A power supply = $60

email if interested,
Super-Gut

2189. FS: UHF HT, UHF Base Antenna, & Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas K. Neiferd" <dknife@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33654199.361E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176674
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Standard HX-240U, UHF 16 chnl/4 watt HT, 450-470 MHz, programmable,
all original accessories and box, software and field programming
instructions, simplex/duplex, hi/low power, scan, CTCSS tones,
drop-in-charger, spkr/mic, power cords, bottom covers, extra alk
battery pack, lighted LED, mobile mag mount ant, manuals, and
digital display. Excellent condition, $300.

Hy-Gain V4R UHF Collinear ant, covers 400-475 MHz, Alpha-Delta
Transi-Trap Static Discharge Unit, extra male "N" Connectors,
cleaned-very good condition, $75.

Realistic DX-380 Portable Communications Receiver.
150 kHz-30 MHz AM and 88-108 MHz FM. Digital display.
Has local/dx and narrow/wide AM reception switches.
Stereo/mono FM switch. Also, hi/low tone and fast/slow
tune switches. AM external antenna, dc power, and headphone
jacks. Tunes by direct entry, up/down button, or rotary dial.
Original box and manual, like new, works great. $100

I will pay shipping via UPS ground.

Recent sells references available

Contact Doug, KG8EP at dknife@worldnet.att.net

2190. Icom IC-551 option boards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgarver@ichips.intel.com
Message-ID: <5k3cjk$e2i$1@news.jf.intel.com>
Source record: 176675

Icom IC-551 6 meter "allmode" notes:

Yesterday the neighbor's electric fence was driving me nuts.
My lookalike IC-251A has a great noise blanker but the 551 noise blanker did not seem to be working. After probing around inside I discovered that a small external voltage regulator board was missing from the circuit. All the critical stuff was already on the main board however. I looked at the documentation again and found that the noise blanker was an option! But they put all the circuits in, just left off the power! Icom's marketing dept. went nuts on the 551.

I installed a wire from the collector of Q13 to the Anode of D21 and the noise blanker works fine now, without that little VR board and its parts.

Well, I have the VOX, PBT, and now the NB, but the FM is going to take more than adding a wire. I don't really need it anyway, I guess.

Say, do you know where I can get the 430 Mhz version, the IC-451? Then I would have all three. I was so impressed with the design and performance of the IC-251A that I aquired the 551 but it looks like someone else designed that one. Same looks outside, entirely different inside plus a little help from marketing to make standard features now obsolete options.

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jgarver@ichips.intel.com K7YO I don't speak for Intel

2191. Re: Johnson Messenger 250 CB info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Risik <drisik@oscsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3365127D.73D4@oscsystems.com>
Source record: 176676

Carl Hodder wrote:
>
> I am looking for any info on the Johnson Messenger 250
> 23 channel CB radio with the 50th Anniversary plate on the
> speaker grill. Any info like service manual, owners manual, etc.
>
> Did all the Messenger 250's have the 50th Anniversary plate or
> just the ones made in 1977?
>
> If you have one for sale please email me.

Call EF Johnson in Waseca, Minn. They are very helpful with their old products.

DR

2192. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33652784.7D48@erols.com>
Source record: 176677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

800-782-4869 or 760-773-5795

73 Murray K3BEQ

2193. Gonna try this again. Alinco DJ-G5 mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: brunner@NOSPAMmindspring.com
Message-ID: <3366eabb.22054221@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176678

When I posted several days ago about receiving 800Mhz on the G5 I got one email from someone that confirmed they could be modded to recieve there. Does anyone know the mod that makes 800Mhz possible. I don't need cell just 800.

Ben
WD4MNI
(remove NOSPAM to send email)
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Legal Warning: Anyone sending me unsolicited/commercial email WILL be charged a $500 proof-reading fee. Do NOT send junk email to me - consider this an official notice:

'By US Code Title 47, Sec.227(a)(2)(B), a computer/modem/printer meets the definition of a telephone fax machine. By Sec.227(b)(1)(C), it is unlawful to send any unsolicited advertisement to such equipment. By Sec.227(b)(3)(C), a violation of the aforementioned Section is punishable by action to recover actual monetary loss, or $500, whichever is greater, for each violation.'

for full text: http://www.ca-probate.com/faxlaw.htm

Your action of sending your advertising to me is acceptance of the above condition(s).
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2194. Sale: TM-3530A Kenwood 220 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bgwatson@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <336515fd.5398201@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 176679

The TM-3530A is a 25 watt 220 mobile radio. PL is installed. Brand new Kenwood microphone included. Radio has many memories. Excellent physical condition. Works perfectly. No manual or mounting bracket.

I'm asking $175, or make offer. Either email me, or call 510.676.8239.

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Brad Watson
MailTo:bgwatson@earthlink.net
WWW: http://home.earthlink.net/~bgwatson/
ICQ: 174987 Pager: http://wwp.mirabilis.com/174987
CCRA: http://home.earthlink.net/~bgwatson/ccra/

2195. TM-733 Crossband repeater function

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Wilcox <bwilcox@shianet.org>
Message-ID: <3364CC14.7F60@shianet.org>
Source record: 176680

Can anyone help me set up a TM-733 for crossband repeat? I have lost my instructions.
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Bob Wilcox bwilcox@shianet.org
K8OMS

2196. GLB450B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: MJFeeney <rlockard@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33657A8C.1582@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176681

Anyone have a schematic or other info on GLB 450B Synthesizer ?

tnx es 73 de K1OYB

2197. FS/ Kenwood SW-2000 SWR&WATT Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428220500.SAA06638@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176682

I have for sale in excellent condition a Kenwood SW-2000 swr/watt meter.
The frequency coverage is 1.8 - 54 mhz and comes with the SWC-3 coupler

Power range is: 1000 watts (am/fm) 1500 watts (cw) 2000watts(ssb) on
HF
300 watts (am/fm) 450 watts (cw)
600watts(ssb) on VHF

The meter is in excellent condition and will take $100 plus shipping. I
can be reached at (508)-821-2993 after 4:00pm EST. or e-mail
WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma.

2198. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-8000R $475

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Tucker <actucker@apk.net>
Message-ID: <336550CB.590E@apk.net>
Source record: 176683

Justin Bodie wrote:
>
> For sale:
>
> Like New Yaesu FT-8000R dual-band mobile.
> No Mods.
>
> Includes: DTMF mic, power cable, box, manual,
> receipt. (About 4 mo. old)
>
> Works great!
>
> $475 including UPS 2-day air in the continental
> US. (Shipped COD)
>
> For more information, send me some E-mail!
>
> Justin
> KB0YSZ
>
> --
> ....
> Justin M. Bodie
> E-mail: bodie@rrnet.com
> Home Page: http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/2062/

New price is $469!!

73
Adam

2199. Re: Alinco DJ-S41T AND -->> DJ-S11T (2M HT)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33656B4D.30D@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176684

Jim Finney wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> Anyone have opinions on the Alinco DJ-S41T 440 handheld? I am
> considering getting one to use mainly with my crossband 2m/440 radio.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Jim.. WA5VPW...
>
> --
>
> Jim Finney
> jpf@southeast.net
> http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

I'm about to buy 3 of them. I have 2 sons that will get their license soon or at least I HOPE that they'll pass. :-) Anyway, so far, the only postings I've seen were from those who like the unit. To see these postings, use Dejanews:

http://www.dejanews.com/

You might be interested in knowing that Alinco has reduced the price of the unit. Ham Radio Outlet shows the price as $119.95, it used to be $139.95. Please see:

http://www.hamradio.com/cgi-bin/uncgi/ase?MAN=Alinco&ITEM=Dj-S41T&DESC=&TYPE=&MAX=10

OTHER NEWS:

I see that Alinco has introduced a 2M HT version of the DJ-S41T; called the DJ-S11T. Please see this WEB page for more info:

http://alinco.com/Products/DJ-S11T.shtml

By the way the list price of this unit is $149. My guess is that it will sell for about $139 in some stores.

Anyway, if anyone has the DJ-S11T and could comment on it, please do so.

Thanks,

Bob Diaz
KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

2200. Re: Radio Shack HTX-202 (reply)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33656F36.690@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176685

> >Hello. I have been looking at getting a basic qualification here in
> >canada. Similar to technician in the Us. Anyhow I was wondering if
> >anybody had any comments on radio shcaks HTX-202 2 meter ham radio.
>
> HTX-202 is basically a good radio. . . .

The Radio Shack HTX-202 may not be as small or as "sexey" as some of the other HTs, but it's a good solid unit. I've had mine for almost 2 months and I'm very happy with it.

A friend of mine has a more expensive (and complex) unit, he has a hard time trying to set it up for a new frequency. However, I find the HTX-202 easy to set up.

I also purchased the Mirage B-34 2 meter amplifer for use in my car. The B-34 takes the output of the HTX-202 and puts out a 35 watt signal. Add a magnetic mount antenna and it's a nice system.

73,

KF6JHG (Bob Diaz)

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2201. METRON/TWE HF MOBILE AMP WANTED.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ZcZZKRAAnMZzEwe0@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176686

I'm interested in buying a dead/damaged/blown Metron/TWE amp or any
other commercial HF mobile amp with a minimum of 8 devices in the o/p,
W.H.Y.?
Please e-mail direct: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk

2202. wtb:dual band ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: larsonlynn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428210300.RAA01749@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176687

i am looking fo a dual band or 2-meter ht.
you can e-mail your reply any one would be great. thank you

2203. Kenwood TS680S Schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James M. Howard" <kb2ywu@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3365576A.77C4@ibm.net>
Source record: 176688

Anyone interested in helping me find these it would be greatly
appreciated. Please E-mail me with info on how to abtain.
73
Jim KB2YWU

2204. Re: WTB: 3 kW to 1 kW Bird attenuator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malachias@godmachine.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <33651b48.695756@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On 27 Apr 1997 17:59:37 GMT, "Loek d'Hont" <ldhont@ti.com> wrote:

>
>A friend of mine is looking for an attenuator made by Bird, which
>attenuates from
>3 kW input to 1 kW output, 50 ohms.
>
>This particular attenuator is part of the shelterized URG-2 HF
>installation from Collins.
>
>If you have this attenuator and want to sell it, please respond to:
>
>
>LDHONT@ti.com
>
>
saw slightly smaller ones at a rally. Should have bought them on the
spot... were a bargain.
Have some at our company. Especially attenuators.

73

Michael

2205. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com>
Message-ID: <33651D75.3C31@rocketmail.com>
Source record: 176690
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Why do we have to see this stuff on .dx? You two are like an infection.
> Is there no cure to get rid of you both?
>
> KH2PZ

DX what a wonderful world enriching way.
ur 59 repeat all, QSL via buro.
Gee it is better than sex?

#================#===#
Burt Fisher	Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call	South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK	http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169
#================#===#
|Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
#===#

2206. Re: RS Frequency Counter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-2804971818030001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 176691

In article <335d12f3.21485440@netnews.worldnet.att.net>,
apbiddle@worldnet.att.com (Alan Biddle) wrote:
> RS has had a small frequency counter for sale for some time. It is
> fairly basic, but does go through 1.2 GHz. Right now it is on sale
> for $79. Clearly it will not be with the much more expensive top of
> the line units, but does anybody have any experience. I am especially
> interested in stability and accuracy.

Alan-

I loved the Radio Shack counter, until I checked its accuracy!

First, the manual requires that you use the plug-in power adapter to to
get accurate readings. In other words, it is voltage dependent.

Second, it may be fairly accurate at the temperature at which it was
calibrated, but it is terrible at other temperatures.

Mine is currently calibrated at about 75 degrees F, plugged in. At 80
degrees using batteries, it seems to be off over 1 KHz on Two Meters, and
over 3 KHz at 440 MHz. This is not good for an instrument that reads out
to the nearest 0.1 KHz.

I suggest you take a look at comparable Startek and Optoelectronics
counters. They may cost a little more, but are probably a little more
accurate.

73, Fred, K4DII

2207. FS: MFJ 989 C 3 kW antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Loek d'Hont <ldhont@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5424$85530e60$8f0aaa9d@pc-tir22.pac.sc.ti.com>
Source record: 176692

For sale:

MFJ989C 3 kW tuner, 1.8 to 30 MHz, in very good condition

$195 + shipping

LDHONT@ti.com

2208. WTB/Trade Keyer w/ memory for a KPC-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: binder@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5k3bsdgfi1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 176693

Howdy,

I have a KPC-3 Kantronics TNC to trade for a good keyer with memory.

Max, KK7HI
Prefer you email me at; binder@teleport.com

2209. FS: 8643 Power tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Magee <cmagee1@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Message-ID: <33655DAD.21A2@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Source record: 176694

I have one NOS 8643 Amperex Trans. tube for sale. I hear these tubes are tough as hell. They can be overdriven and performance does not take a hit. The structure inside is very beefy and the glass is thick. Does anyone need this tube? It is used in the Drake TC-2 transmitting converter.

Asking $100.00

Thanks for reading,
Christian

2210. Microwave Modules MMT432/28S or other transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: konratba@boun.EDU.TR
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.91.970428214905.38822A-100000@hamlin.cc.boun.edu.tr>
Source record: 176695

Hello,
Does anybody know where Microwave Modules MMT432/28S or other
transverters, working well with GRAPES 56 kbps RF modem, be ordered.
I need antennas for them too.
Thank You in advance

2211. FS: Carver and Pioneer ELITE System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Magee <cmagee1@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Message-ID: <3365341F.4CB9@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Source record: 176696

Carver CT-6 Preamp w/hologram imaging, motorized volume control, and digital settings.

Carver TFM-25 Power stereo amplifier. 225 watts per side. Beautiful analog power meters.

Pioneer Elite PD-65 CD-player with optional Digital Out via fiber optics. This deck is awesome...the platter is resembles that of a well made turntable. The sides are covered with a cherry wood panels. This is the most beautifully classic CD-player I have seen.

Very Efficient American Acoustics 4-Way speakers.

Very high quality interconnects and speaker cables included.
Asking $1500.00 OR Best Offer
Please reply via email for further information
Thanks for reading,
Christian

2212. Re: Cross Band Repeater????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5k2kjf$eu4$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 176697

"Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net> wrote:

>What is this used for and why would you need it on a dual band radio?

>Thanks
>lee H.

Here is what I use mine for:

I cannot reach a friend's UHF repeater from my house with a handheld, but my base rig (a Kenwood TM-721A mobile with crossband mod and CTCSS decoder module) with an external antenna has no problem.

So, I set the UHF side up on the repeater in question, then set the VHF side for a quiet simplex frequency, protect it with the CTCSS decoder, and put the VHF output into a dummy load instead of an antenna.

Now, I can freely roam around my house and immediate area with a 2-meter handheld transmitting simplex (with the proper tone) on the selected 2-meter frequency, and the radio translates everything to/from the UHF repeater.

The only thing you have to keep in mind is that the crossband link must drop entirely before the next transmission can occur (the crossband repeat is not full-duplex like a standard repeater, but is half-duplex).

You must identify often in BOTH directions to remain within the rules.

I also disconnect the microphone, as it is hot during the crossband repeat and will pick up any noise in the room.

Steve
WB7PSD

2213. Re: TS-850 Software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <33658F44.4CB4@compuserve.com>
Source record: 176698

ZaaX wrote:
>
> Does anyone out there know who makes software for use with the Kenwood
> TS-850? Also, if you are currently using any software for this rig what
> brand
> are you using and what do you like/dilike about it? Any info will be
> greatly
> appreciated.
>
> 73 Zack Schindler
> N8FNR
Zack ,
forgot to add... the prgm Rig-EQF allows full control of the 850 from
the keyboard. One of the best features is the ability to upload/download
from the memory channels of the 850 to the computer and back.
I keep alot of my splits loaded (for mode k RS-12 sat) on the compter
and just with a key press it sets up the rig for same...very nice!

Tom aa2vk

2214. Re: TS-850 Software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <33658E10.47D3@compuserve.com>
Source record: 176699

ZaaX wrote:
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> Does anyone out there know who makes software for use with the Kenwood
> TS-850? Also, if you are currently using any software for this rig what
> brand
> are you using and what do you like/dilike about it? Any info will be
> greatly
> appreciated.
>
> 73 Zack Schindler
> N8FNR

Check out Log-EQF's logging prgm... with it is a companion prgm called
RIG-EQF (both written by N3EQF, Tom Dandrea) I've been using it on my
850 for a few years now ... works great.

There's a website for Log-eqf and Rig... the sw version is 90% complete
(except a few utils) try it.

73
Tom aa2vk

2215. Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jimb@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3364FDB4.21B7@aol.com>
Source record: 176700

A carpenter that did some work for me has a 2 meter/440 and uses it to stay in contact with his brother. I asked about a call sign but he said he did not have one.

What type of penalty?
Who to contact?

Please post.

Thanks in advance.

2216. Problems with NARCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Sharples <sharples@hooked.net>
Message-ID: <336592FB.209F@hooked.net>
Source record: 176701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Attention Northern California Repeater Owners: Have you had any problems with unreasonable, arbitrary behavior or croneyism and favoritism on the part of NARCC, the Northern California repeater frequency coordinating body? If so I'd like to hear about them. Please send me a brief description of your experiences in working with this group, including names, dates, places and events to the extent you remember them. Thanks in advance- Tom WA6HAS <sharples@hooked.net>

2217. 4 sale standard 100w gmrs repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Frovik <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bc536c$f46eb280$53c99dcc@default>
Source record: 176717

for sale 100watt standard repeater. 20 selectable pl's, 75 ft 1/2'' hard
line,
and new spare PA finnal. and commerical 8.5 db gain antenna.
works great.

650$ or partial trade for 2mtr all mode or color laptop computer

n0mnb@minn.net

612-754-8765

2218. Re: 4 sale standard 100w gmrs repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Frovik <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bc536e$6375be20$53c99dcc@default>
Source record: 176718

presently on 462.625

2219. Re: IC 706 VS DX 70TH?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: gweiler150@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428015900.VAA28216@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176719

If you are not interested in the VHF...and I am not so sure 6-meters is worth the effort....but, you are looking for a small HF...why not check out Kenwoods TS-50 or the new Yaseu 900CAT...I think you'll find both of them better than the ICOM or Alinco.

GaryN8SOM

2220. AEA PK-12 and Linux problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: morris@unc.edu
Message-ID: <5k0v7fcod1@fddinewz.oit.unc.edu>
Source record: 176720

Trying to interface this device to Linux. I could never get Kermit to cooperate with the PK-12 (/dev/cua1). I used to have syeon working fine with it, but it now it no longer works. PC's seem to have no problem communicating. Anyone else had trouble successes talking to the PK-12 in a dumb terminal mode from Linux?

Joe Morris - morris@unc.edu - http://sunsite.unc.edu/morris
Academic Technology and Networks (formerly OIT), Development
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2221. Re: Drake TR-7 cw filter SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428020900.WAA29040@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176721

500 hz cw filter has been sold. Thanks for your interest.

2222. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5k12ts$e5p@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176722
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

In <3363F224.AB7@rocketmail.com> Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com>
writes:
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>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
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seeks
>> solace in a bottle, the rest is history.
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>> Nice troll Burt don't you have ANYTHING to do?
>>
>> Jerry
>
>1. I do not drink.
>2. It was a Sunday morn.
>3. I had so much fun the first time I posted, I did it again.
>4. I weigh 185.
>5. My wife is here, we had a great day.

Don't believe you. Your troll was obviously the product of a lonely
mind damaged by years of abuse. It was a little less obnoxious than
your Sarex BS though. A serious question do you hate yourself as much
as you hate other hams.

Jerry

>
>#================#===#
>| Burt Fisher | Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics |
>| Amateur call | South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod) |
>| K1OIK | http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169 |
>#================#===#
>|Visit my WWW site, it is like no other burt@rocketmail.com |
>#===#

2223. DTMF Messaging

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Bailey <wm8s@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <01bc537e$cd8ebe00$587e65ce@wm8s-1>
Source record: 176723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone know of a link to the format for DTMF messaging used by Kenwood, et al? I can't find my KW manual, and I need to encode a DTMF message. This is the format used to send alpha messages. It goes something like "paging code" + char + char + char + etc. where 'char' is a two-digit code for each alpha digit. I recall it was roughly based on the keypad layout, so that 11 (1st char on 1st key) was A, 21 was B, 31 was C, 12 was D, etc.

Thanks!

73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com

2224. FS: New 32 MB Simms

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Long N. Phan" <longphan@mit.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5384$cb6fc6e0$2600e212@aerial>
Source record: 176724

I have a pair of brand new 32 MB simms, 60 ns, non-parity
made by Kingston memory.

They are model # KTH3200/486 and will work with almost all
PCs. I will sell both for $300-----

Email me if you are interested:

Long N. Phan
longphan@mit.edu

2225. Jeep Wrangers and Antennas ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sarastro@swbell.net
Message-ID: <33641a0c.33713328@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 176725

Greetings. DE N5RXZ

I am looking at getting a jeep wranger buta thought or two has
crossed my mind. I run for a rural EMS service and I am also
some what active in 2m/440 area and was wondering
if there are any jeep wrangler owners out there who could
advise on where you mounted your antennas and what kind
you used? Obviously the magmount and glass mount
for me isnt an option, at least I dont see where I would
put them with a canvas top and all ..
I would appreciate any advice...

Thanks

T Garland

2226. Re: IC 706 VS DX 70TH?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: siamk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428041600.AAA09442@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176726

Thanks for your responses. Size and rx quality are my main interests. FT 900CAT is too big and the TS 50s specs and comments from other hams tell me I shouldn't consider the Kndwd. I'll decide B4 Dayton. Tnx again and 73s.

Mike K2TPZ

2227. Yeasu FT-50R Secrets?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sarastro@swbell.net
Message-ID: <33641bc3.34152386@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 176727

I was ona website awhile back and saw that there are some "secrets" to
the Yaesu FT-50R that arent in the manual. (Surprise, surprise)..
TO my dismay, that section of the webpage wasnt completed.
Does anyone know where I can find this information out?

N5RXZ

2228. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <5k15u5$nla@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 176728
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>Burt Fisher writes:
>>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>>>Burt Fisher writes:

>>>> Burt Fisher | Teacher of video,
>>> Jerry
>>| Burt Fisher | Teacher of video,
> Jerry

Why do we have to see this stuff on .dx? You two are like an infection.
Is there no cure to get rid of you both?

KH2PZ

2229. FM amplifier wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jordan@wantree.com.au
Message-ID: <5k16hngti1@news.wantree.com.au>
Source record: 176729

Does anyone have or know where I can buy a second hand 1 to 2kw fm amplifier from? If so, please email me personally.
Thanks

2230. Collins 51J-4 Receiver For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4jth@carolinacommerce.com
Message-ID: <5k17js$t0r@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 176730

For sale: Collins 51J-4 receiver. The unit is in good working condition and very clean.It is also in the vintage desktop cabinet which makes it very rare. Filters and tools are also with the unit. Asking $800.00 or BO. 73, Steve.... ke4jth@carolinacommerce.com

2231. Palo Alto - Tower Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Koert Koelman <kkoelman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33644FA1.6BF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176731

The Palo Alto Amateur Radio Association (PAARA) is looking for a sturdy, aluminum tower which is about 60 ft. tall. This tower will be used for Field Day and other club activities.

If you have one for sale, or are willing to donate it to the club, please, contact our property manager, Fred Canham (K6YT) at 415-948-9238.

If the tower has to be taken down, club members can take care of that. Thanks for reading this.

73/Koert KC6WCI

2232. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <338325e0.36151440@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 176732
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald Schmitt) wrote:

>In <336356FC.4E0@rocketmail.com> Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com>
>writes:
>>
>Nothing worth repeating
>
>It's another empty Saturday night on the Cape. A fat lonely ham seeks
>solace in a bottle, the rest is history.

Do you have any evidence that Burt is a drunk? That he's fat or
lonely? Cheap shots like that do nothing to further your agenda.

Attack the message, not the messenger.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

2233. KC5MDM Retraction of warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: N4CRP <Southtec@icanect.net>
Message-ID: <336487CF.374A@icanect.net>
Source record: 176733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This message is to confirm to my understanding that KC5MDM is attempting to work out the problems with the Heath SB-220 / HeathKit SB-220 with the customer of mine who brought it into my shop. It was a miss understanding I thought he'd been taken by someone that happened to be another ham-op over the net, because as we all know thair is alot of fraud and scams going on over the net, I just keep in hopes that all works out with all persons involved in this matter.....

2234. *** Looking for 2M/70cm Hand Held ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme.com
Message-ID: <33640185.16722221@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 176734
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.amtor,alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two things that I am looking for:

1. min 2.5W output 2M/70cm dual band hand held (under $250. newer is
better. must be functioning properly.) the information for 70cm
only hand held is also welcome.

2. Packet Terminal Controller (for Pentium IBM Compatible PC. 1200bps
minimum; perferbly 2400bps or more. under $100)

Also I would like to know a good store for hand helds or packet
terminals.

please contact me at: masa@writeme.com

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

2235. IC 706 Mark II, what's the difference ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: faimar@linknet.it
Message-ID: <faimar-2804970821560001@faimar.linknet.it>
Source record: 176735

I wish to know about improvement on new IC 706 version.

Thanks and 73
I4VXH

2236. Re: Transmitter Hunt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <5k13q0$8fb$1@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 176736

AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Hi Lee -- there are links to two WWW pages on T-Hunting or Fox Hunts as
>they are sometimes called at URL:
>http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagew.html#TH
>Should answer most questions or give a source for T-Hunting groups.

Or try:

http://www.swcp.com/~ab5p

Tons of links and information!
73,
Brian, N5ZGT

Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
Eagle Scout (12-6-96) ARRL QRP: NorCal# 1700 QRP-L# 580 AK/QRP # 125
JASM - Troop 41 Author of Worldradio's "Youth Forum" Column
Albuquerque, N.M. Packet: N5ZGT @ KC5IZT.ALBQ.NM.USA.NOAM
O.A. Lodge 66 <-W-W-W-<< Internet: n5zgt@swcp.com

2237. Standard C-510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markus <stopper@fc.etec.com>
Message-ID: <3364E309.5DBB@fc.etec.com>
Source record: 176737

Has anyone more information about the new H/T C-510 from Standard.
When will it be on the market ?
What will be the receiver coverage ?

73 Markus DL9GBA

2238. Need cal procedure for Philips PM3234 Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Message-ID: <336459C1.5434@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Source record: 176738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I need to cal my Philips PM3234 Dual Beam Portable Storage Oscilloscope.
None of the pots are labeled and I have no experience with storage
scope tube bias settings.
Can anyone supply the cal procedure or at least the pictures
showing the labels for the cal pots?
Thanks, miker
--
Please remove NOSPAM from return address before replying.

2239. Re: Yaesu FT-920 FM Optional???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <336539E4.346B@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 176739

Guess you can count on getting a "FREE" fm board...be it now, or
6 months down the line when they discount the new rig.

hershman wrote:
>
> I have a confirmation on this. Yaesu wants to charge us EXTRA for the
> FM capability on this radio!! This is outragious. Even the $800 ALINCO
> gives FM as standard. I feel Yaesu is sneeky. They may fool many
> Amatuers who would ASSUME that FM is included. Also they know that most
> hams want to have FM capability especially on 6 meters. Yaesu knows
> that few hams will spring for the "CRYTAL OVEN". but they can coumt on
> post sales for the FM board once the anry hams have found out this
> "feature" is optional. PLEASE TELL YAESU YOU DON'T like this TRICKERY!
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

2240. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <339b667d.52718561@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 176740
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com> wrote:

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>2. It was a Sunday morn.
>3. I had so much fun the first time I posted, I did it again.
>4. I weigh 185.
>5. My wife is here, we had a great day.

Another stereotype shot to hell.
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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

2241. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eugene Cockburn Ference Rayner <erayner@ibl.bm>
Message-ID: <01bc53c5$dc3bcaa0$56fcacc7@erayner.ibl.bm>
Source record: 176741

Yes I have had a problem with my TS440S and I sent it back to Kenwood,
Barry's in NY and to HRO and no body could fix it. I have the radio back
collecting dust as well. Perhaps it is time to invest into a new
non-Kenwood rig.
Regards
Eugene <erayner@ibl.bm>
VP9NLW

Tim <tsweeney@harborhi.com> wrote in article
<k20uj5.26i.ln@harborhi.com>...
> Roy Church <rac@isise.rl.ac.uk> wrote:
> > Has anyone any experience of what seems to be a temporary phase
> > lock loop problem effecting 10/14/21 MHz (the drop out seems to
> > occur at about 7.6MHZ) It clears a while after switch on.
>
> I had this problem develope about 5 years ago or so (rig vintage 1988),
> and it got progressively worse until the radio is now completely
unusable.
> I ended up buying another transceiver (a Yaesu this time) with the
> intention of sending the 440 to Kenwood to have as a backup. But as
usual,
> I never got around to it and the 440 has been sitting on the shelf
> collecting dust. Perhaps it's time to get back in touch with Kenwood
> (and my state's Attorney General if need be) and stir up the pot a bit.
:)
>
> BTW, it was known to be a common problem then, and the Kenwood tech I
> talked to at the time knew about it, so Kenwood can hardly plead
innocent.
>
> --
> Tim Sweeney Harborhi Consultants Boothbay Harbor, Maine
>
> Not valid in all 50 states. Void where prohibited.
> The contents of this post are for entertainment purposes only.
>

2242. Need Help for Selsing (or Selsyn)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Bondoli <bondoli&campese@sira.it>
Message-ID: <01bc53c7$f4d30a40$LocalHost@sbondoli.sira.it>
Source record: 176742

Hi, my call is IW4CFE.
I need help: I have a couple of Selsing (or Selsyn) devices 1-phase, 90 V, 400 Hz.
Because I work on microwave bands I need an high-precision antenna directioning but as soon as today I've not found a reliable system to have the lowest error possible in positioning my antenna system.
I've been interested about the characteristics of the Selsing engines, so I've tried to use the above mentioned devices to use them for my purpose: the result is that I can use them at 30 Volts 50 Hz with very low torque: the big problem now is that the indication is not repeatitive.
I think that if I will able to feed the Selsing with 90 Volts at 400 Hz I'll remove all the problems I've now.
Does anybody has an electric-schematic of a power supply that can generate 90 V at 400 Hz ?
Please note that the second-hand devices you can find on commerce are too much expensive: they cost at least from 10 to 20 times the value of the Selsing !
thanks in advance
Alessandro Bondoli, IW4CFE
e-mail: bondoli&campese@sira.it

2243. Hotel pay-tv, how does signalling work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Frank W. van Wensveen" <fvwensve@hvsag01.nl.lucent.com>
Message-ID: <33648F80.507F@hvsag01.nl.lucent.com>
Source record: 176743
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

** Please reply via direct Email - thanks! **

I can't help but wondering about hotel pay-TV systems. I've seen several varieties. One was very simple, consisting of a sharp notch filter (blocking the pay channels) that was shorted out after inserting a chipcard. The chipcard was read for billing when checking out. Nothing mysterious there. :-)

The other variety was more interesting. A unit inside the TV (yes, I did have a screwdriver with me) was connected to the band selection lines of the tuner. As soon as the upper UHF band was selected and the tuning voltage exceeded a certain treshold level, billing would start. (The pay channels were all located in the 'high' parts of the UHF band.)

So far so good. But *how* does the TV signal to the central accounting system that the pay channels are selected? I could measure no DC voltage on the hotels central antenna outlet, so that's not how it's done. I can think of only two alternatives; one is a signal modulated on a carrier that is sent back to the central computer, and the other is a notch filter that is connected to the antenna input in the TV so that the input impedance drops for that frequency, which could be measured (with a griddipper-like circuit).

Could anyone tell me how these signalling systems really work? How does a hotel TV signal the central accounting system that pay channels are activated??

** Please reply via direct Email - thanks! **

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Regards,
Frank van Wensveen (PA3GMP)

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*** All standard disclaimers apply ***
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2244. UT-101 Module for IC-2350H. What can it do?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc53cc$1b5f5e80$594e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 176744

I currently own an Icom IC-2350H, and have it mounted in my Blazer. I run cross-band through it during the day and the evening. I'm looking to broaden the capability of my cross-band setup by installing the UT-101 DTMF decode module into the 2350H.

I know this will allow remote control of the 2350H from my HT (an Icom IC-Z1A), however, I don't know to what degree I'll be able to control the 2350. If anyone currently uses a setup like this with the 2350, I'd appreciate knowing what you're actually able to do once the UT-101 is installed.

Can I, for instance:

1. Enable and disable cross-band repeat remotely from my handheld?
2. Change both the VHF and UHF via the HT?
3. Change output power settings for the VHF and UHF bands?

Right now, I currently have the 2350 set to cross-band between a simplex UHF frequency and the local repeater's input frequency. This minimizes the TX time of my mobile ('cause I don't have the $88 UT-89 decode module installed in the mobile). I would, however, like to leave the mobile ON, but NOT in cross-band repeat mode, and only enable it when I need to use it (see #1 above). Also, I'd like to be able to choose WHICH local repeater I'm cross-banding with so that I could change that from a remote location, rather than running down to my Blazer to fiddle with the mobile (see #2 above).

Enough babbling. I think everyone gets the drift...

Please email me with any responses, in addition to any posts made here on the newsgroups! Thanks, in advance, for any insight you may be able to lend!

73,

Chad, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

2245. Who wanted 2E24 tube???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <5k20j8$p28$2@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 176745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Who was looking for a 2E24 tube?? Found one in the garage over
the weekend.

Bryan W5KFT

2246. TS-850 Software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428123401.IAA29125@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176746

Does anyone out there know who makes software for use with the Kenwood TS-850? Also, if you are currently using any software for this rig what brand
are you using and what do you like/dilike about it? Any info will be greatly
appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

2247. Re: FT-50 .rdf file mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5k23uo$ss9$1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 176747

Here is the description you need.
Yes it works.

Indi.

FT50R - Software Modifications
Ingra-Beton@t-online.de, Date: 31.03.97
==========
This is modification of the first version, with same fix up's, typing
error corrections and better explanations (one Example too).

The Problem:

I have purchased a FT50R a couple of days ago and tried to make the MOD's
as described by Bill Childers (KE6VVW).

The removal of the solder jumper Nr.1 worked just fine and the
MARS/CAP was there. But as I tried to make the Trick to pull the
adapter cable out of the radio, ..., that don't work.

RT Systems says:
> The firmware inside the radio has been changed so that pulling the plug
> will not toggle the radio into a European mode. This change was made in
> radios with the 3rd and 4th digits of the serial number greater the 05.
> --
> Rod, RT Systems Amateur Radio Supply, Huntsville AL.
> Sales 1-800-723-6922, Tech 1-205-880-3093

So I had to find something else, here it is.

This is a method to do any MOD to your FT50R. The procedure is very simple
and fast done:

1. You make a template from your FT50R
2. Change 3 Bytes in the template
3. Upload the template to your FT50R

So you can switch to any BAND, you don't have do hardware interventions
or similar staff like pull the adapter cable out, remove jumpers, ...

If you want do return the FT50R to its original state, just upload the
old (unmodified) .TPL to the Unit.

Information and explanations:

All MOD's can be made by software only. To do the MOD's you need the
ADMS 1C Software (I am using the 1.05 Version) and a HEX editor to
manipulate the .TPL file (I am working with .TPL file's only)

I am using HIEW 5.24 (Hacker's View) but any HEX editor will do the
job (PCT, Norton, Multiedit, ...)

Everyone has noticed the problem after making same MOD's to the Unit
that the old .TPL files can not be uploaded to the Unit any more.
There is a simple protection scheme (2 bytes) that prevents uploading
a .TPL file from a different hardware configuration to the Unit.

This is a description how to bypass this protection. By uploading a
.TPL file with different hardware configuration, (from a other Unit
or just to change the 2 bytes) the Unit will be assigned to this new
configuration.

First a description of Terms and Positions:

1. Current_Byte
.....
This is the Byte that tells the current Status (Hardware configuration) of
the Rig, you can get this Byte as follows:
- Make a .TPL file from the Rig.(Menu: <Radio> <Create template>)
- Edit the .TPL File with e HEX Editor.
v this is the first byte*
- On the File Address 05E2 is the sequence 07 XX
^ Current_Byte (Addr.:05E3)
- The Current_byte can be in the Range from 00 to 06.
- *the first byte is usually 07, by experimenting with nonstandard Numbers
you can change this byte also. (03 or same other value, but very rare)

2. Key_Byte (Security Key)
.....
The Key_Byte is at the same place as the Current_Byte, but in the .TPL
file you intend to upload.
If you want to upload a .TPL File to the Rig, the Key_Byte must match the
Current_Byte (that means that the Hardware configuration of the Unit and
the .TPL file you intend to upload must be the same). Just change with the
HEX Editor the Key_Byte of the .TPL file you intend to upload to be the
Current_Byte and you can upload anything (any .TPL file) to the Rig.
!!! No more CERR Messages !!!
(As mentioned in 1. if you change the first byte, you have to change this)
(byte also (in the .TPL File you intend to upload) to be the same Byte as)
(in the Template you have just made to read the Current_Byte.)

3. Band-Set_Byte
.....
- Edit the .TPL file you intend to upload with e HEX Editor
v* v Sub_Band-Set_Byte (Addr.:0CE8)
- On Address 0CE6 is the Sequence 07 XX XX
^ Band-Set_Byte (Addr.:0CE7)
This Byte tells the Rig to switch to Band XX (XX is a Nr.between 00 and 06)☐
To change the Band simply change the Band-Set_Byte to the desired Number.
After Uploading the Modified .TPL File to the Rig, it switches to the
desired Band and the Current_Byte becomes the Band-Set_Byte. That means if

you want to upload later something else to the Rig, you have to change in
the .TPL File you intend to upload the Key_Byte to the new Current_Byte
(with the HEX Editor).
The Sub_Band-Set_Byte tells the Rig in with Sub Band to switch (see Table)
*The byte (0CE6) is usually 07, rare 03 or same other number.
If it is not 07 (If your unit is new, it will be 03) Set it to be 07

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Example
.......
Now, to do a band change do as follows:
- let's assume you have BAND_A1 (USA) and want to switch to BAND_F3
- make a .TPL file from your unit (let's assume original.tpl)
- copy the original.tpl to mod1.tpl (this file we are going to upload)
- read the Current_Byte from original.tpl (as described in 1)
(for the BAND_A1 we assumed you have it will be 01))
- set the Key_Byte in mod1.tpl to be the Current_Byte (01) (as described
in 2). It is logical that the Key_Byte will already be 01, you've just
made the copy, but it is a matter of principle, keep reading.
- If the first byte in mod1.tpl (0CE6) s not 07, set it to be 07.
- set the Band-Set_Byte in the mod1.tpl to 00 (for the BAND_F)
- set the Sub_Band-Set_Byte in the mod1.tpl to 03 (for the Sub BAND F3)
- upload the mod1.tpl to the unit.
- power off, power on, now you have BAND_F3, DONE.
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- let's assume you want to switch now to BAND_B2a
- make a .TPL file from you unit (let's assume temp.tpl)
- read the Current_Byte from temp.tpl, it will be 00. (BAND_F)
- copy the original.tpl to mod2.tpl
- set the Key_Byte in the mod2.tpl to be the Current_Byte (00)
- set the Band-Set_Byte in the mod2.tpl to 02 (BAND_B)
- set the Sub_Band-Set_Byte in the mod2.tpl to 01 (Sub BAND B2a)
- upload the mod2.tpl to the unit.□
- power off, power on, now you have BAND_B2a, DONE.

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and so on ...

Here are the MOD's (Band's) available:
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I 00 01 02 03 I <- Sub_Band-Set_Byte (Address 0CE8)
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00 I F1 F2a F2b F3 I
01 I A1 A2a A2b A3 I
02 I B1 B2a B2b B3 I
03 I C1 C2a C2b C3 I
04 I D1 D2a D2b D3 I
05 I H1 H2a H2b H3 I
06 I FrEE FrEE FrEE FrEE I
--------------------------
^ Band-Set_Byte (Address 0CE7)
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When you set the Rig in a band (with the Band-Set_Byte) then you can switch
from Sub Band X1 to X3 (if solder jumper 1 removed) with the key sequence:
- Hold Lamp and Knob by powering_on to switch to X3 Subband
- Hold Lamp and Knob by powering_on (you will see ALRST prS5) and then
press the function key to switch to X1 Subband

The TX for the X3 Bands is:

BAND SUB_Band TX
F 3 120-222 320-500
A 3 140-174 420-470
B 3 140-174 420-470
C 3 140-174 420-470
D 3 144-146 432-438
H 3 144-148 430-450
FrEE 50-300 300-540*

*It will TX from aprox. 118-233 and 312-508
RX from aprox.71-540 and 590-999 depending from the Unit.

The Sub Bands 1,2a and 2b are with restriction variations in TX and RX and
I am to tiered to examine them closely and write them down. I guess that
they are not very interesting.

ARS lost - effect

The FT50R has e BAND_PLAN like database and depending for witch country
your unit is configured (A,B,C,D & H) it is using the repeater database□
from his Memory for that country.

It is understandable that for the BAND_FrEE and BAND_F (TX:120-221&320-499)
there is no data in the database because those band's are not for any
specific country. That is why the ARS does not work any more, and not□
same mess up (magic) in the memory of the unit.

That does not mean that it is not possible to enter additional data to
the ARS memory database (I am working on it).

If you want to use the ARS again you just have to switch it into any
ordinary country BAND_X and it will work again.

Original .TPL file

If you don't have a original .TPL file, you can make (improvise) one:
1. Start the ADMS 1C software
2. Goto the File Menu and save a .RDF file as original.rdf
(don't download anything from the Unit, don't use a template)
3. Change with a HEX editor the first 3 bytes from RDF to TPL
(If you are using ADMS 1C 1.05)
4. Set the Key_Byte in this file to be the Current_Byte of your Unit
5. Rename the original.rdf to original.tpl
6. Start the ADMS 1C and upload the original.tpl to the Unit.

This will switch your unit to BAND A1 (USA), ARS will work again !

Disclaimer:

Don't TX and RX at frequencies that you are not allowed to!
I do not guarantee the validity of this information,
as Yaesu may change programming or hardware so that some of the
techniques in this document may cease to function. I am not
responsible if these instructions damage your rig in some way. All
I can say is that I have performed the following procedures to my
unit, and I am quite pleased with the results. Your mileage may
vary, etc.

2248. Re: Jeep Wrangers and Antennas ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronnier@ro.com
Message-ID: <5k2d32$44e$1@news.ro.com>
Source record: 176748

sarastro@swbell.net wrote:

>Greetings. DE N5RXZ

>I am looking at getting a jeep wranger buta thought or two has

I had a 1985 CJ 7 and a 1991 Wrangler.
I used a L-shapped bracket by Larsen (cant remember the part number)
its made to slip between the trunk lid and the fender. It has a 3/4"
hole on the top and three sheetmetal screwes on the side.

I placed them above each tail light assbly. Used them for 440, 2
meters, and VHF (155) without any problems.

Let me know if you have any questions.

73's
Ronnie WD4BSU

2249. FS:Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7RCM@Bluehawk.com
Message-ID: <5k2fsb$gq@phxls1.cybervault.com>
Source record: 176749
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have a 386SX16 laptop, it has 1meg ram, 80meg hd, mono vga screen. Comes with carry case, pwr/charger for home and cord for pwr/charge in vehicle.

Used this for portable packet and tracking sats while out DXing.

Asking price is $250 obo plus shipping.

Thanks de N7RCM....Juan in Las Vegas

Jeniku Electronics' quote of the day.
The computer did it

2250. Cherryville Hamfest - WTB: SX-101A & HT-37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Rimsa <steve.rimsa@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <3364BD08.528C@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 176750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A person attending the Cherryville,NJ hamfest on 4/26 had a SX-101A and HT-37 transmitter for sale and I would like to try and find this individual if at all possible to see if this rig is still available. Can you help me? ? ?

Please email me at: srimsa@eclipse.net

Phone (201)455-5430

Many thanks for reading this!

Steve - WA1KBE

2251. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <0MMSeIAVMMZzEw6g@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

In article <335F5990.6291@worldnet.att.net>, Jim N8XYN
<jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> writes
>Brian Carling wrote:
>>
>> Oh yes, I am SURE he is going to find trimmers for a 160m transmitter
>> inside a Radio Shack 2 meter rig - NOT!!
>>
>> On Wed, 23 Apr 1997 08:49:02 -0400, Jim N8XYN
>> <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>>
>> >philip de cadenet wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Can some kind soul point me to the contact information for a
>> >> manufacturer of 5nf & 10nf high quality compression trimmers.
>> >> These are for a 160m mosfet tx design that I am working on, please help.
>> >> An e-mail direct would be greatly appreciated: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk
>> >>
>> >> Thanks
>> >>
>> >> Phil de G4ZOW.
>> >> So many toys,
>> >> So little time and so little money!
>> >
>> >
>> >I've found this trick very useful. Look inside any radioshack device (2
>> >meteramp Transeiver etc) if you find a part that matchs your needs call
>> >RSparts at 1-800-the-shack. Tell them you need that part! Inside the
>> >little 2 meter amp are 3 variablecap. I know 1 of them is a 10-50 pf
>> >unit. It'll set you back a cool $1.99....Good luck!
>>
>> To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
>> It is there to fool annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising robots!
>> Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc DAWT com
>> For some GREAT Messianic Jewish resources on the Web, VISIT:
>> http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mjlynx.htm
>
>
>Excuse me but he is LOOKING for 5 to 10 Nf caps...pretty small values
>huh? Just so happens that small components like that do exist in 2
>meter equipment! And also 160 meter stuff.....
Oh god,
I never thought that my original posting would start you guy's off, I'm

used to all this and have a good laugh on the cb ng.
I must admit that I would not of thought that anything 2m would have the necessary 5nf or 10nf trimmers inside so did'nt bother looking.
I do like the sense of humour in teaching the population of this ng the difference between nf & pf!
Seems anyway that I'm going to have to pad out the largest trimmer that I've found (3500pf), with some fixed caps.
I must look into this ng more often, I enjoy this kind of humour,

73

Phil
Unit 148 on 11m
DC1 on 45m
G4ZOW/ extreme mobile everywhere else.
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philip de cadenet

2252. Re: Generic Connector Liquidation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@no.ads
Message-ID: <33649f56.7587998@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 176752
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

On Sun, 27 Apr 1997 13:33:21 GMT, walt@dial.pipex.com.nospam (Walt
Davidson) wrote:

>On Sat, 26 Apr 1997 20:49:24 GMT, no.spam@no.ads (Brian Carling)
>wrote:
>
>>Thanks Walt - I have some connectors on the way. I am sure the "lossy"
>>connectors are NOT goint to give me much trouble at 1.9 MHz!
>>
>>I have decided to keep the old Labgear TX "original."
>
>Good luck! I hope they don't flash over.

With TEN WATTS? Hmmm, come on!

>Just out of curiosity,
>which Labgear TX is it?

The 160 Twin - it runs 10 watts of AM and CW with an EL84 modulated by
another EL84

>I don't think the LG-300 and the LG-50 had
>top band coverage. (or had they?)
>
>And YES! I remember a Belling Lee antenna connector on the LG300 with
>its 813 output stage! :-)

YOW!!!

>I think the microphone connector on the
>PSU/modulator unit was also a Belling Lee coaxial type. Perhaps
>Labgear had shares in Belling Lee!

Well, I worked for Labgear at one time, and one of their main
businesses was the manufacture of TV accesssories - pre-amplifiers,
pattern generators etc. They also made nice SSB military xcvrs
with a 10.7 MHz i.f.! Backpack jobs that were solid state and ran
about 10 watts best I remember.

No doubt they had plenty of Belling-Lee co-ax connectors for all the
TV stuff.

To reply to this message, you MUST NOT use my shown address.
It is there to fool those annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising idiots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc 'DOT' com

For great Ham Radio resources on the web, VISIT:
http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm

2253. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mjsilva@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5k2mth$t00@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

In <0MMSeIAVMMZzEw6g@two-way.demon.co.uk> philip de cadenet
<phil@two-way.demon.co.uk> writes:

>I do like the sense of humour in teaching the population of this ng
>the difference between nf & pf!

Well, it's taken us long enough to stop thinking uuF, and now it's
these funny nFs -- where will it all end? However, I'm sure I speak
for all Americans in saying we promise to start using nF if you all
will promise to start drawing your resistor symbols correctly instead
of as those little boxes. Deal?

73,
Mike, KK6GM

p.s. :) :)

2254. RE: Sell Kenwd 940sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3364e41a.31856@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 176754

Posting this for Jack, W2axu
609/882-8811. Pse call him, not me.

Sale, Kenwood 940sat, Mint. Bought New.
Ser. Man, Boxes, Etc.
$1175.00 Tnx,
Albert Wa3fib

2255. Re: FT-50R to TNC Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <5k2ns1$8le@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 176755

morris@unc.edu (Joe Morris) writes:
>Other suggestions connecting my HT to the TNC?

Yaesu sells an adapter from the 4-conductor plug on the side of the radio to standard separate speaker and mike jacks. You should be able to use standard 3.5 mm and 2.5 mm plugs at that point - same as you would used for most transceivers.

Dave

2256. FS Collins WE 75S-3C - 3 Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <3364F2EE.4961@mail.org>
Source record: 176756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
------------42A5F8546F00
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

I have both a WE and RE 75S-3C, and have decided to sell the WE, serial
#10478, which has 3 filters, and is in excellent physical and
operational condition. It looks virtually new both inside and out. I
was going to bring it to Dayton, but decided to list it here on several
of the ham radio news groups. This radio is exceptional, and I will
sell it for the best offer over $1,750 plus shipping. This radio is as
close to "mint" as you can get without taking it out of the box when
new. I also have a "like new" 312B-4 WE to match this 75S-3C. If you
have sincere interest in buying this classic Collins receiver, email
me. If you send your phone number, I'll call you back to answer any
questions you may have. JB, K4JJ in Roswell, Georgia

------------42A5F8546F00
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Description: Card for JB
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="nsmailKJ.TMP"
Content-Type: text/x-vcard; charset=us-ascii; name="nsmailKJ.TMP"

BEGIN:VCARD
FN:JB
N:;JB
EMAIL;INTERNET:jb@mail.org
X-MOZILLA-HTML:T
END:VCARD

------------42A5F8546F00--
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2257. Re: TS-850 Software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Whitmore <ronwhit@dreamscape.com>
Message-ID: <3364F509.1DE8@dreamscape.com>
Source record: 176757

ZaaX wrote:
>
> Does anyone out there know who makes software for use with the Kenwood
> TS-850? Also, if you are currently using any software for this rig what
> brand
> are you using and what do you like/dilike about it? Any info will be
> greatly
> appreciated.
>
> 73 Zack Schindler
> N8FNR
Jack A good piece of software is Log-EQF advertised in qst, and
avaliable as shareware, they also have a websight on the net...It is a
logging pgm and rig control (Rig-EQF) does contest logging and keeps up
the dxcc records and was records. sny other questions, email me..73
Ron WA2LUF
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| Ron Whitmore ronwhit@dreamscape.com |
| Amateur Radio Operator |
| WA2LUF |

2258. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5k2pvj$kd8@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176758
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

In <5k15u5$nla@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:
>
>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>>Burt Fisher writes:
>>>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>>>>Burt Fisher writes:
>
>>>>> Burt Fisher | Teacher of video,
>>>> Jerry
>>>| Burt Fisher | Teacher of video,
>> Jerry
>
>
>Why do we have to see this stuff on .dx? You two are like an
infection.
>Is there no cure to get rid of you both?
>
>KH2PZ

Apparently no more than there is hope to get you to trim the newsgroup
list at the top. I forgot but you oh netcop know better. Better get
back to work Jeff you'll never get that degree.

To the rest sorry for the bandwidth Jeff is a little testy with me just
now.

Jerry

2259. WTB: SX-101A & Matching Xmtr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Rimsa <steve.rimsa@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <3364F4E6.6E15@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 176759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I am looking for a SX-101A and the matching transmitter (a HT-37 I think)
in working condition and at a reasonable price. Can pick up in the New England, Metro NY/NJ or Washinton DC corridor. Let me know what you have, the price and condition.

Thank you for reading this. Reply to: srimsa@eclipse.net
(201)455-5430
73's

WA1KBE

2260. FT50 - Earphone for $1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <336502BF.336D@notify1.com>
Source record: 176760

If you are good at building things, you can make an earphone for a Yaesu FT-10/40/50 for a little more than a buck.

The first step is to find an "Everything's a Dollar" (or equivalent) store that has earbuds for personal stereos (you can start with better materials if you are brave!). The 1/8" stereo plug must have a small flange that will allow it to plug all the way into the radio's audio jack. The Yaesu radios have a small depression around the jack that will not allow the use of the larger flange plugs that are sold at Radio Shack.

Use a Dremel Moto-Tool with an abrasive cut-off disc to cut the plug sleeve into two equal sections. Be very careful to cut away only the metal and not the underlying insulator. Smooth the cut with a miniature file and fillet with epoxy. When cured, carefully file the epoxy smooth. One earbud will be connected from tip to sleeve and that's the one you want to keep. The other earbud is connected from ring-1 to sleeve (clone connection) and should be cut off. Make sure the wires don't short. The new ring-2 connects to the mic, but unfortunately cannot be used.

I just thought I'd post this for anyone interested. Please direct any comments to this newsgroup. Finally, if you don't think you can do this correctly, don't plug it into your expensive radio. You can screw up the radio's audio jack and that would be a bad thing.

Ken - WB0QNA

2261. For Sale KENWOOD TH-22E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Baz <Baz@winning.com>
Message-ID: <33650FC8.584D@winning.com>
Source record: 176761

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------21A78B77752
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-8859-1
Content-Transfer-Encoding: quoted-printable

2 Metre Handheld. BOXED - Unmarked Case - With Keypad, Kenwood
Speaker/mike + Battery case. Capable of wide band tranceive 136-174MHz 3
watt (5 watt with 12V) Reason for sale - buying a dual-band Kenwood
Can deliver (UK Only) Cost =A3285 Asking =A3185 delivered. =

WHY SPEND ON A NEW ALINCO/ADI ETC WHEN =A3185 GETS YOU A REAL HANDSET

--------------21A78B77752
Content-Type: image/jpeg; name="th22e baz2.jpg"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="th22e baz2.jpg"

<encoded_portion_removed>
HaiiinYD/9k=
--------------21A78B77752--
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2262. Re: KC5MDM Retraction of warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <3364C37A.5F20@atl.org>
Source record: 176762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

N4CRP wrote:

> because as we all know thair is alot of
> fraud and scams going on over the net,

We all know?

I don't know! I've found the hams and radio
afficianados on the net, with very few exceptions,
to be most honest and trustworthy.

-bob
wb4mnf

2263. Re: WTB: HF radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: larsonlynn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428205701.QAA01254@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176763

you might want to start out with a qrp rigi think the mfj rigs are to much
money.
the Ten Tec qrp kit i think is a good buy.
it covers a 50-khz chunk of the band which the builder picks at the time
of construction.
you can e-mail me at larsonlynn@aol.co 73 73
bye the way my call is KC5WUG

2264. Wanted: Wall charger for Icom 2at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970428211400.RAA02630@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176764

I need a wall charger model BC-25 for the Icom IC-2at ht. If you have one you no longer need let me know. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail. 73's WZ1U Steve

2265. Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greeby@onramp.net
Message-ID: <5k33va$p7g@newnews.onramp.net>
Source record: 176765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Could someone open up thier QST magazine and e-mail me the phone number for the Code Quick folks?

I just joined ARRL and have not gotten my first issue of QST yet.

Thanks
73

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Jeff Halapin
greeby@onramp.net
KD5ACY
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2266. Webster Mobile Ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Marsh <bmarsh@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <336512AF.4D95@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 176766

Hi everyone,

I just got a Webster band Master Mobile Antenna. I'm trying to locate a manual and/or the specs on this thing. Does anyone have any info on it?

tnx es 73 de Bob/KB2SGM

2267. Re: FCC should get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <336416e8.22530994@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 176815

jjm@shore.net (jjm@shore.net) wrote:

:pepe <pepe@jip.net> wrote:
:
:>They waste too much spectrum telling you what they had for lunch.
:>Especially the extra class dumbies who wasted years of thier lives
:>to learn code at 20 WPM.

What about the people who spent years at school and still can't spell
their?

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

2268. Motorola MT1000 Help ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: yt1dl@eunet.yu
Message-ID: <5k0go8qmq1@SOLAIR3.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 176816

I need any information about MOTOROLA MT1000 HANDIE-TALKIE FM RADIO
(circuit diagram, manul, programing or anything...).

Thanks & 73....

e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu

Dusan Milovanovic, YT1DL
e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu

2269. Re: Icom IC-551 option boards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgarver@ichips.intel.com
Message-ID: <5k5sdk$4pt$1@news.jf.intel.com>
Source record: 176518

In article <33657cc9.14000223@news.cmc.net>,
Gary Fiber <gfiber@news.cmc.net> wrote:
>On 28 Apr 1997 23:41:40 GMT, jgarver@ichips.intel.com (Jim Garver)
>wrote:

>>Say, do you know where I can get the 430 Mhz version, the IC-451? Then I
>>would have all three.
>
>The IC-451 was a 430 to 440 Mhz radio. You could change it to cover
>440 to 450 Mhz by changing some crystals and IF transformers. The
>IC- 451 will not cover the entire 430 to 450 MHz range though.
>Gary

Thanks for the note, Gary. Actually, that's perfect for me since I
have no use for the FM portion of that band. This should make it cheaper
to buy as well, right? But they seem to be scarce as hen's teeth. Only
an IC-351 (220 Mhz) could be more rare, I guess.

I noticed that the next generation IC-471H showed up on news:rec.radio.swap
High power version too. $550 firm + shipping. Ouch! Ouch! Ouch!
I'll hold out for the IC-451 despite the competition ;-)

I have a rare IC-201 early analog 2 meter rig, 144-146 Mhz. SSB,CW,FM.
Ever seen one? Has a keen orange and green concentric, two-speed dial.
I also have the blueprint schematic for clues to the 100 or so adjustments
inside of it.

73,
Jim K7YO

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jgarver@ichips.intel.com K7YO I don't speak for Intel

2270. Mods for Kenwood TM-261?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan Lawson <Lucky13@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <336694F5.70E7@vvm.com>
Source record: 176519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Anyone know of any mods for the Kenwood TM-261?

Bryan Lawson
KC5ZEZ
Killeen, Texas

2271. ft-50r battery problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: p22980@email.mot.com
Message-ID: <862361357.27797@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176520

I have had my ft-50r for about 3 months, and suddenly it started having the following problem. Has anybody had this problem?

When I charge my battery, it discharges overnight while connected to the unit, with the unit turned off. When not connected to the unit, it does not discharge. I tried taking the battery off and connecting the unit to a 9.6V power supply at the battery connectors, through an ammeter. With the unit off, it draws a little over 4 mA!

I use an external 12V regulated power supply through the dc port. I can't see how this could hurt the unit, since it is spec'ed to perform at that level. Any way, I'm sending it back to Yaesu.

Has anybody else had this problem?

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2272. Help Icom 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JimBo <jimbowie@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33668D90.42F0@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176521

Needed Icom 735 instruction manual.....KC6VWY

2273. WTB - Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Kassay <MKASSAY@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3366B787.D0A@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 176522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amteur.boatanchors,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Hi,,,Im looking for any of the following microphones...

RCA Ribbon Velocity Mics's Type 44b
Type 74a
Type 74b

If you have any of these mics for sale, or anything similar...Please let me know.

Thanks...
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* *
Michael Kassay - Barrie, Ontario, Canada.
VE3MKX
mailto:MKassay@Sympatico.ca
Packet - VE3MKX @ VE3FJB.#con.on.can.noam

2274. Paddle for Electronic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: fedpress@omnifest.uwm.edu
Message-ID: <5k6dug$ra@omnifest.uwm.edu>
Source record: 176523

Most if not all of your questions would be answered by reading "Iambic Keyer Paddles: A wide array of choices" by John L. Rehak N6HI in the December '92 issue of 73 Magazine.

73,

Rick WB9GYT

2275. IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jls <jls@tminet.com>
Message-ID: <3366BB1A.C080581A@tminet.com>
Source record: 176524

Has anyone heard what pricing will look like for the IC-706 MK II? Does Icom plan to discontinue the IC-706? Thanks for any information.

Jeff
KG6UC
KTLA Los Angeles

2276. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-8000R $475

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R.FRALEY" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <5k61kv$eof@news.planetc.com>
Source record: 176525

Justin Bodie wrote:
>
> For sale:
>
> Like New Yaesu FT-8000R dual-band mobile.
> No Mods.
>
> Includes: DTMF mic, power cable, box, manual,
> receipt. (About 4 mo. old)
>
> Works great!
>
> $475 including UPS 2-day air in the continental
> US. (Shipped COD)
>
> For more information, send me some E-mail!
>
> Justin
> KB0YSZ
>
> --
> .....
> Justin M. Bodie
> E-mail: bodie@rrnet.com
> Home Page: http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/2062/
NO offense,But I purchased a new one 3 months ago for $459.oo!!!!!!

2277. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <LE$dsAAbxkZzEwca@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

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In article <5k2mth$t00@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>, michael silva
<mjsilva@ix.netcom.com> writes
>In <0MMSeIAVMMZzEw6g@two-way.demon.co.uk> philip de cadenet
><phil@two-way.demon.co.uk> writes:
>
>>I do like the sense of humour in teaching the population of this ng
>>the difference between nf & pf!
>
>Well, it's taken us long enough to stop thinking uuF, and now it's
>these funny nFs -- where will it all end? However, I'm sure I speak
>for all Americans in saying we promise to start using nF if you all
>will promise to start drawing your resistor symbols correctly instead
>of as those little boxes. Deal?
>
>73,
>Mike, KK6GM
>
>p.s. :) :)
>
>
Deal Mike, hi.

Phil G4ZOW/M
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philip de cadenet
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2278. Re: Radio Shack HTX-202 (reply)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5k5k77$71h$1@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 176527

In article <33656F36.690@pacbell.net>, "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:
>> >Hello. I have been looking at getting a basic qualification here in
>> >canada. Similar to technician in the Us. Anyhow I was wondering if
>> >anybody had any comments on radio shcaks HTX-202 2 meter ham radio.
>>
>> HTX-202 is basically a good radio. . . .
>
>
>The Radio Shack HTX-202 may not be as small or as "sexey" as some of
>the other HTs, but it's a good solid unit. I've had mine for almost 2
>months and I'm very happy with it.
>
>
>A friend of mine has a more expensive (and complex) unit, he has a hard
>time trying to set it up for a new frequency. However, I find the
>HTX-202 easy to set up.
>
>
>I also purchased the Mirage B-34 2 meter amplifer for use in my car.
>The B-34 takes the output of the HTX-202 and puts out a 35 watt signal.
>Add a magnetic mount antenna and it's a nice system.
>
>
>73,
>
>KF6JHG (Bob Diaz)

I second this. I've had my 202 for over 2 years now and it's a VERY solid
HT. It's been dropped several times (by accident of coarse) onto pavement and
the rig just laughs it off. I'll take this "brick" over those tiny rigs ANY
day. Highly recommended.

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

2279. HAL SPT-2 "Spectra-Tune"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dialta@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970429203500.QAA28452@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176528

I have a mint condition HAL SPT-2 "Spectra-Tune" for sale. The unit
is fully functional and comes with complete documentation.

Contact:

Dick, K0VKH
dialta@aol.com or k0vkh@juno.com

2280. Re: AEA PK-12 and Linux problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3366E81D.24CC035A@primenet.com>
Source record: 176529

Joe Morris wrote:
>
> Trying to interface this device to Linux. I could never get Kermit to
> cooperate with the PK-12 (/dev/cua1). I used to have syeon working fine with
> it, but it now it no longer works. PC's seem to have no problem
> communicating. Anyone else had trouble successes talking to the PK-12 in a
> dumb terminal mode from Linux?
>

A friend of mine has been using minicom with a pk-12 quite successfully.

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

2281. Re: Hotel pay-tv, how does signalling work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jblessin@peganet.com
Message-ID: <5k612q$rbe@andromeda.peganet.net>
Source record: 176530
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <33648F80.507F@hvsag01.nl.lucent.com>,
fvwensve@hvsag01.nl.lucent.com says...
>
>** Please reply via direct Email - thanks! **
>
>
>I can't help but wondering about hotel pay-TV systems. I've seen several
>varieties. One was very simple, consisting of a sharp notch filter
>(blocking the pay channels) that was shorted out after inserting a
>chipcard. The chipcard was read for billing when checking out. Nothing
>mysterious there. :-)
>
>The other variety was more interesting. A unit inside the TV (yes, I did
>have a screwdriver with me) was connected to the band selection lines of
>the tuner. As soon as the upper UHF band was selected and the tuning
>voltage exceeded a certain treshold level, billing would start. (The pay
>channels were all located in the 'high' parts of the UHF band.)
>
>So far so good. But *how* does the TV signal to the central accounting
>system that the pay channels are selected? I could measure no DC voltage
>on the hotels central antenna outlet, so that's not how it's done. I can
>think of only two alternatives; one is a signal modulated on a carrier
>that is sent back to the central computer, and the other is a notch
>filter that is connected to the antenna input in the TV so that the
>input impedance drops for that frequency, which could be measured (with
>a griddipper-like circuit).
>
>Could anyone tell me how these signalling systems really work? How does
>a hotel TV signal the central accounting system that pay channels are
>activated??
>
>** Please reply via direct Email - thanks! **
>
>--
>
>
>Regards,
> Frank van Wensveen (PA3GMP)
>
>==
>Lucent Technologies [CONTRACTOR], Hilversum, The Netherlands
>P.O box 1168 1200 BD Hilversum The Netherlands
>Email: fwensveen@lucent.com Fax: +31-35-6875857

>Phone (office): +31-35-6872207 (mobile) +31-652-762303
>==
> *** All standard disclaimers apply ***
>==

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They use the video camera hidden behind the oneway mirror on the wall to
watch you, expect a new TV billed to your credit card....

Jordan Blessing L1 Master Tech

Remove NOSPAM from email address to reply.

Sorry I had to do this, but blame all the
asshole spammers that are filling my mailbox
with amsoil, spiralmax, slick 50, pyramid schemes,
snake oils, get rich quick schemes and other forms
of bullshit.

2282. Re: FT-8500 slow squelch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.innes@btinternet.com
Message-ID: <33652fe3.88218787@news.btinternet.com>
Source record: 176531

"Michael K. Singewald" <n1plh@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>
>I like this radio except for a very annoying attribute. When a repeater
>un-keys, or any transmission stops, I get a terribly long "squelch crash".
> It was sent back to Yaesu, but nothing changed. I heard a friend of mines
>same radio, and it does the same thing. Am I the only one to notice this,
>or doesn't it drive anyone else nuts... especially when talking simplex?
>It happens the same even with the squelch turned up all the way.
>
Hi, well I don't find that my European FT8500 suffers from the long
squelch tail, the change is quite abrupt. No problems with the between
transmission squelch either.

I do agree about the sub-band mute though, the FT51 is much better
implemented. I've never understood why radios need to beep when coming
in and out of scan, isn't it obvious when you hear the transmission?

One problem I have found is when trying to use the rear data socket, I
cannot get my Tiny 2 to keep the radio keyed for more than about a
second. I've tried another tiny 2 which was just the same and manually
earthing the ptt line stays on...

Regards
John

--
Edinburgh, UK.
Packet Radio GM7OLQ @ GB7EDN
Internet http://www.btinternet.com/~john.innes/

2283. DAyton radio repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Tucker <sts@ac.net>
Message-ID: <3366AEFD.2A58@ac.net>
Source record: 176532

Hello all!

We, SAndhlls Technical Service, will be at Dayton(booth 3667 & 3668).
If you have a radio that needs repair bring it to Dayton and save UPS
shipping. Who are we? Check us out at the link below.

HOpe to see you there!
--
Larry Tucker, N4KVP
Lead Service Technician
Sandhills Technical Service, Inc.
910-974-7867
http://www.janrix.com/sts/

2284. Info on Lincoln L-2754 "6" Meter radio, by Allied?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Message-ID: <336652CB.1C48@gorge.net>
Source record: 176533
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello,
Have recently picked up this radio and would like any information you might have about it. It was apparently made by Allied Radio Corp. and is a Lincoln Model L-2754 "6" Meter Amateur Band Transceiver. Any info would be appreciated.
73
Tim,KC7QOM

2285. Looking For Trap Vert Plans.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Message-ID: <33661D27.1036@gorge.net>
Source record: 176534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello and thanks for your time.
I'm a techplus getting ready to upgrade to general and would like to attempt to build a trap vertical. Prefer roof mount, 10-15-20-40 meters. Prefer to build rather than buy as I enjoy the fruits of my own labors!.Hi Hi. Any help or advice would be appreciated.
73
Tim,KC7QOM

2286. Need Help With Hallicrafters S-38-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Message-ID: <33664F81.4F08@gorge.net>
Source record: 176535

Hello and thanks for your time. I just recently aquired a Hallicrafters S-38-C that needs some help. This will be my first attempt at restoration so would appreciate any input you have to offer. When the radio is plugged in it has a loud hum and nothing else. The volume/off switch will not turn it off and seems to have little effect on volume. Where should I start? appreciate any help.
73
Tim,KC7QOM

2287. FS list revised 4/29/97

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: whowell@ici.net
Message-ID: <5k3t8u$1nk$1@bashir.ici.net>
Source record: 176536

Stuff For Sale de N1IPQ
4/29/97

Icom 3AT 220 MHz handy talky w/ fast, drop in,
charger (battery dead), speaker mike (RS), ac pwr
plug in and header, $80

RF Concepts rfc 3-22 220 MHz amplifier,
relay sticks or needs sens. adjust, $70

Icom 3220H mobile dual band (440
xmtr needs work, rest excellent) that is, 440
rcv and 2M side work fine, $210.

AEA ISO LOOP HF antenna with computer control
option (IT-1) - this is the 'automatic, extra cost
gadget, all essentially unused, manuals,
$230 LOCAL ONLY or you pay packing

Icom AH3 remote auto tuner $215
Icom whip antenna for use with remote tuner
(worth getting IF you are local, with tuner, $20 PLUS PACKING)
(without tuner, $45 PLUS PACKING)

Comet 4 "stick" mobile HF antenna with 5th stick, unused, $75
B&W "Aptenna", HF antenna, new, in box, $30

(Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), MC-60A, $ 1100)
OR
(Kenwood TS50, HF xcvr, $650)

Radio Shack 144 / 440 swr / power meter, $20
Yaesu SWR & Power Meter YS-500

AEA PK 232 MBX, manual, two scratches on case $150

Data Precision DMM, uses 'nixies' works, but best for parts, $10
MFJ 945D, mobile tuner, slight improvements, $48
Various coax switches.....$various
QST large box, heavy, $20
(a real good deal, IF you live nearby.....)

The above prices are the lowest I can make them now.
For the while, they are firm.
All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA
whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872
or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

2288. Re: Jeep Wrangers and Antennas ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <33658AA4.15DB@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176537

sarastro@swbell.net wrote:
>
> Greetings. DE N5RXZ
>
> I am looking at getting a jeep wranger buta thought or two has
> crossed my mind. I run for a rural EMS service and I am also
> some what active in 2m/440 area and was wondering
> if there are any jeep wrangler owners out there who could
> advise on where you mounted your antennas and what kind
> you used? Obviously the magmount and glass mount
> for me isnt an option, at least I dont see where I would
> put them with a canvas top and all ..
> I would appreciate any advice...
>
> Thanks
>
> T Garland

TG, I'm amazed at the posts that I've seen where some guy gets a new Blazer, Bronco, CUCV, HUMV, or whatever, and cannot drill a hole in the damn thing. Do you remember Marlin Perkins riding in the Leyland Land Rover and the big ole rhino putting a gash in it? Today, well kept house wifes are driving Land Rovers to McDonalds to pick up happy meals for the t-ball team.
Get a drill and put a good stainless steel ball mount on the left rear side panel. Use any good antenna with a 3/8" x 24 thread.
Don't sweat your resale value, a jeep wrangler without a ball mount, well... you've got to wonder who owned it.
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

2289. Re: Jeep Wrangers and Antennas ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: banderso@eni.net
Message-ID: <MPG.dcf540b2cb56c4598968a@news.hlc.net>
Source record: 176538

In article <33641a0c.33713328@news.swbell.net>, sarastro@swbell.net
says...
> Greetings. DE N5RXZ
>
> you used? Obviously the magmount and glass mount
> for me isnt an option, at least I dont see where I would
> put them with a canvas top and all ..
> I would appreciate any advice...

On my convertable I place a glass mount antenna on the passenger
side, windshield. Worked great (and looked cool, too)
--
Barry Anderson K3SUI
Frederick, MD.
banderso@eni.net

2290. Re: Yaesu FT-920 FM Optional???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Baer <jmbaer@virtcity.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5481$ab319900$1044cecf@jbaer>
Source record: 176618

What do they care, if its a hot radio and you want it pay up, best thing to do is boycott it until they come around.
Jeff K8ZI

2291. WTB: 6 Meter Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsi@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <5k4aff$s1p@lal.interserv.com>
Source record: 176619

I am looking for an inexpensive 6 Meter transmitter (or transceiver).
It does not have to be high power - only need about 1 watt (voice, not CW)
I already have a 6 Meter receiver.
I don't want to spend more than $150.
Please email me directly if you know where I should look for one.

Thanks,
John N7MTB

2292. WTB: Yaesu FT-530 accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Theriault <gemlab@midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <01bc52f9$6ff51bc0$ac3175cc@gemlab>
Source record: 176620

Would like to purchase Yaesu GT-530 accessories: carrying case,
microphone-speaker controller, or what have you.

2293. Paddle for Electronic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince- ex: WV2RSX <WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net>;
Message-ID: <3365DDAC.28B8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176621

Recent addition to my station equipment is a Yaesu FT1000/d. I would consider buying a paddle to trigger the internal electronic keying circuit, but have little knowledge of what paddles are available.

I would like to hear a description of the differences between an iambic paddle, a squeeze paddle, and a paddle that is set up similiar to a Bug.

I have been using a Vibroplex Bug for many years. Which type of paddle would be easiest for me to learn after using a Bug for so long ?

What are typical prices for New/Used paddles of each type?

What are the names/websites of present-day manufacturers of keyer paddles ? I think they are Vibroplex and NYE. Any others of decent quality?

I have a spare Vibroplex Bug here; has anyone converted one for use as a keyer paddle?

Any opinions about the internal keying circuit of the FT1000/d ?

Tnx/73s/de Vince
QRV @ 7085kHz Baudot RTTY/CW

2294. WTB:: MFJ 432 Voice Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bert - ns4w <ns4w@tdsnet.com>
Message-ID: <3365BCD4.176@tdsnet.com>
Source record: 176622

Anyone got one to sell ?

Bert - NS4W
ns4w@tdsnet.com

2295. Need help for Selsyn (Selsing ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Bondoli <bondoli&campese@sira.it>
Message-ID: <01bc546a$282f8240$20c4b8c2@sbondoli.sira.it>
Source record: 176623

I need help to find the way to feed a couple of synchro
transmitter-receiver called Selsyn (or Selsing, I don't know).
Because I operate on microwaves bands, I need a high-precision indication
of where the antenna system is directed to.
Selsyn seems the best (and cheapest) way to do this, but the problem I have
is that those devices were made for military apparatus as they run with 90
Volts and 400 Hz: this data is printed on the outer jacket.
I've tried to feed them with 30 Volts at 50 Hz: the system seems
functioning but hasn't enough torque: the result is loss of precision and
worst of all no repeatitivity of the indication: in other words is
unusable. Arising the voltage results in hottening of the Selsyn and sure
in a burning of the device without improving torque.
Could someone help me to indicate the schematics or the project of a power
supply to produce the required voltage and frequency for my Selsyn or any
other way to use it ?

TNX in advance, IW4CFE.
e-mail to: bondoli&campese@sira.it

2296. Need help for Selsyn (Selsing ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alessandro Bondoli <bondoli&campese@sira.it>
Message-ID: <01bc547c$e709fa80$23c4b8c2@sbondoli.sira.it>
Source record: 176624

I need help to find the way to feed a couple of synchro
transmitter-receiver called Selsyn (or Selsing, I don't know).
Because I operate on microwaves bands, I need a high-precision indication
of where the antenna system is directed to.
Selsyn seems the best (and cheapest) way to do this, but the problem I
have
is that those devices were made for military apparatus as they run with 90
Volts and 400 Hz: this data is printed on the outer jacket.
I've tried to feed them with 30 Volts at 50 Hz: the system seems
functioning but hasn't enough torque: the result is loss of precision and
worst of all no repeatitivity of the indication: in other words is
unusable. Arising the voltage results in hottening of the Selsyn and sure
in a burning of the device without improving torque.
Could someone help me to indicate the schematics or the project of a power
supply to produce the required voltage and frequency for my Selsyn or any
other way to use it ?

TNX in advance, IW4CFE.
e-mail to: bondoli&campese@sira.it

2297. Re: Dealer Rippoff Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3365DEA4.608F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176625

So far I got 12 stories from hams who were "taken" by unscrupulous dealers. Funny though, I asked these guys to post to the Newsgroup and not to me. I will not repost for fear of legal recoarse from these bandits. If it was first had info I would have no problem. Come On Guys you are cowards. Post to the Newsgroup your true experiences.

73, Steven Hershman NS1R

2298. Re: Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Baer <jmbaer@virtcity.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5481$05b391e0$1044cecf@jbaer>
Source record: 176626

Saw a price of 1899.00 in the AES price database in their web site. Little higher than some of the articles that said based on the price in Japan it would have been 1300.00 - 1500.00. Still not avail. though. I want to see how much the 706 MK ll will be, I've been very happy with my 706.

Jeff Baer K8ZI

Tony T. Hwang <oolong@netcom.ca> wrote in article
<5k403g$49c@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>...
> Does anyone out there have some
> advance product info. on this model?
> Supposed to be introduced at Dayton.
> How does it compare to Kenwood TS-870D?
>
> TIA, 73
> Tony, VE6CGX
>

2299. Re: Yaesu FT-920 FM Optional???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3365DC4C.459@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176627

Jeffrey Baer wrote:
>
> What do they care, if its a hot radio and you want it pay up, best thing to
> do is boycott it until they come around.
> Jeff K8ZI

MY point is that if you saw a 2 meter fm radio that had CTCSS ENCODE
as an option you would would say that is crazy since all two meter radio
in the past 10 years include it at no extra charge. Yes some guys charge
you for DECODE.

2300. SP6T RF Switch Giveaway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: keng@techlock.com
Message-ID: <3365edf2.2651363@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 176628

This month's drawing, to be held on May 11, 1997, features SP6T
switches by RLC. We will be giving away
two of them, one each to two different winners. These switches have
SMA connectors, and work to 18 GHz.
The RLC model number is SR-6C-D-I. They operate from 28 VDC, and
include indicator circuitry.

http://www.techlock.com

Ken Gunton WB6QWF Microwave & RF Components
http://www.techlock.com Techlock Distributing
Phone 937-434-5078, Fax 937-434-5079

2301. WANTED: Manual for Heath HW-8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5k4rnu$qq7@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176629
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I need a manual for my Heath HW-8. May I borrow yours and make a
copy? I promise to treat it carefully, return it promptly, and
pay all postage costs both ways.

Thanks and 73!
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Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net
211 Addison Place
PO Box 328 Home: (817) 497-5365
Lake Dallas, Texas 75065-0328 Work: (972) 462-2033
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Amateur Radio K5DH, avid QRPer, CW operator, GlowBug builder, VE
Ford Mustang enthusiast ('66 coupe, '69 GT-350, '72 conv, '95 GT conv)
Die-cast model car collector (mainly Ford products, in all scales)
Plastic model car builder (mainly Ford products, 1:24 / 1:25 scale)
Glass insulator collector (specializing in "oddball" pieces)
. . . . . .

2302. Re: Icom 761 For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbclark@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <5k4ssobqc1@news10.gte.net>
Source record: 176630

In article <3363D528.2883@flash.net>, drg@flash.net says...
>
> Icom 761 HF rig for sale.very nice condition,face excellent but top of
> case has a couple small scratches.Manual included.Microphone is a Heil
> HM-10 dual element.Microphone sells for 140.00 new,will include Kenwood
> mic cord ($25.oo if bought seperately) will split shipping $950.oo for
> all.
>
> drg@flash.net
>
> Dave N5SNB
>

Dave,

May be interested, a photo and year purchased would help. I've owned this rig plus IC-781's, and miss this rig particularly. Please state mods and or filters, etc. I prefer one that hasn't been opened (no golden screwdriver techs) is a must. Reply to email address.

Bill KD6UN

2303. Re: Paddle for Electronic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ga19989@evax01.d51.lilly.com
Message-ID: <1997Apr29.080654.1@evax01.d51.lilly.com>
Source record: 176631

In article <3365DDAC.28B8@worldnet.att.net>, Vince- ex:WV2RSX <WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net> writes:
> Recent addition to my station equipment is a Yaesu FT1000/d. I would
> consider buying a paddle to trigger the internal electronic keying
> circuit, but have little knowledge of what paddles are available.

> What are typical prices for New/Used paddles of each type?
>
> What are the names/websites of present-day manufacturers of keyer
> paddles ? I think they are Vibroplex and NYE. Any others of decent
> quality?

I like the KENT and JONES keys... a little more expensive (OK, a LOT more expensive) than Bencher, but the feel and movement are excellent. I use my Kent iambic key with essentially ZERO gap, such that I need to only TOUCH the paddle to actuate it... and there's no arcing or accidental keying... really smooth. There is really no clicking or feel of any gap closure with the key.

The Jones is similar but more money... some of them are outright gorgeous keys with polished brass, but for the money the Kent (in kit form for less than 80 dollars I think) is a good deal. And since I have an opaque cover over my Kent to keep dust out, appearance is secondary any way.

If you want to go iambic at lowest dollar, get a couple of old J-38 straight keys and bolt them bottom-to-bottom through a metal plate, then bolt the plate to a chunk of steel. I did that in 1968 when I built my first iambic keyer (ten spider-type IC's and all I could do was iambic and dot injection!!! But it would handle the high keying voltage to my Heath Apache!!)

Of course, with J-38's being collectors items now, a prefabbed commercial key may be cheaper.

Mel KJ9C

2304. Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: f6flv@wanadoo.FR
Message-ID: <3365F9F0.1B22@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 176632

Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment
****

I have some trouble (CW-R mode only) with my IC706.

With the CW (not -R) mode, I can listen very well LSB stations.

But with the CW-R mode, I listen USB stations very badly and very weak :
The audiofrequency is very deep. If I try to listen a clear carrier, I
get 2 listening frequencies.

So, my CW-R mode seems to be out of adjustment.

Can anyone give me the component I have to adjust ?
And where is it on the board ? (Which board ?)
I do not have the technical manual.

Thanks,

mailto:f6flv@wanadoo.fr
my Home Page : http://perso.wanadoo.fr/f6flv/

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2305. Kenwood Dual Band 79ad - 4-$ale or Trade -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerald Rappaport <geraldr@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <geraldr-2904970957560001@user-37kb667.dialup.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176633

For Sale or Swap:

KENWOOD 79AH 2.5 watt batt

- leather case
- cig lighter plug
- rapid 2 batt charger
- ac adapter
- kenwood smc-34 speaker mic (w/ program buttons)
- kenwood vox headset (never opened)
- mirage 35 watt amp
- miracle baby antenna
- regular stock kenwood rubber duckie

Everything has manuals, box and warranty cards that I didn't send in.

I have over $700.00 invested and DO NOT want to split up the lot.

--TRADE for HF xceiver , all mode 2m, etc... send me whatcha got --

WOULD LOVE TO FIND A DX-70T or 706 <== will add some cash of course

Gerald Rappaport - KF4KFD
http:/qsl.net/kf4kfd/index.html

2306. FT-51 cross band repeat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwm3@psu.edu
Message-ID: <cwm3.15.007CC050@psu.edu>
Source record: 176634

Hi FT-51 users and other interested and knowledgeable parties.

I recently acquired a Yaesu FT-51 and am acquainting myself with it features. I think I have most of it figured out but have been unable to make the cross band repeat function work as described in the manual.

Recalling all memories and using the upper and lower frquency limit memories for scanning band segments does not work as described in the manual but some playing around revealed the corrrect combination of keys to make them work. I'm guessing that the manual does not quite jive with the way the CPU is programmed and the same could be true of the cross band repeat function.

Anybody have any clues?

73, Chuck - K3CM
email cwm3@psu.edu
packet k3cm@w3ya.#cen.pa.usa.noam

2307. FS: vacuum variable capacitors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: eea101@psu.edu
Message-ID: <eea101.1.000F0F0C@psu.edu>
Source record: 176635

I have four vacuum variable capacitors for sale. Tested

Dolinko & Wilkens VVC 300-42-15 (15-300pF @ 15kV ?) 2 each

Dolinko & Wilkens VVC 500-42-10 (25-500pF @ 10kV ?)

Jennings 25-500 pF @ 10 kV

$125.00 each

E. Allison eea101@psu.edu

2308. Re: FT-50R to TNC Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles W. Baetsen" <charlesb@abelcomputers.com.nontsendcrap>
Message-ID: <01bc54a9$6c9128f0$4b75e1cc@charlesb>
Source record: 176636

Actually there is a place in Alabama that sells the cable for $7.00 US.
Their address is :

RT Systems
8207 Stephanie Drive
Huntsville, AL 35802
PH: (205) 882-9292

Charles...

Dave Martindale <davem@cs.ubc.ca> wrote in article
<5k2ns1$8le@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>...
> morris@unc.edu (Joe Morris) writes:
> >Other suggestions connecting my HT to the TNC?
>
> Yaesu sells an adapter from the 4-conductor plug on the side of the
> radio to standard separate speaker and mike jacks. You should be able
> to use standard 3.5 mm and 2.5 mm plugs at that point - same as you
> would used for most transceivers.
>
> Dave
>

2309. setup YAESU FT-2500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Suphote Savetmalanond <suphote@cs1.crma.ac.th>
Message-ID: <336619F0.310E@cs1.crma.ac.th>
Source record: 176637

Hi all,

I've lost my YAESU FT-2500M *instruction*.Can anyone help me set it up.

Thank again,

suphote
suphote@cs1.crma.ac.th

2310. Info on Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bmcguire@gtionline.com
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.862330245.24716.Bob@norw-mcguireb>
Source record: 176638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings all.

Anyone got info on the new Kenwood TM-V7A dualbander?

What are the specs?

Any info appreciated.

Thanks,

73 Bob W1TI
bmcguire@gtionline.com or
w1ti@juno.com

2311. WTB: VTVM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33664936.652C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176639

Looking for a Vacuum Tube Volt Meter. Must be working condition.

73 de Ron, WA1UWZ

2312. Re: Paddle for Electronic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince- ex: WV2RSX <WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net>;
Message-ID: <33661DDF.5545@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176640

Jim:

Thanks for expressing your opinion and for the information.

Im not sure if iambic and squeeze keys are the same thing ? So far no one has described the differences.

But, I am also not convinced that I want to get a paddle of any kind hr. The fact that I now have a radio with internal keyer circuit is about the only motivation. For my max speed of approx 30wpm, I would use my computer keyboard for sending machine morse code. I hope that is not a sin ! Or, struggle to keep up with the Vibroplex Bug, which I bought in December 1961, and hopefully not tire out. I like to rag chew, and an hour of QSO is what I would prefer over a 25 min wx es rig report.

Thanks again.

73s/ciao/de Vince

2313. Re: Paddle for Electronic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Parsons <k5rov1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33660D95.7BD6@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176641

Vince- ex:WV2RSX wrote:
>
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> consider buying a paddle to trigger the internal electronic keying
> circuit, but have little knowledge of what paddles are available.
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> paddle, a squeeze paddle, and a paddle that is set up similiar to a Bug.
>
> I have been using a Vibroplex Bug for many years. Which type of paddle
> would be easiest for me to learn after using a Bug for so long ?
>
> What are typical prices for New/Used paddles of each type?
>
> What are the names/websites of present-day manufacturers of keyer
> paddles ? I think they are Vibroplex and NYE. Any others of decent
> quality?
>
> I have a spare Vibroplex Bug here; has anyone converted one for use as a
> keyer paddle?
>
> Any opinions about the internal keying circuit of the FT1000/d ?
>
> Tnx/73s/de Vince
> QRV @ 7085kHz Baudot RTTY/CW

First, I won't tell you the differences between the different keyers and paddles..you will get many replies to that question. I will tell you that I also use a Yaesu FT-1000, along with other rigs I have. However, I prefer an external keyer, and use the CMOS III and CMOS III units.

There are many keys available, and all have advantages and disadvantages. But, I can tell you that if you are used to a Vibroplex bug, you just can't beat the Vibroplex Vibrokeyer. It looks like a bug, and feels like one, except you don't make your own dots and dashes; the keyer does that. But the feel is just like your bug, so the transition is very easy. They also make an iambic key, which I found impossible to learn after so many years using a bug. But, on the other hand, many of my friends made the change with no trouble at all. I guess its up to the individual. These keys sell used for about 65 dollars, depending on condition, And new for around 130 dollars. The are usually availble on the newsgroups. I have three of them, and love them. I also have some other keys, but for me, an old Vibroplex bug user, they just don't have the feel I like.

These are just my own opinions. They are not necessarily right or wrong,
just right for me....and maybe you.

Best 73..

Jim
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James (Jim), Parsons, K5ROV USAF, Ret.
k5rov1@worldnet.att.net
EX: W1RLA, K5FBB, K4FEO, SV0WN (CRETE), SV0WN (RHODES),
DL4NC, DL4JP, KA2FC (JAPAN), KA2JP (JAPAN).
JOHN 3:16

2314. Tower extension

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bsmith@dhc-sunmed.com
Message-ID: <862330966.2239@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm looking for an extension kit for my AB 577/GRC tower. I think the kit # is MK-806/GRC. If anyone knows where I can get one or one like it, please post and/or e-mail a reply. Thanks! -Bill

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2315. Yaesu FTV700 info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Webb <swebb@mail.bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc54bb$aada9300$1599d4cd@swebb.bright.net>
Source record: 176643

I am looking for someone with a copy of the manual for a Yaesu FTV700
vhf/uhf
transverter. I either need a copy of it or have a few questions answered.

Please reply by e-mail...Thanks
Steve N8DIX
swebb@bright.net

2316. Re: Paddle for Electronic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <862332424snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176644

In article <33661DDF.5545@worldnet.att.net>
WA2RSX_exWV2RSX "Vince- ex:WV2RSX" writes:

> Im not sure if iambic and squeeze keys are the same thing ? So far no
> one has described the differences.

They are not the same but they are usually connected and used
together. The squeeze key is a hand operated unit with two switches
each operated by one of two horizonally opposing paddle arms. An
iambic keyer is an electronic device that is controlled by a squeeze
key. The term iambic describes how the keyer behaves when the key is
squeezed, i.e. when both switches are closed at the same time.

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

2317. Looking For Kenwood HC-10 World Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2wb23@ibm.NET
Message-ID: <3366294D.6BA7@ibm.net>
Source record: 176645

Looking for Kenwood World Clock Model HC-10.
Working or non-working. PLEASE E-MAIL TO
n2wb232ibm.net
73, Bill/N2WB

2318. KPC-3 with ver 6.0 firmware wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
Message-ID: <5k5a6j$jrj@news1.sjc.in.sel.sony.com>
Source record: 176646

Looking for a used KPC-3 with version 6.0 firmware. Let me know your asking price.

73, W2UA
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Jeff W2UA/6
reply to: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
phone: (408) 955-4116

2319. Re: GLB450B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray LaRue <raylarue@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5k5a7c$ni5$2@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 176647

MJFeeney wrote:
>
> Anyone have a schematic or other info on GLB 450B Synthesizer ?
>
> tnx es 73 de K1OYB

I'd like one to, if anyone can respond.
73,
Ray, W4BYG

2320. WTB rack panels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvr@pclink.com
Message-ID: <3365e24e.1392245@news.protocom.com>
Source record: 176648

Hi, I want to buy some used 19" rack panels, perforated or solid.
Let me know what you have. Might also be able to use some rack
shelfs.

Thanks!

2321. Re: Need help for Selsyn (Selsing ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33663186.7430850@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176649

On 29 Apr 1997 09:08:31 GMT, "Alessandro Bondoli" <bondoli&campese@sira.it> wrote:
>
> I need help to find the way to feed a couple of synchro
> transmitter-receiver called Selsyn (or Selsing, I don't know).
> Because I operate on microwaves bands, I need a high-precision indication
> of where the antenna system is directed to.
> Selsyn seems the best (and cheapest) way to do this, but the problem I
>have
> is that those devices were made for military apparatus as they run with 90
> Volts and 400 Hz: this data is printed on the outer jacket.
> I've tried to feed them with 30 Volts at 50 Hz: the system seems
> functioning but hasn't enough torque: the result is loss of precision and
> worst of all no repeatitivity of the indication: in other words is
> unusable. Arising the voltage results in hottening of the Selsyn and sure
> in a burning of the device without improving torque.
> Could someone help me to indicate the schematics or the project of a power
> supply to produce the required voltage and frequency for my Selsyn or any
> other way to use it ?
>
> TNX in advance, IW4CFE.
> e-mail to: bondoli&campese@sira.it

It is important to observe the frequency specification of these units. They
won't work properly at 50 Hz (as you've discovered). You need to feed them
400 Hz power. They also like a nice clean sinewave, so a crude inverter isn't
a good idea. Since you only need enough torque to move a pointer, you can
construct a power oscillator to operate these units at 90 VAC 400 Hz. A
standard audio oscillator circuit, such as a Wien Bridge circuit, will do fine.
Use an audio power transistor for the oscillator (a 2N3055 should work).

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2322. Re: GE Phoenix SX Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Nicholson <csnichol@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <33663695.2BD2@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 176650

Paul Larson wrote:
>
> I need some info on programming the VHF & UHF GE Phoenix SX 2 channel
> radios for the ham bands....if it's possible that is.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Paul-WA7PXD Paul, I use several of them on the ham bands. They will program without any tricks using the GE suitcase programmer. You may have to touch up the front end tuning for the best sensitivity, that should be it.
73 Chris N9LLO

2323. setup YAESU FT-2500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Suphote Savetmalanond <suphote@cs1.crma.ac.th>
Message-ID: <336618E1.3893@cs1.crma.ac.th>
Source record: 176651

Hi,

I've lost my Yaesu FT-2500M mobile.Anyone can help me up.

Thanks.

HS1IEL
suphote@cs1.crma.ac.th

2324. Re: Icom IC-551 option boards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@starpoint.net>
Message-ID: <336613C6.284F@starpoint.net>
Source record: 176652

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On 28 Apr 1997 23:41:40 GMT, jgarver@ichips.intel.com (Jim Garver)
> wrote:
>
> >Well, I have the VOX, PBT, and now the NB, but the FM is going to take more
> >than adding a wire. I don't really need it anyway, I guess.
>
> FM was a seperate board, EX-106 I think. It is long out of
> production and no longer available from ICOM.
>
> >Say, do you know where I can get the 430 Mhz version, the IC-451? Then I
> >would have all three.
>
> The IC-451 was a 430 to 440 Mhz radio. You could change it to cover
> 440 to 450 Mhz by changing some crystals and IF transformers. The
> IC- 451 will not cover the entire 430 to 450 MHz range though.
>
> Gary
>
> >jgarver@ichips.intel.com K7YO I don't speak for Intel
>
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

I could use a 451 also, would look nice with my 551 & 251a
Mark

2325. Re: Need help for Selsyn (Selsing ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: a313@Lehigh.EDU
Message-ID: <5k5ggh$33cc@ns1-1.CC.Lehigh.EDU>
Source record: 176653

These units typically have three phase windings which generate error voltages
and cause one unit to follow the other. Winding inductance varies directly
with frequency. By running 50 cycle voltage , the impedence of the windings is
drastically reduced. You are probably avoiding a smoke test with the reduced
voltage. Also you are loosing the torque output.

73's Dick K8WHA

In article <33663186.7430850@news.atl.bellsouth.net>, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary
Coffman) writes:
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>Use an audio power transistor for the oscillator (a 2N3055 should work).
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>534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or

>Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org
>

2326. FS: Standard C228A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <ssable@tdi.net>
Message-ID: <336647A4.29CA3230@tdi.net>
Source record: 176654

2m/220mhz HT. Come with standard battery pack and CNB153.
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(ssable@tdi.net)
http://www.tdi.net/ssable
N8NYU

2327. F.S. - Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rog42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970429202800.QAA27928@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176655

FOR SALE: Tubes, test equipment, radios including Hallicrafters, Hammarlund, and Philco. Large selection of radio related publications. Schematics for many radios just $1. Tube Manuals, Tube Substitution books, Service Manuals, QST magazines, much more. Now over 1550 different tube types in stock - E-mail Rog42@aol.com and ask for my latest RADIO list - #426-T.

2328. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: NewsRadio <jmckay@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <33665AFB.5CEF@interlog.com>
Source record: 176656
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Burt Fisher wrote:
>
> FCC Expected to Unveil Plans For Two Airwave Auctions
>
> WASHINGTON -- Federal regulators are expected this week
> to set plans for two long-awaited auctions of valuable airwaves,
> including one for an emerging wireless technology that could bring new
> competition to the local-telephone and cable-television businesses.This service was recently licenced to three Canada wide companies..Cellularvision, Regionalvision, and Maxlink (Digitalvision). The network is a cellular point to point system operating in the 28 Ghz range and is designed to provide bi-directional telecom, cable tv, videoconferencing, and internet/data services to homes and businesses. Each of the three companies in Canada has a licence for a 500Mhz band. As of today, two test "cell" sites are operating in the Metro Toronto area. The system is based on the NY City "Cellularvision" technology, which has been in use in NYC for a few years now to deliver wireless cable tv (MMDS) service. This does not, in any way, affect the ham bands.

John Mckay
VE3OBP

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The Canadian Broadcast Directory
and Broadcast Engineering Page:
http://www.interlog.com/~jmckay
Southern Ontario Storm Chasers/Canwarn Page:
http://www.interlog.com/~jmckay/chaser.htm

2329. MICOR RPTRS HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33667757.61AE@erols.com>
Source record: 176657

In the course of message exchanges concerning our problem with the Motorola Micor VHF repeaters my system crashed and I am missing a particular message and it's associated Email address.

Will the individual from the NASA Goddard Club, (I believe it was a club affiliated member), who offered use of a spectrum analyzer please contact me again. We are most interested in trying to pindown the intermod and your assistance would be greatly appreciated. Sorry for inconvenience. 73 Murray K3BEQ
mgreen@erols.com

2330. Re: Info on Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kender@wwa.com
Message-ID: <5k5qhr$lm3$1@kirin.wwa.com>
Source record: 176658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

bmcguire@gtionline.com wrote:

: Greetings all.

: Anyone got info on the new Kenwood TM-V7A dualbander?

: What are the specs?

I'm hoping someone here has mods too.. :) Great radio, isn't it? :)

-Kendall

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-Kendall Jung 0- http://shoga.wwa.com/~kender O- kender@wwa.com
=World Wide Access Modem Technician, Chicago, Illinois
-Office: (312)803-9921 Fax: (312)803-9923
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2331. Yaesu FT-51R Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Hong <jim@futurevision.net>
Message-ID: <33667490.6AF7@futurevision.net>
Source record: 176659

I am looking for the 800Mhz RX mod for the Yaesu FT-51R. If you have any information please e-mail me at jim@futurevision.net

Thanks in advance.

Jim Hong KA8ZGP

2332. FS: Kenwood TK-330 UHF HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970429224801.SAA08877@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176660

For sale: Kenwood TK-330 10 channel UHF commercial handi-talkie. Radio is programmable and comes with speaker/mic, drop-in charger, metal porta clip, high capacity battery pack, and antenna. Radio recently checked and aligned by Kenwood technician. Used very little and in great condition.....$225.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

2333. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <5k5tn1$dl2@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 176661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150
148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is
offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal
Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. You
can also get Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone
(800)972-3226.

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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2334. Yeasu ft211

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: tmetz@orednet.org
Message-ID: <5k5k37$kte@ednet2.orednet.org>
Source record: 176662

I have a friend who has what I think he said was a FT211 all mode
2 meter he said it only run 146 and 147 and wondered if there there
were mods to expand the unit to 144 to 147?

Tom Metz
E-Mail
tmetz@orednet.org

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KA7CYA .... ..
Tom Metz @ Oregon ED-Net tmetz@orednet.org
7140 SW MacAdam Ave, Suite 260 (503) 293-1991
Portland, OR 97219-3013 Fax: (503) 293-1989

2335. ICOM IC-751A - Will this do what I want?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Smith <jason@ciren.co.uk>
Message-ID: <33667BE4.5DAB@ciren.co.uk>
Source record: 176663

I would like to be able to listen to airband? traffic including ATC/Pilot dialogue and other aviation services in the UK.

I have the opportunity to buy an ICOM IC-751A transceiver, and all the bits that go with it to make it work, extremely cheaply - but I need to make a decision quickly and I know very little about HAM radio at the moment.

Is this equipment suitable to receive these transmissions?

Many Thanks

Jason Smith (jason@ciren.co.uk)

2336. Best Software For Kenwood TS-850?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970429235300.TAA14029@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176664

I would like opinions on what is the best software to control the Kenwood TS-850. What do you like/dislike about the software that you have? Where is it available from? Any info on the above will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

2337. Matching Radios (was Re: Icom IC-551 option boards)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2904970803490001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 176665

In article <336613C6.284F@starpoint.net>, kb0pyo@starpoint.net wrote:
>I could use a 451 also, would look nice with my 551 & 251a

Speaking of matching sets, I have an ICOM IC-271 and IC-471. Is there
another radio in this series?

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

2338. FS: Icom T7a bualband ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc7ljq@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <862357572.24208@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello Everyone,

I have for sale an Icom T7-A dualband handheld. It is five months old and is excelent condition. Comes with 3 watt battery, duck, charger, manual, and box. This unit will RX: 50-199, 300-399, 400-599, 600-999 mhz. (Cell phone blocked though) :(Also, the TX has been expanded. I will also throw in the softcase. ($30 value)

This is a good radio, but I am selling it because I want a dualbander w/ 2 vfo's. You can be the new owner for $300 + shipping from Montana.

Thanks,
Adam / kc7ljq@hotmail.com

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2339. FS Kenwood TS 950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: geoff@meadows.avel.co.uk
Message-ID: <5k2ug2$v12@cave.hiway.co.uk>
Source record: 176702

Kenwood TS 950 SD for sale 4 years old in excellent condition
�1200 ukp

2340. FS: Heath SB-220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjm@totcon.com
Message-ID: <5k3018$h78@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 176703

Heathkit SB-220 in very good working and good cosmrtic condition with copy of manual. Tubes are 2 Eimac 3-500z will tune 1000 watts / 1500+ PEP. with 75w drive. Will ship cont.US for $625

2341. Re: DESPERATE ! For compression trimmer source.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: J M Noeding <la8ak@online.no>
Message-ID: <33651ECF.508A@online.no>
Source record: 176704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave.rec.radio.swap

michael silva wrote:
>
> In <0MMSeIAVMMZzEw6g@two-way.demon.co.uk> philip de cadenet
> <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk> writes:
>
> >I do like the sense of humour in teaching the population of this ng
> >the difference between nf & pf!
>
> Well, it's taken us long enough to stop thinking uuF, and now it's
> these funny nFs -- where will it all end? However, I'm sure I speak
> for all Americans in saying we promise to start using nF if you all
> will promise to start drawing your resistor symbols correctly instead
> of as those little boxes. Deal?
>
> 73,
> Mike, KK6GM
>
> p.s. :) :)
or you go back to mmf, Meg and M=1000 ??
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OPR.: Jan-Martin Noeding - LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 KristiansandS
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2342. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greeby@onramp.net
Message-ID: <5k3fkc$rsn@newnews.onramp.net>
Source record: 176705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <5k33va$p7g@newnews.onramp.net>, Greeby@onramp.net (Jeff Halapin) wrote:
\Could someone open up thier QST magazine and e-mail me the phone number for
\the Code Quick folks?
\
\I just joined ARRL and have not gotten my first issue of QST yet.

Okay, I got the info and the tapes are on the way :)

73

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Jeff Halapin
greeby@onramp.net
KD5ACY
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2343. Standards on-line?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Bailey <wm8s@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5437$646b0140$707e65ce@wm8s-1>
Source record: 176706
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.ra

Working on a baseband sub-processor for killer homebrew rig and need some help: I know of the following commonly used signalling formats - are there others? Especially looking for formats that are public or at least published somewhere. The following list contains lots of (R), TM, etc. - ownership as applicable where not noted:

Continuous Tone Coded Squelch System (CTCSS)
Digital Coded Squelch (DCS)
Single Frequency, Two-tone Sequential like
Motorola Modified General Encoding Code Plan
Motorola General Encoding Code Plan
Motorola Code Type Assignment Method
Metro-Page 10 and 100 Code Plan
Motorola Sub-Audible Code Plan
Modax / Moden / Alert Center Code Plan
GE Code Plan
Quick Call (Code Type Y)
Decimal Digital (5/6) Paging
HF AIRINC SELCAL 2+2 Paging (aviation)
DTMF Code Squelch / ANI
DTMF Paging (the nnn*mmm kind mostly amateurs use)
DTMF Messaging (the Kenwood kind; anybody know if it's on-line anywhere?)
ASCII ANI
Trunked - Motorola
Trunked - Logical Trunked Radio (LTR-E J Johnson)
Trunked - EDACS (GE)
Trunked - SmarTrunk
Single-frequency Inversion
Split-band Frequency Inversion
CODEC means, like Moto ASTRO, SecureNet, GE SecureGuard, etc.
AX.25 Packet (HF, VHF, 9600 baud)
RTTY (all modes, shifts, etc.)
CW (A1 and A2)
SSTV (all modes)
Digital Selective Calling (maritime)
Emergency Alert System (new) and EBS (old)
IMTS (is this still on the air anywhere?)
Station control tones like
Non-Simulcast Key Command Function Tones
Simulcast Key Command Function Tones
Station Group Disable (Knock-down) Tones
The International Radiotelegraph Alarm (maritime)

The International Radiotelephone Alarm (maritime)
Class A/B EPIRB Sweep Alarm

Thanks!

73 de Rob wm8s@pobox.com

2344. Re: Icom IC-551 option boards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33657cc9.14000223@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176707

On 28 Apr 1997 23:41:40 GMT, jgarver@ichips.intel.com (Jim Garver)
wrote:

>Well, I have the VOX, PBT, and now the NB, but the FM is going to take more
>than adding a wire. I don't really need it anyway, I guess.

FM was a seperate board, EX-106 I think. It is long out of
production and no longer available from ICOM.

>Say, do you know where I can get the 430 Mhz version, the IC-451? Then I
>would have all three.

The IC-451 was a 430 to 440 Mhz radio. You could change it to cover
440 to 450 Mhz by changing some crystals and IF transformers. The
IC- 451 will not cover the entire 430 to 450 MHz range though.

Gary

>jgarver@ichips.intel.com K7YO I don't speak for Intel

THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2345. Re: Looking for 2M/70cm Hand Held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb6ojs@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <33665266.5669399@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 176708
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.amtor,alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 27 Apr 1997 19:48:51 GMT, masa@writeme.com (Masa) wrote:

>I have two things that I am looking for:
>
>1. min 2.5W output 2M/70cm dual band hand held (under $250. newer is
>better. must be functioning properly.) the information for 70cm
>only hand held is also welcome.

Just about any HT is going to do the job for you, based on your description. You can probably get a Yaesu FT-470 used for that price, probably with some extra accessories. I have one and it works great.

>2. Packet Terminal Controller (for Pentium IBM Compatible PC. 1200bps
>minimum; perferbly 2400bps or more. under $100)

Check out the Kantronics KPC-3. It's only going to give you 1200 baud but it is small, works off a 9v battery if need be, has a mailbox, etc.

>Also I would like to know a good store for hand helds or packet
>terminals.

Ham Radio Outlet. Hands-down my favorite place to shop.

2346. Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5k403g$49c@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 176709

Does anyone out there have some
advance product info. on this model?
Supposed to be introduced at Dayton.
How does it compare to Kenwood TS-870D?

TIA, 73
Tony, VE6CGX

2347. Re: Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Ayres-Sevier <casevier@ka7syc.reno.nv.us>
Message-ID: <01bc544d$ec8cd9c0$efa25ecc@KA7SYC.reno.nv.us>
Source record: 176710

Yeh, Radio Shack is an easy target. But that's not the fault of the customer; they don't staff it, stock it, or own it. Myself I wasn't "expecting" anything... I >hoping<, I seem to remember is the word I used. But that said, I really do understand the frustration of the poor underpaid guys on the floor, though, because often they are as unsupported by their company as are their customers. And this is not customer service. And it is the lack of customer service, no matter at what level it enters the picture, that produces a no-win situation.

Simply dumbing down customer satisfaction to the lowest Troglodite who walks in the door doesn't excuse the store's many failings, but it's a point well taken. If Radio Shack is just a general consumer electronics retailer, which is what I thought they were, then it shouldn't say, "Hey! We're now serving the amateur radio market as well!" Which is what they seemed to indicate with releasing and advertising the HTX-204 amateur radio transceiver.

But I realize it's just a perspective thing and not all stores are as dumbfounding as the ones in my area (and I seem to remember my original post shamelessly referring to personal prejudice, i.e., mine). But nonetheless, I myself very much appreciate your counterpoint.

Indeed, this week's NewsLine just reported the recall tonight, calling the HTX now "a collector's item." That's kind of pushing it (what it is this, the HTX-204 Renoir?), but the commentators of NewsLine have never been known for their droll understatement. The reason, they reported, is RS is now in a deep -- what's the phrase? -- legal embarrassment.

If anyone's missed it, they said the reasons were twofold: 1.) seems the radio can indeed be "easily" modified to illegally transmit on >any< of the very nice wide range of frequencies it receives [that's what >they< said; that's now what >I'm< saying] and, here come the other shoe, they said there was a blatant contractual violation wherein it was to be of a distinctive design (it was in virtually every respect almost an exact copy of the ADI model, which I pointed out in my original post and in a message to Radio Shack).

And they just now noticed?

Yikes.
--
Craig Ayres-Sevier
casevier@ka7syc.reno.nv.us

2348. FS: ICOM UHF 16 CHANNEL U-16 HANDYTALKY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970429055000.BAA14752@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176711

HELLO TO ALL....I HAVE A WELL USED BUT STILL STRONG ICOM U-16 HT FOR SALE. COMES WITH TWO LARGE AND RELATIVELY UNUSED BATTERIES, MANUAL, SPEAKER MIKE, AUTO POWER CORD, CLONING/PROGRAMMING CORD/ALKALINE BATTERY CASE, RUBBER DUCKIE, ETC.
MY PRICE IS 275.00 DELIVERED. YOU CAN REACH ME AT cmsakir@aol.com or 520-323-1120. THANKS AND 73 DE N7IOK, CLYDE IN TUCSON,AZ.

2349. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: glenq@NOSPAMcyberhighway.net
Message-ID: <33836871.32310975@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 176712
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Burt Fisher <burt@rocketmail.com> wrote:

>DX what a wonderful world enriching way.
>ur 59 repeat all, QSL via buro.
>Gee it is better than sex?

Since you appear to have experience with the DX part, I'm guessing
it's the sex part for which you lack sufficient data to make the
comparison.
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glenq@cyberhighway.net
WB7DOW @ KB7CFD.ID.USA.NOAM

2350. FS: Kenwood TS-120S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <3366159B.4219@polarnet.com>
Source record: 176713

Must sell. HF rig ham bands only.
Comes with desk mic, hand mic, DC power cord, manuals and schematics.

Radio is in perfect condition.

Asking $400.00 money orders only. I pay shipping.

If interested please e'mail me at.....
beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thanks,
Charles

2351. FS: PALOMAR PEAK READING WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970429054201.BAA14203@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176714

HELLO TO ALL...I HAVE A NEARLY PERFECT MODEL M-827 PALOMAR PEAK READING WATTMETER FOR SALE. RANGES ARE 20-200-2000 FORWARD POWER ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE PANEL AND SWR ON THE LEFT SIDE. YOU GET PEAK POWER AND SWR AT THE SAME TIME. NO MANUAL. CHECKS OUT WELL AGAINST MY BIRD. PRICE IS 75.00 DELIVERED. CONTACT ME HERE AT cmsakir@aol.com or 520-323-1120. THANKS AND 73 DE N7IOK, CLYDE IN TUCSON, AZ.

2352. Re: TS-850 Software?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Gilhuly <brian@synapse.net>
Message-ID: <01bc543b$27ef9e70$6d3454c7@finn>
Source record: 176715

You can check out Kentrol for the 850 at the Web address below.

73 de Brian

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Brian Gilhuly VE3BGB Kentrol Software Web Site:

http://www.synapse.net/~kentrol/
e-mail:
brian@synapse.net

ZaaX <zaax@aol.com> wrote in article
<19970428123401.IAA29125@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> Does anyone out there know who makes software for use with the Kenwood
> TS-850? Also, if you are currently using any software for this rig what
> brand
> are you using and what do you like/dilike about it? Any info will be
> greatly
> appreciated.
>
> 73 Zack Schindler
> N8FNR
>

2353. FS: Get on packet for $25. No joke.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobra295@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5k3hs9$6r3@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Packet setup for $25

I have for sale a Bell 202 modem, plus all the parts
and instructions to put this on the air for packet
use. It works much like the new BayComm modems, and
in fact uses the same software. The modem is external
and plugs into the wall. All parts are included to
wire your HT or mobile radio. Basically, the only
thing you have to do is create the cable to go from
the modem to the radio using the supplied components
to detect the PTT and feed the audio. Also a regular
old 25pin cable is needed for between the computer
and the modem. You don't need to be an EE to figure
out this little homebrew project, but a simple knowledge
of soldering, etc. is suggested. A good amount of literature is
included with articles from ham radio magazines as well as
schematics on how to make the patch cable. I'm
reselling this item as I bought it myself a few months
ago for the same price. I plugged in the modem to the
wall, and it turns on and appears to work fine. After
I received the equipment, I never got the chance to
make the cable and get it on the air since. At this
point, my packet connections on the radio are being
used by an autopatch, so I don't really have the means
to use this item conveniently. It can't compete with
high-end TNC's, but hopefully someone else
can use it to get started on packet for a low price.
Included is the software, modem, parts, literature, and
schematics. I ship only USPS, and only in the CONUS
with a prepaid USPS MO. If you would like to purchase
or have a question, please email reply me. Thanks.

2354. FS: RCA Series 700 40 Watt Mobile Radios - GET ON 6 Meters REAL CHEAP! -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <862457107.28495@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

FS: RCA Series 700 (40 Watt) 6 Meter Mobile Radios
GET ON 6 CHEAP!

RCA Series 700 Low Band Mobile Radio High Split (42-50 MHz)

FULLY SOLID-STATE Commercial FM Transceiver. 4 Frequency,
Can be converted to 6 Meter Operation (see conversion instructions on
http://www.3dnet.com/mike/radio.htm). 1 set of Channel Elements, tuning
instructions and
interconnection schematic diagram included.

CONDITION: Very Good, sold as-is, no accessories.

RCA Series 700 (40 Watts) ....$40 ea
Have 5 Available.

Extra Set of Channel Elements (Rx and Tx).....$5
QC Deck (CTCSS) without vibrosend/sponders (uses Motorola
type), installed or separate.....$10

Prices do not include shipping.
Send Zip code for shipping estimate.

Mike Nowlen, WB4UKB
mnowlen@cwi.net
703-716-1363
No calls after 10PM Eastern please.
Answering machine picks up on 4th ring.

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2355. FS: RCA TAC200 and TAC300 6 Meter Mobile Transceivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <862457351.28657@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: RCA TAC 300 Low Band Mobile Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz)

FULLY SOLID-STATE Dash Mount Commercial FM Transceiver. 2 Frequency,
Crystal Controlled. Converted to 6 Meter Operation. Tuned to 52.525 MHz
50 Watt transmit. Dash Mount is good for base station operation with 12
volt Power supply. 2 available.
10 lbs......$75 (without crystals) Plus shipping charges
52.525 Crystal Set for TAC300: $20 (1 set available)
52.525 RX Crystal for TAC 300: $10 (1 available)

FS: RCA TAC 200 Low Band Mobile Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz)

FULLY SOLID-STATE Commercial FM Transceiver. 6 Frequency, Crystal
Controlled. Can be converted to 6 Meter Operation.
100 Watt transmit. Excellent specs.
Complete with Control Head, Microphone, Cable, 1 set of channel
elements and FULL ORIGINAL MANUAL. 25 lbs.
$125 Plus shipping charges

UPS/COD or Prepaid
Include zip code for shipping estimate

Mike Nowlen, WB4UKB
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703-716-1363

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2356. FS: RCA 700 6 Meter 40 Watt Table Top Base Station Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <862457625.28850@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: 6 Meter Base Station Radios RCA Series 700 Low Band Table Top Base Station Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz)

FULLY SOLID-STATE Commercial FM Transceiver, 40 Watts, Operates on 120 VAC, 2 frequency (easily converted to 4 frequency). Converted to 6 Meter Operation. Tuned to 52.525 MHz (crystals not included). With integrated speaker, desk microphone, 2 sets of Channel Elements, QC Deck (CTCSS) without vibrosend/sponders (uses Motorola type). Tuning instructions included.

CONDITION: Very Good. Removed from service. Checked and Working. Converted to 6 meter Amateur Band.
RCA Series 700 Base Station .....$125 ea (2 available)

Extra Sets (Rx and Tx) of Channel Element.....$5

PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE SHIPPING.
Send Zip code for shipping estimate.

Mike Nowlen, WB4UKB
mnowlen@cwi.net
703-716-1363
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2357. FS: RCA Series 1000, 100 Watt 6 Meter Mobile Radio w/2ch Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <862458885.29740@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: RCA Series 1000, 100Watt 6 Meter Mobile Radios w/2Freq Scan

Monitor simplex and the repeater at the same time. FULLY SOLID-STATE
Commercial FM Transceiver. 2 Frequency Scan, Converted to 6 Meter
Operation. Tuned to 52.525 MHz (crystals not included).

Comes complete with :

- Control Head with speaker
- Microphone
- 2 sets of Channel Elements
- QC Deck (CTCSS) without vibrosend/sponders (uses Motorola type)
- Tuning instructions and interconnection schematic diagram

CONDITION: Very Good. Removed from service. Checked and Working.
Converted to 6 meter Amateur Band.

RCA Series 1000 (100 Watts) 2 Channel Scan.................$95

Does not include shipping.
Send Zip code for shipping estimate.

Mike Nowlen, WB4UKB
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2358. Suggestions for building the Ten Tec 9-band Rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <3367B4F5.687A@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Source record: 176472

I'm about to build my Ten Tec 9-band Receiver Kit. I'm planning on following the assembly manual word for word. Did anyone have any trouble putting this together? Any suggestions?

73,
Jimmy, WA2ILK

2359. Re: IC 706 VS DX 70TH?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33677600.6806@ibm.net>
Source record: 176473

SIAMK wrote:
>
> Anyone have a side-by-side comparison of the two rigs on the HF in the
> mobile? I'm wondering which has the best Rcvr and audio. I'm not
> concerned about the VHF.
>
> Tnx and 73s
>
> Mike

Hi, Mike,

I wrote a detailed report on this about a month and a half ago. I'd recommend going to Deja News http://www.dejanews,com and reading my old post, rather than have me bore everyone by reposting it.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ

2360. Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan S. Raskind" <alan.raskind@trw.com>
Message-ID: <3367A874.3E5A@trw.com>
Source record: 176474

Does anyone know why there do not seem to be any mods for the Yaesu FT-8000R dual band radio. I almost looks like none exist. I can't believe that. Does anyone who has this radio actually have any mods that they have installed that worked, such as extended frequency coverage for cellphone, other than listening on images, or anything else?

Thanks in advance,

73's,

Alan, WA6AQC

2361. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <3367C97E.2D74@vbe.com>
Source record: 176475
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeff Halapin wrote:
>
> Could someone open up thier QST magazine and e-mail me the phone number for
> the Code Quick folks?
>
> I just joined ARRL and have not gotten my first issue of QST yet.
>
> Thanks
> 73
>
> --
>
> ==================================
> Jeff Halapin
> greeby@onramp.net
> KD5ACY
> ==================================

Jeff:

Just for your info. I just received my license and passed to Tech Plus two weeks ago.... I used Code Quick and was very hapy with it ! I will be upgrading to General this summer (I hope) and continue to review the tapes and use their "steppers". While some of the material seems "over simplified".... DO IT ! It really worked for me. I've been told that once you pass your exam at 5 to 7 wpm the best thing to boost your speed further (not to mention your interest) is to get on the air and use it ! Thats what I plan to do ! If I can be of any help to you just drop me an email !

73 de KB9QHU

Mike

2362. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com
Message-ID: <3367a6ac.182677316@news.ccnet.com>
Source record: 176476

On 27 Apr 1997 19:13:05 GMT, Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
wrote:

>Funny. Some hams want rigs that can be upgraded when a new feature comes out. But they don't buy the rigs that have this attribute, such as the TenTec Omni 6, which can be upgraded by the user to the new Omni 6+.

Of course they don't. The typical ham wants the following features in a rig:

* 0-10 GHz continuous coverage (especially TX, so they can talk to the police)
* All modes
* Lifetime free upgrades and updates from the manufacturer
* Smaller than a cigar box
* Performance like a Yeasu FT-1000D
* Cost less than $200

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Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
(w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

2363. WTB: Heath deviation mtr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Tucker <sts@ac.net>
Message-ID: <3367FDD1.449A@ac.net>
Source record: 176477

Hello,

Does anyone have one of the old Heathkit Deviation meters for sale -
working or not? I would like to hear from you. If you have themanual
that's a plus. Email to: sts@ac.net
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Larry Tucker, N4KVP
Lead Service Technician
Sandhills Technical Service, Inc.
910-974-7867
http://www.janrix.com/sts/

2364. KWD 440S/AT Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Walter R. Jones, Jr - KC7HEX" <kc7hex@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <336813A2.7C63@amsat.org>
Source record: 176478

I have the following station for sale:

Kenwood TS 440S/AT (built in tuner)
Kenwood PS 430 (power supply)
Kenwood SP 430 (speaker)
Kenwood MC 60 (microphone)
Kenwood PC-1A (phone patch)

The Kenwood 440S/AT has the YK-88-CN CW filter installed.

The station also include the IC-10 Interface

I have all the original operators manual, service manual, and the
computer interface documentation. Would like to selling locally
or to someone who will see the setup in person. Nice station.
It has the MARS/CAP modification. All the above for only $1,300
pick-up and will ship for $1,350

Also have the Kenwood TS-520 SE for sale with original
box, manuals for only $350.

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==73==
Walter R. Jones, Jr. E-Mail: kc7hex@amsat.org
Callsign : KC7HEX Location: Klamath Falls, Oregon
Latitude : 42 09.54 Country : U.S.A.
Longitude: 121 40.79 AMSAT-NA: 31687
Grid: CN92dd http://home.cdsnet.net/~wjonesjr/amateur.htm

2365. Re: TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: assocrad@tfs.net
Message-ID: <5k8cp6$clq@uucp.tfs.net>
Source record: 176479

"Eugene Cockburn Ference Rayner" <erayner@ibl.bm> wrote:

>Interesting to see that other people have problems with the TS440. I have
>a TS440s and the digital display drops out from about 7.000 to 14.999 and
>of course I cannot use the radio when there is no display in that range. I
>have sent the radio to Kenwood in CA, Barrys in NY, HRO and no one is able
>to recreate the problem so they say yet it is a definate problem said to
>lie with the phase loop lock. Any suggestions or is this another piece of
>landfill from Kenwood. All the shipping back and forth to the USA added to
>the "repair" costs could have purchased me a new radio.
>Thanks for your help
>Eugene
>VP9NLW
><erayner@ibl.bm>

The problem you are describing is a common one. It is unusual
however that it cannot be duplicated on a test bench. Ther PLL loop
specific to the 7.00 to 14.999 MHz range is at falt. A "shotgun"
approach to the circuit may solve your problem. However there is no
guarantee. Associated Radio has serviced many TS-440's with this type
of PLL unlock. You can check their web site at
www.associatedradio.com Good luck!
Dan
dhwh@juno.com

2366. Wire Diagram HM-14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave White <dtw@amc-hln.com>
Message-ID: <3367C5E0.8268138A@amc-hln.com>
Source record: 176480

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
--------------B0B9ED7883887E2709B1D18E
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Can someone send me a color code wiring diagram for the Icom HM-14,
please?

--------------B0B9ED7883887E2709B1D18E
Content-Type: text/x-vcard; charset=us-ascii; name="vcard.vcf"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Description: Card for Dave White
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="vcard.vcf"

begin:vcard

fn:Dave White

n:White;Dave

org:Applied Management Corp

adr:1430 Dodge Ave;;;Helena;MT;59601;USA

email;internet:dtw@amc-hln.com

title:Application Specialist

tel;work:(406) 442-6665

tel;fax:(406) 443-1182

x-mozilla-cpt:;0

x-mozilla-html:FALSE

end:vcard

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2367. WTB: Cushman "plug-ins"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Worth <gworth@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3367E10C.6509@ibm.net>
Source record: 176481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm looking for a couple of plug-ins for the Cushman CE3,4,5,6 series service monitors. Specifically, I'm looking for a "301A oscilloscope", "303 broadband mixer", "314 high sensitivity mixer", and/or a "330 wattmeter/duplexer tester". If you have any of the above that you want to
sell, please e-mail me directly. Thanks for your help.

George

gworth@ibm.net

2368. YAESU ANNOUNCES NEW KW HF+6M Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <3366EED6.44B@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 176482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I just received my April issue of CQ-Ham Radio (the JA ham magazine). Several new products are now available in JA, including new offerings from Yaesu, Alinco, and Icom.

Icom announces IC-706 Mark 2 (old news, I suppose)
Yaesu announce FT-920 (old news, I suppose)
Alinco announces DJ-C1 and DJ-C4 micro slim 300 mW vhf/uhf radios.
Yaesu announces: VL-1000/VP-1000 solid state linear amplifier.

For those not familiar with the JA regulations, they were changed recently with the primary modification being power output increases for the various classes of ham licenses. The Class-1 licensee is now allowed to broadcast at 1KW output, as opposed to the previous limit of 500W. In line with the power increase, Yaesu has introduced the VL-1000 1KW solid state linear amplifier. Specs follow, albiet from my weak Japanese language reading ability. Additionally, Yaesu announces the matching VP-1000 Amplifier Power supply. Some key points:

Band Coverage: 160 THRU 6 meters,
Power: out 1KW on 160 thru 10, and 500W on Six Meters
Size of Amp: 41cmX13.5cmX41CM (HWD)
Size of PS: same size as amp...matches amp
Includes built in (integrated) 1KW Automatic Antenna Tuner
capable of matching a 16.7 to 150 ohm load on HF bands and
capable of matching a 20 to 125 ohm load on SIX meters
Transistor line up: 8 X MRF150 MOSFETs
Operating Voltage of amp: 48 amps at 48 volts
Power supply: capable of running on 100 to 120, or 200 to 240 VAC
suggested using 220VAC if running 1KW.
Weight: 15 Kg for the amp, 12 Kg for the power supply

The amplifier display is an "omni glow" LCD readout, and though the print is small, I believe one can monitor the following items: Out Power, VSWR, Collector Current, Frequency, and mode.

This is a slick looking amplifier, much better than the predecessor FL7000, which is now about 12 years old (or more?). Styling matches the FT920 exactly, with the 1000MP being a close but not perfect match. To see a picture of the map, go to my ham radio web page at:

http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/VP1000.jpg

73, and hope DXers, contesters, or those looking for an amp find
this information useful.

73,
Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT in Taipei Taiwan R.O.C.
dit dit

ex: 7J1AOF, YU3/N0IAT, KA0ZDH.

2369. HTX-204 mods? where?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg5un@swconnect.net
Message-ID: <3366b2b0.37138362@news.swconnect.net>
Source record: 176483

Where can i find the mods for this radio?

2370. Re: FT 50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5k7au5$j3a$1@news01.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 176484

Take a look at:

http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

everything about the FT50R you can read there.

2371. ICF-2001 Info Request

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: N6AX
Message-ID: <5k99i4$q8@drn.zippo.com>
Source record: 176485

Needed: Partial schematic...MW/SW front-end portion of Sony ICF2001 (not D model)
to repair numb unit.
Radio works fine on FM, has more sensitivity on "Local" and "Normal" than in "DX"
Mode!!!
Any help would be appreciated.
Note that the Front-end transistor appears to have some gain, I think the problem may be
just ahead of it, just don't have
the Schematic
Thanks
John N6AX
email aa6q@pacbell.net

2372. Noisy PSU inside Yaesu FT-736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan <tsumon@gtnet.gov.uk>
Message-ID: <33673219.B68@gtnet.gov.uk>
Source record: 176486

I am having trouble with mu internal PSU inside my FT736. It works fine but creates so much noise I am unable to use my HF transceiver which sits next to the FT-736.

Using an analyser I am able to see wide band noise coming from the PSU below 40 MHz.

Does anyone know how to stop it? I would like to use a converter I built for 29 MHz to 50 MHz but with so much PSU noise this is impossible.

Jonathan Gudgeon G4MDU

2373. repeater controller?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samuel Johnson <samjohnson@Bledsoe.net>
Message-ID: <33678437.6D46@Bledsoe.net>
Source record: 176487

I'm in need of another repeater controller. As usual, the cheaper, the better, as long as it works. E-mail me with any prices.
Thanks,
Sam Johnson KF4GQS

2374. WTB: 500HZ CW FILTER FOR TS-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: JIM BALES <jbales@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bc558b$c6e5df20$700503d0@jbales.iland.net>
Source record: 176488

need the cw filter (500hz) for ts-50, please e-mail price!

73 Jim K0KM

2375. Re: Info on Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc554f$b14b2300$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 176489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Kenwood TM-V7AE Modifications !!!.txt

Hi,

The Kenwood TM-V7A/E is the new version of the TM-732A/E. It's a FM-dual bander for both 2m and 70cm with 50W on 2 and 35W on 70cm. The transceiver has an alfanumeric display with 180 memories, graphical band scan function, 9600 baud packet input (allowing to run packet on one band and simultaenous QSO on another band) and all the other features you can find on a normal transceiver. In one word, I haven't seen a comparable rig so far.

In the few weeks I now own one, I think it is a great rig with a lot of features. The only minor issues that I heard of are:
- there's no subband mute. This would be handfull when listening to two bands, the second band would mute while receiving input on the primary. For me personal, I can live with it since listening to two QSO is confusing anyway and the bandscan is a lot nicer to monitor for any activity.
- the 1750Hz contains a strange noise. This is a problem that I found out myself and of which I believe it's a child-problem (so they have it all). The problem causes a failure to open a repater (in Belgium 1750Hz is used to activate them) by the 1750Hz is some special cases. (90% does work fine).

About the mods, a file is attached with all the info I have.

73s ON1DJU - Paul

Kender <kender@wwa.com> wrote in article <5k5qhr$lm3$1@kirin.wwa.com>...
> bmcguire@gtionline.com wrote:
>
> : Greetings all.
>
> : Anyone got info on the new Kenwood TM-V7A dualbander?
>
> : What are the specs?
>
> I'm hoping someone here has mods too.. :) Great radio, isn't it? :)
>
> -Kendall
>
> --
> -----------------
> -Kendall Jung 0- http://shoga.wwa.com/~kender O- kender@wwa.com
> =World Wide Access Modem Technician, Chicago, Illinois
> -Office: (312)803-9921 Fax: (312)803-9923
> -----------------==

>

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The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

2376. Whats the word on the TEN TEC Centaur Amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekugrad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5k68rf$h8i@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Well, I guess it's going to be a while before conditions get any
better, so I might as well go ahead a get an amp. I have been looking
at the new TEN TEC Centaur Amp. I have not seen any comments about it
on any of the news groups, so I'll ask the question. Is it a better
amp than the Ameritron AL811?

I appreciate any comments. Also does anyone have one for sale?

Thanks
David
KA4IKH

2377. IC-28 CTCSS Board??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Bailey <wm8s@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5509$29c6eae0$4e7e65ce@wm8s-1>
Source record: 176540
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A friend asked me if I could find a CTCSS board for his IC-28 but I can't even see where one was ever offered. Will we have to go "after market" (e.g., ComSpec, etc.), or did ICOM offer a board? He says the manual makes no reference to one.

Thanks!

Rob, wm8s@pobox.com
City of Charleston WV RACES

2378. F.S. - Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rog42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970430035400.XAA04956@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176541

FOR SALE: Tubes, test equipment, radios including Hallicrafters, Hammarlund, and Philco. Large selection of radio related publications. Schematics for many radios just $1. Tube Manuals, Tube Substitution books, Service Manuals, QST magazines, much more. Now over 1550 different tube types in stock - E-mail Rog42@aol.com and ask for my latest RADIO list - #426-T.

2379. Re: Icom IC-551 option boards

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3366c9ae.8116154@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176542

On 29 Apr 1997 22:23:48 GMT, jgarver@ichips.intel.com (Jim Garver)
wrote:

>
>Thanks for the note, Gary. Actually, that's perfect for me since I
>have no use for the FM portion of that band. This should make it cheaper
>to buy as well, right? But they seem to be scarce as hen's teeth. Only
>an IC-351 (220 Mhz) could be more rare, I guess.

>I have a rare IC-201 early analog 2 meter rig, 144-146 Mhz. SSB,CW,FM.
>Ever seen one? Has a keen orange and green concentric, two-speed dial.
>I also have the blueprint schematic for clues to the 100 or so adjustments
>inside of it.

Can't say I ever have. Will have to look at the model index to see if
I have a book on it.

Gary

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>--
>jgarver@ichips.intel.com K7YO I don't speak for Intel

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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2380. Re: Matching Radios (was Re: Icom IC-551 option boards)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3366cbca.8656634@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176543

On Tue, 29 Apr 1997 08:03:49 -0700, dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick
Flanagan) wrote:

>In article <336613C6.284F@starpoint.net>, kb0pyo@starpoint.net wrote:
>>I could use a 451 also, would look nice with my 551 & 251a
>
>Speaking of matching sets, I have an ICOM IC-271 and IC-471. Is there
>another radio in this series?
>
>73, Dick
>--
>Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
>Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

Only the IC-1271 1.2 Ghz version. There never was a 220 Mhz version.
you may find a 371 around but that is a Japanese version that covered
430 to 440 MHz.

Gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2381. Re: Radio Shack HTX-202 (reply)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kimber@xmission.com
Message-ID: <5k6k9h$dl4$1@news.xmission.com>
Source record: 176544

In article <33656F36.690@pacbell.net>, cqbdiaz@pacbell.net says...
>
>> >Hello. I have been looking at getting a basic qualification here
in
>> >canada. Similar to technician in the Us. Anyhow I was wondering
if
>> >anybody had any comments on radio shcaks HTX-202 2 meter ham radio.
>>
>> HTX-202 is basically a good radio. . . .
>
>
I own a Motorola 2670 Communication System Analyzer and also own the
HTX-202. I can tell you as a system manager using Motorola radios, the
Shack radio has as good performance as some $2500 radios I use. The
modulation, deviation, frequency stability and power output are all
very good. As a matter of fact my HTX-202 is 7hz off frequency. You
don't see that too often. Ken Imber KC7VZF

2382. Re: IC-28 CTCSS Board??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3366cb4a.8528287@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176545
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 30 Apr 1997 01:56:16 GMT, "Rob Bailey" <wm8s@pobox.com> wrote:

>
>A friend asked me if I could find a CTCSS board for his IC-28 but I can't
>even see where one was ever offered. Will we have to go "after market"
>(e.g., ComSpec, etc.), or did ICOM offer a board? He says the manual makes
>no reference to one.
>
>Thanks!
>
>Rob, wm8s@pobox.com
>City of Charleston WV RACES
I think the board was the UT-28, always get it confused with the ICOM
DCS board for the radio. The IC-28 would only decode CTCSS in Simplex
and only encode CTCSS in Duplex. No mod to get the radio to decode in
duplex. though you could encode in simplex by setting the radio into
duplex and adjusting the offset to zero MHz.

gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2383. Re: TS440S problem on switch on.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmwatson@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <E9FrA4.345@eskimo.com>
Source record: 176546

Having recently purchasing a used Kenwood TS440SAT, and working for a company that sells LTR mobile radios, I was able to acquire at cost the operating manual and service manual for the above radio.

When I received the manuals, I also received all service bulletin updates, and what you both have discussed was sent out in a bulletin, reference #:SB-952, titled TS-440S Intermittent Operation. The date of the bulletin is 01/24/89.

While stating basically, (and in a nutshell), "..., while any number of components may cause such problems, if the Control circuit is suspect, there is a possibility that the ROM socket is at fault...".

It then goes on and explains how to possibly alleviate the problem. I would suspect that if you were to request this particular bulletin, it could possibly be either mailed or faxed to you, although I suspect that you would rather Kenwood repair the problem, (and rightfully so).

Anyway, I just wanted to put my 2 cents worth in, and let you know that a possible and probable fix was found about 8 yrs ago, so yes, they have known for quite some time.

73

Robert/KJ7BO
rmwatson@eskimo.com

2384. Re: Scanner ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cjdumar@westelcom.com
Message-ID: <5k6pkl$96g@news.emi.com>
Source record: 176547

On 1997-04-26 gtsi@flash.net said:
:Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
:X-Mailer: Mozilla 2.01KIT (Win16; U)
:Is it possible to hook up my scanner to a ringo ranger with the 2
:meter radio also?
:Any suggestions on good scanner antennas??
:73s
:KC5ZRR

yes but when you transmit you will blow the front end of the scanner. Plus
adding the scanner to the system will change the impedance of the antenna.

Charlie, KA2VCS (cjdumar@westelcom.com)

It was so cold, I almost got married.

Net-Tamer V 1.09 Beta - Registered

2385. Battery Interchangability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970430000436.5093E-100000@general4.asu.edu>
Source record: 176548

I was told I could use the Icom batteries for the IC-2at on the Radio Shack HTX-202. Can anybody verify that this is so? Which other radios will the RS battery fit, as I would like to buy an somewhat more feature filled radio, and would like the availability of secondary batteries.

Thanks,
Dave

2386. 2m amp question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970430000847.5093F-100000@general4.asu.edu>
Source record: 176549

Is there any real difference in the performance of the various mfg's of
2m brick amps for mobile use? The prices seem pretty close between brands.

I don't mind shelling out a bit more for a better amp, but would hate to
waste money for no added return.

Also, what about the same question on dual band amps?

Thanks,
Dave

2387. Re: Yeasu FT-50R Secrets?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Yarbrough <medic@net-master.net>
Message-ID: <33670D38.6689@net-master.net>
Source record: 176550

sarastro@swbell.net wrote:
>
> I was ona website awhile back and saw that there are some "secrets" to
> the Yaesu FT-50R that arent in the manual. (Surprise, surprise)..
> TO my dismay, that section of the webpage wasnt completed.
> Does anyone know where I can find this information out?
>
> N5RXZIf you find any secrets to the FT50R please forward to me aslo, thanks in advance, Jerry Y

2388. FT 50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Yarbrough <medic@net-master.net>
Message-ID: <33670DBF.229E@net-master.net>
Source record: 176551

I am looking for any mods or secrets I can find on this radio. Thanks in advance. E-Mail at medic@net-master.net

2389. Re: Jeep Wrangers and Antennas ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Mark Glaser <timg@jove.acs.unt.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.95.970428122702.29772A-100000@jove.acs.unt.edu>
Source record: 176552

I have an '83 CJ-7. I use a radio shack mirror mount attached to the
spare carrier. I use this on both sides of my tire. On one side, I have a
larson NMO 270 on a trunk mount attached to the mirror mount. It's not
the prettiest thing, but in four years, I have not had to tighten it at
all. It really doesn't stand out toobad. One the other side, I have the
same Mirror mount. I use the Hustler cg-144 2m for long distance.
However, the Larson gets me all across the DFW metroplex.
Hope this helps.
Tim
KC5JOP
Talk Hard!!
On Mon, 28 Apr 1997 sarastro@swbell.net wrote:

> Greetings. DE N5RXZ
>
> I am looking at getting a jeep wranger buta thought or two has
> crossed my mind. I run for a rural EMS service and I am also
> some what active in 2m/440 area and was wondering
> if there are any jeep wrangler owners out there who could
> advise on where you mounted your antennas and what kind
> you used? Obviously the magmount and glass mount
> for me isnt an option, at least I dont see where I would
> put them with a canvas top and all ..
> I would appreciate any advice...
>
> Thanks
>
> T Garland
>
>

2390. WANTED: Dayton Flea Market Spaces

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <5k6rd3$lc9$4@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 176553

I need one or two flea market spaces at Dayton if you have them
available.

Bryan W5KFT

2391. IC 706 MARK II (modif.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: i3fue@i3fue.UCSD.EDU
Message-ID: <4470@i3fue>
Source record: 176554

Hi to all,

I have purchased a ICOM IC 706 MARK II and Seller tell me that with
a simple modification :
-remove diodes D116 D118 D119 located in "Main Unit"
I will have complete RX fm 0,5 up to 200 Mhz
TX fm 0,5 up to 60 Mhz
TX fm 136 up to 174 Mhz

I have the doubts and before modification I ask if anyone have suggestions
about this matter.
Thanks in advance for help.
73 de I3FUE Daniele MESTRE/Venice Italy

da/from:
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*-------------------------------------------------------------------------*
! I3FUE DANIELE --> Qth MESTRE/Venice - Rete Pbbs I3FUE@I3LUG !
! INTERNET --------> I3FUE@HAM.SHINELINE.IT Rete TCP/IP I3FUE@IR3MET !
*-------------------------------------------------------------------------*
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2392. Re: Need Help for Selsing (or Selsyn)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4xy@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3369ef82.158680921@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176555

On 28 Apr 1997 11:36:13 GMT, "Alessandro Bondoli"

Hi Allesandro... Fair Radio Sales has aseveral converters that will do
this... mostly expensive. But they ALSO have a "kit" of parts for one
you can build on your own... with the schematic for the unit they were
removed from. Also, they sell pretty reasonably 120/90 VAC 50/60Hz
synchros. Good luck.

>Does anybody has an electric-schematic of a power supply that can generate
>90 V at 400 Hz ?
>Please note that the second-hand devices you can find on commerce are too
>much expensive: they cost at least from 10 to 20 times the value of the
>Selsing !
>thanks in advance
>Alessandro Bondoli, IW4CFE
>e-mail: bondoli&campese@sira.it

72/73

Ed Tanton N4XY EMAIL: n4xy@bellsouth.net
189 Pioneer Trail
Marietta, GA 30068-3466 TEL: (770)579-3933 V/MBX/FAX

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"Think you can, think you can't: either way you're right!" Henry Ford
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2393. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5k75r1$1do$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 176556

On Sat, 12 Apr 1997 11:51:14 -0400, Bob Lewis <rlewis@staffnet.com>
wrote:

>Dick Flanagan wrote:
>>
>> In article <334D7374.6821@transend.com.tw>, Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:
>>
>> >HRO is a big ripoff in selling radio accessories.
>> >A recent example: I bought an Icom FL-101 cw filter. HRO
>> >price was 99.95. Everyone else had them for sale for about 95 bucks or
>> >less, (but were out of stock). I can live with paying
>> >a little more when it means getting exactly what I want, WHEN
>> >I want it. But the kicker...those S.O.B.'s at HRO charged me
>> >$20 for shipping and handling -- for a damn CW filter. The entire
>> >filter, including box, extra packing, shipping, etc should not
>> >have been more than 3 bucks tops -- the box it came in was 2 inches by
>> >3 inches, and less than an inch thick. I was angry as hell when I
>> >got the mastercard bill for 119.95 (99.95 for the filter, 20
>> >bucks for shipping).
>> >
>> >No doubt, a ripoff. I'll never buy another thing from HRO.
>> >Joe
>> >---
>> >Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China
>> >
>> > http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html
>> >
>> >ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
>> >Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.
>> >---
>>
>> Anybody else notice this guy is in China! $20 for shipping to Taiwan
>> sounds about right to me.
>> --
>> Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
>> Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/
>I've been very pleased with the Northern Virginia HRO store. Fair prices
>and good service. If they don't have what I want they can usually get it
>from another store in a few days.
>
I agree - I've been to HRO in Atlanta and Virginia - Both have been
helpful and fair. And they will usually try to match prices of
others. $20.00 to China is more than fair. It costs about $0.50 per
1/2 ounce just to mail anything to China.

2394. Help Yaesu FT50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5k783f$1mh$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 176557

I have a FT50 with low audio (modulation). I've checked it with an external microphone also, same problem. Does anyone know how to adjust this, and where the adjustment is?

Dave - KE4YDY

2395. HELP - Kenwood V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5k78de$1mh$2@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 176558

Help - I can't delete a memory on my V7. I follow the instructions completely, but radio always powers up on VHF memory channel #3 and UHF on memory channel #1. Always asks if I want to Clear VHF memory channel #3. It never asks if I want to clear UHF side. Can't figure out how to change memory channel or band to clear.

2396. Test - don't read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5k78lk$7oa$1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 176559

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This is a test - delete me
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2397. this is a test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5k78sj$7oa$2@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 176560

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delte me a test.

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2398. Kenw. TM251E/(A) Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arne Brede <apb@efix.efi.sintef.no>
Message-ID: <336797E6.6AC4@efix.efi.sintef.no>
Source record: 176561

Is threre anybody who can give me some advices on freq. modification on
a Kenwood TM-251E/(A) tranceiver?

72 de LA6JJA

Arne Petter
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Arne Petter Brede E-mail: arne.brede@efi.sintef.no
EFI Telefon: 73597200 (direkte: 73597266)
7034 TRONDHEIM Fax: 73597250

2399. Florida

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steve G." <bocaz@bocaz.org>
Message-ID: <5k6q4b$jin@newsboy.isdn.net>
Source record: 176562

A new site featuring FREE singles, classified ads, websearch, info, chat, and much more...
http://www.bocaonline.com

2400. Re: FT 50R Here is some for starters!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Baz <Baz@winning.com>
Message-ID: <336734ED.2B49@winning.com>
Source record: 176563

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Jerry Yarbrough wrote:
>
> I am looking for any mods or secrets I can find on this radio. Thanks in
> advance. E-Mail at medic@net-master.net

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: quoted-printable
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="ft50_mod.txt"

Please note the following message! It may save you some time....
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Edward <edward@nym.alias.net> wrote in article
> the mod to expand the receive frequency range from 76 to 999 MHz does n=
ot
>seem to work. I pull the plug, as instructed, but I can not get the uni=
t
>to work on any but the advertised frequencies. =

> =

The firmware inside the radio has been changed so that pulling the plug
will not toggle the radio into a European mode. This change was made in
radios with the 3rd and 4th digits of the serial number greater the 05. =

-- =

Rod, RT Systems Amateur Radio Supply, Huntsville AL.
Sales 1-800-723-6922, Tech 1-205-880-3093
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Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Subject: Yaesu FT-50R Guide V 1.1
From: childers@garlic.com (Bill Childers)
Date: 10 Jul 1996 21:52:28 GMT

The (In)Complete Guide to the Yaesu FT-50 Version 1.1

Compiled by Bill Childers, KE6VVW

Disclaimer & Other Nonsense
The information in this document is a guide to the FT-50 ONLY. =
Having had more than a few radios in my amateur experience, I =
understand how most hams wish to learn as much about their rigs as =
possible. I have compiled this guide to allow other people to =
learn more about the radio without having to search all over for =
information. I do not guarantee the validity of this information, =
as Yaesu may change programming or hardware so that some of the =
techniques in this document may cease to function. I am not =
responsible if these instructions damage your rig in some way. All =
I can say is that I have performed the following procedures to my =
unit, and I am quite pleased with the results. Your mileage may =
vary, etc.
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History

Version 1.0
1st introduced.

Version 1.1
Added: Game mode, Changed High Power Mod to "Internal System =
Alignment". In this section I also detail the squelch and S-meter =
adjustments. Also added info to the bug on the FTT-12 Keypad.

Introduction
The Yaesu FT-50 is perhaps the most unique VHF/UHF Handheld =
manufactured today. It's made to MIL-SPEC 810, for dust, =
splashproofness, and vibration. Out of the box, it has not only =
dual band 2m/440 capability, but wide FM receive and AM receive as =
well. In addition, it receives 76-200 MHz, 380-500 MHz, and =
700-900 MHz (Cellular Blocked). It has one of the fastest scan =
speeds for an amateur HT. It also has the unique ability (w/ =
ADMS-1C software) to interface with an IBM PC running Windows and =
have memories and settings uploaded/downloaded. In addition, it =
has DCS (digital coded squelch), ARTS (auto-ranging transpond =

system), and Yaesu's excellent transmit and receive battery saver =
features. It also uses Yaesu's extremely efficent FET power module =
that allows for 5W+ of output power with a 9.6V battery pack. With =
the optional FTT-12 keypad, the unit also performs CTCSS decode, =
DTMF paging, and also incorporates a Digital Voice Recorder! All =
of this functionality in such a small package makes it my rig of =
choice.

Problems (Bugs)
Unfortunately, the FT-50 is plagued by a few bugs. None of them =
are very serious or life-threatening, just a bit annoying. First =
among them is its Wide-FM receive. Apparently Yaesu engineers =
didn't put a wide enough filter in the unit, and some of the =
bandwidth of broadcast FM signals gets "chopped off". This means =
that the rig is near useless for listening to music on the =
broadcast FM band. It works marginally with voice only on the same =
band. My opinion on this problem: If you want to listen to music, =
bring a small Walkman or other transistor radio with you. The '50 =
does an adequate job of bringing voice signals in on broadcast FM, =
so it's good for listening to emergency broadcasts.
The second "bug" lies in the optional FTT-12 keypad. The manual =
for the radio states that you can set up a "voice mail" type of =
functionality that lets your radio operate unattended and record =
calls for you. This mode doesn't work correctly, although the =
built-in voice recorder works great. It seems that the unit will =
playback the wrong voice partition. The problem appears to be in =
the DTMF page-answer-back area. If you're buying the '50 and =
FTT-12 solely for this purpose, DON'T! It doesn't work and there's =
no current workaround.
The third bug has been complained about a bit. It seems that some =
'50s suffer from a low Tx audio problem. This is due to a factory =
adjustment that is set a bit on the low side. It is easily fixed. =

(See Factory Adjustments below).
The fourth "bug" is synergistic with the ADMS-1C software. If =

there is some kind of problem in downloading a file to the radio, =

the software aborts with an error, and the rig is left with it's =

memories cleared in a "limbo" state. This state is actually the =

European band plan, and if done properly, the rig can be modified =

to receive even more frequencies=85 which will be described later. =

(See modification section) However, if you want to return the rig =

to its natural state, simply download a blank frequency file =

(NONAME.RDF) to the unit. All should be well.

Factory adjustments
If your rig suffers from the low Tx audio problem, here's how to =

fix it.

1. Remove the battery and antenna.
2. Remove the "NiCd" sticker on the heat sink. If you remove it =

very carefully, it's possible to re-install it later with the same =

stickum that's on it.
3. Look in the cavity where you removed the sticker. Proceeding =

from left to right, here's what you'll see=85
Phillips head Screw (Holds the keypad in)
Small Silver Potentiometer (VR1001=97VHF Deviation =

Adjustment)
Small Silver Potentiometer (VR1002=97UHF Deviation =

Adjustment)
Small White Potentiometer (TC1001=97DONT TOUCH! CTCSS Tone =

Adjustment!!!)
Phillips head Screw (Holds the keypad in)
4. Take a small Phillips head Screwdriver and turn both VR1001 and =

VR1002 about 1/8 turn clockwise. This will increase the VHF and =

UHF deviation and fix the low Tx audio problem. If it's not enough =

Tx audio, simply turn both pots another 1/8 turn. Make sure to =

turn both pots the same amount!
5. Replace the NiCd sticker, battery, and antenna.
6. You're Done!

Internal System Alignment (May not work on some radios)
NOTE: This setting appears to work on radios that have NO MEMORIES =

programmed. You might want to try STEP 3 before clearing your =

memories. If step 3 doesn't work, you probably need to clear your =

memories. BE CAREFUL with these settings=85 it's possible to really =

mess the rig up by setting some funky squelch or something=85 you =

might want to write the default settings for your rig down.

1. Select 2m VFO frequency.
2. Turn the radio off.
3. Push LAMP, PTT, Knob, and PWR at the same time. The rig will =

turn on with the squelch open, so turn the volume down!
4. The '50 will display "BAND xxxxxx" where xxxx may differ =

depending on your radio and whatever mods you may have performed.
5. Turn the top knob. There are a variety of settings available. =

Here is a listing of them:
=B7 HSSQ: Squelch Hysteresis Adjustment, adjusted by the dial.
=B7 THSQ: Squelch Preset Threshold
=B7 TISQ: Squelch Preset Tight
=B7 S1LV: Low-Scale S-1 Adjustment.
=B7 S9LV: S-Meter Full Scale Adjustment.
=B7 HIPO: Hi Transmit Power Adjustment: Should be calibrated for 5W =

(Can be pushed higher with a 13.8V Supply)
=B7 L3PO: Level 3 Power Adjustment: Should be adjusted for 2.8W.
=B7 L2PO: Level 2 Power Adjustment: Should be adjusted for 1W.
=B7 L1PO: Level 1 Power Adjustment: Should be adjusted for .1W.
6. Select the adjustment you wish.
7. Push in the Top knob. There will be a "s" that appears next to =

the displayed number.
8. Rotate the knob to change the setting.
9. Change other settings, if desired. =

10. Push the knob for more than 1 sec to save the profile.
11. Select 440 VFO frequency.
12. Repeat Steps 3-10 to adjust the UHF Settings. UHF Settings will =

have a "U" in front of them.

Modifications
The FT-50 is extremely easy to modify. The first modification is =

performed for you at the factory=85 but for those of you who =

accidently disabled it, or changed it=85 here it is.

Extended U.S. Receive Mod (Expands receive from 144-148 & 430-450 =

to 76-200, 380-500, 800-999 'cell blocked') NOTE: All =

memories will be erased.
1. Turn the transceiver off.
2. Hold down the Knob and Lamp keys while powering the unit on.
3. The unit now has U.S. Extended Receive.

MARS/CAP mod (Extended Transmit Mod: app. 144-159, 420-470) NOTE: =

All memories will be erased. =

Don't transmit on bands that you're not licensed for!! Besides =

being illegal, it creates problems for people using those =

frequencies.
1. Remove battery & antenna
2. Remove NiCd Sticker on Rear Heat Sink
3. Loosen (Don't Remove) Philips head screws on rear that hold =

keypad in.
4. Use screws as thumb holds to press keypad out.
5. Remove screws.
6. Remove Keypad.
7. Under Keypad on Left Side there is a series of Solder Jumpers. =

They are labeled in white from 1-3. Only #1 will have solder =

jumpering it. Remove the solder, being careful not to damage or =

touch any other components. WARNING: If you're not good at =

desoldering, or have shaky hands, you might want to have someone =

else do this for you. It's REAL easy to damage the rig.
8. Reinstall Keypad. Be careful of the O-ring around the keypad. =

Make sure it's not twisted or damaged, as the waterproofness of the =

unit could be compromised.
9. Install sticker, battery and antenna.
10. Hold down Knob and Lamp keys while powering the unit on. =

(Extended Receive Mod as above.)
11. Completed!

Super-Hyper Awesome Mod=85 The mother of all Mods!!! (Requires =

ADMS-1C software and MARS/CAP mod to be performed)
Receive: 76-999 Mhz (No displayable holes!!!)
Transmit: 120-221 Mhz, 320-499 Mhz (AGAIN, Don't transmit on =

frequencies where you're not licensed)
NOTE: This mod will disable ARS (automatic repeater shift) and will =

set 2m and 440 repeater offset to =

weird numbers. Make sure you enter repeater offset and +- =

shift manually. Repeater offset needs =

be set once for the rig, then it should be able to be =

forgotten about. It will also clear memories.
Remember above where I mentioned the ADMS-1C software having a bug? =

Here's where the enterprising and curious ham can take advantage =

of that. This mod will install the European band plan in your =

radio=85so without the MARS/CAP mod you will lose the top portion of =

your 2m band.
1. Are there frequencies in your radio? Don't want to lose them? =

Simply get the data from your radio as it sits=85 you can "merge" the =

frequencies later. Save the file.
2. Perform the MARS/CAP mod as outlined above. Get the data from =

the mod and name it USA.RDF.
3. Attempt to send the same data to the radio. In the middle of =

the transfer (around 50%), pull the adapter cable to the PC out of =

the radio.
4. Thanks to the bug, your radio is now in European mode! Perform =

the Extended Receive Mod by holding the Knob and Lamp keys down =

while turning the unit on.
5. Now, the Automatic Repeater offset doesn't work. There's no =

workaround. Note that the 2m offset has been changed to 0.00. Go =

to the menu by holding down the knob. Go to SHFT, Option 7. Press =

the knob. Turn the knob so that it reads 0.60. Press PTT.
6. Now, turn off the radio. Put it back into clone mode. Read the =

data back from the radio to the PC and save the file as EURO.RDF. =

7. If you want to enter frequencies manually or using ADMS as =

normal, go ahead. Everything should work. If you saved =

frequencies as above, open EURO.RDF and "merge" the frequencies =

from your USA.RDF file into it, and save it as another name. Then =

send the modified EURO.RDF (your filename) file back to the radio =

using the "template" file EURO.RDF. You're done!
8. To return the radio back to the U.S. band plan, send the USA.RDF =

file back to it.
Note that I have no way of measuring the sensitivity of the =

frequencies or the output power of the rig outside of the ham =

bands. The 220 coverage seems to be very poor, however, the radio =

does display 220 frequencies. It won't transmit on our 220 bands, =

though. 800 Mhz receive is vastly improved.

Game Mode
The FT-50R includes an interesting "game" that's programmed into =

it. Here's how it works:
1. Power up the radio while holding down the MR key. (PWR + MR).
2. The display will show GAME on the left side, and Spd 1 on the =

right. You're in game mode!
3. By rotating the knob, you can change the speed of the game. =

Higher numbers are faster.
4. Press PTT to start the game.
5. Numbers will start to scroll across the screen from =

left-to-right. As they come, you are supposed to push the number =

on the keypad that makes a sum of ten, followed by F. Example: 6 =

appears, press 4, F. If 0 appears, enter 10 followed by F.
6. The game is over when the screen fills up with numbers.
7. To exit the game, simply cycle the power.

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Yaesu FT50R

-Perform Mars/Cap mod by removing solder blob 1
-Buy the ADMS-1C computer kit
-dump your radios data into the computer & save file #1
-dump computer data #1 to radio, and pull plug out of radio
before its complete
-turn radio off, push and hold knob and lamp and turn on again
-dump radio data into computer and save file #2
-merge file #1 into file #2
-dump file #2 into radio

What you end up with should be:
-your original radio memories and settings
RX 76-540 590-999 cellular included
TX 120-220 350-500

This mod restores cellular, and wipes the Mars/Cap band limiting
info. Transmitter will lock over the entire range & transmit to
a nearby scanner, but I dunno what power output or spectrum
quality is like.

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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HLP! FT-50 CPU SETTINGS

From bcs@starnets.ro
Organization Deja News Usenet Posting Service
Date Sat, 19 Apr 1997 08:32:04 -0600
Newsgroups rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Message-ID <861456420.20233@dejanews.com>

Hello everybody !

I nedd your help to set-up the internal CPU settings for YAESU FT-50.

I wish to gnow the default values for the following settings:

VHF:

HSSQ
*THSQ
*TISQ
*S1LV
*S9LV
HPO
L3
L2
L1,

and the same corresponding settings for UHF

!!! Do NOT push the KNOB while diplaying the * marked settings !!!
To enter to the CPU mode settings the action is :

1) reset the FT50 by KNOB+MON+POWER-ON
2) press LAMP+PTT+KNOB+POWER-ON
3) The display shows BAND A1(A3)
4) then rotate the KNOB WITHOUT PRESSING IT !!!!

To exit press POWER OFF again

Thnx in advance

Bogdan
bcs@starnets.ro

--------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

--------------235DC5C10B4--

2401. Re: FT 50R (mods) Here is some for starters!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Baz <Baz@winning.com>
Message-ID: <33673502.575E@winning.com>
Source record: 176564

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Jerry Yarbrough wrote:
>
> I am looking for any mods or secrets I can find on this radio. Thanks in
> advance. E-Mail at medic@net-master.net

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: quoted-printable
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="ft50_mod.txt"

Please note the following message! It may save you some time....
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Edward <edward@nym.alias.net> wrote in article
> the mod to expand the receive frequency range from 76 to 999 MHz does n=
ot
>seem to work. I pull the plug, as instructed, but I can not get the uni=
t
>to work on any but the advertised frequencies. =

> =

The firmware inside the radio has been changed so that pulling the plug
will not toggle the radio into a European mode. This change was made in
radios with the 3rd and 4th digits of the serial number greater the 05. =

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Rod, RT Systems Amateur Radio Supply, Huntsville AL.
Sales 1-800-723-6922, Tech 1-205-880-3093
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Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Subject: Yaesu FT-50R Guide V 1.1
From: childers@garlic.com (Bill Childers)
Date: 10 Jul 1996 21:52:28 GMT

The (In)Complete Guide to the Yaesu FT-50 Version 1.1

Compiled by Bill Childers, KE6VVW

Disclaimer & Other Nonsense
The information in this document is a guide to the FT-50 ONLY. =
Having had more than a few radios in my amateur experience, I =
understand how most hams wish to learn as much about their rigs as =
possible. I have compiled this guide to allow other people to =
learn more about the radio without having to search all over for =
information. I do not guarantee the validity of this information, =
as Yaesu may change programming or hardware so that some of the =
techniques in this document may cease to function. I am not =
responsible if these instructions damage your rig in some way. All =
I can say is that I have performed the following procedures to my =
unit, and I am quite pleased with the results. Your mileage may =
vary, etc.
=

History

Version 1.0
1st introduced.

Version 1.1
Added: Game mode, Changed High Power Mod to "Internal System =
Alignment". In this section I also detail the squelch and S-meter =
adjustments. Also added info to the bug on the FTT-12 Keypad.

Introduction
The Yaesu FT-50 is perhaps the most unique VHF/UHF Handheld =
manufactured today. It's made to MIL-SPEC 810, for dust, =
splashproofness, and vibration. Out of the box, it has not only =
dual band 2m/440 capability, but wide FM receive and AM receive as =
well. In addition, it receives 76-200 MHz, 380-500 MHz, and =
700-900 MHz (Cellular Blocked). It has one of the fastest scan =
speeds for an amateur HT. It also has the unique ability (w/ =
ADMS-1C software) to interface with an IBM PC running Windows and =
have memories and settings uploaded/downloaded. In addition, it =
has DCS (digital coded squelch), ARTS (auto-ranging transpond =

system), and Yaesu's excellent transmit and receive battery saver =
features. It also uses Yaesu's extremely efficent FET power module =
that allows for 5W+ of output power with a 9.6V battery pack. With =
the optional FTT-12 keypad, the unit also performs CTCSS decode, =
DTMF paging, and also incorporates a Digital Voice Recorder! All =
of this functionality in such a small package makes it my rig of =
choice.

Problems (Bugs)
Unfortunately, the FT-50 is plagued by a few bugs. None of them =
are very serious or life-threatening, just a bit annoying. First =
among them is its Wide-FM receive. Apparently Yaesu engineers =
didn't put a wide enough filter in the unit, and some of the =
bandwidth of broadcast FM signals gets "chopped off". This means =
that the rig is near useless for listening to music on the =
broadcast FM band. It works marginally with voice only on the same =
band. My opinion on this problem: If you want to listen to music, =
bring a small Walkman or other transistor radio with you. The '50 =
does an adequate job of bringing voice signals in on broadcast FM, =
so it's good for listening to emergency broadcasts.
The second "bug" lies in the optional FTT-12 keypad. The manual =
for the radio states that you can set up a "voice mail" type of =
functionality that lets your radio operate unattended and record =
calls for you. This mode doesn't work correctly, although the =
built-in voice recorder works great. It seems that the unit will =
playback the wrong voice partition. The problem appears to be in =
the DTMF page-answer-back area. If you're buying the '50 and =
FTT-12 solely for this purpose, DON'T! It doesn't work and there's =
no current workaround.
The third bug has been complained about a bit. It seems that some =
'50s suffer from a low Tx audio problem. This is due to a factory =
adjustment that is set a bit on the low side. It is easily fixed. =

(See Factory Adjustments below).
The fourth "bug" is synergistic with the ADMS-1C software. If =

there is some kind of problem in downloading a file to the radio, =

the software aborts with an error, and the rig is left with it's =

memories cleared in a "limbo" state. This state is actually the =

European band plan, and if done properly, the rig can be modified =

to receive even more frequencies=85 which will be described later. =

(See modification section) However, if you want to return the rig =

to its natural state, simply download a blank frequency file =

(NONAME.RDF) to the unit. All should be well.

Factory adjustments
If your rig suffers from the low Tx audio problem, here's how to =

fix it.

1. Remove the battery and antenna.
2. Remove the "NiCd" sticker on the heat sink. If you remove it =

very carefully, it's possible to re-install it later with the same =

stickum that's on it.
3. Look in the cavity where you removed the sticker. Proceeding =

from left to right, here's what you'll see=85
Phillips head Screw (Holds the keypad in)
Small Silver Potentiometer (VR1001=97VHF Deviation =

Adjustment)
Small Silver Potentiometer (VR1002=97UHF Deviation =

Adjustment)
Small White Potentiometer (TC1001=97DONT TOUCH! CTCSS Tone =

Adjustment!!!)
Phillips head Screw (Holds the keypad in)
4. Take a small Phillips head Screwdriver and turn both VR1001 and =

VR1002 about 1/8 turn clockwise. This will increase the VHF and =

UHF deviation and fix the low Tx audio problem. If it's not enough =

Tx audio, simply turn both pots another 1/8 turn. Make sure to =

turn both pots the same amount!
5. Replace the NiCd sticker, battery, and antenna.
6. You're Done!

Internal System Alignment (May not work on some radios)
NOTE: This setting appears to work on radios that have NO MEMORIES =

programmed. You might want to try STEP 3 before clearing your =

memories. If step 3 doesn't work, you probably need to clear your =

memories. BE CAREFUL with these settings=85 it's possible to really =

mess the rig up by setting some funky squelch or something=85 you =

might want to write the default settings for your rig down.

1. Select 2m VFO frequency.
2. Turn the radio off.
3. Push LAMP, PTT, Knob, and PWR at the same time. The rig will =

turn on with the squelch open, so turn the volume down!
4. The '50 will display "BAND xxxxxx" where xxxx may differ =

depending on your radio and whatever mods you may have performed.
5. Turn the top knob. There are a variety of settings available. =

Here is a listing of them:
=B7 HSSQ: Squelch Hysteresis Adjustment, adjusted by the dial.
=B7 THSQ: Squelch Preset Threshold
=B7 TISQ: Squelch Preset Tight
=B7 S1LV: Low-Scale S-1 Adjustment.
=B7 S9LV: S-Meter Full Scale Adjustment.
=B7 HIPO: Hi Transmit Power Adjustment: Should be calibrated for 5W =

(Can be pushed higher with a 13.8V Supply)
=B7 L3PO: Level 3 Power Adjustment: Should be adjusted for 2.8W.
=B7 L2PO: Level 2 Power Adjustment: Should be adjusted for 1W.
=B7 L1PO: Level 1 Power Adjustment: Should be adjusted for .1W.
6. Select the adjustment you wish.
7. Push in the Top knob. There will be a "s" that appears next to =

the displayed number.
8. Rotate the knob to change the setting.
9. Change other settings, if desired. =

10. Push the knob for more than 1 sec to save the profile.
11. Select 440 VFO frequency.
12. Repeat Steps 3-10 to adjust the UHF Settings. UHF Settings will =

have a "U" in front of them.

Modifications
The FT-50 is extremely easy to modify. The first modification is =

performed for you at the factory=85 but for those of you who =

accidently disabled it, or changed it=85 here it is.

Extended U.S. Receive Mod (Expands receive from 144-148 & 430-450 =

to 76-200, 380-500, 800-999 'cell blocked') NOTE: All =

memories will be erased.
1. Turn the transceiver off.
2. Hold down the Knob and Lamp keys while powering the unit on.
3. The unit now has U.S. Extended Receive.

MARS/CAP mod (Extended Transmit Mod: app. 144-159, 420-470) NOTE: =

All memories will be erased. =

Don't transmit on bands that you're not licensed for!! Besides =

being illegal, it creates problems for people using those =

frequencies.
1. Remove battery & antenna
2. Remove NiCd Sticker on Rear Heat Sink
3. Loosen (Don't Remove) Philips head screws on rear that hold =

keypad in.
4. Use screws as thumb holds to press keypad out.
5. Remove screws.
6. Remove Keypad.
7. Under Keypad on Left Side there is a series of Solder Jumpers. =

They are labeled in white from 1-3. Only #1 will have solder =

jumpering it. Remove the solder, being careful not to damage or =

touch any other components. WARNING: If you're not good at =

desoldering, or have shaky hands, you might want to have someone =

else do this for you. It's REAL easy to damage the rig.
8. Reinstall Keypad. Be careful of the O-ring around the keypad. =

Make sure it's not twisted or damaged, as the waterproofness of the =

unit could be compromised.
9. Install sticker, battery and antenna.
10. Hold down Knob and Lamp keys while powering the unit on. =

(Extended Receive Mod as above.)
11. Completed!

Super-Hyper Awesome Mod=85 The mother of all Mods!!! (Requires =

ADMS-1C software and MARS/CAP mod to be performed)
Receive: 76-999 Mhz (No displayable holes!!!)
Transmit: 120-221 Mhz, 320-499 Mhz (AGAIN, Don't transmit on =

frequencies where you're not licensed)
NOTE: This mod will disable ARS (automatic repeater shift) and will =

set 2m and 440 repeater offset to =

weird numbers. Make sure you enter repeater offset and +- =

shift manually. Repeater offset needs =

be set once for the rig, then it should be able to be =

forgotten about. It will also clear memories.
Remember above where I mentioned the ADMS-1C software having a bug? =

Here's where the enterprising and curious ham can take advantage =

of that. This mod will install the European band plan in your =

radio=85so without the MARS/CAP mod you will lose the top portion of =

your 2m band.
1. Are there frequencies in your radio? Don't want to lose them? =

Simply get the data from your radio as it sits=85 you can "merge" the =

frequencies later. Save the file.
2. Perform the MARS/CAP mod as outlined above. Get the data from =

the mod and name it USA.RDF.
3. Attempt to send the same data to the radio. In the middle of =

the transfer (around 50%), pull the adapter cable to the PC out of =

the radio.
4. Thanks to the bug, your radio is now in European mode! Perform =

the Extended Receive Mod by holding the Knob and Lamp keys down =

while turning the unit on.
5. Now, the Automatic Repeater offset doesn't work. There's no =

workaround. Note that the 2m offset has been changed to 0.00. Go =

to the menu by holding down the knob. Go to SHFT, Option 7. Press =

the knob. Turn the knob so that it reads 0.60. Press PTT.
6. Now, turn off the radio. Put it back into clone mode. Read the =

data back from the radio to the PC and save the file as EURO.RDF. =

7. If you want to enter frequencies manually or using ADMS as =

normal, go ahead. Everything should work. If you saved =

frequencies as above, open EURO.RDF and "merge" the frequencies =

from your USA.RDF file into it, and save it as another name. Then =

send the modified EURO.RDF (your filename) file back to the radio =

using the "template" file EURO.RDF. You're done!
8. To return the radio back to the U.S. band plan, send the USA.RDF =

file back to it.
Note that I have no way of measuring the sensitivity of the =

frequencies or the output power of the rig outside of the ham =

bands. The 220 coverage seems to be very poor, however, the radio =

does display 220 frequencies. It won't transmit on our 220 bands, =

though. 800 Mhz receive is vastly improved.

Game Mode
The FT-50R includes an interesting "game" that's programmed into =

it. Here's how it works:
1. Power up the radio while holding down the MR key. (PWR + MR).
2. The display will show GAME on the left side, and Spd 1 on the =

right. You're in game mode!
3. By rotating the knob, you can change the speed of the game. =

Higher numbers are faster.
4. Press PTT to start the game.
5. Numbers will start to scroll across the screen from =

left-to-right. As they come, you are supposed to push the number =

on the keypad that makes a sum of ten, followed by F. Example: 6 =

appears, press 4, F. If 0 appears, enter 10 followed by F.
6. The game is over when the screen fills up with numbers.
7. To exit the game, simply cycle the power.

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="ft50_mod2.txt"

Yaesu FT50R

-Perform Mars/Cap mod by removing solder blob 1
-Buy the ADMS-1C computer kit
-dump your radios data into the computer & save file #1
-dump computer data #1 to radio, and pull plug out of radio
before its complete
-turn radio off, push and hold knob and lamp and turn on again
-dump radio data into computer and save file #2
-merge file #1 into file #2
-dump file #2 into radio

What you end up with should be:
-your original radio memories and settings
RX 76-540 590-999 cellular included
TX 120-220 350-500

This mod restores cellular, and wipes the Mars/Cap band limiting
info. Transmitter will lock over the entire range & transmit to
a nearby scanner, but I dunno what power output or spectrum
quality is like.

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; name="ft50_mod8872.txt"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="ft50_mod8872.txt"

HLP! FT-50 CPU SETTINGS

From bcs@starnets.ro
Organization Deja News Usenet Posting Service
Date Sat, 19 Apr 1997 08:32:04 -0600
Newsgroups rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Message-ID <861456420.20233@dejanews.com>

Hello everybody !

I nedd your help to set-up the internal CPU settings for YAESU FT-50.

I wish to gnow the default values for the following settings:

VHF:

HSSQ
*THSQ
*TISQ
*S1LV
*S9LV
HPO
L3
L2
L1,

and the same corresponding settings for UHF

!!! Do NOT push the KNOB while diplaying the * marked settings !!!
To enter to the CPU mode settings the action is :

1) reset the FT50 by KNOB+MON+POWER-ON
2) press LAMP+PTT+KNOB+POWER-ON
3) The display shows BAND A1(A3)
4) then rotate the KNOB WITHOUT PRESSING IT !!!!

To exit press POWER OFF again

Thnx in advance

Bogdan
bcs@starnets.ro

--------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

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2402. Re: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336734E8.6AF0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176565

jls wrote:
>
> Has anyone heard what pricing will look like for the IC-706 MK II? Does
> Icom plan to discontinue the IC-706? Thanks for any information.
>
> Jeff
> KG6UC
> KTLA Los Angeles
I saw the price at $1350 at a Dealer's Web site. I guess they raised the
price $50. However, the discounting should happen in a bout 6 months.
Also the bugs should arise if there are any. I bet the radio will
eventually sell for $1250 from most Dealers and includ the separation
kit on promotions.
73's, Steven Hershman NS1R

2403. WTB:Icom Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: picture@fosston.polaristel.net
Message-ID: <picture-3004970748310001@erskine-24.dialup.means.net>
Source record: 176566

I want to buy an Icom filter #FL53a. This is the 250 Hz CW filter for the IC751a radio. Please E-mail me.

Thanks,
Greg
WK0B

2404. wtb: uhf master2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <sandersj@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <33673679.17BA@swbell.net>
Source record: 176567

I am still looking for a UHF master2 E series radio to use as a repeater
If you have one, let me know what kinda shape its in andd its cost. I
am also looking for a control head
thanks...John..n5nme..

2405. Need Schematic for IC-25H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtippin@swbell.net
Message-ID: <336745d1.403437832@news.alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 176568

(I thought I posted this a week or so ago but didn't see it anywhere
so I'll try again..)

I need the schematic for an Icom IC-25H 2m transceiver. If anyone has
such a beast and wouldn't mind sending me a copy, please let me know
via private e-mail. I'll be glad to pay copying and postage expenses.

-Marty Tippin KC0AKA
mtippin@swbell.net

2406. IC 707 or FT 840 info PLZ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ram16k@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970430132300.JAA29702@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176569

Hey
I wanted to get an operators view on these two rigs. If you have one please let me know how you / dislike them. I have a TS 940 that I am selling, and need to find a new rig. These two radios would fit my mobile/base applications and are in my price range. If you have any better suggestions please let me know. I would like to know abt these two rigs audio quality, reception, CW operation, ease of setup, etc etc etc...

Thanks
Chris
AE4XO

2407. FS: Kenwood TH-22AT-HP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsturman@coffey.com
Message-ID: <jsturman-3004970721420001@port11.coffey.com>
Source record: 176570

Kenwood TH-22AT-HP less than six months old. Comes with 5W BATT + KSC-8A
CHGR also have a set of tapes to learn Morse code. I have all the original
boxes and manuals. $200

John
jsturman@coffey.com

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LEGAL STUFF:

My email address is provided solely for communication with people I
choose to deal with, and for questions or comments specific to email I sent to you or
usenet postings by me. Do not send unsolicitied
advertising, chain letters, automatic messages or other junk commonly
referred to as SPAM to this address. If you choose to send me that kind of email anyway you
hereby agree to pay me a fee of $500 US for each unwanted email sent to this adress...

By US Code Title 47, Sec.227(a)(2)(B), a computer/modem/printer meets
the definition of a telephone fax machine. By Sec. 227(b)(1)(C), it is unlawful to send any
unsolicited advertisement to such equipment. By Sec. 227(b)(3)(C), a violation of the
areforementioned section is
punishable by action to recover the actual monetary loss, or $500,
whichever is greater, for each violation.

2408. HT with AM & WFM ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: zs6awk <zs6awk@global.co.za>
Message-ID: <5k71a2$j8@osprey.global.co.za>
Source record: 176571

IS there a HT with WFM 88-108 and AM a/c + 2, +70cm ?

Danie zs6awk

2409. new logbook software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sipke Wagenaar <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <01bc5548$d3a5dc80$348f099a@sw>
Source record: 176572

April 30, 1997

Dear HAM,

In May we (FCB) will come with a new logbook programm for
IBM compatible computers. It's a programm with for example:

* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator
(new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch
towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till
the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the
past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
* Holds name, place, info about transceiver, antenna, distance,
angle, locator, etc. of the other radiostation
This info is available during your QSO
* Have a look. during the QSO, to other QSO's you've made
with this radiostation in the past
(You can scroll without leaving the present QSO)
* Have your logbook on the computer screen or print it.
* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the
programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide
(or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in
the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.

For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo
version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one
hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can
still use this first 100 QSO's)

The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the
English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you
want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)

You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends.
With your (demo) programm you can make a demo on diskette.

If you're interested, please do e-mail me at:

fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-
programm by internet (e-mail)

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

2410. Mods for IC-730?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjhanso1@students.wisc.edu
Message-ID: <3367576b.211865@news.doit.wisc.edu>
Source record: 176573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an old IC730 HF rig - it works great but I was wondering if there were any mods out there for the thing. I used to have many photocopied and I lost them somewhere. Anything on the net?

73 es tnx de N9LEA

2411. Re: Blown UHF Amplifier Brick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DLand <daveland@**pcok.com>
Message-ID: <5k7kss$2qa@topgun.es.dupont.com>
Source record: 176574

I've used RF Parts at 800-737-2787 many times for 'bricks'. You'll need
the number off the brick before you call...
73, Dave KD5FX
daveland@pcok.com

2412. FS Kenwood TS830 & MC60 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Robinton <robinton@avherc.sanders.lockheed.com>
Message-ID: <33674B26.808@avherc.sanders.lockheed.com>
Source record: 176575

**********FOR
SALE**********

Kenwood TS-830 (Excelent Condition) One Owner.

!!!!!!Features!!!!!!

* Bands 1.5, 3.5, 7.0, 10.0, 14.0, 18.0, 21.0, 24.5,
28.9, 28.5, 29.0, 29.5 in 500 khz segments.

* Digital Frequency Readout * Kenwood MC-60 Desk Microphone
* Noise Blanker * Speech Proecesser
* VOX * AGC
* Rit / Xit * Notch Filter
* If Shift * Varible Bandpass Tuning
* Tone Contorl * CW/USB/LSB
* Manual * Runs on 110 volts.

This rig is considered one of the good old work horses.
Lets see if anyone bites at $550 Plus shipping.

robinton@avherc.sanders.lockheed.com

2413. FS - Yaesu SSB and AM Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: af2c@computer.net
Message-ID: <3367583e.2754997@news.computer.net>
Source record: 176576

Crystal Filters 4 - Sale
The following units will work in both the FTDX 401B and FT101,B,E and
F Models. The FT101 installations may require some hardwiring.

1 - AM Filter
1 - SSB Filter

If interested please reply via Email.

73,
Jay/AF2C

2414. HELP TNC>RADIO&TPK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robin@teleplex.net
Message-ID: <33685b19.8130233@news.teleplex.net>
Source record: 176577

Need some help:

I have a Kenwood TM-733 Dual Band Radio with the 1200 through 9600 TNC Port. I purchased the special TNC Cable that did not come with proper wiring information. I am trying to wire up to a KPC-9612 Plus TNC.

I have the system working with a cable to the speaker jack and the rest wired to the TNC jack on the front of the radio. This works to a point. The audio from the radio on the TNC jack is not squelched and as such the TNC will not work when this connection is made.

In using the system on TPK - the TNC comes set to NEWUSER MODE. There is no reference to NEWUSE mode in the 9612 manual but there is a supplement for the KPC-3 that states to reset the TNC to HOST or Terminal Mode. HOW?

The TNC will do a connect this way

EXAMPLE:

c al7oo
KD4SMM>AL7OO/1:
c al7oo

and hang.

With others TNC the second and third line do not appear. I cant figure out why or how to stop it.

Any suggestions?

Thanks in advance

Robin Michael
KD4SMM
robin@teleplex.net

2415. WTB: Eimac 3CX1200 Tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <lmenzel@millcomm.com>
Message-ID: <33675AB5.65EB@millcomm.com>
Source record: 176578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for a spare tube...new or excellent used.

Larry Menzel N0XB
lmenzel@millcomm.com

2416. RE: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <9704300756271328 7@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176579

>>What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440.

I transmit on those two bands every day...

>>Who can i report to and what evidence is needed.

How about telling us exactly what is going on?

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

2417. wtb ux-14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: oneidman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970430151300.LAA06197@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176580

wtb ux-14 interface for icom r71a oneidman @AOL

2418. Re: Battery Interchangability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DLand <daveland@**pcok.com>
Message-ID: <5k7kp4$2qa@topgun.es.dupont.com>
Source record: 176581

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote:
>
> I was told I could use the Icom batteries for the IC-2at on the Radio
> Shack HTX-202. Can anybody verify that this is so? Which other radios
> will the RS battery fit, as I would like to buy an somewhat more feature
> filled radio, and would like the availability of secondary batteries.
>
> Thanks,
> Dave
Yes, it's true. At one time I had both the HTX-202 and an old IC-2AT. I
was able to interchange the batteries with no problems. I know of no
other radios except the IC-2AT that it would exchange with. Perhaps
there were a couple of other ICOM radios that used the same battery as
the IC-2AT. Also, you can get secondary batts from Radio Shack and other
3rd party battery suppliers if you need them. Check out the ads in the
back of the latest QST for 3rd party battery suppliers.
If you need more info, drop an email to the address below.
73, Dave KD5FX
daveland@pcok.com

2419. Re: Mods for IC-730?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Gerheim <gerheim@sonalysts.com>
Message-ID: <33676764.BA9@sonalysts.com>
Source record: 176582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jason Hanson wrote:
>
> I have an old IC730 HF rig - it works great but I was wondering if
> there were any mods out there for the thing. I used to have many
> photocopied and I lost them somewhere. Anything on the net?
>
> 73 es tnx de N9LEA

Don't know about the IC-730, but there's a load of mods and other
neat stuff at ftp://oak.oakland.edu/pub/hamradio if I spelled
it right.

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| Albert P Gerheim, K1QN |
| http://www.sonalysts.com |
| 1 (800) 526-8091 X 218 |
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2420. Text for using SSB?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: holiday@panix.com
Message-ID: <5k7re2$ok7@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 176583

I recently purchased a used Yaesu SSB FT-901DM for use on a sailboat.
Does anyone know of any good texts to help a beginner get started?

Thanks.

--
Christian Pschorr "Lady Day"
holiday@panix.com Columbia 29
(718) 777-2583

2421. HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: psoft_a <psoft_a@postalsoft.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5585$12a13f60$65d5e6ce@psoft_a.lax.net>
Source record: 176584

I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to information on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com. All I have found so far is a brief description of the fact that is was pulled off the shelves.

2422. Cleaning Out the Shack!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dialta@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970430170600.NAA12951@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176585

I have the following items for sale. No reasonable offer refused, as
I am forced to downsize in a short amount of time.

1. Kenwood MB-10 Mobile Mounting Bracket.

2. MFJ Model 1270B TNC-2 Packet Controller.

3. MFJ Model 1272B Microphone-Packet Controller Switch

4. HAL Communications PCI-4000 PC Board, (RTTY, CW, ASCII, Clover, etc).

5. HAL Communications PCI-3000 PC Board, (RTTY, CW ASCII, AMTOR, etc).

6. ICOM IC4AT 450 MHz Handi-Talki, with external microphone and battery
charger.

7. "Jackson" Dynamic Tube Tester.

8. Bencher ZA-1A Balun

9. Western Union Main Line Sounder, Modela C-15. Excellent condition,
Collectors item.

10. Heathkit IT-741D Logic Probe.

11. Heathkit "Cantenna", 1KW Dummy Load

12. Epson MX80F/T Tractor Feed Dot Matrix Printer, with roll paper
adapter.

13. Heathkit HP2715, 9 - 12 Volt, 15 Amp Fully Adjustable Bench Power
Supply.

14. Webster "Band Spanner" Mobile Antenna System.

15. New "Pro-AM" Two-Meter Mobile Antenna, (surface mount).

16. Sencore Digital Volt Meter.

17. Hewlett-Packard Vacuum Tube Volt Meter

18. BC-221 Frequency Meter, with AC Power Supply, (Military surplus, but
in excellent condition).

19. Heathkit IB-1103 RF Digital Frequency Counter

20 Two 440 MHz Transmitters, with tone output for remote control of a
repeater.

21. Kenwood SP-70 Speaker. (Matches Kenwood SP-700 Transceiver).

22. Kenwood SP-520 Speaker

23. "Optoelectronics" Model 8007-5 10 Hz to 700 MHz Digital Frequency Counter, with probes and collapsible antenna system.

UPS shipping available on all items. Most have documentation..
Contact:

Dick, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street
Rapid City, SD 57702
(605) 343-6127
Email - dialta@aol.com or k0vkh@juno.come

2423. FS: (mint) Handheld Freq. Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: sidener@saucer.cc.umr.edu
Message-ID: <5k7s7j$a44$3@news.cc.umr.edu>
Source record: 176586

Hi, I have a radio shack handheld frequency counter for sale.

It was purchased last september and is in mint condition.

I am asking $65 for it plus $3 for postage.

Thanks,

Scott Sidener N0WFL

2424. Microwave folks - Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5588$c48699c0$54f277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 176587

Hello -

I'm looking for an adapter, but don't know
what it's called (or numbered), or how to
identify it other than a "N-to-waveguide"
adapter...

The waveguide-end of the thing would bolt
to waveguide with an outside diameter
of 1 1/4 by 2 1/2 inches, and the flange
outside dimensions are 2 3/4 by 4 inches,
and it has a ten bolt pattern. And the "N"
connector would probably be an N female.

What would be the "proper" nomenclature
for this item?

Thanks in advance
de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net
--

2425. Talking multimeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Wardrop <alan@mai.co.uk>
Message-ID: <336786BB.556B@mai.co.uk>
Source record: 176588
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm looking for a talking multimeter. I used to own one marketed by MAplin, but it got drowned. No longer available. Only one I can find on the web is a 350 USD unit from Omega. Apart from being an inappropriate price for my application (!), it's a "larger than pocket" device anyway

There MUST be some more around. While I had my old one, it was just about the most useful gadget I ever bought (at around 40 GBP as I recall).

Any pointers?
--
Alan Wardrop

2426. Repeater System Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Withers <jeffrey@wln.com>
Message-ID: <336788B2.6E89@wln.com>
Source record: 176589

Hello, I am Jeff W3GE and just become the trustee
of a 3 repeater system 2M,220,440 which we want to link
together at two different sites..and add autopatch, etc.
using an RLC-2 on one and Link controller on the other.
I need any suggestions/examples of how to set this up including
specific programming examples, radio mods, the works.
Any info where to begin my general education?
Tnx/73 de Jeffrey@WLN.com

2427. FS: Icom IC-W2A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: khenken@bgnet.bgsu.edu
Message-ID: <khenken-2708561241340001@ppp-198-13.bgsu.edu>
Source record: 176590

I have an Icom IC-W2A ht for sale. The unit is in good working order and is only four years old with no modifications to it whatsoever.I am only asking $200 obo for it, you pay the shipping. It comes complete with the wall charger which is only two months old, one battery pack (BP-82), and the optional speaker mike. Please send serious offers to khenken@bgnet.bgsu.edu.

N8OSF

2428. Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: PZFH81A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5k81gi$3hac@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 176591

Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 1208 6 meter converter and successfully used it with an ICOM IC-735 or other similar rig?

I would like to hear stories.

WA5RPP/1
Sam Barrett
pzfh81a@prodigy.com

2429. Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: PZFH81A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5k81e3$f0s@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 176592

Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 1208 6 meter converter and successfully used it with an ICOM IC-735 or other similar rig?

I would like to hear stories.

WA5RPP/1
Sam Barrett
pzfh81a@prodigy.com

2430. Re: Microwave folks - Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: keng@techlock.com
Message-ID: <33679636.22745986@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 176593

On 30 Apr 1997 17:05:08 GMT, "A Redshirt" <occupant@ns.net> wrote:

>
>Hello -
>
>I'm looking for an adapter, but don't know
>what it's called (or numbered), or how to
>identify it other than a "N-to-waveguide"
>adapter...
>
>The waveguide-end of the thing would bolt
>to waveguide with an outside diameter
>of 1 1/4 by 2 1/2 inches, and the flange
>outside dimensions are 2 3/4 by 4 inches,
>and it has a ten bolt pattern. And the "N"
>connector would probably be an N female.
>
>What would be the "proper" nomenclature
>for this item?
>
>Thanks in advance
>de John WB6GHA
>occupant@ns.net
>--
>

You would call it a Waveguide to Coax Transition (or adapter).
The nearest standard waveguide I can come up with for those dimensions
is WR 229, or European R40 or WG11A. Its frequency coverage is
nominally from 3.30 to 4.90 GHz. Actual dimensions are as follows:

Inside: 2.290 X 1.145 inches
Outside: 2.418 X 1.273 inches
Wall thickness: 0.064 inches

Normal cost for 1 each is $385.00 with Type N Female.

Hope this helps.

Ken Gunton WB6QWF Microwave & RF Components
http://www.techlock.com Techlock Distributing
Phone 937-434-5078, Fax 937-434-5079

2431. NEW KENWOOD HT BATTERIES FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5581$aebb8bc0$2ed666ce@paul>
Source record: 176594

I RECENTLY SOLD MY KENWOOD TH-225HT AND HAVE TWO (2(PERIPHEX PB-4 EXTENDED USE 2200MAH BATTERIES (BRAND NEW//NEVER USED) FOR SALE.

WILL SELL BOTH FOR $80.00 TOTAL = DELIVERED USA

PAUL LONDON ki4xz@kf4hfr ki4xz@peganet.com 941-637-0179

2432. FS: JPS NF-60 , AEA Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <3367a2ea.2547700@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 176595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

JPS NF-60 Auto notch DSP unit with wall P/S. looks and works great!
$90 shipped

AEA MorseMatic Keyer. Has Keypad on top for functions. Has
KEYER/BEACON/MEMORY/TRAINER modes. has wall P/S and manual. (this is
the forerunner to the MM3) It does most of the same functions. Looks
and works excellent. $100 shipped
PLease email for more info
Tim
NZ8J

2433. FS CW MEMORY KEYER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka2qep@webspan.net
Message-ID: <5k88dt$i5p@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 176596

** FoxGap CW Memory Keyer **

Great features-Great Value

FoxGap C.W.
Memory Keyer Instructions:

Features:
- 5 to 40 words per minute rate.
- One message memory, about 1 minute at 13 WPM.
- CMOS chip, for longer battery life.
- Side tone oscillator with tone control.
- Side tone amplifier with volume control.
- Internal speaker.
- Runs low EMI mode for quiet operation while receiving.
- Tune switch, allows easy transmitter tuning.
- Operates on 9 volt battery, not supplied.
- and/or Operates on optional AC adapter.
- and/or Operates on your 12 volt shack supply.

The FoxGap CW Memory Keyer lists for $79.95
For a limited time the intro offer is $60.00
Shipping extra. We can ship UPS COD cash only,
MO, or certified check. For further information
contact Jim at 610-588-0282
Fax 610-588-0253 Or Email n2gkw@epix.net

Specifications:
Power requirement:
internal - 9 volt, around 50 milli-amps. Idle is about 9 milli-amps.
and/or
external - 12 volt, 100 milli-amps max. - optional.
Size: 3.250 x 4.375 x 1.600 inches (excluding knobs).
Weight: 8 ounces.
Sending Speed: 5 to 40 WPM +/- 10%.

Optional Components:
1 Phono Plug..... @ 1.00
1 1/4 inch Stereo Phone plug..... @ 1.75
1 AC Adapter ..... @ 4.95
Prices may change without notice, and do not include shipping.

FoxGap CW, PO Box 246, Bangor, PA 18013 <n2gkw@epix.net>

2434. Re: Microwave folks - Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3367AB58.34B4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176597

A Redshirt wrote:
>
> Hello -
>
> I'm looking for an adapter, but don't know
> what it's called (or numbered), or how to
> identify it other than a "N-to-waveguide"
> adapter...
>
> The waveguide-end of the thing would bolt
> to waveguide with an outside diameter
> of 1 1/4 by 2 1/2 inches, and the flange
> outside dimensions are 2 3/4 by 4 inches,
> and it has a ten bolt pattern. And the "N"
> connector would probably be an N female.
>
> What would be the "proper" nomenclature
> for this item?
>
> Thanks in advance
> de John WB6GHA
> occupant@ns.net
> --
Howdy John
Try TECHLOCK DISTRIBUTING - Source for Microwave and RF Components
at URL:
http://www.erinet.com/kenny/microwave.html

73 & Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2435. Re: Text for using SSB?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.com
Message-ID: <3367ad84.1357139@news.syspac.com>
Source record: 176598

holiday@panix.com (Christian Pschorr) wrote:

>I recently purchased a used Yaesu SSB FT-901DM for use on a
sailboat.
>Does anyone know of any good texts to help a beginner get started?
>
>Thanks.
>
>--
>Christian Pschorr "Lady Day"
>holiday@panix.com Columbia 29
>(718) 777-2583

Go to any amateur radio dealer and get the appropriate ARRL
publications for getting a legitimate Ham License so that your
activities will be legal.

C. Dean Norris, K7NO
e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com
Tom Daschle seems to lie ... a lot!

2436. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5k88tq$co2$1@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 176599

In article <33644313.1FBB@oal.com>, Jim Band <jbandr@oal.com> wrote:
>What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
>report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.

Do you know if the person is a ham or not? What type of transmissions are
being made? Are you and others RECORDING these transmissions (for evidence?),
Are you in a club and is anyone trying to track the signal location? You need
witnesses, recordings, then maybe the FCC will listen to your complaints. you
haven't given us much info here.

>Thanks in advance

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

2437. Re: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <3367CAEA.72DE@vbe.com>
Source record: 176600

psoft_a wrote:
>
> I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to information
> on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com. All I have found so far
> is a brief description of the fact that is was pulled off the shelves.

Check out the ADI/Premier home page FAQ at: http://www.adi-radio.com

73 de Mike KB9QHU

2438. Manuals For Sale - manuals.doc [01/01]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com
Message-ID: <5k8csf$och@abc.minot.com>
Source record: 176601
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: manuals.doc

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[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: manuals.doc]

END -- Cut Here -- cut here
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2439. Problem with Baycom Packet Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgravatt@falcon.cc.ukans.edu
Message-ID: <862436746.11947@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello all,
Got a problem with my Baycom packet modem. I've used it for a couple of years without problems, and then suddenly it started putting out bad QRM on various frequencies, one of which is 145.03, the main local packet spot. The modem itself is generating this interference, and it opens the squelch on my HT. I've checked all of the connections and reseated all the chips. If I remove the AM7910, the QRM stops (not too surprising). Any suggestions? If it turns out I need a new 7910, where could I get one?

Thanks in advance!

- Dan, N2PRC

dgravatt@falcon.cc.ukans.edu

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2440. Equipment For Sale - equip.doc [01/01]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com
Message-ID: <5k86rs$dto_002@pppS2.rushmore.com>
Source record: 176603

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Following is a list of Ham gear I'm parting with. The
prices are certainly negotiable, and I'm mainly interested in
selling everything on this list, so there will be some bargains.
I have most all of the manuals, documentation, etc., for these
items. Here's the list:

1. Forty-foot Rohn 25 Ham tower, with a HyGain TH-3
"Thunderbird" 10-15-20 Meter Beam antenna. Telex "Tail Twister"
Heavy Duty Rotor, and Control Station. Three element two-meter
beam, and Ringo Ranger two-meter vertical antenna, installed on
tower.

2. Service Manuals:
Kenwood TS-940S
Kenwood TM-2570A
Kenwood TR-7730
Kenwood TS-930S
Kenwood TS-130S (2 each)
Kenwood TS-820S (2 each)
Kenwood TS-180S
Kenwood TR-7400

3. Kenwood MB10 Two-Meter Mounting Bracket.

4. MFJ TNC-2 Packet Controller.

5. MFJ Microphone-Packet Controller Switch.

6. HAL Communications PCI-4000 PC Computer Board. The ultimate
in computer controlled CW, RTTY, ASCII, AMTOR and Clover digital
communications. Complete documentation. Bargain priced.

7. HAL Communications PCI-3000 PC Computer Board. Excellent
digital communications, (RTTY, CW, ASCII and AMTOR). Complete documentation.
Bargain priced.

8. "Ultra" 386/33 MHz Desktop Computer. Ninety megabyte hard
drive, 4 megabytes RAM, enhanced keyboard, and SVGA .28" color
monitor. Parallel port, 2 serial ports, game port, etc. Perfect
ham shack computer. Has Windows and lots of ham software
installed.

9. ICOM IC4AT 450 MHz Handi-Talki, with external microphone and
battery charger.

10. "Jackson" dynamic tube tester.

11. "Hickok" Model 6000A Tube Tester. (Collectors Item).

12. Western Union Main Line Telegraph Sounder, Model C-15
Excellent condition. (Collectors item).

13. "Bencher" ZA-1A Balun.

14. Heathkit IT-741D Logic Probe.

15. Heathkit "Cantenna", 1KW Dummy Load.

16. Epson MX80F/T Tractor Feed Dot Matrix Printer, with roll
paper adapter.

17. Heathkit HP2715, 9 - 12 Volt, 15 Amp, Fully Adjustable Bench Power
Supply.

18. Webster "Band Spanner" Mobile HF Antenna System.

19. New "Pro-AM" Two-Meter Mobile Antenna, (surface mount).

20. Sencore Digital Volt Meter.

21. Hewlett-Packard Vacuum Tube Volt Meter.

22. BC-221 Frequency Meter, with AC power supply. (Military
surplus).

23. Heathkit IB-1103 RF Digital Frequency Counter.

24. "QST" Magazines. January 1974 to March 1997, complete.

25. ARRL "Handbooks". Years, 1954, 1955, 1957, 1959, 1968,
1969, 1973, 1976, 1977 (2 each), 1978, 1979, 1980, and 1989.

26. "Ham Radio" magazines. Bound editions for years 1976 and
1977.

27. "National" NC-300 External Speaker.

28. CY-1300 Oscilloscope. Military surplus, condition unknown.

29. Two 440 MHz Transmitters. Tone output for remote repeater
control. Built in power supplies.

30. HAL MPT-3100 RTTY/CW/ASCII system. Originally cost over
$4000.00. Dedicated RTTY at its best. Includes HAL ST-6000
Demodulator and Scope, and DSK-3100 Disk Drive unit. Sacrifice
to a good home!

31. HAL SPT-2 "Spectra-tune" RTTY-CW Tuning Indicator

32. Kenwood SP-70 Speaker

33. Kenwood SP-520 Speaker

34. "Optoelectronics" Model 8007-5 10 Hz to 700 MHz Digital Frequency
Counter, with Probes and collapsible antenna.

UPS shipping available on all items, with the exception of
the tower package. Local pickup on that only.

Best Regards!
S. Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street, Rapid City, SD 57702
(605) 343-6127
Email = k0vkh@juno.com
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2441. FS CREATIVE LABS SOUND BLASTER 32 CHEAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc55d2$d90afb80$9d6774cf@default>
Source record: 176604

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for sale creative labs sound blaster 32 brand new
in the box never open $125.00 or best offer call gabe
at 1-401-434-2606 or e-mail at

gmelo@worldnet.att.net
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2442. FS: Uniden HR-2510 25W 10M All-Mode Mobile Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3367C7A9.682D@earthlink.net>
Source record: 176605
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:
Uniden President HR-2510 10 meter all-mode 25W mobile rig, with stock mic (with UP/DOWN controls), mounting bracket, and manual. In xlnt cosmetic and working condition. AM, FM, CW, USB, and LSB, RF gain, beep, step, band, SWR / MOD meter in backlit amber LCD frequency display, RIT, VFO, etc. With expanded coverage bands A through H (26 - 30MHz). As stated, in xlnt condition. I've worked lots of mobile DX in the last three months with this rig, but have decided to reinvest in fixed station equipment. Asking $180 plus shipping, or pickup in Orange County, California. If interested, E-Mail your reply.

73,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

2443. FS Heathkit SB-102 HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5k8ibj$pj0$1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 176606

For Sale,

Heathkit SB-102 transceiver and HP-23-A power supply.

The SB-102 is in good working condition and the HP-23-A is in excellent condition.

Comes with Shure 450 desktop mic and SB-102 original manual.

$120 US plus shipping.

Please reply to csc@smartt.com if interested.

2444. manual for TH28A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: lecourss <lecourss@total.net>
Message-ID: <33672232.2B11@total.net>
Source record: 176607

I will like a service manual for a TH28A .(copy)
Send me a email.
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Stephane Lecours
VE2JTX
Quebec contest group
http://www.riq.qc.ca/users/mcaron/qcg

2445. Re: Alinco DJ-S41T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdr@world.std.com
Message-ID: <E9H56G.3Ku@world.std.com>
Source record: 176608

> Anyone have opinions on the Alinco DJ-S41T 440 handheld? I am
> considering getting one to use mainly with my crossband 2m/440 radio.

I like it. My review (and revision of it's "manual") is online at
http://world.std.com/~wdr/alinco.html

73 de N1VUX BPL with Tech-No-Code
Bill Ricker wdr@world.std.com http://world.std.com/~wdr n1vux@amsat.org
QST TO ALL NO-CODERS: Subscribe to QST and let your ARRL elected officials
know you'll be voting in the next division and section elections.

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Bill Ricker N1VUX wdr@world.std.com "The freedom of the press belongs
http://world.std.com/~wdr to those who own one."--A.J.Liebling

2446. Re: Equipment For Sale - equip.doc [01/01]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <3367DD67.6DEE@techie.com>
Source record: 176609

Dick Uhrmacher wrote:
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>
> Following is a list of Ham gear I'm parting with. The
> prices are certainly negotiable, and I'm mainly interested in
> selling everything on this list, so there will be some bargains.
> I have most all of the manuals, documentation, etc., for these
> items. Here's the list:
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I suspect you would get more interest if you would post a sale price on
this equipment.

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Ed
MrMicro@techie.com

2447. HF GEAR WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: megaman@cybernet1.com
Message-ID: <862445571.19824@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176610
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio,amateur.shortwave

Looking for the following HF gear: Icom sm-6, or 8, or 20
desktop mike; Bencher Iambic paddle, BY-1 or 2; electronic
keyer; heil headphones; 2 KW tuner; 2KW amp; and Icom IC-701,
706 or 707 mobile rig.

Thanks, Al

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2448. Need FT-2500M Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: donald banks <kb5znn@cei.net>
Message-ID: <3367D3FB.52FB@cei.net>
Source record: 176611

Can anyone please help me find the mods for the Yaesu FT-2500 M mods.
Thanks. Please send me an e-mail with answers.

Donald
KB5ZNN@cei.net

2449. FS: Yaesu FT-767

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rickie L. Sexton" <sexton.r@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5k8tut$lbu@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176612

Yaesu Ft-767GX, with 6 meter, 2 meter, and 430 mc. modules. Also, SP767
speaker
manuals and hand mic., have Heil Headset available with foot switch.
Excellent condition, mod for CAP/MARS. Asking $1,700 plus shipping.
reply to
sexton.r@ix.netcom.com
Indianapolis, IN
1-317-328-5629

2450. Kenwood ??9130 2M all mode rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Andrews <Mauser2@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336827AE.796A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176613

To All:
Does anyone have any comments based on operating experience with this rig? I would appreciate any feedback on this unit. I am considering the purchase of one. My thanks in advance to all who respond!

George N1YAE

2451. FS: UHF HT & Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas K. Neiferd" <dknife@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3367FF05.6A26@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176614
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Standard HX-240U, UHF 16 chnl/4 watt HT, 450-470 MHz, programmable,
all original accessories and box, software and field programming
instructions, simplex/duplex, hi/low power, scan, CTCSS tones,
drop-in-charger, spkr/mic, power cords, bottom covers, extra alk
battery pack, lighted LED, mobile mag mount ant, manuals, and
digital display. Excellent condition, $300.

Realistic DX-380 Portable Communications Receiver.
150 kHz-30 MHz AM and 88-108 MHz FM. Digital display.
Has local/dx and narrow/wide AM reception switches.
Stereo/mono FM switch. Also, hi/low tone and fast/slow
tune switches. AM external antenna, dc power, and headphone
jacks. Tunes by direct entry, up/down button, or rotary dial.
Original box and manual, like new, works great. $100

I will pay shipping via UPS ground.

Recent sells references available

Contact Doug, KG8EP at dknife@worldnet.att.net

2452. Re: FCC to get rid of hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336808EB.6809@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176615

Buying your own band is not NEW! Does Nextel ring a bell? How about "spectrum auctions". It is not if, but when. 1 year or 10, but inevitable.

2453. Re: Hotel pay-tv, how does signalling work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336809A8.343C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176616
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

An RF module transmits a signal back down the coax, usually on low frequency "cable t-channels". They are normally below 30Mhz.

2454. Re: FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Justin Bodie <bodie@rrnet.com>
Message-ID: <33680B40.5C8E95E@rrnet.com>
Source record: 176617

miker wrote:

> > Scott Wilkerson (n9kqk@hsonline.net) wrote:
> > : Does anyone have a part number for the DC input plug for the FT-50R
> > : ht? A friend got one without the cord or recharger, all my adapters
> > : seem to be too big. Is there an aftermarket replacement or one at the
> > : local RShack?

> Anybody make this work? I can get it to work if I hold it pushed in,
> but when I let go, it breaks contact. Seems like the contact is
> too far up inside the barrel.

Yeah, I could never get it to work without pushing it in either.
The RShack plug just isn't quite right. I didn't have any luck
finding one elsewhere, but you might have a chance with one of the
mail-order electronics shops...

Justin

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Justin M. Bodie
New E-mail: bodie@rrnet.com
Home Page: http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/2062/

2455. HIGH VOLTAGE CAPS FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5k9030$2tj@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 176368

I have the following high voltage caps available:

2 ea. 1 mfd 5000 V $25 ea.
2 ea. 2 mfd 5000 V $30 ea.
1 ea. 3 mfd 4000 V $30 ea.
1 ea. 1.43 mfd 25000 V $50 ea.
1 ea. 3.7 mfd 15000 V $60 ea.

Total of $200 if you take them all. I will ship UPS COD
Norman N8RGR
norsan@bright.net

2456. Re: Problems with NARCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: newsline@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5k9l07$6rk@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In <336592FB.209F@hooked.net> Tom Sharples <sharples@hooked.net>
writes:
>
>Attention Northern California Repeater Owners: Have you had any
problems
>with unreasonable, arbitrary behavior or croneyism and favoritism on
the
>part of NARCC, the Northern California repeater frequency coordinating
>body? If so I'd like to hear about them. Please send me a brief
>description of your experiences in working with this group, including
>names, dates, places and events to the extent you remember them.
Thanks
>in advance- Tom WA6HAS <sharples@hooked.net>

Actually, in my twenty-five years+ of writing about FM, repeaters and coordination, NARCC is one of the very few coordinators that can truly be called an overwhelming success. This is because NARCC lrearned early on how to say "NO" to adding more unnecessary repeaters to overcrowded bands and how to successfully remove nuisance repeaters from the air. The rest of the nation could learn a lot by emulating NARCC's high standards.

de WA6ITF / Former Editor 73 Looking West FM Columm,
current FM/Repeater feature weiter for Worldradio Magazine

2457. FT-50R WFM & AM quality ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: zs6awk <zs6awk@global.co.za>
Message-ID: <5ka28j$ars@osprey.global.co.za>
Source record: 176370

I am interested in the ft50r. Could somebody tell me what the 88-108MHz FM quality is ? What is the deviation it wants ? ie +-150kHz

How is the airband rx quality ?

Can it be made to tx on 141-142MHz ?

Danie zs6awk
zs6awk@global.co.za

2458. Another FT50R question :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: zs6awk <zs6awk@global.co.za>
Message-ID: <5ka2cg$ars@osprey.global.co.za>
Source record: 176371

Does the FT50R have a PC RS232 interface ?

What is the ICOM and KENWOOD equivalents ?

Thanks , Danie zs6awk

2459. Re: FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5k9oba$t0d$1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 176372

I found one at Wal-Mart of all places. They have quite a collection
of adapters near their car radio and cb display. For use on Radar
Detectors I guess. You might try there.

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KE4YDY

On Wed, 30 Apr 1997 22:17:21 -0500, Justin Bodie <bodie@rrnet.com>
wrote:

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>Yeah, I could never get it to work without pushing it in either.
>The RShack plug just isn't quite right. I didn't have any luck
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>Justin M. Bodie
>*New* E-mail: bodie@rrnet.com
>Home Page: http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/2062/

2460. Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bergum@internet.no
Message-ID: <336b61a9.1619434@news.internet.no>
Source record: 176373
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
alterning the state on the port.
I allso want one for a com port.
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Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!

http://www.internet.no/bergum/
- Bergum@Internet.no

2461. Re: Another FT50R question :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5k9q4e$t0d$2@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 176374

Yes in a in a fashion. There is a cable that connects to the speaker/mic jack on the side. This allows a pc to hook up to the radio and program it using the CLONE feature. Yaesu has some software that allows you to store all freqs, power settings, repeater shift, and name on your computer. You can keep multiple databases so that if you travel a lot, you can just reload the radio for the area your going to. This is a nice program. I think it's called ADM-1C.

I don't know of a Kenwood or Icom equiv.

'd KE4YDY

On 1 May 1997 12:30:08 GMT, zs6awk <zs6awk@global.co.za> wrote:

>Does the FT50R have a PC RS232 interface ?
>
>What is the ICOM and KENWOOD equivalents ?
>
>Thanks , Danie zs6awk
>
>

2462. Re: Info on Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0105970632330001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 176375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <NEWTNews.862330245.24716.Bob@norw-mcguireb>,
bmcguire@gtionline.com wrote:

> Greetings all.
>
> Anyone got info on the new Kenwood TM-V7A dualbander?
>
> What are the specs?
>
> Any info appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
>
> 73 Bob W1TI
> bmcguire@gtionline.com or
> w1ti@juno.com

Date: Sun, 12 Jan 1997 11:42:09 -0500 (EST)
From: tnic <tnic@styx.ios.com>
Reply-To: tnic <tnic@styx.ios.com>
To: JS <john@wd1v.mv.com>
Subject: Re: TM-V7 Review
MIME-Version: 1.0

On Sun, 12 Jan 1997, JS wrote:

> Hi - love to see it. Just got the radio this week and got it running
> OK but find that the many features are a brain-time buster to get on
> top of - so my thoughts are to watch the comments on usenet and packet
> and just learn, learn, learn. Also thinking about getting into
> programming it. Any and all tips appreciated.
>
> 73,

Enjoy the new radio. All the features are a little overwhelming at first.
But they are also nifty features that will make using the radio fun. Stick
with it and reread the manual after you are a little more used to the
radio. You will get lots more out of it.

Enjoy

When I was deciding on a new radio I looked at the Yaesu
8500, Yaesu 8000 and the TM-V7A. They are all nice rigs.
The 8500 seemed a bit complicated to me. I'm not
comfortable with a radio which had the knobs on the mike

(its a popular radio that many people prefer I am not knocking it I like Yaesu products). Reports people had given me indicated the Yaesu's needed the manual for effective use (others implied I am too half-witted to operate a radio of such immense savoir faire -- kiss my ass Bozo). The Yaesu 8000 is also a fine radio but I needed alpha display. I have been told he 8000 is also missing sub band mute. I am not Yaesu bashing. Nor am I a blow hard Kenwood devotee.
Kenwood TM-V7A
I liked the 733. It has lots of features BUT without the manual the programming was so complicated your screwed. I also liked the 733 display BUT many the characters were way to small to read while driving. The buttons were to small n(for my fingers) on the 733 and the function button was in a bad spot and way too small. Operation while driving at night was not easy (for me). When you wanted to add a frequency to memory YOU had to keep track of which memories were in use and which were unoccupied. There was not built in CTSS decode ($60 option). Scanning was slow. The last straw that made me upgrade was no alpha memory. I have 40 repeaters in memory and it annoyed me because I was never sure which repeater I was doing the bla bla on.

The TM-V7A seems to be the heir apparent to the 733. It has lots of improvements in the display, programming, button placement and heat sinks. The TM-V7A addressed all the problems above. It has ALPHA MEMORY ! Its easy to read. Its very easy to program. It scans fast. It has all the features of the 733 and lots more in a much easier to use package. EXCEPT ONE FEATURE - NO MUTE - If you want to express your Joy about this to Kenwoood they can be reached at 3106395300 when the talking computer chip answers (to tell you what a valued customer you are) hit 2 then 6 OR you can Email them at cuyeda@ix.netcom.com They are slow to answer More on MUTE later.

The display looks terrible in the ad's but even in direct sunlight the display looks great. It gets lots of "wow's" from friends.

The radio seems to be bug and glitch free. I detected no hangs or problems or memory losses. All the features I tried worked fine. The manual is about 20 pages smaller than the 733 and is indicative of the effective menuing. After a few days with the radio you can put away the manual and leave it away.

Display characters are bright white on a blue background, are very large and easy to read from the drivers seat. When you select a band it displays that band in even larger characters. Even the small words on the display are easy to

read from the drivers seat. There is a reverse video setting (blue characters on a white background) for those who like that or just need a change now and then. I like normal mode my girlfriend like reverse video mode on the display. You can read and work almost all the radios features at 60 miles per hour.
Press the menu button and you can click through a bunch of menus. Each of those menus can take you through sub menus. The "display" menu for instance will allow you to change the brightness, contrast, reverse video or normal, or auto dim. In auto dim you select the brightness you want the radio in. Then when you hit a button the radio gets brighter. after a few seconds it dims again for normal operation.
There is one menu that displays instructions for all the features such as cross band repeat and deleting memories and all sorts of other features.
The menus for adding auto dial memories etc. are all easy to understand.
You can set one band to stop scan on carrier and the other to pause and resume. Or set both bands the same way etc.
There are about 20 menus and each has sub menu options.

The last menu you accessed is the menu that pops up when you hit menu again. That's nice if you doing the same thing over again. Say you are toggling between normal display and reverse display. The menu take you right back there. If your entering lots of memories the display take you back there etc.

You can reassign the buttons functions if you want.

MENU# Sub Menu

1 Transceiver guide: (instructions for loads
like cross band repeat etc.

2 Front Panel: Number of Channels or "Visual
Scan", Power on message, Multi-
Function Button labile 3
Display reverse, Display
contrast, Display
Dimmer, Auto Dimmer.

4 MEM chan lock out, VHF/UHF Mem
Channel Ratio,
Mem channel name, Auto PM Channel
Store.

5 Automatic repeater offset,
Offset Frequency,

6 Programmable VFO (Upper/Lower
limits (3 sets
of limits per band))

7 DTMC Number storing

8 Scan resume method

9 Advanced Intercept on/off
(Intermode
reducer)

10 Automatic power off

11 Transmit time out timer

12 DTSS Page code transmit delay,
auto page
cancel, Page Answer back

13 S-Meter squelch, S-Meter
Squelch Hang time

14 Beep volume, Speaker config,
Voice
synthesizer (with optional board).

15 Data Transfer rate, Data TX/RX
Band

16 Microphone control, Programmable
function
keys, DTMF Monitor.

17 Repeater TX Hold
And more!

You can do most things right from the mike such as: reverse offset, change power setting, change frequency, direct enter a frequency, move memory to VFO or VFO to memory, turn off squelch, go into Function mode, start scanning, stop scanning, go to call channel, scan call channel and another channel continuously, change the dual bands to VHF & UHF or VHF and VHF or UHF & UHF.

You can listen to AM and hear aircraft communication. I can pick up several airports and lots of "jet chatter" in a 50 mile radius of my car. I can pick up maritime communication no problem.

There is a simplex indicator mode which starts flashing if a station is within simplex range (when you activate it).

The CTSS decode works very well while repeater surfing. If you hear a repeater just press the tone button for a second and CTSS scan kicks in. It goes through the PL tones and beeps and flashes when it hits the correct one. If the station stops transmitting the CTSS scan pauses and waits for the station to transmit again. This means only one pass through CTSS is needed to find the right PL.

Programming memory:
Set the channel PL offset etc. on VFO mode then hit the function key. The memory display pops up and shows a solid triangle next to the memory number if the memory is occupied. It displays an empty triangle if the memory is not occupied (this prevents overwriting occupied memory as I used to do many times with the 733). Hit memory on the mem number you want and your done. Much improved.

To give that memory a name - display the memory number you want and hit the menu key. Stop at the memory menu option and select name. Enter the name and hit set etc. The name is programmed in. Its intuitive (at least for me). I have done it while driving.

There is a memory lock out that allows the scan mode to
skip a memory. In case you have a repeater where a blabber mouth wont shut up. The radio is simple enough to do all this
while driving.
One feature I like is -
If you were in scan mode when you turned off the rig. When you turn the radio on it jumps right back into scan mode! SCAN is fast. It looks like the thing is scanning 7 to 10 memories a second. Scan is either stop on carrier or stop for a few seconds. You can set each band differently if desired. You can set 2 upper and 2 lower scan limit ranges for each band. I suppose you could scan 144 to 148 then jump to 150 to 154 mhz with the second set of limits. I have not needed or used the second limit. You can also scan a "call channel" and another channel on each band. The display looks pretty busy when all the scans are going.

VisualScan: I don't see what good this is. So I can see there is activity on near by frequencies. What's the big deal I still have to scan them. I just don't get why they went through all the trouble.

MUTE mode is missing.
Kenwood for some reason left off the MUTE mode on this

radio. Its on the 733 but not the TM-V7A. This is the only complaint I have. I would not be shocked if later model have mute. The mute key is unassigned on the mike and probably only needs a software change to work. If you want to express your Joy about this to Kenwoood they can be reached at 310639-5300 when the talking computer chip answers (to tell you what a valued customer you are) hit 2 then 6 OR e-mail Kenwood at cuyeda@ix.netcom.com They are slow to answer. Despite missing mute I have learned to adjust the volume controls and am not going back to the 733 that's for sure.

There is no wireless memory transfer to another like radio. Kenwood says there is software coming to do this.

MODS:
There is a Mars CAP mod for Out of band transmit floating around. Basically you you take off the cover and snip a wire.

INTERMOD:
I live in Intermod hell. Being just across the Hudson river from New York City there is a constant assault from the building top antennas. I own a Yaesu FT-50R, Kenwood 733 and Kenwood TM-V7A. The Yaesu when hooked up to a roof antenna is almost unusable on some bands due to the Intermod. I ended up buying a $66 notch filter from PAR. That eliminated 98% of the problem.

The TM-V7A has an "anti intermod" mode. The TMV7A is better than the other 2 rigs. But it still gets blasted when I'm in the city. Just outside the city I get almost no Intermod but if your looking to totally eliminate Intermod with this radio you are going to need a notch filter.
The Antenna connection is a single PL259 with an internal duplexer (or is that a diplexer).
WHAT I DON'T LIKE
1) while programming the radio from a menu you have to pick a selection in under 10 or 20 seconds. What's the hurry? They could have left a little more time for the driver to decide. 2) Mute and wireless transfer were stupid features to leave off the rig.

In reality this is a very easy rig to use while driving. Its full featured and glitch free. You don't need a
manual (once you spend a little time with it). I will be picking a second one up for home use (when $$$ permits it).

I am using the detachable display. The cables from the 733 work on the V7 but the V7 cable kit came with a plastic holder you click the display in. When you want to remove the display you just unclick it from the holder. Its easier than the 733.

The TM-V7A has LOTS more heat sinks inside and outside than the 733 has. The mod for Mars Cap is just a snip of a wire. Audio reports have been very good.

I like the refinements on the V7A I miss mute but I aint going back to the 733. I am considering buying another for home as a replacement for the 733 at home.

I encourage your to write about what you like and especially what DON'T LIKE or would improve on your radio. The corporate adds only tell good news about zillions of features - not how impossible they are to use. Few of us want to buy the 100+ page manual to see what we are really going to be working with. On Internet we can read what real hams have to say not what a magazine that's trying to sell advertising has to say.

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

2463. Pointer to New Ham Radio FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0105970653060001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 176376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On my home page

73,

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http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

2464. QST Hams with Macs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0105970655410001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 176377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Announcing New WWW Site for Macintosh Ham Radio Enthusiasts

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

Mac Ham Software including:

Macnet Roster:
a database of all hams in the world using Mac computers

WD1V's Ham Radio EXAM Simulators:
the fast path for upgrading your ham license with a Mac

Plus more Mac information - come see!

73,

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Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

2465. Re: WTB: 10 meter amp - HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33688eda.1641532@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176378

On 1 May 1997 06:43:49 GMT, johnsi@sprynet.com (johnsi) wrote:

>People are so paranoid about CB'ers getting a hold of 10 meter amps that they
>are as rare as chicken's teeth.
>Where does a legitimate ham get a 10 meter amp?
>Please email me directly if you know where I should look for one.
>Thanks,
>John N7MTB
>
>
Selling Amps in the United States that are operation on 24 and 28 MHz
out of the box is illegal. No one is paranoid, its the law.

As a legitimate amateur operator your allowed by Part 97 to modify one
amplifier per year for 10 meter operation which will also open 24 MHz.
Most who want a 10 meter amp purchase an 160 thru 15 meter amp and get
the modification information from the manufacturer for 10 meters.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2466. HELP! RLC-1 CONTROLLER!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett and or Marina <bmhinkle@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <336893B4.61B9@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176379

Hi,
I am looking for a good used Link Communications RLC-1 controller
for my 440 mhz repeater. If you have recently upgraded your system or just
want to get rid of the RLC-1 send me an Email with your asking price. Please
help!

Thank You,
Nathaniel Hinkle N6CCR
dnhinkle@humboldt1.com

2467. CAN SOMEONE HELP WITH MY RECEPTION PROBLEM??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: enziob@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501130700.JAA29009@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176380

I am having trouble picking up an FM radio signal. I can pick it up in my car, but nowhere in the house. I bought 2 different basic amplifiers, but they dont help I also tried rabbit ears & a dipolar antenna. I would like to find a way that I can pick up this station without having to put up an outside antenna, because I plan on moving in a few months. Does anybody have a sugggestion? Please respond to my email address--ENZIOB@aol.com & THANKS!!

2468. NEEDED! (WTB: RLC-1 CONTROLLER)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett and or Marina <bmhinkle@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <336895B5.72D1@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176381

Hi,
I am looking for a good used Link Communications RLC-1 controller
for my 440 mhz repeater. If you have recently upgraded your system or just
want to get rid of the RLC-1 send me an Email(dnhinkle@humboldt1.com) with your asking
price. Please help!

Thank You 73s,
Nathaniel Hinkle N6CCR
dnhinkle@humboldt1.com

2469. FS: X-1J4 Node with Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zamphir <º¿º@huh?.whadya.say?>
Message-ID: <5ka7ev$25@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,alt.ham-radio.packet

Hi, I have a MFJ-1274 TNC converted to a Node with the X-1J4 epprom.
Tha radio is a Motorola Maxar crystal radio with the interface cable
for the TNC out the back. The radio is currently crystaled for 145.770.
I want $200. plus shipping for the complete setup. Send all inquires
via the e-mail address below.

Thanks,

Ricky

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Attention: The e-mail address in the header is bogus
to help prevent SPAM in my mailbox. If you want to
reply send email to: kc4kin*geocities.com
putting the @ where the * is. Take that you SPAM-BOTS!

Ricky L. Ponder Website: www.geocities.com/~kc4kin

Nothing's more Dangerous than a Liberal against violence.
-A personal observation 1994

2470. How do I erase a single memory channel on the Yaesu FT-50?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrhodes@iti2.net
Message-ID: <336810aa.96827130@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 176383

Can someone tell me how to erase a single memory channel on the FT-50?
Thanks

2471. Information on Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kdstfan@sound.NET
Message-ID: <199705011403.JAA19975@sound.net>
Source record: 176384

My son (KB0QHW) has a ICOM-735 and he just upgraded to Tech Plus. Before purchasing any VHF equipment, I wanted to find out more about transverters (10M to 2M). Does anybody have any experience with this type of equipment (Good, Bad or indifferent) I have not found any information regarding transverters nor any resellers advertising or selling them in their catalogs. I figure this is probably for a good reason. (I'm guessing it's probably just as cheap to buy a HT)

Any information would be helpful.

Kevin Phillips (Just passed no-code tech but no call sign yet)

2472. RE: Will the ADI AT-600 Be Recalled???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97050107030813367@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176385

>>Since the RS HTX-204 is being recalled, how will this affect the
>>availability of the ADI AT-600?

ADI formally announced that they'd be ready and selling 'em at Dayton.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

2473. Re: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: enboe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501141400.KAA03027@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176386

Not only can you listen to cell calls, but you can transmit WAY out of band, with the appropriate FCC penalties & criminal charges, of course.

Look up "radio shack mods" at www.dejanews.com.

Eric

2474. FS: Garmin GPS-45 Handheld GPS Unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fletcher@paccar.com
Message-ID: <5ka8l2$pjl@ender.techcenter.paccar.com>
Source record: 176387

For Sale: Garmin GPS-45 handheld GPS.

The unit is in excellent condition and comes with all the manuals and in the original carton. Technical Specs and a photo of the unit can be found at:

http://www.solutions.fi/prodigel/GPS45.htm

(This isn't my page, but it's a good spot to find the details on the '45.)

I'm asking $170 US. I'll pay shipping - UPS COD, cash or MO only.

Arlen Fletcher N7YIM
fletcher@paccar.com

2475. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Knaack <XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX>
Message-ID: <01bc5658$08485480$237d39cc@RUGEN.RDTECH.COM>
Source record: 176388
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

Bergum <bergum@internet.no> wrote in article
<336b61a9.1619434@news.internet.no>...
> I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
> I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
> alterning the state on the port.
> I allso want one for a com port.
> --
> Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!
>
> http://www.internet.no/bergum/
> - Bergum@Internet.no
>
You can drive a transistor with the voltage from the port, and the
transistor can run the relay. I do not recommend trying to drive the
relay on the current supplied by the port, provide an external supply.
A 2N2222 will work fine if your relay uses less than 800ma.
You should probably connect the port ground to the power ground.
Heres how you would connect the transistor.

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Vcc
|
/collector
From port------|
\emitter
|
Relay
|
Ground
```

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David Knaack[XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX]
E-mail replies are appreciated, but not necessary.

2476. Re: Information on Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3368b703.9591056@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176389

On 1 May 97 14:07:29 GMT, kdstfan@sound.NET (Kevin Phillips) wrote:

>My son (KB0QHW) has a ICOM-735 and he just upgraded to Tech Plus. Before
>purchasing any VHF equipment, I wanted to find out more about transverters
>(10M to 2M). Does anybody have any experience with this type of equipment
>(Good, Bad or indifferent) I have not found any information regarding
>transverters nor any resellers advertising or selling them in their
>catalogs. I figure this is probably for a good reason. (I'm guessing it's
>probably just as cheap to buy a HT)

Transverters can be a good thing if you are interested in SSB/CW simplex
operation on VHF/UHF. But most HF rigs don't deal with repeaters well,
and the bulk of VHF/UHF operation is via FM repeaters. And there are
FM only radios which are almost as cheap as a good transverter (in some
cases cheaper), so that often makes more sense than struggling to use a
HF rig and transverter for operation for which they aren't suited.

However, let me encourage you to resist the temptation to buy a HT. They
are specialized tools for foot mobile operation. Most will overload badly if
connected to a good antenna, and most run too low power to be comfortable
copy for other stations. Buy a mobile/base radio instead. Used ones can
be had cheap.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2477. Re: Cross Band Repeater????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5620$c967da60$596157c6@520d>
Source record: 176390

correct me if i am wrong but this is considered an auxilliarly
link and therefore it is only legal to operate the link on 220Mhz and
above.
you can only use the 440 band as the uplink to a 2M repeater.
this is my reason for having a dualband with repeat. I was told
that it is only legal from 440 to 2M not the otherway around as stated
below.

Correct or not?

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Baycom BP-2 AX.25
"Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx.ampr.org

Steve Kennedy <prografx@teleport.com> wrote in article
<5k2kjf$eu4$1@nadine.teleport.com>...
>
> "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net> wrote:
>
> >What is this used for and why would you need it on a dual band radio?
>
> >Thanks
> >lee H.
>
>
> Here is what I use mine for:
>
> I cannot reach a friend's UHF repeater from my house with a handheld,
> but my base rig (a Kenwood TM-721A mobile with crossband mod and CTCSS
> decoder module) with an external antenna has no problem.
>
> So, I set the UHF side up on the repeater in question, then set the
> VHF side for a quiet simplex frequency, protect it with the CTCSS
> decoder, and put the VHF output into a dummy load instead of an
> antenna.
>
> Now, I can freely roam around my house and immediate area with a
> 2-meter handheld transmitting simplex (with the proper tone) on the

> selected 2-meter frequency, and the radio translates everything
> to/from the UHF repeater.
>
> The only thing you have to keep in mind is that the crossband link
> must drop entirely before the next transmission can occur (the
> crossband repeat is not full-duplex like a standard repeater, but is
> half-duplex).
>
> You must identify often in BOTH directions to remain within the rules.
>
> I also disconnect the microphone, as it is hot during the crossband
> repeat and will pick up any noise in the room.
>
> Steve
> WB7PSD
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2478. Re: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Wiebe <JWiebe@bigpond.com>
Message-ID: <01bc563e$d5d505c0$c803b30a@jw>
Source record: 176391

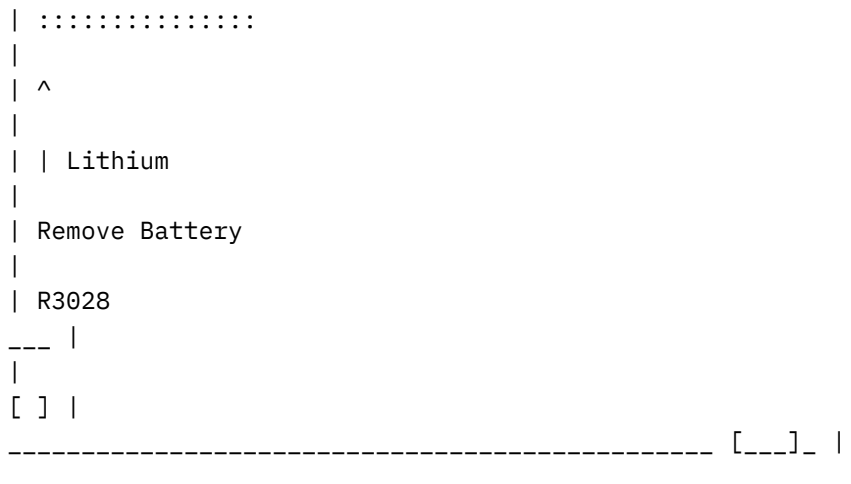
Alan S. Raskind <alan.raskind@trw.com> wrote in article
<3367A874.3E5A@trw.com>...

> Does anyone know why there do not seem to be any mods for the Yaesu
> FT-8000R dual band radio. I almost looks like none exist. I can't
> believe that.

I don't have one of these radios, so I can't confirm that this mod works,
but it was published on a mods website.

The FT-8000R Expanded TX Mod

Behind the front panel (LCD Display) of the radio were the
Lithium battery is soldered. You will see a PC board similar
to the one below. There is a row of 15 jumpers. There is a
larger component on the 4th and 6th position from the left.
If you remove the component at the 6th from the left position
and reset the radio you will have expanded TX. This does not
open the cellular block on the radio. It may be controlled by
one of the other jumper locations on this row of 15.



Mike Connector

Any feedback on whether this works would be appreciated. Perhaps this info
will help you find the cellular expansion.

Jason. JWiebe@bigpond.com

2479. Re: HTX 202 Lithium Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5kag5u$47c$2@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 176392

In article <19970501033100.XAA02319@ladder01.news.aol.com>, lstew72000@aol.com (LStew72000) wrote:
>Has anyone tried to replace the battery?. The battery is only $6.00, but
>it's holder seems to be hardwired. The cost for Radio Shack to replace it
>I hear is high.

I understand it's easy to replace. Just unsolder the old and solder in the new. Haven't had to do it yet but I'll give it a shot when the time comes.

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

2480. Re: Microwave folks - Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris.muriel@analog.com
Message-ID: <5kafha$q1d@nwd2nws1.analog.com>
Source record: 176393

"A Redshirt" <occupant@ns.net> wrote:

>Hello -
>I'm looking for an adapter, but don't know
>what it's called (or numbered), or how to
>identify it other than a "N-to-waveguide"
>adapter...
>The waveguide-end of the thing would bolt
>to waveguide with an outside diameter
>of 1 1/4 by 2 1/2 inches, and the flange
>outside dimensions are 2 3/4 by 4 inches,
>and it has a ten bolt pattern. And the "N"
>connector would probably be an N female.

>What would be the "proper" nomenclature
>for this item?

>Thanks in advance
>de John WB6GHA
>occupant@ns.net
You need a "waveguide-to-N-transition"
They're darned expensive new.
You may find one surplus -either standalone or
inside a box of microwave equipment of some sort.
Other solution is use blowtorch/hefty soldering iron
+ hacksaw etc. & make one.
Or find a friend talented in the metalwork department
& have them do it !!
Chris Muriel (G3ZDM) ,Manchester , England.

2481. Re: How do I erase a single memory channel on the Yaesu FT-50?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc564b$a360d760$71415ba5@default>
Source record: 176394

look in the manual under memory masking page 31. You "mask" the memory
without removing it. The procedure is hold the function key for .5 sec
while on that memory, then press mr. The display should change to ch-1.
For all purposes, the memory is erased. It can be restored if needed.

John Rhodes <jrhodes@iti2.net> wrote in article
<336810aa.96827130@news.zippo.com>...
> Can someone tell me how to erase a single memory channel on the FT-50?
> Thanks
>
>

2482. Re: Pricing on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc564b$32f53d40$71415ba5@default>
Source record: 176395

I got an ft-50RD HP from HRO for about $350. They are giving away a free battery fnb-49, at this time.

Tahoefranz <tahoefranz@aol.com> wrote in article <19970501065900.CAA16342@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> Shopping for this unit and wondering what prices you all have seen.
>
> Please do us all a service and post it. Thanks..
>
>
> Franz in Tahoe
>

2483. FS: Icom IC-740 w/accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33689EF2.6152@ibm.net>
Source record: 176396

I have for sale an Icom IC-740 in excellent condition, with the
following options/accessories:

Internal Power Supply
FM Unit
Marker Unit
270hz CW filter
Upgraded SSB filter
HM-10 scanning up/down mic.
Service and owners manuals

I have the original box and packing. In it's tie, this was Icom's top
of the line, and still has an excellent receiver by anybody's
standards. It is *not* general coverage, strictly 160-10 meters,
including the WARC bands.

Price is $550, including UPS domestic shipping. Due to previous
experience with less-than-honorable hams, payment is by money order or
cashier's/certified check only.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ
mfeldmn@ibm.net
415-339-8659

2484. Ham Trader Yellow Sheets - HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsi@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <5ka98v$32p@lal.interserv.com>
Source record: 176397

HELP! - I lost the address for the Ham Trader Yellow Sheets.
Please email me with the address.
All I have is the old winter address in Florida.
P.S. If you know of another place to post an ad I would be grateful.
Thanks,
John N7MTB

2485. cost of Icom 32AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: carnest@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <3368d484.13776020@altnews.pacbell.net>
Source record: 176398

Can someone comment on how much a good condition IC-32AT with the
13.8v batt, case, lapel mic, and charger base would go for.

Thank You

Please send replies to

carnest@pacbell.net

2486. WTB: Kenwood SWC-2 couplers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxlouis@mail.snider.netxx
Message-ID: <336bd6fb.69142391@207.126.101.81>
Source record: 176399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted: SWC-2 couplers for the Kenwood SW-200 SWR meter. Working or not. Will buy meters also if necessary..

louis@mail.snider.net
N5NEJ
Remove the XXs in my e-mail address to reply by e-mail.

2487. Couplers for Kenwood SW 200 SWR meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: xxlouis@mail.snider.netxx
Message-ID: <336dd74c.69223076@207.126.101.81>
Source record: 176400

I have two Kenwood SW 200 SWR meters. Does anyone know where I can get more couplers for these meters? I especially need two each of the SWC 1 and SWC 2, but would consider the SWC 3.

If you have any, or know where I can get some, please respond by E-mail.

louis@mail.snider.net
Leonard Montgomery, N5NEJ
Remove the XXs in my e-mail address to reply by e-mail.

2488. Re: Radio Shack HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501180401.OAA17867@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176401

Good posting re: the RS radio ! I bought the ADI instead though, $100 cheaper and had more memories, etc.
I can tell you that the mods you listed work, but reset the radio so that it would not Xmit out of band (don't wanna go jail !)
Hope this radio is not "Yugo" of ham gear !

73 N2ywd

2489. Re: FT-50R WFM & AM quality ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fzbruss@dilbert.ucdavis.edu
Message-ID: <5kag0p$585$1@mark.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 176402

zs6awk (zs6awk@global.co.za) wrote:
: I am interested in the ft50r. Could somebody tell me what the 88-108MHz FM quality
: is ? What is the deviation it wants ? ie +-150kHz
:
Relatively poor performance on FM broadcast band. You can understand what
is being said or sung but it's not pleasant to listen to. The wideband FM
was optimized for VHF television which sounds much better than FM
radio broadcasts. In my opinion, this was a poor decision on Yaesu's
part; however, I don't regret purchasing my FT50R one bit since neither FM
broadcast nor TV reception weren't high on my list of features.

Mike, KF6IMS

2490. Sony SW-77, turn on problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Costas Spanos <spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Message-ID: <3368F032.41C67EA6@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 176403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Sony SW-77 that has had a peculiar problem since I
got it, new, as a present less than a year ago.

Most of the time, when I first turn it on it appears to be into a "mute"
mode. It sounds as if the first RF stage is off and the radio barely
receives anything. The problem goes away if I hit the "scan" button, or
if I quickly cycle the power button. Sometimes the problem goes away if
I simply turn the frequency encoder.

Anyone seen this problem before? Should I send the radio to Sony for
repair, or is there a simple fix I can do myself? (I have the service
manual).

(BTW, this is the updated version of the SW-77 with the long antenna).

thanks!

Costas

2491. FS: Yaesu FT-747GX - $500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <3368ee08.20977178@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 176404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi All,

I have a Yaesu FT-747GX to sell. Covers .5-30 mz, all-mode AM,CW,SSB, and FM with optional accessory. Its "as new" in the box not a single mark on it. I would like to get $500.

BTW- I just got a old issue of CQ (1992) and there is a remote mounting mobile kit one can get for the FT-747GX.

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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
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2492. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: a.holloway@mail.utexas.edu
Message-ID: <5karldprc1@geraldo.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 176405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

What, pray tell, is an "avid" American?

2493. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Hinkle <shinkle@bangate.compaq.com>
Message-ID: <3368E54F.71F7@bangate.compaq.com>
Source record: 176406
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

David Knaack wrote:
>
> Bergum <bergum@internet.no> wrote in article
> <336b61a9.1619434@news.internet.no>...
> > I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
> > I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
> > alterning the state on the port.
> > I allso want one for a com port.
> > --
> > Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!
> >
> > http://www.internet.no/bergum/
> > - Bergum@Internet.no
> >
> You can drive a transistor with the voltage from the port, and the
> transistor can run the relay. I do not recommend trying to drive the
> relay on the current supplied by the port, provide an external supply.
> A 2N2222 will work fine if your relay uses less than 800ma.
> You should probably connect the port ground to the power ground.
> Heres how you would connect the transistor.
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> Vcc
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> /collector
> From port------|
> \emitter
> |
> Relay
> |
> Ground
> --
> David Knaack[XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX]
> E-mail replies are appreciated, but not necessary.

There are many relays that actuate around 20mA. You could probably
drive one of these directly from a printer port line. You could even
parallel several lines together in order to get the current you need.
Don't forget the back EMF clamping diode across the relay coil no matter
which option you decide to use!

Good luck,
===sh===

2494. New logbook software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sipke Wagenaar <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <01bc5669$bcf292e0$408f099a@sw>
Source record: 176407

May 1, 1997

Dear HAM,

In May we (FCB) will come with a new logbook programm for
IBM compatible computers. It's a programm with for example:

* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator
(new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch
towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till
the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the
past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
* Holds name, place, info about transceiver, antenna, distance,
angle, locator, etc. of the other radiostation
This info is available during your QSO
* Have a look. during the QSO, to other QSO's you've made
with this radiostation in the past
(You can scroll without leaving the present QSO)
* Have your logbook on the computer screen or print it.
* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the
programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide
(or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in
the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.

For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo
version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one
hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can
still use this first 100 QSO's)

The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the
English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you
want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)

You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends.
With your (demo) programm you can make a demo on diskette.

If you're interested, please do e-mail me at:

fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-
programm by internet (e-mail)

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

2495. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Knaack <XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX>
Message-ID: <5kaut5$he9@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 176408
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

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Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Hinkle <shinkle@bangate.compaq.com>
Message-ID: <5kauto$hfd@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 176409
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

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Good luck,
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2497. Re: Aircraft Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wgf@geocities.com
Message-ID: <5kb03i$6mf$1@news.inc.net>
Source record: 176410

In article <19970424162201.MAA15890@ladder01.news.aol.com>, rt721@aol.com (RT721) wrote:
>looking for 12 Aircraft 2-way radio, I understand that new regs are
>requiring upgrades, and i am looking for one that nolonger meets regs just
>for ground use no avat use

In the US, such usage is contrary to FCC regulations.

-Will Flor wgf@geocities.com

2498. ICOM 706 with HEIL mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olyellr@iglou.com
Message-ID: <E9Iqpu.19@iglou.com>
Source record: 176411

I have an Icom 706 an am replacing the hand mike with a Heil HM10 Dual mic. .....has anybody tried this or had any problems?

Thanks, in advance.

Mike L.
ke4hlu

2499. Re: Will the ADI AT-600 Be Recalled???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501180900.OAA18151@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176412

I just bought mine from Lentini, and the mods work.....I s'pose that you should buy 'em while you can.....

2500. Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bergum@internet.no
Message-ID: <5kb11a$i68@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 176413
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

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2501. FS Heathkit HW-100 HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5kb0vi$nq2$1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 176414

For Sale,

Heathkit HW-100 HF transceiver, excellent condition.

HP-23-A power supply and SB-600 speaker, excellent condition.

Included are manuals for all of the above and an Astatic D-104
desk mic.

$140 US plus shipping

Please reply to csc@smartt.com if interested.

2502. FS: RF Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Polizzo <ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <3369121C.7D64@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 176415

Hello,
i have a B+K RF Signal Generator model 2005 for sale.
its like new in box with manual. I will ship for $100.00
E-Mail if interested. ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us
Peter

2503. FS/ Turner microphone (oldie)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501224100.SAA08414@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176416

I have an old Turner microphone for sale, just the head which tilts up and down with cable. I do not have the stand. The microphone is in excellent condition and the model is (33x) if thats of any help to you. I will take $35 plus shipping and can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma.

2504. Re: FS: JPS NF-60 , AEA Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <336928d6.14986882@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 176417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Will consider trades on QRP gear, sw receivers, make offer
tim

On Wed, 30 Apr 1997 19:56:21 GMT, timcook@erinet.com (NZ8J) wrote:

>JPS NF-60 Auto notch DSP unit with wall P/S. looks and works great!
>$90 shipped
>
>AEA MorseMatic Keyer. Has Keypad on top for functions. Has
>KEYER/BEACON/MEMORY/TRAINER modes. has wall P/S and manual. (this is
>the forerunner to the MM3) It does most of the same functions. Looks
>and works excellent. $100 shipped
>PLease email for more info
>Tim
>NZ8J

2505. FS 1.2 GIG HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL LEE <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3369261A.6CC8@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176418

I have for sale a Kenwood TH55AT ht.It is in like new condition.It is complete wirh radio,battery,antenna,wall charger,book and box.
$250.
AL
K6DJP

2506. Re: Aircraft Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: 3W8PE1B <willi6@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33695678.2F9@erols.com>
Source record: 176419

Will Flor wrote:
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> In the US, such usage is contrary to FCC regulations.
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Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?

dave

2507. Re: New Yaesu Mobile HF/VHF ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33693E20.E43@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176420

Daniel Wells wrote:
>
> Has anyone heard of a new Yaesu mobile HF rig that will supposedly use
> the FT-900 case (and maybe a lot of the internals), but have
> incredibly wide coverage (HF plus 6 meters, 2 meters, and possibly 70
> cm and/or 220 mHz). I saw one posting on DejaNews that suggested
> rumors of such a rig, and wonder what's known. How expensive would it
> be, would all those bands be complemented by some sort of DC to
> Daylight recieve bandwith (I'd assume at least general coverage from
> 160 meters up to 70 cm),and when would it be available. I like the
> design of the FT-900 better than the IC-706, but I'd like the HF plus
> 2 meter all mode capability of the 706. 70 cm would be a nice
> bonus,too.
>
> 73, Dan KA1WNH
> p.s. to send me e-mail, remove "nospambots" from my address

I have not heard anymore info about the Yaesu Radio you mentioned
however, about 3 months ago I got a hint about a similar radio from
Yaesu to be
announced by the end of the year. It seems that all my sources have
"dried up". I plan on getting the Icom 706 Mark II if the Yaesu rig
doesn't show up by August.
73's Steven Hershman NS1R

2508. Lithium-Ion Battery in a Standard C508A??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33694250.3319@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Source record: 176421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Problem: Standard C508A works very poorly on NiCd batteries.
At 3V, the power is about 1/4 watt. At 2.4V it's about 60 mW.
NiCd batteries just won't cut it.

So, I thought I'd put in a Lithium-Ion Battery.
I'll use one cell and leave the other empty.
If I charge it at 100ma and limit the charging voltage to 3.5V, I won't exceed the rating of the transceiver.
According to the curves I've seem published on the web, I can get about 80-90% of the capacity between 3.5V and 3.0V. One Li-ion cell is about the same mAH capacity as the NiCds. Battery life is not an issue. Just need a little more than 60mw out.

Any flaws in this logic?

Anyone know where I can buy just one AA Li-ion battery at a reasonable price?

Thanks, miker

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Please remove NOSPAM from return address before replying.

2509. Re: Jeep Wrangers and Antennas ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: 3W8PE1B <willi6@erols.com>
Message-ID: <336959A8.5555@erols.com>
Source record: 176422

Timothy Mark Glaser wrote:
>
> I have an '83 CJ-7. I use a radio shack mirror mount attached to the
> spare carrier. I use this on both sides of my tire. On one side, I have a
> larson NMO 270 on a trunk mount attached to the mirror mount. It's not
> the prettiest thing, but in four years, I have not had to tighten it at
> all. It really doesn't stand out toobad. One the other side, I have the
> same Mirror mount. I use the Hustler cg-144 2m for long distance.
> However, the Larson gets me all across the DFW metroplex.
> Hope this helps.
> Tim
> KC5JOP
> Talk Hard!!
> ==========

I also used a "Mirror Bracket Clamp" of a Radio Shack variety on
my swing out spare tire. Works for HF whip fine and pretty well
with longer two meter type antennas. I use a Hustler quick release
on it for convenience. As a note, after a while I happened to see
that the swing/hingge had nylon bearings (oops?) - ran a ground strap
from the bracket down to the main chassis.

73 Dave K7HMP

2510. RE: Azden PCS 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <Pmikes@fishnet.net>
Message-ID: <33692EDB.5F2A@fishnet.net>
Source record: 176423

I am looking for a separation cable for the Azden PCS 2000 2 meter
radio.
Thanks for any help
Mike K6YPB
mikes@fishnet.net

2511. for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny <ko6oy@fishnet.net>
Message-ID: <33693FD6.12DB@fishnet.net>
Source record: 176424

ICOM IC-820H 144/440MHz All Mode
ICOM 2000h 2 mtr moble rig
HT FT11RH LIKE NEW
Kenwood 642AD Mobile Transceiver
and lots more for sale and wanted to buy
click here------->http://www.fishnet.net/~ko6oy/swapage.htm
lots more info--->http://www.fishnet.net/~ko6oy/ko6oy.html
All Ham Radio adds are Posted Free
73... Danny.. ko6oy@fishnet.net

2512. FS: VHF & UHF MOBILE RADIOS'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John E. Fitzsimmons" <jofitzsimmons@monmouth.com>
Message-ID: <33695028.4058@monmouth.com>
Source record: 176425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

THE FOLLOWING RADIOS ARE IN LIKE NEW CONDITION
1- GE MVS: 16 channel uhf radio all acc.w/scan $300 + S
1- GE PHEONIX SX: 16 channel vhf radio all acc.w/scan $200 + S
1- GE PHEONIX SX: 16 channel vhf radio all acc.w/scan $200 + S
S= SHIPPING

ALL 3 ARE MOBILE RADIOS' IN GREAT WORKING CONDITION and ARE ABLE TO BE PROGRAMMED PRIOR TO SHIPPING.
CALL JOHN at 1-908-739-3459 or E-mail at jofitzsimmons@monmouth.com

2513. WTB: Cushman "plug-ins"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Worth <gworth@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33697CC4.1056@ibm.net>
Source record: 176426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I'm trying to find a few Cushman service monitor plug-ins. Specifically, I'm looking for a 301A oscilloscope, 314 high sensitivity mixer, 302 deviation meter, and 303 broadband mixer. If you have any of the above and want to sell them, please e-mail me at:

gworth@ibm.net

Thanks,
George

2514. Swan repairs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgrow@vir.com
Message-ID: <jgrow.3.00287502@vir.com>
Source record: 176427

Hello to all,
A while back somebody posted a few names of persons who specialize in repairing Swan equipment. Can somebody repost or point me in the right direction to contact these persons.
Thank you
John

2515. Lafayette Atom Smasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Perry Locke <cpl@kaiwan.com>
Message-ID: <33697EEC.1F8@kaiwan.com>
Source record: 176428

While this is not a RADIO, it is the type of toy that amateurs
would, and probably have, enjoyed.

I have an 'Atom Smasher' that I got for christmas when I was about 10
(that was about 35 years ago). It is a 10" Van de Graf generator that
was sold by Lafayette Electronics in the early sixties. I am interested
in hearing from anyone who has owned or does own one.

The one I have still works great. But I need a new rubber belt for it. I
tried a 5/8" x 7" pale crepe rubber band, but it is too long...I have to
elevate the tube by hand to place enough tension on the belt to
get the motor to drive it. Anyone know where I can find a 5/8"
x 5" pale crepe rubber band to try?

Perry
KE6IPV

2516. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter H. Anderson" <pha@access.digex.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5688$39afe120$ce3322c7@ex002495.digex.net>
Source record: 176429
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

see http://www.access.digex.net/~pha/relay.html

this shows a typical small relay being driven by a data lead on the
parallel port ..

for more info, see http://www.access.digex.net/~pha Under "Parallel Port
- Vol 1", there is an item on the Basics of using the parallel port ..

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Peter H. Anderson, pha@access.digex.net, http://www.access.digex.net/~pha
Parallel Port & Basic Stamp Control and Data Acquisition

Bergum <bergum@internet.no> wrote in article
<5kb11a$i68@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>...
: I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
: I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
: alterning the state on the port.
: I allso want one for a com port.
: --
: Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!
:
: http://www.internet.no/bergum/
: - Bergum@Internet.no
:
:

2517. Low power broadcast equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: L.D.Brewer
Message-ID: <5kbdhf$lgs@drn.zippo.com>
Source record: 176430

For those interested in low power FM broadcast equipment, check out:

http://www.ldbrewer.com

L.D.Brewer 2-Way Radio
http://www.ldbrewer.com
ldbrewer@flanet.com
1-800-886-8023

2518. FS: Icom 728

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5kakqo$c0s$1@mhadf.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello all,

I have a new in the box IC728, purchased in February, along with the AT160 auto tuner, UI7 AM/FM module, and the FL100 500hz CW filter.

This is a full featured 100W rig, 100Khz to 30Mhz, triple conversion receiver, AM/FM/CW/SSB, passband tuning, speech processor, programmable tuning steps, NB/PreAmp/Attenuator, the works. All in a compact package.

I paid $1650, asking $1250.

All items are new, in the box, and complete.

Thanks es 73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6
drasmussen@eosintl.com
(619) 434-6135

2519. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <336961B8.1A42@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176432

Jim wrote:
>
> A carpenter that did some work for me has a 2 meter/440 and uses it to
> stay in contact with his brother. I asked about a call sign but he said
> he did not have one.
>
> What type of penalty?
> Who to contact?
>
> Please post.
>
> Thanks in advance.
$10,000 US (American, or a night in the lincoln bedroom). Brian
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

2520. Re: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <336965C0.147@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176433

Alan S. Raskind wrote:
>
> Does anyone know why there do not seem to be any mods for the Yaesu
> FT-8000R dual band radio. I almost looks like none exist. I can't
> believe that. Does anyone who has this radio actually have any mods
> that they have installed that worked, such as extended frequency
> coverage for cellphone, other than listening on images, or anything
> else?
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> 73's,
>
> Alan, WA6AQC
Alan, I'm going to forward your request to the FCC and the speaker of
the house (Newt). Perhaps they will lend a hand with your need for the
cellular mod. By the way, is that an AMATEUR EXTRA class license you're
sporting? Nope, itsa Tech Plus with a WA6??? WTF Over???
Brian/N0iMD
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

2521. Re: New Yaesu Mobile Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <3369634E.4CA3@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176434

Jarrod Boehme wrote:
>
> I am looking for any mods for the:
>
> ft-3000m
> ft-8000r
> ft-8500
>
> I have found the MARS/CAP mods for the 8000 and 8500 at ftp.qrz.com.
>
> However, I can find no mods at all for the 3000. Anyone know of any
> or where to find them? Thanks in advance.
>
> PS anyone have an ft-3000? If so, do you like it?
>
> Jarrod Boehme KC5ZWD
>
> jboehme@tamu.edu
I've got a Yaesu radio and it works good without mods. Do you have poor audio? Are there spurious emissions? Maybe you want to disable the TTP until you use the PTT switch. If I'm not careful when I grab the microphone, it sends a tone or two. Best of luck improving your radio with mods, Brian.
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

2522. Re: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Message-ID: <3369611F.524F@icss.net.nospam>
Source record: 176435

Michael Melland wrote:
>
> psoft_a wrote:
> >
> > I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to information
> > on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com. All I have found so far
> > is a brief description of the fact that is was pulled off the shelves.
>
> Check out the ADI/Premier home page FAQ at: http://www.adi-radio.com
>
> 73 de Mike KB9QHU
Generally, if you just purchased a new radio, they include an operations
manual with them. I would consider looking at it for information. And
I'll bet there is absolutely nothing in the manual about it being pulled
from the shelves.
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

2523. FT-50??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: csoles@rmi.net
Message-ID: <19970501090641263269@slip1147.rmii.com>
Source record: 176436

Anybody figured out how to solar charge one? What panel, charger, adaptors did you use?

Opinions on an MFJ portable 3-element yagi vs. a pocket roll-up for remote use? We'll be using the radios at 154.60. I need the most bang for the buck (in terms of weight and bulk).

Also -- can the supermod be cloned to another FT-50 or do you have to use the PC software to get the "mother of all mods?"

2524. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com
Message-ID: <5kakjleor1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 176437

Rodney Wallberg (GZGQ49A@prodigy.com) wrote:
: Same type of thing happened to me a few years back. I was monitoring on
: scan on my two meter base and it stopped on 52 simplex. I stopped the
: scan and listened but no one ever gave their call sign. Now this has
: happened before but this time I heard it so I got in to my car and
: monitored from there,
: I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected
: the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and
: could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were
: transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not
: once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who
: they were.

As well, I've encountered this, too. I do a lot of driving between
Gunnison and Denver (Colo.) On several occasions I've encountered
'Detroit Convoys' -- manufacturer road tests of new cars -- in the
mountains. And they are cluelessly chattering away on 146.52.

I wonder how much more of this occurs with folks clever enough
to select some different, oddball frequency to use....

73
Jonesy

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SK

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Marvin Jones jonz@rmi.net
Gunnison, Colorado

2525. GAP Voyager

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Merrill <n1jm@dreamscape.com>
Message-ID: <01bc55c5$6a6d5680$90b772ce@wstm>
Source record: 176490

Anyone used a GAp Voyager and what do you think?

John

2526. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <5k8nau$smm@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 176491
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

Gerald Schmitt <kc5egg@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)

>>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>>>Burt Fisher writes:
>>>>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>>>>>Burt Fisher writes:

>>>>>> Burt Fisher | Teacher of video,
>>>>> Jerry
>>>>| Burt Fisher | Teacher of video,
>>> Jerry

>>Why do we have to see this stuff on .dx? You two are like an
>infection.
>>Is there no cure to get rid of you both?

>Apparently no more than there is hope to get you to trim the newsgroup
>list at the top.

Without knowing what NG you posted your insults to Burt on there was no
way to trim the header. I'm reading your nonsense on .dx but you might
be on .misc or elsewhere - so what which NGs should be trimmed?

>I forgot but you oh netcop know better.

Tell me which NG you're on and I'll do some trimming; in the meantime,
got any DX news to share with us?

>To the rest sorry for the bandwidth Jeff is a little testy with me just
>now.

Not just now - all the time!

Jeff KH2PZ / KH6

2527. Re: Talking multimeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: acj@ultranet.com
Message-ID: <acj-3004971953470001@d7.dial-6.wor.ma.ultra.net>
Source record: 176492
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <336786BB.556B@mai.co.uk>, alan@mai.co.uk wrote:

> I'm looking for a talking multimeter. I used to own one marketed by
> MAplin, but it got drowned. No longer available. Only one I can find on
> the web is a 350 USD unit from Omega.

I've heard that Omega holds a patent on this device, and has been
aggressive in blocking infringers. Radio Shack sold a talking meter for a
while, but was forced to stop distribution by Omega. You'll either need
to find a used one, or break down a pay the Omega price. Then again, you
could always make your own...

Cheers,

Jon

2528. Re: Blown UHF Amplifier Brick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Mello <kq7e@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5257$8a08dbc0$d8adaec7@kq7e>
Source record: 176493

Try RF Parts at 1-800-737-2787. They carry hundreds of bricks and can
cross manufacturer/house part numbers.

Mike, N5MJ

Charles Stampf wrote
>
> Does anyone know where I can get a UHF amplifier module for my
> Kenwood TM4100 dual band radio, rather than the manufacturer?
>
> Charlie, N2CJ

2529. Re: Blown UHF Amplifier Brick

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Mello <kq7e@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5257$b3bd6ee0$d8adaec7@kq7e>
Source record: 176494

Try RF Parts at 1-800-737-2787. They carry hundreds of bricks and can
cross manufacturer and house part numbers.

Mike N5MJ

Charles Stampf wrote
>
> Does anyone know where I can get a UHF amplifier module for my
> Kenwood TM4100 dual band radio, rather than the manufacturer?
>
> Thanks
> Charlie, N2CJ

2530. INFO NEEDED: Yaesu FT767GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu
Message-ID: <E9H9MI.GGD@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 176495

Need to know if there's a CAP/MARS wideband mod for the 2m
moudule for the Yaesu FT767GX. The 6m and 70cm modules all
cover 10 MHz, but the 2m module only covers 4 MHz. Any help
appreciated!
--

2531. Re: Battery Interchangability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97043018352713316@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176496

> I was told I could use the Icom batteries for the IC-2at on the Radio
> Shack HTX-202. Can anybody verify that this is so?

Yep...same battery config as the HTX-204/202, Icom U-16, Maxon 210+3,
and I am sure other HTs, too.

My personal favorite if the MAHA MH-BP-8H. Nickel MetalHydride 8.4v
1,800mAh!!!

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

2532. RE: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97043018352813317@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176497

>>I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to
>>information on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com.
>>All I have found so far is a brief description of the fact that is was
>>pulled off the shelves.

Well, you're one of the few who can now listen to cellular telephone
calls with a unit manufactured/sold since 1994....

2533. FS-TENTEC 540 w/supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501024001.WAA27612@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176498

Hi All;
I have for SALE: TENTEC 540 XCVR, analog, w/matching supply with ammeter on the front. No manual, have a hand mike, Some ares have been re-stenciled on the front panel but otherwise the radio is fine w/full power out,
Price is $215-shipped UPS CONUS.
Thanks es 73........RICH RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM

2534. HIGH POWER TRANSMITTING TUBES FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5k8vvk$2tj@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 176499

Eimac type YC156. This is the same basic tube as a 4CX5000. It was designed for the medical industry and has a rating of 6500 volts at 4 amps when used in a pulsed mode. The tube was used in applications to 35 mc but will operate at higher frequencies. See the data sheets on the 4CX5000. No socket is necessary for this tube, it will mount in a 3 1/2 inch diameter clear hole, and the grid ring will bolt to the chassis. Height overall is 8&#65533;.Tubes are used but emission is guaranteed for full output. $325 each.

Norman N8RGR
norsan@bright.net

2535. Icom Finals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <33680acf.2986711@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 176500

Hi Everybody
Does anyone know what type of finals the
IC-725/IC-726 has? Are they bipolar or mosfet or what?
Tnx and 73

2536. HTX 202 Lithium Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lstew72000@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501033100.XAA02319@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176501

Has anyone tried to replace the battery?. The battery is only $6.00, but it's holder seems to be hardwired. The cost for Radio Shack to replace it I hear is high.

2537. Re: Help Yaesu FT50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <336812bb.517997@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 176502

The information on how to adjust the deviation is at
http:/members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50

(previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)

dgsholar@gte.net (David G. Sholar) wrote:

>I have a FT50 with low audio (modulation). I've checked it with an
>external microphone also, same problem. Does anyone know how to
>adjust this, and where the adjustment is?
>
>Dave - KE4YDY

2538. Re: FT 50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: atla0001@umn.edu
Message-ID: <33681270.443079@newsstand.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 176503

Mods and more info at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50

(previously members.gnn.com/hca/ft50)

Jerry Yarbrough <medic@net-master.net> wrote:

>I am looking for any mods or secrets I can find on this radio. Thanks in
>advance. E-Mail at medic@net-master.net

2539. Kenwood TH-79A(D) mod -- Now what?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wstein@westnet.com
Message-ID: <3368124a.44840500@news.cyburban.com>
Source record: 176504

Er, Hi...

I have done the standard TH-79A mod a radio (removing D304, D307), and have the 2 new menus (19 and 20), but cannot seem to tune below 118Mhz. I am assuming I have to change the VFO limits (menu 13), but it won't go below 118. Is the mod for the 79A(D) differant to the 79A?

--Warren

2540. Re: IC-28 CTCSS Board??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33681bcc.6277870@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176505
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 30 Apr 1997 04:33:58 GMT, gfiber@news.cmc.net (Gary Fiber)
wrote:

>On 30 Apr 1997 01:56:16 GMT, "Rob Bailey" <wm8s@pobox.com> wrote:
>
>>
>>A friend asked me if I could find a CTCSS board for his IC-28 but I can't
>>even see where one was ever offered. Will we have to go "after market"
>>(e.g., ComSpec, etc.), or did ICOM offer a board? He says the manual makes
>>no reference to one.
>>
>>Thanks!
>>
>>Rob, wm8s@pobox.com
>>City of Charleston WV RACES
>I think the board was the UT-28, always get it confused with the ICOM
>DCS board for the radio. The IC-28 would only decode CTCSS in Simplex
>and only encode CTCSS in Duplex. No mod to get the radio to decode in
>duplex. though you could encode in simplex by setting the radio into
>duplex and adjusting the offset to zero MHz.
>
>gary
>THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
>MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion
>
Change that board number to UT-29.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2541. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5k93sk$3e9q@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 176506

Same type of thing happened to me a few years back. I was monitoring on scan on my two meter base and it stopped on 52 simplex. I stopped the scan and listened but no one ever gave their call sign. Now this has happened before but this time I heard it so I got in to my car and monitored from there,
I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who they were.
This does happen from time to time but what to do???
73 Rod

2542. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5k93pk$2pu0@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 176507

Same type of thing happened to me a few years back. I was monitoring on scan on my two meter base and it stopped on 52 simplex. I stopped the scan and listened but no one ever gave their call sign. Now this has happened before but this time I heard it so I got in to my car and monitored from there,
I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who they were.
This does happen from time to time but what to do???
73 Rod

2543. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5k95f7$rk3@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176508
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

In <5k8nau$smm@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:

>Without knowing what NG you posted your insults to Burt on there was
no
>way to trim the header. I'm reading your nonsense on .dx but you might
>be on .misc or elsewhere - so what which NGs should be trimmed?
>
>>I forgot but you oh netcop know better.
>
>Tell me which NG you're on and I'll do some trimming; in the meantime,
>got any DX news to share with us?
>
>>To the rest sorry for the bandwidth Jeff is a little testy with me
just
>>now.
>
>Not just now - all the time!
>
>Jeff KH2PZ / KH6
>

Jeffy,

Nice spam job, do you do this alot, or just when you loose an argument?
You threaten some guy on .swap and when you get called on it you raise
the all mighty news group charter. Face it Jeff you're just a control
freak a nebulous existence on the net but be my guest. However there
are people who, unlike your poor students, don't have to take your crap
and won't.

Jerry

2544. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5k93na$1vuo@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 176509

Same type of thing happened to me a few years back. I was monitoring on scan on my two meter base and it stopped on 52 simplex. I stopped the scan and listened but no one ever gave their call sign. Now this has happened before but this time I heard it so I got in to my car and monitored from there,
I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who they were.
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73 Rod

2545. Re: Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Skovgaard <Erik_Skovgaard@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc55e8$341e35e0$25c56cce@default>
Source record: 176510

Sam,

I have done just that - and used it for about a year. It works very well. In my QTH I have a lot of noise, so the noise blanker on the 735 is always in. It *does* give me some problems when strong stations are close to the listening frequency.

The other thing you have to be carefult with, is to reduce power before transmitting. I have my Icom adjusted down to about 5 watts output, but I also use the rig on HF and occationally forget to turn the power down. Other that the smell of over-heated resistors, the 1208 seems to take 100 watts for brief moments rather well.

With the preamp on the 735 switched in, you can read signals down to about 0.1 microvolts.

I am considering modifying the transverter to give a signal to the IC-735 ALC so it automatically reduces power when transmitting. However, it is a future project.

73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.

Sam Barrett <PZFH81A@prodigy.com> wrote in article <5k81e3$f0s@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>...
> Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 1208 6 meter converter and successfully used

> it with an ICOM IC-735 or other similar rig?
>
> I would like to hear stories.
>
> WA5RPP/1
> Sam Barrett
> pzfh81a@prodigy.com
>
>

2546. Re: Help on CW code settings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: olyellr@iglou.com
Message-ID: <E9HJF7.9MB@iglou.com>
Source record: 176511

John Sokol <john.sokol@transquest.com> wrote:

>R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4 wrote:
>>
>> R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4 wrote:
>> >
>> > Trying to setup a copy od NU Morse for the general class exam. (13 wpm)
>> >
>> > What should I set the speeds to so it will be like the actual test.
>> > Send speed=
>> > Char Speed=
>> > Word speed=
>> >
>> > Thanks
>> > Bob
>> CORRECTION- the sftwr I am using is Super Morse Not Nu Morese.
>>
>> Sorry
>> bob

>I have mine set at 15/15/15. I figure if I can copy at above the test
>speed, when I am ready to take the test, it should be a bit easier.

>good luck, om .. I plan to take my test by eom May.

>73
>de KE4KPV
>John

I agree with John on practicing at a faster speed than the actual
test, except that I have mine set at 15/18/15, because the character
speed for the 13wpm test is at 18wpm (at least it is here in
Louisville).

I am trying to be ready for the 13 in May also. Good luck, guys!!!

73.
Mike/KE4HLU

2547. Re: Paddle for Electronic Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackw2ba@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501050900.BAA09957@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176512

A bug is easy to change to a keyer paddle.
The dot contact should have a separate lead so that you have the necessary
3 leads to the keyer.
Place a soft bumper, (sponge), to stop the dot vibrating action and, yet,
still allow dot contact.
Now you have a keyer paddle.
gl jack

2548. New Yaesu Mobile HF/VHF ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbwells@nospambots.concentric.net
Message-ID: <3368216c.3084453@news.concentric.net>
Source record: 176513

Has anyone heard of a new Yaesu mobile HF rig that will supposedly use the FT-900 case (and maybe a lot of the internals), but have incredibly wide coverage (HF plus 6 meters, 2 meters, and possibly 70 cm and/or 220 mHz). I saw one posting on DejaNews that suggested rumors of such a rig, and wonder what's known. How expensive would it be, would all those bands be complemented by some sort of DC to Daylight recieve bandwith (I'd assume at least general coverage from 160 meters up to 70 cm),and when would it be available. I like the design of the FT-900 better than the IC-706, but I'd like the HF plus 2 meter all mode capability of the 706. 70 cm would be a nice bonus,too.

73, Dan KA1WNH
p.s. to send me e-mail, remove "nospambots" from my address

2549. New Yaesu Mobile Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc55ed$e4533640$9d435ba5@default>
Source record: 176514
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

------=_NextPart_000_01BC55C3.FB7D2E40

I am looking for any mods for the:

ft-3000m
ft-8000r
ft-8500

I have found the MARS/CAP mods for the 8000 and 8500 at ftp.qrz.com.

However, I can find no mods at all for the 3000. Anyone know of any or
where to find them? Thanks in advance.

PS anyone have an ft-3000? If so, do you like it?

Jarrod Boehme KC5ZWD

jboehme@tamu.edu
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KC5ZWD

jboehme@tamu.edu

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2550. WTB: 10 meter amp - HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnsi@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <5k9e35$pd5@lal.interserv.com>
Source record: 176515

People are so paranoid about CB'ers getting a hold of 10 meter amps that they
are as rare as chicken's teeth.
Where does a legitimate ham get a 10 meter amp?
Please email me directly if you know where I should look for one.
Thanks,
John N7MTB

2551. Pricing on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tahoefranz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501065900.CAA16342@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176516

Shopping for this unit and wondering what prices you all have seen.

Please do us all a service and post it. Thanks..

Franz in Tahoe

2552. FS:Kenwood TS-440S/AT,PS50,SP430,MC80,IF232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970501014100.VAA22514@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176517

Kenwood TS-440S/AT HF Transceiver
PS-50 Power Supply
SP-430 Speaker
MC-80 Mic
IF-232 Interface(two chips installed in radio).
Non-smoker. Absolute MINT. Manual, original packing boxes. Never used mobile.

$900.00 Respond to:
rhansen.lnk@ispi.net

Roger Hansen, N0LIA (402)421-3501. Do not respond to me, I'm posting it for Roger.

2553. Re: Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <336a08e5.2735238@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176318

On Fri, 02 May 1997 06:54:54 GMT, dude@wherever.net (Tim) wrote:
>I read about the option of having a CTCSS decoder as an option in most
>dual band HT'S. Does this mean that if you are listening to lets say
>a taxi dispatch or police radio and or a repeater that the radio will
>show what PL tone is being used? I thought CTCSS or PL tones were
>only transmitted in the transmission part of the conversation not the
>reception. (I am talking about repeaters exclusively). I do
>understand that you can use these tones if there are alot of hams
>using the same simplex frequencies. Is there another use? Possibly
>the one's I stated earlier? Thank you.

The CTCSS decoder acts as your receiver's squelch when engaged. It isn't
something which reads out a tone frequency (though there are units which
can do that too). You set the tone to be decoded to match the one the repeater
your are monitoring transmits.

Most tone accessed repeaters, and even some which don't require tone
access, also transmit tone. So if you have a CTCSS decoder in the radio,
your receiver's squelch will only open when the repeater is transmitting
and the selected tone is decoded by your receiver. It *won't* open for pager
crud and other IMD and overload on or near the channel frequency. This
makes monitoring the repeater much more pleasant in those "intermod alleys"
most of us have to drive through every day.

Note, most repeaters won't pass through tone from user radios. The tone that
they transmit is generated by an encoder installed at the repeater. This is
usually, but not always, set to the same frequency as the tone needed to
access the repeater.

Having tone on the repeater output is a very good idea, and is beneficial whether
the repeater requires tone access or not because it helps out those monitoring
the repeater in those intermod alleys. Locally, we encourage all repeater owners
to install a 100 Hz output tone on their machines for this purpose.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2554. Pick-up truck staking hole antenna mounts - need info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Davis <rick.davis@amd.com>
Message-ID: <336A1953.1BC3@amd.com>
Source record: 176319

Can anybody supply info on pick-up truck staking hole antenna
mounts? I've seen them advertised but can't remember any mfgr
names. Any help would be appreciated. Thanks in advance.
Rick Davis
WD5EBU
rick.davis@amd.com (work)
rdavis2@itouch.net (home)

2555. FS: Timewave DSP-599ZX DSP Noise Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art Searle <w2nra@erols.com>
Message-ID: <336A2568.69A4@erols.com>
Source record: 176320

Forsale: Timewave DSP-599ZX DSP Noise Filter

I bought this 1/09/97 for $369.95. It works great but I have
sold all of my HF equipment and have no use for it.

Asking $250.00 or make an offer

--
Art Searle, W2NRA, NRA Benefactor Life Member
NRA Certified Firearms Instructor <http://www.nra.org>

2556. FS: Yaesu FT-11R 2 meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art Searle <w2nra@erols.com>
Message-ID: <336A25D9.6EAF@erols.com>
Source record: 176321

FS: Yaesu FT-11R 2 meter Hand-held Tranceiver
with: CTCSS decoder - FTS-26 installed
Spare Battery - FNB-31
Battery Charger- NC-55B
Base Charger Stand - CA-9
Mobile DC/Charger Adapter - E-DC-12
Oringinal Box

less than 1 year old and I never used this it, so it's like new and the
batteries have no memory.

Asking $275.00 or make a
--
Art Searle, W2NRA, NRA Benefactor Life Member
NRA Certified Firearms Instructor <http://www.nra.org>

2557. Mobile CW Keyer Paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Reece <bigjr@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <336A0EED.1AE4@sprynet.com>
Source record: 176322

I'm interested in working some cw on the hf mobile but having trouble locating an iambic paddle. I know there used to be a creation that you could strap to your leg. Any help or suggestions appreciated.

2558. Re: Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Jordan <jordan@santanet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc571e$db9a7720$572977cc@jordan>
Source record: 176323

Tim <dude@wherever.net> wrote in article
<33698e25.736640@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>
>
Tim,

I've read where operators will have a base station at home set to a desired frequency and have the ctcss decoder installed and set. When someone tunes to that frequency and keys in the specific tones, the decoder will sense the tones and open up the squelch on the radio, allowing the transmission to be heard.

Say I have my base station set up (or scanner for that matter) turned on at home so I can contact my wife. But, she doesn't want to hear all the other garbage all day. Well, when I want to talk to her, I turn my radio on to the desired frequency, key it up and key in my access code to my decoder on the base station (Kind of like dialing a 4 digit phone number). That done, I call my wifes call sign and she'll hear the radio and answer me.

Basically, we're using the radios as a telephone. You can have your radio on but you won't hear anything until someone dials your number.

How that clears things up a bit....

73's
Paul
KL0AN

2559. FS New Eimac 3-500Z tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: csc@smartt.com
Message-ID: <5kd35e$hd7$1@news.smartt.com>
Source record: 176324

For Sale,

New Eimac 3-500Z RF tube.

$90 US plus postage.

Please reply to csc@smartt.com if interested.

2560. Help:Mic Info Yaesu FT-2400 vs 2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1nfc@callsign.net
Message-ID: <336a3631.0@199.76.206.53>
Source record: 176325

IS the pinout on the mic jack on the 2400 and the 2500 the same?
This info is necessary for packet operations. Just wondring if I have to make
a different cable.

73

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
LT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
KINGSLAND FIRE RESCUE
Kingsland, GA 31548 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
Home: 912-729-5287 NAVY:ETC_Carreira@trfkb.navy.mil
Data: 912-729-6067
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm

"The fire pentahedron consists of: Oxygen, Heat, Fuel, Chemical
Chain Reaction, and the Chief. Take any one of the 5 away and the
fire goes out!"

2561. Re: Info Military Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: PACR CA FREQ MAN <freqman@jps.net>
Message-ID: <336A3C6F.7A2@jps.net>
Source record: 176326

Warren Weingarten wrote:
>
> I am posting for a fellow ham who wants info on:
> Hughs Aricraft Company
> RT-794A / PRC-74
> 2 - 12 MC
> Any info & source of Tech manuals would be appreciated.
>
> Warren Weingarten - W9VKG

Warren,

I hope the info below helps -
(http://telalink.net/~badger/millist/mi.html)

Gary D. Strawn
Travis AFB, CA

AN/PRC-74

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-12 MHz, SSB, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, variants AN/PRC-74B and AN/PRC-74C operate
2-18mHz, replaced
by AN/PRC-70, Hughes.

AN/PRC-74A

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-12 MHz, SSB/CW, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, variants AN/PRC-74B and AN/PRC-74C operate
2-18mHz, replaced
by AN/PRC-70, Hughes.

AN/PRC-74B

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-18 MHz, SSB/CW, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, replaced by AN/PRC-70, Hughes.

AN/PRC-74C

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-18 MHz, SSB/CW, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, replaced by AN/PRC-70

2562. Re: PA Hamfest & Computerfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jss167@psu.edu
Message-ID: <jss167.5.336A18E9@psu.edu>
Source record: 176327

>The Murgas Amateur Radio Club will hold it's annual hamfest and computerfest
>on Sunday July 6th at the Luzerne County Fairgrounds(NE PA.) This is a
>respectably sized fest.
>From I-81 take exit 47B(puts you on 309). This changes into 415. Turn left
>at light by Texaco onto 118. Fest is a bit down road on left.

>wb3faa@aol.com for info
>146.61 talk in

2563. HTX-204 - reply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@saddlecrk.COM
Message-ID: <s369de8d.086@dsm-usa.com>
Source record: 176328

Eric (enboe@aol.com) wrote:

>Not only can you listen to cell calls, but you can transmit WAY out of band, with the
>appropriate FCC penalties & criminal charges, of course.

My htx-204, with both mods in place, cannot "listen to cell calls." Unless there is some other mod that I haven't heard of (and I've done some research) the cellular telephone freqs are completely blocked. It will, however, transmit out of band as you state. I have performed a system reset on mine to keep it from doing so accidently (the extended rx mod is separate).

2564. DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5kde97$hlr@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 176329

Time to get one.
Just for general use in the shack.
Astron, Daiwa, Alinco, what else?
What should I buy? Never had one so
hams out there who have been using
one of these, care to comment here or
by e-mail.
Thanks a million.
Tony, VE6CGX

2565. Re: More TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <5kdh8ufgr1@news.jersey.net>
Source record: 176330

I have had two 440S's with the frequency problem. Sent both to AES repair department for repair (PLL board goo0, and have had no problems since. The 440S is a great radio, and there's no good reason for having one collect dust because of the PLL board glitch.

2566. FS: Lafayette HE-80 Rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <336A458A.498C@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 176331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

For Sale - Excellent Condition Classic Shortwave Lafayette HE-80 Receiver. .55KHz thru 54 MHz ..AM SSB CW FM ...A True classic tube rig, none of that "solid state" stuff that's not here to last.....Send e-mail, $140, U ship out of San Diego.....tom

2567. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHARLES M. FRANCER" <francer@usa1.com>
Message-ID: <01bc573c$ffd78560$92e1f9cc@default>
Source record: 176332

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test nnnnnnnn
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2568. Re: Want info on Kenwood TS-870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kreblon@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu
Message-ID: <5kdonmckr1@geraldo.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 176333

Hi-
It is amazing how subjective these things are.
I started the Ic-756 reflector, and I've seen it all.
I spent the day at the dealer..with all the specs in my head.
IC-756...TS-870...there was also a IC-775dsp on deck.
I wanted to like the 870...I tried hard to like it...
But It just felt wrong. It felt like the "first try" in
IF DSP. Access to menus and adjustments were difficult..
the RX sounded "mushy" in SSB..and I was worried about the
lack of filter add-ability in in the RX..meaning that at least
3khz of signal energy would pass through the RX in CW mode.
(talk about AGC "blocking" from "near audio" DSP)
The IC-756 on the other hand sounded crystal clear..like
a CD compared to a record..and a record played on one of
those big console stereophonic units. Digital signals were
super clean...and the scope was like getting "sight" for
the first time. Its cool AND useful.
Yea, the unit has some design problems..but no more than
any of the other rigs that have come out. You only have to
look at other rig's reflectors..like the highly regarded
FT-1000MP for example...folks were dealing with spurs on 160
and all kinds of crap that Yaesu took care of soon after.

The IC-756 is an example of a modern HF rig geared to the
average user..like me...and it sounds great all around.

Whatever!

Bob
AB5N

2569. Re: Problem with Baycom Packet Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fritter@NOSPAM.geko.net.au
Message-ID: <5kcvro$3j8@news.geko.net.au>
Source record: 176334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <862436746.11947@dejanews.com>, dgravatt@falcon.cc.ukans.edu
says...
>
>Hello all,
> Got a problem with my Baycom packet modem. I've used it for a
couple
>of years without problems, and then suddenly it started putting out bad
>QRM on various frequencies
>- Dan, N2PRC
>
>dgravatt@falcon.cc.ukans.edu

Hi Dan..
First thing I'd check is the circuit grounds. Look for any wires
that may have come loose, and check for dry joints. Aslo check the sheilding
of your cables to and from the modem. The only other thing I can think of is
maybe parasitic oscillations from the oscillator? Grounding the metal case
of the 2 MHz xtal can sometimes cure this.
The AM7910 modem is usually very quiet when it comes to RF noise so
somethimg is surly astray. Have you tried checking the interference with the
computer off and just the modem on? This would be a good idea if you
haven't, otherwise it may not be the modem at all!

Hope I've been some help..

Best regards de Graeme.....

VK2GDF.

HTTP://www.qsl.net/vk2gdf
E-mail:fritter@geko.net.au

Please remove the NOSPAM from my reply-to address when replying!

2570. FS 6m/HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Dropp <ddropp@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <336A7689.1C2@execpc.com>
Source record: 176335

I have for sale a Kenwood TS-690AT 9 band Xcver w/6m/SW/. Comes complete

with :

AT-450 Internal Antenna Tuner

PS-53 Heavy Duty Power Supply

SP-23 External Speaker

TU-8 CTCSS Tone Board

YK-88SN-1 1.8 Khz SSB Filter

Service Manual

Standard Mic.

All boxes and manuals

All equipment is in mint condition with very little use,no scratches and

from a non smoker. If you have an intrest I can be e-mailed or called in

Milwaukee at 414-321-5310 Asking 1400.00 73's Dave

2571. Tuner Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbickle@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <336a1e07.18810768@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176336

Any help in addressing the following would be appreciated:

The scenario:
We're re-commissioning a Nye-Viking tuner which has not been used in some number of years. It seems the tuner is apparently incapable of reducing SWR levels much below 2.0, and in no case below 1.5, on multiple bands. The impedences to be matched are "reasonable", as the built-in tuner in the Kenwood HF transceiver we're using with this tuner has no trouble at all in achieving 1.1/1. An older Dentron tuner, swapped into the same set-up, also achieves a near perfect match.

A brief inspection of the interior of the N-V tuner reveals nothing out of the ordinary. It's clean, there's no indication of loose or broken parts, no sign of arc-overs or other damage, etc.

Any advice/suggestions would be appreciated. I'm stumped.

Bill KF2ON

2572. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken S <ks01@ids.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5754$152be980$4dd3d49b@ken-s-cray>
Source record: 176337

Icom ic-735 Mint with FL32a cw filter, sm6 mic, and ct-17 rs-232 interface
$800.00
Icom ah2 autotuner for ic-735 $385.00
Both these items are in perfect condition with very very low hours.
ETO Alpha 76PA (3 8874's) Low hours $1000.00

AEA pk-232mbx $200.00

Located in Westerly R.I.
pick up or bank check plus shipping.

KF1C
ks01@ids.net

2573. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter H. Anderson" <pha@access.digex.net>
Message-ID: <5kdn21$d2s@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 176338
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

see http://www.access.digex.net/~pha/relay.html

this shows a typical small relay being driven by a data lead on the
parallel port ..

for more info, see http://www.access.digex.net/~pha Under "Parallel Port
- Vol 1", there is an item on the Basics of using the parallel port ..

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Peter H. Anderson, pha@access.digex.net, http://www.access.digex.net/~pha
Parallel Port & Basic Stamp Control and Data Acquisition

Bergum <bergum@internet.no> wrote in article
<5kb11a$i68@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>...
: I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
: I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
: alterning the state on the port.
: I allso want one for a com port.
: --
: Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!
:
: http://www.internet.no/bergum/
: - Bergum@Internet.no
:
:

2574. Re: Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brien G. McCrea" <brienm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336A7E18.1CEF@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176339

Sam Barrett wrote:
>
> Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 1208 6 meter converter and successfully used
> it with an ICOM IC-735 or other similar rig?
>
> I would like to hear stories.
>
> WA5RPP/1
> Sam Barrett
> pzfh81a@prodigy.com

Sam,

I built mine last summer. Took about two days. It came up the first
time and has worked great since.

I use it with my ICOM 735. If you would like more detailed information
please email me with questions.

73,

Brien
KE7WB

2575. Re: Looking For Trap Vert Plans.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5kbf5s$fo6$1@mhadf.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tim good idea and good attitude... buy ARRL Antenna Compendium or whatever its acalled, then get the W8NX software, ad is in any QST you will thank me later
73 de Steve KZ1X/4
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73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

2576. RE: Battery Interchangability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970502171904.19055E-100000@general4.asu.edu>
Source record: 176341

On Fri, 2 May 1997, Clint Bradford wrote:

>
> >>I was told I could use the Icom batteries for the IC-2at on the Radio
> >>Shack HTX-202.
>
> What was wrong with the replies you ALREADY received on this inquiry?
>
>
>
>
>
>
> ---
> Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
> ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
> ---
>
>

Clint,

I'm not sure what the problem is. I only posted my query once, and saw
it was on MY server only once.

I have received several replies via e-mail, and more posted here, all of
which I am grateful for.

Dave

2577. WTB UHF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <336A9004.3739@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176342

I am looking to buy a uhf amplifier,simular to the MIRAGE 3010 or TE systems mobile amps.440-450 mhz with 15 to 35 watts input and 100 or better output.
AL

2578. FS: UHF HT & Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas K. Neiferd" <dknife@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336A937B.6863@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Standard HX-240U, UHF 16 chnl/4 watt HT, 420-470 MHz, programmable,
all original accessories and boxes, software and field programming
instructions, digital display, simplex/duplex, hi/low power, scan,
CTCSS tones, drop-in-charger, spkr/mic, power cords, bottom covers,
extra alk battery pack, lighted LED, mobile mag mount ant, and manuals.
Excellent condition, $300.

Realistic DX-380 Portable Communications Receiver.
150 kHz-30 MHz AM and 88-108 MHz FM. Digital display.
Has local/dx and narrow/wide AM reception switches.
Stereo/mono FM switch. Also, hi/low tone and fast/slow
tune switches. AM external antenna, dc power, and headphone
jacks. Tunes by direct entry, up/down button, or rotary dial.
Original box and manual, like new, works great. $100

I will pay shipping via UPS ground.

Recent sells references available

Contact Doug, KG8EP at dknife@worldnet.att.net

2579. Re: Repeater System Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <336A824C.167C@chatlink.com>
Source record: 176344

Jeffrey Withers wrote:
>
> Hello, I am Jeff W3GE and just become the trustee
> of a 3 repeater system 2M,220,440 which we want to link
> together at two different sites..and add autopatch, etc.
> using an RLC-2 on one and Link controller on the other.
> I need any suggestions/examples of how to set this up including
> specific programming examples, radio mods, the works.
> Any info where to begin my general education?
> Tnx/73 de Jeffrey@WLN.com

One of the most complete link systems around is in use by the Evergreen Intertie in the Northwest U.S. I don't remember the URL directly to the people who build it, but (not to make you jump through too many hoops) first go to the Saturday Morning Swap page, use the link to the Evergreen Intertie, and from there look for a link to Lloyd i/o or to Frank, WB7DZG. The address (the only one of these I know by heart) for the NW Sat Morning Swap Net is www.chatlink.com/~rickt/swap.htm

Hope it helps,

Ron, N7TAW

2580. Borrow FT101 in south Seattle area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil Heckt <neil@aade.com>
Message-ID: <336AB067.28C5@aade.com>
Source record: 176345

I would like to borrow an FT101 from someone in the south King County
area to test a variation of my Digital Frequency Display designed
especially for that unit. Unit will not be opened since all signals
appear at the rear connector.

phone 253-351-9316
--
Neil
Homebrew Heaven at http://www.aade.com
Home of L/C Meter IIB and Digital Frequency Display
Links to sites of interest to Engineers, Amateurs and hobbyists
interested in Circuit Design and construction.

2581. fs: Azden 6m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sal Guzzo <novagen@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <336A99E7.5B31@ibm.net>
Source record: 176346

For sale: Azden 6 meter handheld radio. 1 year old. Very rarely used.
Mint shape. Includes, charger, rubber duck and 5 foot telescopic
antenna, hand mic, DC connector.

Cost: $250.00 US dollars. + shipping. Located in Toronto.

Email: novagen@ibm.net if you are interested.

2582. Re: FS: Heath SB-220 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjm@totcon.com
Message-ID: <862631423.22944@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176347

In article <5k3018$h78@usenet81.supernews.com>,
hjm@totcon.com wrote:
>
> Heathkit SB-220 in very good working and good cosmrtic condition with
> copy of manual. Tubes are 2 Eimac 3-500z will tune 1000 watts / 1500+
> PEP. with 75w drive. Will ship cont.US for $625

Thanks for all the calls.

----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2583. Re: Problem with Baycom Packet Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Devenport <jdport@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <336A186A.42B0@concentric.net>
Source record: 176348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Unfortunately, the AM7910 modems have all been tremendous noise
generators, often landing right on the desired frequency. You might try
2 or 3 different crystals in the board to see if the noise will migrate
away from your desired frequency. The AM7910 and internal clock
circuitry generate lots of noise no matter what you do but hopefully you
can move it sufficiently to find a usable "hole" in the noise output.
Interestingly, the "earlier" modems using XR2211/ XR2206 IC circuitry
are relatively clean from such aggravations, mainly since they use no
internal oscillators etc. with which to generate spurs of noise up and
down the spectrum.

dgravatt@falcon.cc.ukans.edu wrote:
<snip>
> spot. The modem itself is generating this interference, and it opens the
> squelch on my HT. I've checked all of the connections and reseated all
> the chips. If I remove the AM7910, the QRM stops (not too surprising).
<snip>
--
|---|
|Jim Devenport W5AOX |
|All Standard Disclaimers Disclaimed |
|Anti-Spam: Remove the "_" from address to respond |
http://www.concentric.net/~jdport/

2584. W.T.B. YAESU FT-22 Tone Squelch Unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Baker <gbaker@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <336AC680.32F8@pacifier.com>
Source record: 176349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,
Name is Gary, I am looking for the FTS-22 tone squelch unit for the
ft-5100, ft-5200 or the ft-8000.
If you have one of these animals and are willing to part with, please
E-mail me
Thanks,
Gary Baker
N7GB

2585. Re: Comments on TS-870, IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephen Cornell <scornell@eos.net>
Message-ID: <336AA3E3.10332794@eos.net>
Source record: 176350
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Len Umina wrote:

> Tim,
>
> I have one, and I also have an ICOM 756. I'm trying to send back
> the 756,
> it's a piece of CRAP, but the 870 is a JOY to operate. I have the
> voice
> module (I think it's a VS2 which is the only accessory) and it's
> fantastic.
>
> I'm currently using the 756 as a bandscope for the 870 by looking at
> the
> 8.3 Mhz IF in general coverage mode.
>
> The 870 voice message keyer is great for contesting and pileups, the
>
> selectivity is beyond imagination, and the overall "operability" is
> very
> high.
>
> It's lacking in only two things I can think of. One is no dual RX
> capability for split operation. The other is that the extra antenna
>
> connection isn't used as an input and you don't get automatic
> selection
> between RX and TX of the other two jacks. For example, if you put
> up a
> beverage antenna and want to use it on RX and automatically TX on a
> different antenna, the 870 (apparently) will not do this. You have
> to do
> it manually by pushing a button.
>
> Whatever you do stay away from the 756. They are in big trouble
> with this
> rig. Their "DSP in the IF" turns out to be the pick up point for
> their
> audio to the audio DSP (prior to the AGC), and major trouble is
> brewing
> over this issue and others. I doubt the right will be around for
> more than
> 6 more months.
>

> 73,
> Len
> N1LU
>
> Tim Taylor wrote in article
> <01bc4dd4$1c401ae0$5b38fcc6@none.netsrq.com>...
> > I'm looking for a new rig. Does anyone have any experience with
> the
> > Kenwood TS-870?
> > Thanks
> >
> > Tim K8XS
> > tim.taylor@netsrq.com
> >
> >

I can must disagree with Len . I have owned both the 870 and the 756. I sold the 870 after a comparison to the 756. The dsp in the 756 is better in one main respect you can not use the automatic notch filter and noise reduction on the 870 it is one or the other a major short coming! The 756 allows both. The dsp in the audio or if is a mute point as both the 870 and the 756 dsp systems are outside the AGC loop and AGC pumping is noticed on both. You do have the ability to use optional filters on the 756 tho only one for each if. The filters are far superior in shape and un wanted signal reduction vs the the DSP system used by Kenwood see the respective reviews in QST. They are very different radios and neither is "crap" as was so objectively put by another reply!
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Steve

W8KZY

2586. Re: Tuner Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <336AA569.1C71@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 176351

William M. Bickley KF2ON wrote:
>
> Any help in addressing the following would be appreciated:
>
> The scenario:
> We're re-commissioning a Nye-Viking tuner which has not been used in
> some number of years. It seems the tuner is apparently incapable of
> reducing SWR levels much below 2.0, and in no case below 1.5.....

Assuming you installed a new battery, check the swr with a dummy load in the straight thru position. The calibration adj pots on the back bottom (MB-V-A?) are from left to right, swr, hi-pwr, lo-pwr, and power switch-over adj. Then to the right of these four and slightly higher is the swr bridge balance (capacitor) under the plug. Obviously you need some standard to adjust these. Do the balance first and check the calibration against with say two dummy loads in parallel for a swr of 2:1.
--

Charles (Jack) Hawley Jr.
Amateur Radio: Chuck, KE9UW
BMW Motorcycles: Jack, BMWMOA #224
c-hawley@uiuc.edu
Sr. Research Engineer Emeritus
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

"...gimme the fat beat"

2587. New Alinco Micro Slim HT's (JPG picture)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <33695B1E.66AD@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 176352

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------1BE660AE397C
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Here is a picture of the new Alinco DJC1 and DJC4 super slim
handy transceivers. These are the same width and height as a
3.5 inch floppy disk and less than 1 cm thick. Uses lithium
ion rechargeable battery, 300Mw output, etc.

73,
Joe
BV/N0IAT

--------------1BE660AE397C
Content-Type: image/jpeg; name="alinco.jpg"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="alinco.jpg"

<encoded_portion_removed>
--------------1BE660AE397C--
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2588. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@NOSPAMhevanet.com>
Message-ID: <5kdn3h$d3t@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>
Source record: 176353
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

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Steve Hinkle wrote:
>
> David Knaack wrote:
> >
> > Bergum <bergum@internet.no> wrote in article
> > <336b61a9.1619434@news.internet.no>...
> > > I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
> > > I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
> > > alterning the state on the port.
> > > I allso want one for a com port.
> > > --
> > > Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!
> > >
> > > http://www.internet.no/bergum/
> > > - Bergum@Internet.no
> > >
> > You can drive a transistor with the voltage from the port, and the
> > transistor can run the relay. I do not recommend trying to drive the
> > relay on the current supplied by the port, provide an external supply.
> > A 2N2222 will work fine if your relay uses less than 800ma.
> > You should probably connect the port ground to the power ground.
> > Heres how you would connect the transistor.
> >
> > Vcc
> > |
> > /collector
> > From port------|
> > \emitter
> > |
> > Relay
> > |
> > Ground
> > --
> > David Knaack[ XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX ]
> > E-mail replies are appreciated, but not necessary.
>
> There are many relays that actuate around 20mA. You could probably
> drive one of these directly from a printer port line. You could even
> parallel several lines together in order to get the current you need.
> Don't forget the back EMF clamping diode across the relay coil no matter
> which option you decide to use!
>
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> Good luck,
> ===sh===
I'm always paranoid about hooking stuff directly to the parallel port.
Doubly so if it's a $2K laptop. There are all kinds of transients
on the power lines that can get coupled from one device back thru the
parallel port of the computer. Wherever possible, use an opto-iosolator
or isolated solid-state relay. It'll cost you an extra couple of bucks
but might save your computer.
If you must use a transistor, use a fet with a big gate resistor.
That way, if the transistor shorts, you have plenty of isolation
to the port.
--
Please remove NOSPAM from return address before replying.

2589. Callbook Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mr_ufo@i2000.com
Message-ID: <336A94DB.5E9F@i2000.com>
Source record: 176354

I am looking for a 1947 US Callbook. If you have one you would like to sell please let me know.

Thanks
Mark
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H. Mark Nadel - Amateur Radio Station w2ufo
New York State Government Liaison - NY City / Long Island Section
American Radio Relay League - A.R.R.L. - Newington, CT.

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2590. FS Uhf GP300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Dropp <ddropp@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <336A6AFF.2FBE@execpc.com>
Source record: 176355

I have for sale a Uhf Motorola GP300 Ht, it has a touch tone pad and is

a 16 channel version. Comes complete with:

2 new Motorola batteries

1 used Motorola battery

Motorola speaker mic

Motorola Hard case

Rapid charger

Selling as a package shipped to your door asking 525.00

2591. Re: FS: Radios Pre-Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claudio Spiritelli <syscon@iac.net>
Message-ID: <336A8112.236D@iac.net>
Source record: 176356
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

John Goller wrote:
>
> Anyone out there want any of these Radios before they go to Dayton?
>
I wish you luck with does prices?????

2592. EL38 substitute

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Rimsa <steve.rimsa@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <336A04FC.3A67@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 176357

Does anyone know of a source of EL38 tubes or an acceptable substitute?

Thanks

Steve Rimsa
srimsa@eclipse.net

2593. FS: Icom Z1-A Setup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cward@stimpy.acofi.edu
Message-ID: <336a7ce7.2217470@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 176358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

All of the below for $450.00 + shipping, obo. Terms are COD
cash/money order.

The whole setup includes the manuals.

IC-Z1A Dual band handheld w/ 4.8V battery, face detachment kit,
and fixed length antenna (FA-1443B)
IC-CP12 Cigarette lighter adapter
IC-BP173 9.6V NiCad battery
IC-BC79A Desktop rapid charger w/ AC adapter
IC-AD51 Desktop rapid charge adapter for the IC-BP173 9.6V NiCad
battery
MFJ-1712 dual band extending antenna for the Z1A

Earphone for listening to the Z1A quietly

Books:

ARRL General Class License Manual for the Radio Amateur
Now You're Talking: All You Need To Get Your First Ham Radio License

Everything is in perfect condition and was only used for 3 hours
total. I'm selling it because I don't have time to study and get my
license. Instead, I'm going to take up photography.

I'll guarantee against DOA for 10 days. Warranty card included.

E-mail if interested.

Thanks,

Curtis
cward@stimpy.acofi.edu

2594. ATTN: Steve Giron

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cward@stimpy.acofi.edu
Message-ID: <336a66b8.460156@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 176359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You e-mailed me a few days ago regarding your interest in buying my Z1-A setup. However, the reply-to address "sgiron@pacbell.netx" resulted in bounced e-mail. I sent another letter to sgiron@pacbell.net and haven't heard back.

Whether are not your are still interested, please e-mail me back.

Thank you,

Curtis

2595. Re: Tuner Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Lorona <al_lorona@removethispart.hp.com>
Message-ID: <336A9313.4E5D@removethispart.hp.com>
Source record: 176360

William M. Bickley KF2ON wrote:
>
> It seems the tuner is apparently incapable of
> reducing SWR levels much below 2.0, and in no case below 1.5, on
> multiple bands.
>
>

Bill,

What is your SWR meter like? I assume you are using the Nye-Viking's internal meter. If it's not balanced, it will erroneously read SWR values higher than actual. Most of those built-in meters have a small variable to null out the reflected power reading when operating into a 1:1 load.

Try transmitting into a dummy load in bypass mode of the tuner and adjust the variable for zero indicated ref power.

Good luck.

R,

Al W6LX

2596. Re: WANTED...Low Pass for 6Mtr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chatsnice@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970502233700.TAA11029@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176361

w4op builds a very fine 6 meter filrer his company is PAR Electronics in Lantana, Fla. for more info on his address and phone E-mail me: KD4VBI@juno.com

2597. Re: Repeater System Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbargman@fullnet.net
Message-ID: <33694f65.5015586@news.fullnet.net>
Source record: 176362

Jeffrey Withers <jeffrey@wln.com> wrote:

>Hello, I am Jeff W3GE and just become the trustee
>of a 3 repeater system 2M,220,440 which we want to link
>together at two different sites..and add autopatch, etc.
>using an RLC-2 on one and Link controller on the other.
>I need any suggestions/examples of how to set this up including
>specific programming examples, radio mods, the works.
>Any info where to begin my general education?
>Tnx/73 de Jeffrey@WLN.com

Hi Jeff.

Start by checking out the Link Communications web page at (I believe)
http://www.link-comm.com and that will give you a start. From there
you can download the manuals for your selected controller(s) and do
your research. Our club has an RLC-4 and it has been a very solid
performer.

Good Luck!

73, de Nate >>

Packet | KA0RNY @ KC5TKF.#NCOK.OK.USA.NOAM | "If wires can be
Internet | nbargman@fullnet.net | connected in two
Location | Enid, Oklahoma USA EM16bj | different ways,
View yet another web page at: | the first way
http://www.harvestcomm.net/personal/nbargman/index.htm | blows the fuse!"

2598. FS TS-450 kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <336AE002.7E68@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 176363

I have an absolutely mint TS-450s with antenna tuner and the matching external speaker. Original Boxes and manual. I got this rig from a silent key estate and it has had very little use, This rig cosmetically and electrically is just like new. I will ship this rig for $1000.00 postal MO,

73 Roger,KO4O

2599. Any Parts Source for Heathkit?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: swoodwar@fix.net
Message-ID: <5kd6g6$bg7$1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 176364

Looking for parts to repair a weather station made by Heath. Is there any sources left? Thanks!

2600. WTB: 19"x 5.25" Cabinet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5off@w5ddl.aara.org.nospam
Message-ID: <n5off-0105971914180001@ip129.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 176438

Looking to buy a metal radio or instrument cabinet.

Size 19" x 5.25" opening, about 14" deep.

Please call 318-989-3430.

Thanks
Tom N5OFF

--
Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

2601. Need manual/schematic for KDK 2m rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <pcuellar@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5694$34b29a80$ab9ad4cd@pcuellar>
Source record: 176439

Hello and thanks for reading:
I recently rescued a KDK FM2025 Mk II 2 meter moble rig from another ham's junk pile.
Everything works except the rig's R/F output is in milliwatts. I believe that I can repair the rig, but I need an owners and/or a repair manual, and a schematic diagram. I was told that this rig was very popular in the late '70s. If you have these manuals, please e-mail me. I will be happy to work out reimbursement for copying/mailing costs. Thanks.

Phil - KB8TRK
pcuellar@bright.net

2602. Re: Ham Trader Yellow Sheets - HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <Please@Don't>
Message-ID: <01bc5694$68f27540$235292cf@default>
Source record: 176440

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Dave

johnsi <johnsi@sprynet.com> wrote in article
<5ka98v$32p@lal.interserv.com>...
: HELP! - I lost the address for the Ham Trader Yellow Sheets.
: Please email me with the address.
: All I have is the old winter address in Florida.
: P.S. If you know of another place to post an ad I would be grateful.
: Thanks,
: John N7MTB
:
:

2603. Question with Icom V68

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Bouchard <bouch@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc5692$70527f80$58db60cf@poste-1>
Source record: 176441

73 Everybody

I want to know if the V68 cant do repeater shift and if the case how to do it. The thin manual with the radio do not tell a lot

Eric Bouchard
VA2PTC from Qu&#65533;bec, Canada

2604. Re: Ham Trader Yellow Sheets - HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <336940d0.9270657@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176442

On 1 May 1997 14:27:43 GMT, johnsi@sprynet.com (johnsi) wrote:

>
>HELP! - I lost the address for the Ham Trader Yellow Sheets.
>Please email me with the address.
>All I have is the old winter address in Florida.
>P.S. If you know of another place to post an ad I would be grateful.
>Thanks,
>John N7MTB

P.O. Box 15142
Seattle, WA 98115

or 206-329-8835 (fax)

Bill
KC4PE
kc4pe@mindspring.com
>

2605. Re: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Pender <steam@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5697$83ce0a20$0d4e85d0@ns1.megsinet.net>
Source record: 176443

Just for the record, I have a 241a I used mobile for a couple years.
Now it's been on packet duty for six years, nonstop, mainly on the
dx packetcluster. Hundreds of thousands of key sequences. Never ever a
single problem with this radio.

???

Mike N9IVO steam@megsinet.net

2606. Tek Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fritz <fritz@erinet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc569c$3760a9e0$28765acf@default>
Source record: 176444

I have a Tek 575 Curve Tracer $100.00 FOB Dayton Hamvention. email: fritz@erinet.com

Fritz

2607. Re: New Yaesu Mobile HF/VHF ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4lnm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970502021500.WAA27389@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176445

The FT-920 is shown on Yaesu's net site, and will be at Dayton.

John...
WB4LNM

2608. Re: Aircraft Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wgf@geocities.com
Message-ID: <5kbmf5epo2@news.inc.net>
Source record: 176446

In article <33695678.2F9@erols.com>, willi6@erols.com wrote:
>
>Will Flor wrote:
>>
>> In article <19970424162201.MAA15890@ladder01.news.aol.com>, rt721@aol.com
> (RT721) wrote:
>> >looking for 12 Aircraft 2-way radio, I understand that new regs are
>> >requiring upgrades, and i am looking for one that nolonger meets regs just
>> >for ground use no avat use
>>
>> In the US, such usage is contrary to FCC regulations.
>>
>Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?
>

Yes, they'd be OK in the sense that the FCC regulations I mentioned
don't forbid it, but the older radios only tune to about half the channels
of the new ones, so they may not be as good a choice as a scanner
for that purpose.

73 de KB9JTT

2609. FS AOR AR-8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc56a0$052ca7e0$95bf2299@Earthlink.net.gottria>
Source record: 176447
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I have AOR AR-8000 for sale. Radio is in great shape, has the scout mod
and the floating birdie mod done at the local radio shop. I also have the
Murata Erie 7.5 and 10 filters for the audio clipping mod but never did it.
I have all docs and box. Also have the AR8000INF computer interface that
I will sell with it.

Asking $575.00 including shipping in the USA
--

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net
1996 Sea Doo GTX

2610. FS: DENTRON SUPER TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5kbne9$eak@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 176448

Hello all, I have a Dentron 1KW Super Tuner 160-10 meter antenna tuner
for sale. It is in great shape and works good. $100 shipped.
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

2611. Need help with ID/info on mobile radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fjh@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu
Message-ID: <5kbpet$b8c@uwm.edu>
Source record: 176449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

I just picked up a couple of what look to be commercial vhf
radios and I could use some help tracking down more info. I have
only the main unit for each and not the control heads. They
appear to have been made by "Communications Power Inc" from
Sunnyvale, CA. Model number "CP2500 REMOTE" Serial number 8F090.
They look pretty well made - maybe late 70's era.

Does this ring a bell for anyone? Any info is welcome.

Thanks & 73,

Fred, KF9ZI

--

Fred J. Helmstetter fjh@csd.uwm.edu
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (414) 229-4903

2612. Re: Kenwoods TM-241a Problem Child?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970502050900.BAA11972@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176450

>Just for the record, I have a 241a I used mobile for a couple years.
>Now it's been on packet duty for six years, nonstop, mainly on the
>dx packetcluster. Hundreds of thousands of key sequences. Never ever a
>single problem with this radio.

I, too, have had this unit mobile for over a year, through heat and cold,
without one problem.
I would have no reservations buying another

2613. Re: YAESU ANNOUNCES NEW KW HF+6M Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <336A4A97.6B11@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 176451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I've received lots of requests for pricing on the new
VL1000/VP1000 amplifier from Yaesu. At this time, no
pricing is available (US$ or Yen price). Sorry ---

Joe

Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China

http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html

ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.

2614. Re: Looking for Best General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bucky Hydal <buckyhydal@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336983FD.6E50@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Your news reader must be malfunctioning. The orignal post mentioned "avid shortwave listener." I don't see "avid American" anywhere in the post.

Alan Holloway wrote:
>
> What, pray tell, is an "avid" American?

2615. Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dude@wherever.net
Message-ID: <33698e25.736640@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176453

I read about the option of having a CTCSS decoder as an option in most dual band HT'S. Does this mean that if you are listening to lets say a taxi dispatch or police radio and or a repeater that the radio will show what PL tone is being used? I thought CTCSS or PL tones were only transmitted in the transmission part of the conversation not the reception. (I am talking about repeaters exclusively). I do understand that you can use these tones if there are alot of hams using the same simplex frequencies. Is there another use? Possibly the one's I stated earlier? Thank you.

2616. CD ROM SCSI CHEAP CHEAP $75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc56fa$b3020cc0$6b2492cf@default>
Source record: 176454

texel plextor 2 speed for sale $75.00 call gabe at
1-401-434-2606 .

e-mail gmelo@worldnet.att.net

2617. Seller for Alpha and ETO amplifier ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: f5tcn@mail.dotcom.fr
Message-ID: <3369b9ce.13866932@news.hol.fr>
Source record: 176455

You could say me if he exists a seller of amplifier ALPHA or ETO in
Europe.
And what is the price for this material?
Thank you to help me.

e-mail: f5tcn@mail.dotcom.fr
url: http://wwwperso.hol.fr/~ycaillia/

2618. Authors Seeking Publication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim@idt.net
Message-ID: <5kckjj$aap@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 176456

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2619. FS: Radios Pre-Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9uwa@cris.com
Message-ID: <5kcp4t$j62@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 176457
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Anyone out there want any of these Radios before they go to Dayton?

Radios Equipment & Boatanchors going to Dayton for sale....
May 16th, 17th, 18th

Flea market spaces 2843 and 2844 that is 2 rows north of Mendelsons
tent.....stop by and see us there .....

John K9UWA & Jean N9PXF

Mfg. & Model year type additional information price
#1. GE-X216A 1939 Table fully restored $165
#2 GE-F70 1937 (SOLD)
#3 RCA 4T 1935 Cathedral " " $225
#4 General Radio 19A5 1946 Table " " $90
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#6 GE C-122 1947 Plaskon Table " " $90
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#8 Philco 37-84 1937 Cathedral photo finish rough $150
#9 Truetone model?? 1939? tbale fully restored $125
#10 Hallicrafters SX-99 Communications rcvr nice $125
#11 Gonset Communicator II (2 mtr) looks nice & works! $100
#12 RCA T4-8A 1934 Cathedral fully restored $210
#13 Heath HW100 + HP23 works fine...output only 80 watts $190
#14 Heath HW-32 + HP23 works fine $90
#15 Philco 610 1936 Tombstone fully restored $210
#16 Zenith 6R-886r 1948 record player/radio restored $110
#17 Philco 80B (jr) 1936 Cathedral fully restored $225
#18 Philco 37-61 1937 Cathedral " " $275
#19 Silvertone #1660? 1933 Cathedral " " $265
#20 Zenith 6s229 1937 Tombstone (SOLD)
#21 Zenith 7s529 1941 Table " " $260
#22 Zenith 705 1933 Table " " $175
#23 Johnson Viking II + 122 VFO looks good and works $210
#24 National NC-303 (SOLD)
#25 Millen Grid Dip meter + coils $85
#26 Crosley 5M3 1934 "Midget Tombstone" restored $140
#27 Zenith 6D2615 1946 table boomarang dial " $160
#28 E.H.Scott 1942 US Navy rcvr (tuning eye) works $125
#29 Zenith 12H670 1941 "Newport" console fully restored $310
#30 Zenith 8-A-02 1938 Console (SOLD)
#31 Philco 38-2 1938 Teledial console " " $225
#32 Philco 38-4 1937 Console " " $215
#33 Philco 42-380 1942 Console Restored BC Band only $120

#34 Pilot T-511 1946 table radio " " $80
#35 Delco R-1140 1937 " " " " $90
#36 GE A-82 1935 Tombstone restored but no top S/W band $170
#37 Federal ?? 1950 ? Wood Table radio restored $25
#38 Airline 74BR-1501b 1947 Bakelite table restored $90
#39 Gonset 6 mtr amp + spare tubes #826 works great $170
#40 Zenith G-510 1950 plastic ac/dc works $25
#41 ARC 5 / T-19 military looks OK $25
#42 Hallicrafters SX-25 comm. rcvr works nice looks nice $150
#43 Philco 38-60 1938 Tombstone fully restored $150
#44 Hallicrafters SX-99 comm. rcvr works looks OK.not mint $100
#45 JPS Comm NIR-10 Audio DSP unit has latest upgrades $150

Also numerous small AC/DC radios. A few transistors and tube testers
parts etc.etc...etc....Thanks for reading this list...

John K9UWA & Jean N9PXF Radio Restorations and Collectors
4836 Ranch Road, Leo Indiana 46765 1-219-637-6426
John K9UWA
k9uwa@cris.com

2620. Re: FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc56fb$afaf1bc0$486157c6@520d>
Source record: 176458

it is a 4mm jack. most RS plugs seem to be 5.5mm.
I finally broke down and drove to our ham radio store and
bought the yaesu plug.
--

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Baycom BP-2 AX.25
"Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
==========
Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx.ampr.org

Justin Bodie <bodie@rrnet.com> wrote in article
<33680B40.5C8E95E@rrnet.com>...
>
> miker wrote:
>
> > > Scott Wilkerson (n9kqk@hsonline.net) wrote:
> > > : Does anyone have a part number for the DC input plug for the FT-50R
> > > : ht? A friend got one without the cord or recharger, all my
adapters
> > > : seem to be too big. Is there an aftermarket replacement or one at
the
> > > : local RShack?
>
> > Anybody make this work? I can get it to work if I hold it pushed in,
> > but when I let go, it breaks contact. Seems like the contact is
> > too far up inside the barrel.
>
> Yeah, I could never get it to work without pushing it in either.
> The RShack plug just isn't quite right. I didn't have any luck
> finding one elsewhere, but you might have a chance with one of the
> mail-order electronics shops...
>
> Justin
>
>
> --
> .....
> Justin M. Bodie
> *New* E-mail: bodie@rrnet.com
> Home Page: http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/2062/
>

>
>

2621. Info Military Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: woweinga@mtu.edu
Message-ID: <woweinga-020597085902@techmac8.tech.mtu.edu>
Source record: 176459

I am posting for a fellow ham who wants info on:
Hughs Aricraft Company
RT-794A / PRC-74
2 - 12 MC
Any info & source of Tech manuals would be appreciated.

Warren Weingarten - W9VKG

2622. RE: Battery Interchangability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97050206503813453@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176460

>>I was told I could use the Icom batteries for the IC-2at on the Radio
>>Shack HTX-202.

What was wrong with the replies you ALREADY received on this inquiry?

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

2623. Re: Swan repairs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3369F6B5.709E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176461

John Grow wrote:
>
> Hello to all,
> A while back somebody posted a few names of persons who specialize in
> repairing Swan equipment. Can somebody repost or point me in the right
> direction to contact these persons.
> Thank you
> John

Good Morning John
Go to the Index URL below -- click on Swan Radios

73
Rod in San Diego
--
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With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
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E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2624. Re: Sony SW-77, turn on problem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sepool@netcom.com
Message-ID: <sepoolE9K5u7.6zD@netcom.com>
Source record: 176462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Costas Spanos (spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu) wrote:
: I have a Sony SW-77 that has had a peculiar problem since I
: got it, new, as a present less than a year ago.

: Most of the time, when I first turn it on it appears to be into a "mute"
: mode. It sounds as if the first RF stage is off and the radio barely
: receives anything. The problem goes away if I hit the "scan" button, or
: if I quickly cycle the power button. Sometimes the problem goes away if
: I simply turn the frequency encoder.

: Anyone seen this problem before? Should I send the radio to Sony for
: repair, or is there a simple fix I can do myself? (I have the service
: manual).

: (BTW, this is the updated version of the SW-77 with the long antenna).

: thanks!

: Costas

Yes, I bought a SW-77 that I hoped to use for recording programs with
its excellent timers, but quite often would have the same behaviour,
making it useless for unattended recording. I ended up returning the
radio, so I don't know if it is repairable at all. The shop I bought
it from tested it, and of course, it didn't do it for them, so they
didn't believe me, but I did return it within their time period. This
was a shop in Dallas, TX, so I bet it didn't end up in your hands!

Other than that, it was a great radio.

good luck,

Sam Pool
--
sepool@netcom.com

2625. HTX-202 error 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Kilgore <kilgore@dev.tivoli.com>
Message-ID: <3369F78A.1366@dev.tivoli.com>
Source record: 176463

I bought a Radio Shack HTX-202 a few days ago, and so far I really like it. The only problem seems to be that I get occasional error 2 message (PLL unlock). So far this has only occurred when using a 8.4V 1800-mAh battery and a replacement antenna. It does not occur with the stock 7.2V battery pack or with the stock rubber duck antenna. I assume some RF is getting into something and causing the problem.

Has anyone experienced this problem? Is this to be expected (I know the 202 does have its shortcomings) or is this perhaps a defect in this individual unit? Any information is appreciated.

73,
Jeff, KC1MK

2626. Re: Microwave folks - Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zack Lau <zlau@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <3369F9B9.133F@arrl.org>
Source record: 176464

John WB6GHA wrote

> >I'm looking for an adapter, but don't know
> >what it's called (or numbered), or how to
> >identify it other than a "N-to-waveguide"
> >adapter...
> >
> >The waveguide-end of the thing would bolt
> >to waveguide with an outside diameter
> >of 1 1/4 by 2 1/2 inches, and the flange
> >outside dimensions are 2 3/4 by 4 inches,
> >and it has a ten bolt pattern. And the "N"
> >connector would probably be an N female.
> >
> >What would be the "proper" nomenclature
> >for this item?
> >

I called a similar device in the November 195 QEX
a "10 GHz SMA to WR-90 transition." Often, I'll
shorten it to just WR-90 transition, since SMAs
are by far the most popular connector at 10 GHz.

Keep in mind that the flanges can vary...

Also, there are a few numbered transistions, like
the UG-40B/U and UG-446A/U, which are a WR-90 to N females.

The 40B has a choke flange, which should only be mated
with flat flanges like the 446.

--Zack Lau W1VT

> >Thanks in advance
> >de John WB6GHA
> >occupant@ns.net

2627. Re: Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <336f0486.11281832@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176465

On Fri, 02 May 1997 06:54:54 GMT, dude@wherever.net (Tim) wrote:

>I read about the option of having a CTCSS decoder as an option in most
>dual band HT'S. Does this mean that if you are listening to lets say
>a taxi dispatch or police radio and or a repeater that the radio will
>show what PL tone is being used?
No. However, some HTs (my AT-600, for instance) is capable of scanning a received signal and detecting the PL tone being transmitted. This feature is useful when you want to hit a repeater you don't have any information about.

> I thought CTCSS or PL tones were
>only transmitted in the transmission part of the conversation not the
>reception.
You are correct. PL tones are not transmitted during reception. (!)

> (I am talking about repeaters exclusively). I do
>understand that you can use these tones if there are alot of hams
>using the same simplex frequencies. Is there another use? Possibly
>the one's I stated earlier? Thank you.

The CTCSS (or PL) Decode function is used for several purposes. It can be used in conjunction with the Cross-Band Repeater function in the same manner as a full-fledged repeater, or it can be used in conjunction with the Code (Tone) Squelch feature, where the squelch is broken only when the tone is heard, thereby knocking out all the other chatter on the frequency. I think there are one or two other things I can do with the PL decode, but I haven't used them and I can't remember what they are.

73 de Ron/N3ZDS

2628. Re: CD ROM SCSI CHEAP CHEAP $75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jurish@No.SPam.teleteam.com
Message-ID: <3369ff6a.179261948@teleteam.com>
Source record: 176466

On 2 May 1997 10:13:20 GMT, "gabriel melo" <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>texel plextor 2 speed for sale $75.00 call gabe at
> 1-401-434-2606 .
>
>
> e-mail gmelo@worldnet.att.net

Good news pal---You are only 50$$ high... Get real a 2x scsi isn't
worth a flip...

2629. Apologies for e-mailing error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <336A0A10.6DB0@shani.net>
Source record: 176467

Hi,
By mistake some messages on the FT-1000MP RF power
control were sent in a wrong manner.
Sorry for the vasted bandwidth and your time.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

2630. Re: FS: Lafayette HE-80 Rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <336BFDC6.652@erols.com>
Source record: 176218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

tom goodfellow wrote:
>
> For Sale - Excellent Condition Classic Shortwave Lafayette HE-80
> Receiver. .55KHz thru 54 MHz ..AM SSB CW FM ...A True classic tube rig,

> none of that "solid state" stuff that's not here to last.....Send

Yea... Right! Like the Sony 2010 does not "LAST" What a pisser!!

2631. FS: UHF HT & Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas K. Neiferd" <dknife@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336BE99C.7259@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176219
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Standard HX-240U, UHF 16 chnl/4 watt HT, 420-470 MHz, programmable,
all original accessories and boxes, software and field programming
instructions, digital display, simplex/duplex, hi/low power, scan,
CTCSS tones, drop-in-charger, spkr/mic, power cords, bottom covers,
extra alk battery pack, lighted LED, mobile mag mount ant, and manuals.
Excellent condition, $300.

Realistic DX-380 Portable Communications Receiver.
150 kHz-30 MHz AM and 88-108 MHz FM. Digital display.
Has local/dx and narrow/wide AM reception switches.
Stereo/mono FM switch. Also, hi/low tone and fast/slow
tune switches. AM external antenna, dc power, and headphone
jacks. Tunes by direct entry, up/down button, or rotary dial.
Original box and manual, like new, works great. $100

I will pay shipping via UPS ground.

Contact Doug, KG8EP at dknife@worldnet.att.net

2632. Correction - Service Manual For An ICOM 490A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Walker <ke7ua@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336BEBD5.633@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Sorry about the typo on the model - it's an ICOM 490A - looking for a Service Manual or a copy.

Please E-Mail ke7ua@ix.netcom.com or ke7ua@juno.com

Thank You.

Jerry - KE7UA

2633. syntor programming sheme

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve2bpu@sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <862710863.30498@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176221

HI ! Iam looking for the programming information for a Syntor Motorola radio originally set at 413 mhz. Iwant to operate this unit in the ham band at 446 mhz for a packet project. I need to know the code computation an placement on the prom . Thanks in advance for any help.
73's de ve2bpu.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2634. RE: HTX-202 error 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970503151128135 20@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176222

ER2 indicates a PLL unlock. The radio gives this error if the PLL alignment is off or if the transmitted signal interferes with the internal PLL frequency. This error has been reported most frequently when using the supplied "rubber ducky" antenna with either a high-power battery pack or with an external DC source.

According to Tandy, the fix for this is to use an external antenna when using external DC power. The memo goes on to say that if the problem persists, send the transciever to the repair center.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

2635. YAESU FT-530 dual band vhf uhf handheld with mod's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicholas Belback <nbelback@gslink.com>
Message-ID: <336BCA25.6332@gslink.com>
Source record: 176223

YAESU FT-530 dual band vhf uhf handheld with mod's abd all the options
Best Offer

2636. F.S. Station; W/TS-430s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: lorenaudio@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <862717386.1504@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I have for sale a station consisting of:
1.)TS-430s in good cond, with mike (mc-48), ssb narrow, fm board and manual.
2.)Pyramid 20A metered power supply
3.)Compaq Contura 4/25 notebook computer with 8MB ram, 14.4 modem, ethernet, mouse, trackball, battery and charger.
4.)Baypac TNC.
Sell all for 950$, I ship UPS. Mail me if you are interested. Thank you for reading this.
Loren

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2637. WTB: Butternut Vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Message-ID: <336C0754.51A3@gorge.net>
Source record: 176225

Hello,
I would like to buy a Butternut Vertical in good condition. Please reply
by email with info.
73
Tim Robertson,KC7QOM
timr@gorge.net

2638. Re: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5kfpg7$6db$1@mhafn.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 176226

icom has already discontinued the 706 pricing to be similar to original unit
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73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

2639. Re: HTX-202 error 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1rkt@dekalb.Net
Message-ID: <5ke8kb$qbj@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 176227

In article <3369F78A.1366@dev.tivoli.com>, kilgore@dev.tivoli.com wrote:
>I bought a Radio Shack HTX-202 a few days ago, and so far I really
>like it. The only problem seems to be that I get occasional error
>2 message (PLL unlock). So far this has only occurred when using
>a 8.4V 1800-mAh battery and a replacement antenna. It does not
>occur with the stock 7.2V battery pack or with the stock rubber
>duck antenna. I assume some RF is getting into something and
>causing the problem.
>
>Has anyone experienced this problem? Is this to be expected (I
>know the 202 does have its shortcomings) or is this perhaps a
>defect in this individual unit? Any information is appreciated.
>
>73,
>

Jeff, KC1MK

Hi Jeff,

Common problem, the Radio Shack does not like the hight voltage. There is a regulation for the top 12 volt input but the bottom has little to nothing, you can build a better regulation circut into the bottom. I did on one, but for the gain of the larger battery it was not worth the effort. There was no real output gain at all. Be carefull I have heard of three people having this problem with the 202's when using the 12 volt cig. plug in Chrysler products, the chrysler regulators are rather slow in the older models and peak has high as 22 volts at times which will also trip the error 2.

Hope this helps.

'73 Tracy N1RKT/4

2640. Re: Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edwin Roos <edroos.nospam@deltanet.com>
Message-ID: <336C0EF5.36E5@deltanet.com>
Source record: 176228

Tony T. Hwang wrote:
>
> Does anyone out there have some
> advance product info. on this model?
> Supposed to be introduced at Dayton.
> How does it compare to Kenwood TS-870D?
>
> TIA, 73
> Tony, VE6CGX
I called Yaesu yesterday and the said it will be in the stores in about
ten days! Ed R. KC6ZHY

2641. Re: Problems with NARCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Sharples <sharples@hooked.net>
Message-ID: <336BEDF8.6BE1@hooked.net>
Source record: 176229
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jerry Gardner wrote:
>
>
> Be sure to post what you get to the group.
>
> --
> Jerry Gardner, W6UV

I'm reluctant to do that without authorization from the sender- but I will copy anyone who requests it on items of interest, as soon as I get them sorted out (I've been flooded!)-Tom WA6HAS

2642. Re: Kenwood TM V7R MOD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <336BC184.942@flash.net>
Source record: 176230

How do you like the radio?

Thanks
KC5ZRR

2643. Re: Aircraft Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <336BC963.7BFE@frii.com>
Source record: 176231

Will Flor wrote:
>
> In article <33695678.2F9@erols.com>, willi6@erols.com wrote:
> >
> >Will Flor wrote:
> >>
> >> In article <19970424162201.MAA15890@ladder01.news.aol.com>, rt721@aol.com
> > (RT721) wrote:
> >> >looking for 12 Aircraft 2-way radio, I understand that new regs are
> >> >requiring upgrades, and i am looking for one that nolonger meets regs just
> >> >for ground use no avat use
> >>
> >> In the US, such usage is contrary to FCC regulations.
> >>
> >Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?
> >
>
> Yes, they'd be OK in the sense that the FCC regulations I mentioned
> don't forbid it, but the older radios only tune to about half the channels
> of the new ones, so they may not be as good a choice as a scanner
> for that purpose.
>
> 73 de KB9JTT

As I recall from talking to my Aviation Repairman about the radios in my airplane, your statements are misleading. First, the regulation is from the FAA, not the FCC. Secondly, the regulation specifies frequency tolerance. While all of the radios with twice the number of channels meet the regulation, many of the older radios do not. It happens that the 300 series radios in my 1977 Cessna both meet the regulation; one is a 720 channel and the other is a 360 channel. Whether a radio meets the regulation depends on the particular model in a series and not how many channels it receives.

Regards,
Dave

2644. ILLEGAL TRANSMISSIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
Message-ID: <1e1_9705040130@magsystems.com>
Source record: 176232

> I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected
>the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and
>could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were
>transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not
>once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who
>they were.
> This does happen from time to time but what to do???

There's nothing you can do until the FCC is willing to assume their
responsibilities and enforce the law. They haven't done that in a good
while now and probably won't ever again.

OLX 1.53 PRIVATE REPLY? E-MAIL ME AT: NK2U@JUNO.COM
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|Fidonet: Roland Stiner 1:2604/151
|Internet: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

2645. ILLEGAL TRANSMISSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
Message-ID: <1e0_9705040130@magsystems.com>
Source record: 176233

J>A carpenter that did some work for me has a 2 meter/440 and uses it to
>stay in contact with his brother. I asked about a call sign but he said
>he did not have one.

J>What type of penalty?

None, the FCC does not care.

J>Who to contact?

The FCC but they'll give you the cold shoulder.

OLX 1.53 PRIVATE REPLY? E-MAIL ME AT: NK2U@JUNO.COM

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|Fidonet: Roland Stiner 1:2604/151
|Internet: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

2646. AIRCRAFT RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
Message-ID: <1e2_9705040130@magsystems.com>
Source record: 176234

>Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?

It's legal to use ANY radio to receive-no license needed.

OLX 1.53 PRIVATE REPLY? E-MAIL ME AT: NK2U@JUNO.COM

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|Fidonet: Roland Stiner 1:2604/151
|Internet: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

2647. FT-520 VFO Erratic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbritt@visi.net
Message-ID: <336bb028.2476442@news.visi.net>
Source record: 176268

I am the "new" owner of a TS-520 Kenwood rig. I have a weird problem in that the VFO sometimes changes freq by itself. I'll be listening to a radio net when the freq will go off so I can't understand anyone in the net without retuning the receiver. I have tried to find a loose shield etc but to no avail. I have tried taping on the chassis etc but can't force the freq to change (its very stable except e\when it wants to change). Any ideas from Kenwood experts out there. Thanks a bunch :)

73

W4MCD

ex WD4AEF (Richard in Virginia)

2648. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kbreiner@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <336abc91.135239978@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176269
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

On 1 May 1997 22:37:12 +0200, Steve Hinkle
<shinkle@bangate.compaq.com> wrote:

>David Knaack wrote:
>>
>> Bergum <bergum@internet.no> wrote in article
>> <336b61a9.1619434@news.internet.no>...
>> > I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
>> > I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
>> > alterning the state on the port.
>> > I allso want one for a com port.
>> > --
>> > Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!
>> >
>> > http://www.internet.no/bergum/
>> > - Bergum@Internet.no
>> >
>> You can drive a transistor with the voltage from the port, and the
>> transistor can run the relay. I do not recommend trying to drive the
>> relay on the current supplied by the port, provide an external supply.
>> A 2N2222 will work fine if your relay uses less than 800ma.
>> You should probably connect the port ground to the power ground.
>> Heres how you would connect the transistor.
>>
>> Vcc
>> |
>> /collector
>> From port------|
>> \emitter
>> |
>> Relay
>> |
>> Ground
>> --
>> David Knaack[XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX]
>> E-mail replies are appreciated, but not necessary.
>
>
>There are many relays that actuate around 20mA. You could probably
>drive one of these directly from a printer port line. You could even
>parallel several lines together in order to get the current you need.
>Don't forget the back EMF clamping diode across the relay coil no matter
>which option you decide to use!

>
>Good luck,
>===sh===
>

True, but even 20mA seems large. Com ports really aren't meant to handle more than 10mA. I found a 'reed relay' at Radio Shack that does the job, though...

2649. Re: Pricing on Yaesu FT-50RD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: antoine957@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503043900.AAA06460@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176270

just pick one up from RT Systems out of huntsville alabama for $337.00 and $5.50 for shipping and handling. got FT-50RD and a extra 6V battery. Received 1 May, learning manual and every bit of info i can find on aol and web

2650. FS: LEVINSON 27.5 - $2650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Liao <acliao@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc577c$902f2020$c76093cf@default>
Source record: 176271

MARK LEVINSON 27.5 amp, perfect condition, 3.5yrs w/unfilled warranty registration card, Stereophile class A rated. Retail $5500 asking $2650 +COD shp firm. Serious inquiry only. Call Andy @ (713)785-1578 or (713)235-5233

2651. Re: Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc577e$d9159f60$4d038ed0@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 176272

Tim <dude@wherever.net> wrote in article
<33698e25.736640@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
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>
> I read about the option of having a CTCSS decoder as an option in most
> dual band HT'S. Does this mean that if you are listening to lets say
> a taxi dispatch or police radio and or a repeater that the radio will
> show what PL tone is being used? I thought CTCSS or PL tones were
> only transmitted in the transmission part of the conversation not the
> reception. (I am talking about repeaters exclusively). I do
> understand that you can use these tones if there are alot of hams
> using the same simplex frequencies. Is there another use? Possibly
> the one's I stated earlier? Thank you.

It is possible for a radio to use a receive-only "PL" tone, as well as a transmitted PL tone. The benefit of a receive-only PL would be that the radio would stay silent until/unless it receives a transmission that has the correct PL, then it would open and let you hear whatever traffic you want to listen to. This used to be very common in business repeaters, where several organizations shared one repeater but the overall usage was very low. In most of those cases, the mobiles had a special microphone hook that had 1 or 2 wires going to it, or in one case, if the button on the back contacted chassis ground, as long as the microphone was on the hook, the radio would open only with the correct PL. Once you unhooked the microphone, it went to a normal squelch. You listened for a couple of seconds to see if there was any other traffic, then you talked, knowing that others on the same frequency but different PL's usually didn't listen to you (unless they had their mike's off the hook or were being nosy :-).

There are many amateur repeaters that one has to have the correct PL to access the repeater. I have no idea if there are any multiple-PL-able amateur repeaters in use - it's certainly possible, but not very feasable.

Hope this helps,

Ray

2652. Re: HTX 202 Lithium Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc577f$89f79ae0$4d038ed0@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 176273

LStew72000 <lstew72000@aol.com> wrote in article
<19970501033100.XAA02319@ladder01.news.aol.com>...
> Has anyone tried to replace the battery?. The battery is only $6.00, but
> it's holder seems to be hardwired. The cost for Radio Shack to replace it
> I hear is high.

No, but I'm thinking about it. My 2-year-old rechargable pack apparently
has a shorted cell in it. I'll try "de-whiskering" it tomorrow, operating
on Rayovac Renewals with the standard pack for now. I need to research the
lithiums and metal hydrides out some more.

Ray KB0STN

2653. Re: Suggestions for building the Ten Tec 9-band Rcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5780$d5e64680$4d038ed0@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 176274

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote in article
<3367B4F5.687A@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>...
> I'm about to build my Ten Tec 9-band Receiver Kit. I'm planning on
> following the assembly manual word for word. Did anyone have any trouble
> putting this together? Any suggestions?

I bought and put together their # 1209 2m <> 6m transverter kit. I'd say
it took me about, oh, 8 hours to "stuff" it. Biggest problem was positively
identifying the capacitors, and I was short a couple and long a couple.
Eeh. (I work in the electronics shop of a hospital, that was not a
problem!) Had it all together, received fairly well without even aligning
it. Tried transmitting, couldn't get more than 50 mW out of it. Returned it
to TenTec for evaluation, they determined that I had blown one transistor
(wasn't a CMOS, either), and they exchanged one capacitor to let it work
better on SSB and _aligned_ it for me, AT NO CHARGE!!

If your book is like the one I got, it is very well detailed, and it
would probably be best to follow it exactly, especially if this is your
first kit. :-)

Ray KB0STN

2654. hallicrafters ht-37

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Earl" <jpearl@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <336AE4E8.18B1@interaccess.com>
Source record: 176275

Hi, My dad is looking for a replacment rotary switch
wafer for the bandswitch on his hallicrafters ht-37. Or some reasonable
means of reproducing it. Can you help? If you can, please email
him at dearl@juno.com. Thank you.
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//-----------------------------------
// John P.
Earl
// jpearl@interaccess.com
//-----------------------------------

2655. Re: ft-50r battery problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5781$c222f5c0$4d038ed0@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 176276

p22980@email.mot.com wrote in article <862361357.27797@dejanews.com>...
> I have had my ft-50r for about 3 months, and suddenly it started having
> the following problem. Has anybody had this problem?
>
> When I charge my battery, it discharges overnight while connected to the
> unit, with the unit turned off. When not connected to the unit, it does
> not discharge. I tried taking the battery off and connecting the unit to
> a 9.6V power supply at the battery connectors, through an ammeter. With
> the unit off, it draws a little over 4 mA!
>
> I use an external 12V regulated power supply through the dc port. I can't
> see how this could hurt the unit, since it is spec'ed to perform at that
> level. Any way, I'm sending it back to Yaesu.
>
> Has anybody else had this problem?

I don't have this particular radio, but something is definitely wrong with it if it's draining 4 mA when it's turned off. My first guess, don't laugh, try looking at it in the dark, maybe something's happened to cause it to turn on one of the LEDs for the display? Don't know what else could be wrong with it, if the switch is OFF and it's still drawing power, you have a sick radio on your hands.

Ray KB0STN

2656. Re: Need Help With Hallicrafters S-38-C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5782$7d5dde40$4d038ed0@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 176277

Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net> wrote in article
<33664F81.4F08@gorge.net>...
>
> Hello and thanks for your time. I just recently aquired a Hallicrafters
> S-38-C that needs some help. This will be my first attempt at
> restoration so would appreciate any input you have to offer. When the
> radio is plugged in it has a loud hum and nothing else. The volume/off
> switch will not turn it off and seems to have little effect on volume.
> Where should I start? appreciate any help.

I have a S-53A that I also need to start restoring, it belong to my late grandfather, I remember playing with it 30+ years ago. (sigh)

Anyways, I'll wager that you just plugged it in and tried turning it on. How long had it been off, a couple of years? (Not chewing you out at all, just asking) My guess is that the old paper capacitors have "deformed". Someone in a FidoNet ham radio msg. group mentioned that one trying to restore an old radio needs to take it in stages, using a variac (variable transformer). Set the variac for 25v, connect the radio to it, turn it on and let it set for a couple of days. Then carefully bump the voltage up to 50v and let it set for a day, then 80 and a day, then regular line voltage. That should work. If not, you (and probably me, since I haven't done it yet) will need to start replacing some capacitors. (sigh)

Ray KB0STN

2657. FS-SMALL ACCESSORIES, NEAT-O!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503024500.WAA26972@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176278

Hi All! I have for sale these nice items, please check'em out!
AMECO PT-2 PRE-AMP, EXC. CONDX for use w/xcvr...$40-shipped!
SUPERSCAF AUDIO FILTER w/manual, Built in audio amp, was $179 new, EXC
CONDX for $50-shipped!
YAESU YO-301 Station monitor scope, exc. condx, no manual, $175-shipped!
WWV RCVR by Specific Products, 2.5, 5, 10, 15, 20MHZ, tube, rack
mount.$30-
Shipped!
EF JOHNSON electronic antenna changeover switch, exc, manual $50-shipped!
1948 HEATH S-2 electronic switch, AG-7 Audio generator, manual, exc.
$50-for both shipped!
Please E-Mail to RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM
Thanks es 73.....RICH MORE COMING!!!

2658. New logbook software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sipke Wagenaar <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <01bc5789$342c8440$358f099a@sw>
Source record: 176279

May 3, 1997

Dear HAM,

In May we (FCB) will come with a new logbook programm for
IBM compatible computers. It's a programm with for example:

* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator
(new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch
towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till
the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the
past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
* Holds name, place, info about transceiver, antenna, distance,
angle, locator, etc. of the other radiostation
This info is available during your QSO
* Have a look. during the QSO, to other QSO's you've made
with this radiostation in the past
(You can scroll without leaving the present QSO)
* Have your logbook on the computer screen or print it.
* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the
programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide
(or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in
the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.
For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo
version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one
hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can
still use this first 100 QSO's) Of course you can make more
QSO's with the registrated copy.
The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the
English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you
want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)
You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends.
With your (demo) programm you can make a demo on diskette.
If you're interested, please do e-mail me at:

fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-
programm by internet (e-mail)

RECEIVE THE DEMO-VERSION FOR FREE (NO COSTS)
BY E-MAIL

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

2659. Re: Mobile CW Keyer Paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rst599@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503063500.CAA13998@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176280

Most CW mobile ops I work have a paddle mounted somehow in the car. They send good CW so it must work OK. I have never tried this method. I wanted a better way for me and so the mouse was born.

I have been using the mouse for over 3 years now and don't think I will ever go back to a paddle. Although I started using it when I first went CW mobile, I soon found it worked great operating reclined in my big easy chair at home...CW heaven HI.

Here are some reasons why I find the mouse key better for mobile:

1. No mounting required.

2. Doesn't disintegrate into 10 pieces if dropped on the car floor. (Or kill/crush your toes in the fall for that matter)

3. Easy to store, just throw under the seat or in the glove box.

4. Contacts (microswitches) stay clean under dirty mobile conditions.

5. Cheap: $1 to $2 for dead mice at swapmeets. No tears if damaged or lost as there might be for your $70 Bencher.

6. Great QSO material: Your keying with a dead what???

Making the mouse is easy. Find one with easy pushing switches. Microsoft is the best I've found so far. Remove the guts, all you want are the switches. In some mice you may have to isolate the switches by cutting the circuit board foil as the switches are mounted on the circuit board and not the mouse body. Then wire the switches the same way as your paddles are wired to your keyer. In mine the left switch/button is dots and the right dashes. You can use the mouse tail wire as it is, just isolate the extra wires and put the appropriate jack for your keyer on it. That's all there is to it!!

When keying I use my index and middle fingers. I practiced for a few hours before I went on the air. It came pretty quick.

If you want to get fancy I think you could build a keyer right inside the mouse. I haven't tried this yet but may. Also if you use a 3 button mouse you could wire the center button/switch for straight key/tuning duty. Improvise, that's the name of the game.

IF you have a January 1996 QST laying around there is an article about the mouse in Hints and Kinks.

Ok, I guess that's more than you wanted to know.

73

2660. Re: FCC kills off ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <5keran$bpv@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 176281
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,misc.,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

Gerald Schmitt, spamming alt.radio.amateur.club.clarc,alt.radio.pirate,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)

>>Without knowing what NG you posted your insults to Burt on there was
>no
>>way to trim the header. I'm reading your nonsense on .dx but you might
>>be on .misc or elsewhere - so what which NGs should be trimmed?

>>>I forgot but you oh netcop know better.

>>Tell me which NG you're on and I'll do some trimming; in the meantime,
>>got any DX news to share with us?

>Jeffy,
>Nice spam job, do you do this alot, or just when you loose an argument?

Again, tell me what NG you're on and I'll trim the headers you initially
placed at the top when you started calling Burt names. I count 6 NGs
you posted your Burt-attacks to. How am I supposed to trim if I don't
know where you're at? Come out of the NG closet! I'm currently on .misc.

>You threaten some guy on .swap

He sold me a bum modem - I gave him a choice to refund my money or face
postal fraud. What did you interpret as a threat? What would you have done?

>and when you get called on it

No one took exception except you.

>you raise the all mighty news group charter.

Yep. No followups should be done on .swap - they're supposed to go via
email - that's why I redirected my followup to you over to .misc. You
apologized last week but now you've reversed yourself.

>Face it Jeff you're just a control freak

Hey, that's not nice! Don't be so mean-spirited, Jerry. At least I'm
not threatening to go to go to Burt's net provider as your are.

>a nebulous existence on the net but be my guest. However there
>are people who, unlike your poor students, don't have to take your crap
>and won't.

Why are you so being so mean-spirited, Jerry? Go have a beer and watch the sunset. Life's too short to be hostile.

So what's your latest project? Building any radio-related gear? I just bought a WRL Globe Scout transmitter (for $25!) - I can't wait to string a 160m wire and see what I can do on that band from out here in the middle of the Pacific.

Have a fun weekend,
Jeff KH2PZ

2661. IC-2710H-Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: arisk@spidernet.COM.cy
Message-ID: <3.0.32.19970503101754.0068c85c@nautilus.spidernet.net>
Source record: 176282

Can anyone tell me if its possible to make the IC2710H to function as a
crossband repeater?
Also are there any mods?
Thanking in advance
Aris-5B4JE
Aristides Kaponides

mailto:arisk@spidernet.com.cy

<http://www.angelfire.com/ca/cyprusham>

2662. wanted Ramsey UHF transciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Sloan <sloana@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <336AE893.159D@rconnect.com>
Source record: 176283

wanted complete or uncompleted Ramsey UHF 440MHZ transciever.
May also be interested in the 2m and 6m versions.

please call or email

evenings @ 712 338 2542
sloana@rconnect.com

Thanks. Aaron

2663. ppwin for win95 & pk232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: FOSTIRAS GEORGE <sv4kj@compulink.gr>
Message-ID: <01bc574a$67373900$8c80f2c3@karditsa.compulink.gr>
Source record: 176284

please ainformations for pk232 programm (like ppwin packet-pactor -amtor
-rtty if it is possible for windoww 95) in my personal internet adress
thanks and 73
GEORGE SV4KJ
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HAM RADIO STATION SV4KJ
op.GEORGE K. FOSTIRAS
internet adr.: sv4kj@compulink.forthnet.gr
packet adr.: SV4KJ@SV4AMW.LAR.GRC.EU
post address:
GEORGE K. FOSTIRAS
2Mesologgiou str.
43100 KARDITSA
HELLAS

2664. Yaesu Ft-530 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: smitin@globalxs.nl
Message-ID: <336b25a3.89418@news.globalxs.nl>
Source record: 176285

Hello All.

I have a Yaesu Ft-530..
Where can i find mod files for the ft 530

Thanxs Marco

2665. Ten-Tec Paragon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom J. Mullins" <kc4loy2@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336B5F31.4599@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176286

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<BASE HREF="file:///C|/NETCOM/NETSCAPE/PARAGON.HTM">

> Hi, and thanks for reading this message... I need to sell this HF Rig !!
>
> TEN-TEC PARAGON W/MATCHING POWER SUPPLY,TEN-TEC DESK
> MIC,SOFTWARE,MANUALS,EVERYTHING...
>
> RIG HAS ALL OF THE FILTERS, 6.0/2.4/1.8/.50/.25..
> RIG HAS AN RS-232 PORT, VOICE CARD,AND AN ADD-ON ALC-ALERT RESET BUTTON.
> ALL HAS BEEN FACTORY INSTALLED.. VERY NICE RIG, LOTS OF BUTTONS..
> MODES = AM/FM/LSB/USB/CW/TUNE....
> SPEECH PROCESSOR,N/BLANKER,QSK,AGC,ATTENUATOR,TONE SELECT,DIGITAL
> READ-OUT,CAN ALSO DISPLAY YOUR CALLSIGN,CLOCK... WILL BE A NICE STARTER
> RIG FOR A DX'ER.... ALSO ON THE BACK OUTLETS, R C A PLUGS, RCA PLUGS FOR
> THE AMPLIFIER IF YOU ADD ONE, I DONT HAVE AN AMP...
> THATS ABOUT IT FOR NOW... THE ASKING PRICE FOR THE PARAGON $1500.00
>
> ANSWER :: KC4LOY2@IX.NETCOM.COM or KC4LOY@JUNO.COM or KC4LOY@USA.NET
>
> I WILL PAY SHIPPING.. TNX, TOM J. MULLINS
> 997 BEAVER HILLS DR.
> BETHLEHEM,GA. 30620
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2666. FS or Trade Kenwood station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekugrad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5kfha6$v9f@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176287

I have the following Kenwood gear for sale:

Kenwood TS-140S HF Rig
Excellent condition with Box, Manual, cable, and Hand Mic.
Price: $575 shipped

Kenwood AT-250 Automatic antenna tuner with SWR/Power Meter and 4
position antenna switch.
Excellent condition with box, cable, manual and service manual
Price: $250 shipped

Kenwood PS-430 Power supply
Matches the 140, 430,440, 680 etc rigs
Excellent condition with box and manual
Price: $110 shipped

Entire station shipped for $890 or trade for other gear

Thanks

David
KA4IKH

ekugrad@mindspring.com

2667. Re: Mobile CW Keyer Paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <336B4F66.3161@techie.com>
Source record: 176288

RST 599 wrote:
>
> Most CW mobile ops I work have a paddle mounted somehow in
> the car. They send good CW so it must work OK. I have never
> tried this method. I wanted a better way for me and so the
> mouse was born.
>
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Hi RST 599 (Who ever you are)

That was a great idea for the mouse keyer. I will have to give that a try.

Ed Cummins
W5CE@usa.net

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2668. FS: Packet Node with Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zamphir <Look@the.bottom.for.my.real.address>
Message-ID: <336B4A7C.67B2@the.bottom.for.my.real.address>
Source record: 176289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,alt.ham-radio.packet

Hi, I have for sale a Packet Node. It consist of an MFJ-1274
TNC converted with the X-1J4 epprom. The Radio is a Motorola
Maxar crystal controlled radio. It has the interface cable out
the back to hook to the TNC. It is crystaled for 145.770
I'll take $200. for the complete setup. E-mail me at the
address below if interested.

Ricky - kc4kin

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Attention: The e-mail address in the header is bogus
to help prevent SPAM in my mailbox. If you want to
reply send email to: kc4kin*geocities.com
putting the @ where the * is. Take that you SPAM-BOTS!

Ricky L. Ponder Website: www.geocities.com/~kc4kin

Nothing's more Dangerous than a Liberal against violence.
-A personal observation 1994

2669. for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Garofalo" <flojg@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc57d7$890ac1e0$5f6874cf@jim>
Source record: 176290

Elmac AF68 transmitter--in nice shape. Also a PMR7 receiver--needs some work. Also the matching power supply(M-1070) This is a 3-way supply 6vdc. 12vdc & 117v ac. I have the manuals on the xmtter & ps. Asking $200.00-you ship

Jim, W2VEC
315-685 5342
Elbridge, ny, 13060

2670. ICOM IC-409A Multimode Xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Walker <ke7ua@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336B5F1A.3180@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone have a Service Manual for the ICOM IC-409A Multimode Xcvr they would be willing to sell or make a copy??

Please E-Mail me ke7ua@ix.netcom or ke7ua@juno.com

Thank You.

Jerry - KE7UA

2671. Re: Mobile CW Keyer Paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb7et@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <336b1abb.719934@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 176292

Another good solution is the MFJ keyer/Bencher paddle combo.

It's small, powered by internal 9V battery, and can be positioned anywhere on the passenger seat. It has enough weight that it wont move. I've never had a problem with the unit moving off the seat when braking.

I use a lap desk on the passenger seat with mine. It's also easy to unplug and move between the shack and car, or hide in the trunk when you stop.

GL and 73, Jim, KB7ET

2672. Kenwood BO-9A System Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Walker <ke7ua@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336B5E43.2B1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone have a Kenwood BO-9A System Base for the TR-9000 Multimode Xcvr
they are willing to sell??

Please E-Mail me ke7ua@ix.netcom.com or ke7ua@juno.com

Thank You.

Jerry - KE7UA

2673. FS: Kenwood TS-50S, $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cooley <ad4mz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <336B9084.184@hotmail.com>
Source record: 176294

It is in very nice condition and works well. Includes:

manual, orig. box, up-down multi-function mic, DC power cable, mobile mounting bracket.

I used this radio in my shack. I have another TS-50s I use mobile.

I will insure and ship within the continental U.S. for

$650.

e-mail: ad4mz@hotmail.com

or call 704 286-0194

Bob

2674. Re: Comments on TS-870, IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <336B65DE.F7C@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 176295

Stephen Cornell wrote:
>
> Len Umina wrote:

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> Whatever you do stay away from the 756. They are in big
> trouble with this
> rig. Their "DSP in the IF" turns out to be the pick up
> point for their
> audio to the audio DSP (prior to the AGC), and major trouble
> is brewing
> over this issue and others. I doubt the right will be
> around for more than
> 6 more months.
>

> coming! The 756 allows both. The dsp in the audio or if is a mute
> point as both the 870 and the 756 dsp systems are outside the AGC loop
> and AGC pumping is noticed on both. You do have the ability to use
> optional filters on the 756 tho only one for each if. The filters are
> far superior in shape and un wanted signal reduction vs the the DSP
> system used by Kenwood see the respective reviews in QST. They are
> very different radios and neither is "crap" as was so objectively put
> by another reply!
> Steve
> W8KZY

The QST review says that the dsp in inside the agc loop on the 870.
Which is it?
--

Charles (Jack) Hawley Jr.
Amateur Radio: Chuck, KE9UW
BMW Motorcycles: Jack, BMWMOA #224
c-hawley@uiuc.edu
Sr. Research Engineer Emeritus
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

"...gimme the fat beat"

2675. YOUR HT is a portable phone!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503170700.NAA15558@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176296

$329 - Connect Systems CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect). 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed at base. Built in programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if someone is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile across circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with fancy base antenna, more height or an amplifier. With permission, just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (Club could run this patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a low cost spare 2m (220 or whatever). Multiple volume adjustments (mobile to land,Land to Mobile,CW volume,regenerated DTMF volume ect.),and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, you are the control operator. Plus a long list of other professional features. Plus, with a cross banding rig in your car, you can go all over town making AND receiving calls on simplex with your HT on low power 440! Set it to ringout, send DTMF code or use a silent PL tone to your HT. You can even set which rings to rings out on. Imaculate

2676. FS: Rohn 25G Foldover Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503170901.NAA15693@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176297

I still have the Rohn 25G Foldover Kit (model FK-2558) in excellent
condition
No rust, 6 years old and is down and ready to go
I will take $450 or best reasonable offer
I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail
This must be a pick-up only and Qth is Lakeville, Ma. about 35 miles South
of Boston

WZ1U Steve
Lakeville, Ma.

2677. Re: ICOM IC-409A Multimode Xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <336b87f4.15026376@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 176298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 03 May 1997 11:51:54 -0400, Jerry Walker <ke7ua@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Anyone have a Service Manual for the ICOM IC-409A Multimode Xcvr they
>would be willing to sell or make a copy??
>
>Please E-Mail me ke7ua@ix.netcom or ke7ua@juno.com
>
>Thank You.
>
>Jerry - KE7UA
>

Jerry,

I Think you mean an ICOM IC-490 A. A Model 409A was not produced.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

2678. Re: WTB: 10 meter amp - HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Volz <mvolz@avci.net>
Message-ID: <336B8A28.3E8@avci.net>
Source record: 176299

johnsi wrote:
>
> People are so paranoid about CB'ers getting a hold of 10 meter amps that they
> are as rare as chicken's teeth.
> Where does a legitimate ham get a 10 meter amp?
> Please email me directly if you know where I should look for one.
> Thanks,
> John N7MTB

All of the 'CB' amps-Texas Star, Palomar, Messenger, etc. etc. all work on 10. From what I have seen, though retailing amplifiers capable of amplifing signals above 15 meters is illgal (a lot of strings to that rule, I know, but I'm trying to keep it simple).

However, it always says by every ad in catalogs I've seen that the seller (AES, HRO, whoever) will give you instructions to modify for 10/12 meter use upon receipt of a copy of your current, valid ham radio license.

73,
Mike

2679. Re: Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5wh@houston-intranet.com
Message-ID: <336b39bf.0@206.139.152.37>
Source record: 176300

Sam,

I have a TenTec 1208 running right now, on my Kenwood TS-440s, and it's working exceptionally well. Took all of about 2 minutes, to have it on the air, and making contacts here in Houston.

73, Walter/K5WH

PZFH81A@prodigy.com (Sam Barrett) wrote:>Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 1208 6 meter converter and successfully used
>it with an ICOM IC-735 or other similar rig?
>
>I would like to hear stories.
>
>WA5RPP/1
>Sam Barrett
>pzfh81a@prodigy.com
>

2680. McElroy keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <sandersj@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <336B836D.1150@swbell.net>
Source record: 176301

I was given a McElroy cw key the tag on it says (standard model mac key) at the bottom, the last line says(speed key serial no.6637), I do my cw with a keyboard, what is this worth, I would like to know,and is it a good key?...thanks..John..N5nme..

2681. FS: Tubes!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Inferno@Teleport.com
Message-ID: <5kg3b7$gv4$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 176302

Howdy,

My uncle wants to get rid of some radio tubes he has (unknown if tx or rx, also unknown how many). If you have an offer or want more info, email me or my uncle! Uncle's e-mail: philip@rtinet.com

Joseph Cunningham
inferno@teleport.com
kb7ppl@juno.com
jcunning@oem.state.or.us

2682. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew A. Erickson" <kk5dr@io.com>
Message-ID: <336BAC57.28CC@io.com>
Source record: 176303

Jim Band wrote:
>
> What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
> report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
>
> Thanks in advance
It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
and nobody will do anything.
This is the way ham radio is today.

2683. For Swap Pro 26 (20-9506) OR UBC 220 XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cybernaut <Caspa2@2caspa.2demon.2co.2uk>
Message-ID: <ecDejIALj5azEwWs@caspa.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 176304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur,relcom.radio.ham,tnn.radio.amateur,alt.survival,misc.survivalism

I am looking to swap ONE of the models in the header for a 2m/70cms or just 2m transciever,or an alternative swap would be for a nightvision monocular scopethe Pro26 covers 25MHz - 1.3GHz with NO BREAKS AM NFM & WFM 200 memmories 10 banks with 10 monitor memories and priority features (4 months oldish)

The Ubc220xlt is 40ish MHz - 900ish MHz with breaks 200 memories 10 banks not sure of age - Both pick up cellular frequencies and work! the pro26 runs on normal batteries and still has box with instructions, the Ubc has photocopied instructions and has rechargeable batteries but no charger.

Please excuse the cross-posting but looking for 2 different items made it necessary to do this - TIA

Any interest please remove the 2's in my address
regards
Paul (G7URB)
Per Mare Per Terram
Cybernaut

2684. Using FTV-250 with FT-890

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wlfuqu00@pop.UKy.EDU
Message-ID: <199705032051.QAA27347@pop.uky.edu>
Source record: 176305

I have a FTV-250 (2 meter transverter) that I want to use with my
FT-890. Has anyone had any experience with using this transverter
with a more modern transceiver. It requires a separate transmitter
output and receiver input from the transceiver and also only needs
milliwatts of drive.
So far it seem that I need a relay, attenuator and connect up
the ALC to the FT890. May also use the FT-890 tx exciter inhibit
to prevent it from transmitting before the antenna relay has changed to the
transmit position.

73
Bill wa4lav

William L. Fuqua III P.E. E-mail WLFUQU00@POP.UKY.EDU Phone (606) 257-4155
Department of Physics and Astronomy CP-177 Chem. Phys. Bldg.
University of Kentucky , Lexington, Ky 40506-0055

2685. FT-800 PROBLEM!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Baker <gbaker@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <336BA49D.5D48@pacifier.com>
Source record: 176306

Hi,
Name is Gary,
I have a yaesu ft-8000 that I run mobile,
I get great signal reports but I have problems recieving without getting
a whole lot of engine noise. It seams to be only on the recieve end.
I have hooked radio directly to battery and have a inline noise
filter also.
anyone else experiencing this type of problem?
I have a newer toyota if that makes any difference.
any help would be appreciated!
Gary
n7gb

2686. Re: Yaesu Ft-530 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbargman@fullnet.net
Message-ID: <336babfa.80434037@news.fullnet.net>
Source record: 176307

Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com> wrote:

<snip>

>This is copied verbatim from the mod sheet I received with my rig...
>
>YAESU FT-530
>
>Expanded Receive 110-180, 300-500 MHz
>Expanded Transmit 130-180, 400-470 MHz
>
>NOT LEGAL IN U.S.A - FOR EXPORT ONLY
>
>o Remove Antenna and Battery.
>o Remove four screws on bottom holding battery track.
>o Remove the four (black) screws holding rear case.
>o Slowly... open the front cover from tranceiver and lay both halves on table.
>o Note positioning of white paper insulator in right half of radio and lift out
> (don't throw away)
>o Carefully locate Jumper Pad 13 and remove solder.
>o Re-install white paper insulator, make sure ground tab slides through the
> paper insulator.
>o Close radio back up (Careful not to pinch the ribbon cable near lithium
> battery when closing halves).
>o Re-install the four (black) screws holding rear case.
>o Re-install the four (small silver) screws on bottom holding battery track to
> radio body.
>o Attach Antenna and Battery.
>o Turn off Radio.... Press and hold both arrow keys while turning on the Radio.
>o Modification Complete.
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>------------------------
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>| --- |
>| | | |
>| --- /
>| --- /
>| | | / 2 (|) (|) 1
>| --- / 4 (|) (|) 3
>| / <--- Jumpers are here 6 (|) (|) 5
>| o / 8 (|) (|) 7
>----------------- Blowup ---> 10 (|) (|) 9

> 12 (|) (|) 11
> 14 (|) (|) 13
> 16 (|) (|) 15
>-
>
>In side the rig, it really did not look quite like that ... more like this:
>
>... 12 (|) (|) 11
> (|) 13
> 16 (|) (|) 15
>
>In addition to the published receive expansion, it also receives 800-950 MHz...
>trunking radio, cell phone (I would *never* listen to that), 33cm ham band...
>
>Have fun!

This is the correct mod for the older FT-530. I've seen most of the
newer ones have a single green wire which you will see after you
remove the battery slide plate. Each end of this wire is connected to
the solder pads referenced above. With the radio on its back and the
keypad up, the wire should be visible as a sort of loop looking into
the radio where the battery plate used to be. A pair of tweezers will
probably be required to grab it and then it should be cut. Reset the
radio as above and you should be ready to go. CAUTION! You may wish
to verify the wire indeed goes the the solder pads!

I put a message out on packet a year and a half or so ago regarding
this, but I guess it never made it into any of the mods databases..:(
If you want a copy, let me know and I'll try to dig it up and post it.

73, de Nate >>

Packet | KA0RNY @ KC5TKF.#NCOK.OK.USA.NOAM | "If wires can be
Internet | nbargman@fullnet.net | connected in two
Location | Enid, Oklahoma USA EM16bj | different ways,
View yet another web page at: | the first way
http://www.harvestcomm.net/personal/nbargman/index.htm | blows the fuse!"

2687. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77 <non@yadamned.business>
Message-ID: <336BADF3.6F89@yadamned.business>
Source record: 176308

testing.....

2688. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503214000.RAA06331@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176309

Not true , you are subject to $5000 fines and imprisonment. The FCC does enforce the rules when you cause major problems. Plus, you just give us DFers something to do. How would YOU like every Ham in your town knowing YOU (and your address and vehicles) were the person causing the trouble. Come on guys, no ones going to bite you for accidently hitting the mike. Yet, don't even think you can't be found.

2689. FS ICOM 775/DSP HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503214001.RAA06319@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176310

I've had 'em all and this one is THE BEST! See May '97 Review in CQ
Magazine.
This radio is equipped with all of the optional filters
(FL53A/101/102/222/223) plus
all the other features than make this radio the BEST for Contesting, DX
Work or
just plain Rag-chewing. I am the original owner and it has some warranty
left on
it. Naturally, it comes in the original box with the manual and SERVICE
manual.
I'll ship it for $3175.00. I also have the SP-20 Matching Speaker
w/filters I'll sell
for $145.00 shipped. The pair for $3250.00 shipped. I will sell the
filters separately
but the radio must go first. 73 de Van, WB0NZV

E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

2690. HELP: ZENITH LAPTOP PART!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: subbustr@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <5kgc38$8eq@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 176311

ZENTIH DATA SYSTEM LAPTOP!
8088/286 I think?
Model # ZML-184-97
Need power cord or Wall Transformer!!!
Rated at 12volts 2amps
Plse ack if u have a spare or info

thanks

Oak Harbor,WA
98277
subbustr@whidbey.net
de VE7-LFA/W7

2691. FS Amp International LK-550ZC HF Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970503215000.RAA07096@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176312

The LK-550ZC is a 10-160 HF Linear amplifier utilizing (3) 3-500Z Tubes in the
Final. It has a separate Power Pac (PAC-5) with a Peter Dahl Hypersil trans-
former 3200 volts @ 1.75 amps CCS. It features a full-wave bridge rectifier, ALO
Grid protection, fully adjustable tuned input, QSK, Jennings Vacuum relay,
Quiet 2 speed Fans. It is in "LIKE NEW" condition with a Bound Manual, original
shipping carton and packaging.
The Tubes are BRAND NEW Amperex 3-500ZG Graphites with less than 30 mins
on them. 10 months warranty left on them, and will be shipped in separate
Amperex boxes.
This Amp will run 1500 Watts SSB, CW, SSTV, RTTY, 900 Watts AM, continuous
duty for 24 hours a day. 1500 ++ if you want. Parts and expertise are availabe
from OMEGA Electronics. I'm selling because I just don't get on the air
anymore.

Price is $1750.00 Plus shipping. Tnx es 73, Van WB0NZV

E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

2692. Re: Please answer this question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <336b4e6b.32323146@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176313

On Fri, 02 May 1997 18:29:24 GMT, "Paul Jordan" <jordan@santanet.com> wrote:
>I've read where operators will have a base station at home set to a desired
>frequency and have the ctcss decoder installed and set. When someone
>tunes to that frequency and keys in the specific tones, the decoder will
>sense the tones and open up the squelch on the radio, allowing the
>transmission to be heard.
>
>Say I have my base station set up (or scanner for that matter) turned on at
>home so I can contact my wife. But, she doesn't want to hear all the other
>garbage all day. Well, when I want to talk to her, I turn my radio on to
>the desired frequency, key it up and key in my access code to my decoder on
>the base station (Kind of like dialing a 4 digit phone number). That done,
>I call my wifes call sign and she'll hear the radio and answer me.

That's different. That is DTMF signaling. CTCSS is use of a continous
subaudible tone to open the squelch of the intended receiver.

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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2693. FS: Sommerkamp TS-2000DX and Palomar Elite 400HD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Prusik <*jprusik@spectra.net>
Message-ID: <01bc57d0$82573a60$8883b1cc@red>
Source record: 176314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:

Sommerkamp TS-2000DX radio
Palomar Elite 400HD mobile linear amp

$425 (includes shipping)

Send email to "jprusik@spectra.net" if interested.
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Remove the * in the 'reply-to-address' to send email.
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2694. 6 meter web page - updated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Cotterill <canberraboy@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5814$b96f4a80$8a11868b@default>
Source record: 176315

Hello to all,

Re: Strictly 6 web page.

I have now included a list of all known 6 meter capable radio's, with
hyperlinks to relevant info on the net.
Hope you find it useful!

Cheers...Jim VK1ZFG

http://www.qsl.net/vk1zfg

2695. FS: BA5590/U 12/24V lithium batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Loek d'Hont <ldhont@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5815$b0d5f260$054de4c0@A0927429.itg.ti.com>
Source record: 176316
Cross-posted to: alt.military.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale: Unused Lithium-SO2 batteries, type BA5590/U, new in box

These batteries can be configurated as 12v / 15 Ah or 24V / 7.5 Ah cells

Weight: 2.25 lbs
Size: 2.45" x 4.40" x 5"

A datasheet can be faxed upon request

$20.- + shipping

LDHONT@ti.com

2696. Re: HTX-202 error 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <336b4f5c.32564120@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176317

On Fri, 02 May 1997 09:17:46 -0500, Jeff Kilgore <kilgore@dev.tivoli.com> wrote:
>I bought a Radio Shack HTX-202 a few days ago, and so far I really
>like it. The only problem seems to be that I get occasional error
>2 message (PLL unlock). So far this has only occurred when using
>a 8.4V 1800-mAh battery and a replacement antenna. It does not
>occur with the stock 7.2V battery pack or with the stock rubber
>duck antenna. I assume some RF is getting into something and
>causing the problem.
>
>Has anyone experienced this problem? Is this to be expected (I
>know the 202 does have its shortcomings) or is this perhaps a
>defect in this individual unit? Any information is appreciated.

Yeah, probably everyone who has tried to use one at higher
power with an on-radio whip better than the supplied rubber
dummy load has seen this. The solution is to not try to run
high power unless you use an external antenna. As you
guessed, the problem is RF getting back into the radio
and unlocking the PLL.

If you just *insist* on doing this, adding a counterpoise wire
(aka a Tiger Tail) may eliminate the problem. Just connect
a 19 inch wire to the BNC connector shell and let it dangle.
This will also often improve your range, so it is worth trying.

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2697. yaesu ft990 computer control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: wright@onramp.net
Message-ID: <wright-0305970415070001@ppp10-21.dllstx.onramp.net>
Source record: 176365

i have the 990 and was wondering if anyone knows what software will control it? i was going to buy the cable/kit, but decided to wait to see what software is out there. any ideas?

73 de kc5nez

jeff
wright@onramp.net

2698. Re: Problems with NARCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6uv@nospam.ccnet.com
Message-ID: <336a80c6.369583022@news.ccnet.com>
Source record: 176366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 28 Apr 1997 23:19:39 -0700, Tom Sharples <sharples@hooked.net> wrote:

>Attention Northern California Repeater Owners: Have you had any problems
>with unreasonable, arbitrary behavior or croneyism and favoritism on the
>part of NARCC, the Northern California repeater frequency coordinating
>body? If so I'd like to hear about them. Please send me a brief
>description of your experiences in working with this group, including
>names, dates, places and events to the extent you remember them. Thanks
>in advance- Tom WA6HAS <sharples@hooked.net>

Be sure to post what you get to the group.

--
Jerry Gardner, W6UV | Bill Clinton has all the steely resolve of
(w6uv at ccnet dot com) | a kamikaze pilot on his 37th mission.

2699. WTB: LK-500ZC or LK-550

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5kdv54$2uv@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 176367

Looking for AMP Supply LK-500ZC (Ceramic Bandswitch) or LK-550,
What have we out there, hopefully local (+/- 200 miles).
Tnx es 73 de Dick, W1KSZ

2700. Re: Yaesu Ft-530 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Gerke <jgerke@why.net>
Message-ID: <01bc58a7$cbf8e380$c779d3cf@uymfdlvk>
Source record: 176168

BE CAREFUL with mods for the FT-530!

According to mod info I got from Yaesu last year, there are THREE DIFFERENT mods for the 530. Each is applicable to a different group of serial numbers.

Mod 1 is for S/N's xx14xxxx thru xx23xxxx
Expanded RX -- 110 - 180, 300 - 500
Expanded TX -- 130 - 180, 400 - 471

Consists of removing the solder from pad 13

Mod 2 is for S/N's xx24xxxx thru xx30xxxx
Expanded RX -- same as Mod 1
Expanded TX -- same as Mod 1

Consists of cutting the green wire which jumpers pad 13

Mod 3 is for S/N's xx33xxxx thru xx43xxxx
Expanded RX -- 110 - 177, 300 - 510
Expanded TX -- 130 - 177, 400 - 470

Consists of:
Removing solder from pads 1 & 3
Cutting green wire which jumpers pad 13
Jumper (add solder) to pads 4 & 5
(jumpers 4, 5, 6, 8, 11, & 15 are
now installed)

All three mods require you to press and hold both arrow keys while turning on the radio.

These were taken from "The Yaesu Book", Number 4, (a booklet containing nothing but mods for Yaesu radios) dated May, 1996, which I obtained from Yaesu at a major hamfest in mid-1996.

Although these mods may also allow you to tune the 800 MHz range, later versions of the 530 did not have the RF components necessary to receive 800 installed in them. Even though 800 might show up on your dial, these later radios cannot actually receive up there. And besides, you're not supposed to do that anyway.

Have fun.

73, Jim, KC5OA

2701. FS/FT cable for ts830/vfo230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <5kiit5$d57$1@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 176169

I have the original kenwood cable for this combo. Open to offers over $10.

cheers, Paul
VE7CQK
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

2702. Re: Using FTV-250 with FT-890

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <336c3c98.69118382@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176170

On 3 May 97 20:51:58 GMT, wlfuqu00@pop.UKy.EDU (William L. Fuqua III) wrote:
> I have a FTV-250 (2 meter transverter) that I want to use with my
>FT-890. Has anyone had any experience with using this transverter
>with a more modern transceiver. It requires a separate transmitter
>output and receiver input from the transceiver and also only needs
>milliwatts of drive.
> So far it seem that I need a relay, attenuator and connect up
>the ALC to the FT890. May also use the FT-890 tx exciter inhibit
>to prevent it from transmitting before the antenna relay has changed to the
>transmit position.

Bill, be *real* careful using ALC for power control. The power will spike up to
full output momentarily until the ALC can grab it. This will happen at the start
of every syllable in SSB. That could fry your transverter, or at least generate
some real nasty spurious products. The better course is to tap the radio at
an earlier stage to get the low drive power you need. You can disable drive
to the PA by either pulling drive or cutting B+ to the PA.

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2703. Mil List page Thanks and Call for Contributions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: thermionic@techie.com
Message-ID: <5kik9tarn1@news.bna.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.equipment

As some of you may be aware, I have up and maintain a
WWW page with information on various military radio
gear. This is a non-commercial endeavor, and is free to
all -- and shall remain so.

What I am asking is for those who visit the page to take a look
around and help fill in the blanks. There are many pieces of
equipment I have been unable to find information on. If anyone
finds something NOT there that should be, please drop me a mail
at any time via the mail links on the page.

Scanned photos are always appreciated as are scanned schematics.

Your radio links are welcome as well.

I would also like the thank all of you who have used the list and find
it be of value. Much of the original list was handed down from various
folks over the years, notably Bill Beech and Terry O. I have expanded
quite a bit from those original lists, and find the research very enjoyable.

The list so far has close to 11,000 hits since October of 96, and email
keeps pouring in to enflate my ego on the good job done> :-)

Drop by and visit some time if you havent already done so. The URL is

http://telalink.net/~badger/millist/mi.html

Flames and comments always welcome.

2704. Re: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Summers <va3jak@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <336CADA3.3945@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 176172

Of course there are MODS for the FT8000R, they can be easily unblocked, they just won't do 30 or 10 Khz steps for cellular, only 12.5 Khz. Trouble is..... you just have to pose the correct question to the right people or newgroup!

Good Luck

2705. 6 meter tansverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: necros@fishnet.net
Message-ID: <5kila8$824@mackrel.fishnet.net>
Source record: 176173

I'm looking for a tranverter to convert a 10 meter rig for use on 6
meters. Does anyone konw of any kits or plans. Any information would
be appreciated.
Thanks
Gary Parks KE6RTY
necros@fishnet.net

2706. IC-575h WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Dakota <9h1aa@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5a51$dbc67b00$46ea49c2@george>
Source record: 176174

Hi there,
I am looking for used ICOM transciever IC-575H. This is a 28/50Mhz Base Station . Willing to pay shipping from anywhere in the world.Contact George on e-mail address 9h1aa@usa.net

2707. Re: WTB: Heath HD-8999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjm@totcon.com
Message-ID: <5king4$j0d@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 176175

Found one, Thanks to all that e-mailed info. HJ.
>Looking for a Heathkit HD-8999 CW keyboard in good working/cosmetic
>condition with manuals. If you have this equipment please e-mail.
>Thanks HJ.

2708. FS: Heath Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjm@totcon.com
Message-ID: <5kinbi$j0d@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 176176

> List of equipment FS.
>
> Heathkit:
> SB-1000 Amp. ..... $650 1200 pep Excelent cond.
> SB-220 Amp. ..... $625 80-10m 1500 + pep VG (clean)
>
> Heath Station:
> SB-401 Transmiter 80-10m 100w
> SB-303 Receiver 80-10m with 15AM
> SB-220 Amp. 80-10m 1500+ w. pep
> SB-600 Spk.
> HM-102 Wt.meter 200/2000w and SWR
> HD-1410 Keyer .. $1000 with Amp. / $400 without Amp. All in VG working/cosmetic cond.
This is a CLEAN station.
>
> Heath Receiver: SW-7800 .... $175 Excelent cond. 150-30 MHz. up&lo/cw am/wide,nar.
agc/f,s with s.meter
>
> Packet Stuff: Heath:
> 128 Commodre Comp. HD-4040 TNC
> 1541 Disk Drive HD-4040-1 tnc monitor
> 1702 Color Monitor HD-3006 Rtty, crossfire display ... $125 Excelent condition!
> 80 Magnovox Mono Monitor
> XL-800 Epson Printer $225
> with all cables & books, extras stuff.

> All this Equipment is in VG to Excelent working cond. With Manuals or
> copys of manuals. Will split cost of shipping.
> If instrested in this equipment let me know via E-Mail. Tnx HJ.

2709. Re: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336CEA18.CEA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176177

Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 wrote:
>
> icom has already discontinued the 706 pricing to be similar to original unit
> --
> 73 de Steve
> KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

I saw pricing at several Dealer Web sites to be $1350
Assume the price will drop $100 within the next year plus Icom may give
the Separation kit etc. for free to keep the product moving. The first
Hams who "HAVE TO BE FIRST" usually pay thru the nose and are the ones
with the "bugs" in the radios.

2710. Re: FS ICOM 775/DSP HF Transceiver (SOLD)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504204400.QAA04064@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176178

The amplifier is sold. Tnx to all who responded.

Van, WB0NZV

2711. Re: FS ICOM 775/DSP HF Transceiver(SOLD)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504204500.QAA04214@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176179

Correction:
The RADIO is sold, Tnx to all who responded.

Van, WB0NZV

2712. BEWARE OF DEALINGS WITH Mark S. Conway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa4vrv@srv.net
Message-ID: <336c8399.647634@199.104.80.6>
Source record: 176180

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"Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>. I am only representing
myself as I have no other data points.

Last week, Mark posted a Kenwood TH-79AD(H) for sale which I responded
to and agreed to purchase. Yesterday, I sent Mark an email asking him
to let me know the UPS tracking number so that I could have the money
ready when the package arrived (see, the deal he posted included
shipping, but I asked if he would ship COD and he agreed.) Its a good
thing I didn't go out and get a money order or send him a check!!

So, he replied later last night with the following:

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 19:22:07 -0400
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Organization: Nantucket Net
To: "Jay C. Greenberg" <wa4vrv@srv.net>
Subject: Re: Kenwood TH-79AD

Jay, Please don't be mad, but someone local here just bought it.
Sorry for all the trouble..... Thanks, Mark

Here are the original email's between us for anyone who cares to read
them:

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 12:19:44 -0400
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Organization: Nantucket Net
To: "Jay C. Greenberg" <wa4vrv@srv.net>
Subject: Re: Kenwood TH-79AD

Jay C. Greenberg wrote:
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> Mark:
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> You posted the following yesterday:
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> On Tue, 29 Apr 1997 20:20:47 -0400, you wrote:
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> >Brand New, Comes with radio, speaker mike, and soft plastic case.
> >5 Watts, high power version.
> >$325.00 Shipped UPS Ground
>
> Do you still have this HT?? If so, I would like to buy it. Let me know.
>
> de Jay, WA4VRV - wa4vrv@srv.net

>

Hi Jay, Yup still available. A Few offers, but no one serious.
See ya, Mark, N1XYY

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 21:07:08 -0400
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Organization: Nantucket Net
To: "Jay C. Greenberg" <wa4vrv@srv.net>
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> Oh, you didn't mention if you have the original box. I guess you do as you
> list the radio as "new".
>
> Let me know.
>
> de Jay, WA4VRV

Again, this is how I was treated by this individual and felt I should
let others on the newgroup know.

de Jay, WA4VRV
Jay C. Greenberg
WA4VRV
email: wa4vrv@srv.net
Phone: (208)524-1388 Evenings/Weekends
(208)526-7033 Weekdays

2713. Re:FS Amp International LK-550ZC(SOLD)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504204700.QAA04316@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176181

The amplifier is sold. Tnx to all who responded.

Van, WB0NZV

2714. Decision, Decision, Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5kissg$9ic@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 176182

Hello everyone.
With my recent retirement, getting back to
on the air more often now. I am in need of a
new HF base rig. Am looking at used Ten Tec
Omni V, Paragon and Icom IC-765. Just can't
make up my mind to pick one. Please help
me decide by responding privately. Or should
I plunge and buy a brand new radio such as
Yaesu FT-920 which is coming soon? My goal is
value for the money. Brand name or New don't
mean much to me. BTW, my main interest is CW DXing.
TIA es 73s
Tony, VE6CGX
Cow Town(Calgary, Alberta)
The Stampede City

2715. WTB: TEN TEC TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <336c9a24.6618129@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 176183
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a 228/254 (possibly a 227) Ten Tec tuner. Please email if
you have one for sale. Would buy outright, or would trade a exc
condition JPS NF-60 with wall power supply for one.
Thanks
Tim
NZ8J

2716. Trade-New Heil Proset 5 headset/microphone for 2M amplifier.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: annen@execpc.com
Message-ID: <862782340.1022@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have an unused Heil Proset-5 headphone/microphone set in original box with manual that I would be willing to trade for a 2 meter mobile amplifier. The headset has 1/4" and 1/8" plugs for phone/mic, respectively. The amp must be in excellent condition and work properly. Am also willing to trade for something else. Just Email me. Thank you!
- Matt Annen, KB9OIV annen@execpc.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2717. WTB: Icom 900 Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb@cybernex.net
Message-ID: <E9o57F.Hn1@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 176185

Wanted: Icom 900 Mobile
With whatever bands you have for it.
Please leave price and what comes with it, through e-mail.
Rich

2718. FS: Kenwood TS-440 SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Spadaro <naidia@aloha.net>
Message-ID: <01bc58d9$663db980$6c030ccf@johns-computer>
Source record: 176186

I have a Kenwood TS-440 SAT with Kenwood Power Supply and Kenwood External Speaker that I would like to sell. The unit is in very good condition with little use. I also have an MFJ 948 Versatuner II and a speed key. Make an offer.

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John Spadaro
naidia@aloha.net
http://www.aloha.net/~naidia

2719. Re: Hotel pay-tv, how does signalling work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc58da$3335a600$fd0f2399@peter->
Source record: 176187
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Frank W. van Wensveen <fvwensve@hvsag01.nl.lucent.com> wrote in article
<33648F80.507F@hvsag01.nl.lucent.com>...
>
>
> I can't help but wondering about hotel pay-TV systems.

The easiest way to find out stuff like this is to write down the patent
numbers
and read the patents. There MUST be full disclosure of the technique!

2720. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc58da$bda8c380$fd0f2399@peter->
Source record: 176188

Matthew A. Erickson <kk5dr@io.com> wrote in article
<336BAC57.28CC@io.com>...
> Jim Band wrote:
> >
> > What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
> > report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
> >
> > Thanks in advance
> It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
> and nobody will do anything.
> This is the way ham radio is today.
>

Not ham radio, but the FCC.

But no big deal, really. In the big scheme of things in the government,
this really isn't a super priority...

2721. Re: Need Help for Selsing (or Selsyn)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc58db93791780fd0f2399@peter->
Source record: 176189

Alessandro Bondoli <bondoli&campese@sira.it> wrote in article
<01bc53c7$f4d30a40$LocalHost@sbondoli.sira.it>...
> Does anybody has an electric-schematic of a power supply that can
generate
> 90 V at 400 Hz ?

Super cheapo way to do it: 400 Hz audio osc, then 12 Volt crapo import car
audio amp brick, then 12 V fil xformer backwards. Adjust "volume" pot for
90 Volts under load.

PS, a cap and you have "3 phase" if you like to play with servos...

2722. FS: Yaesu FT-51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ben P. Cook" <bcook@juno.com>
Message-ID: <336CFF38.3FED@juno.com>
Source record: 176190

I'm looking to buy the new Icom 706MkII, so I'm selling my handheld. New one from HRO is $439.95 + tax, so I'm asking for $345.00 Radio is in excellent condition, nothing ever replaced (except for AA batteries!). Thanks!

-Ben Cook
--
Ben Cook Paintball: Ham Radio:
bcook@juno.com Tag Team KE6YPF Tech.
San Jose,CA TIP#1763 Yaesu FT-51R

2723. New logbook software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sipke Wagenaar <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <01bc58de$f5a8ddc0$0b8f099a@sw>
Source record: 176191

May 5, 1997

Dear HAM,

In May we (FCB) will come with a new logbook programm for
IBM compatible computers. It's a programm with for example:

* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator
(new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch
towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till
the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the
past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
* Holds name, place, info about transceiver, antenna, distance,
angle, locator, etc. of the other radiostation
This info is available during your QSO
* Have a look. during the QSO, to other QSO's you've made
with this radiostation in the past
(You can scroll without leaving the present QSO)
* Have your logbook on the computer screen or print it.
* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the
programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide
(or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in
the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.
For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo
version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one
hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can
still use this first 100 QSO's) Of course you can make more
QSO's with the registrated copy.
The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the
English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you
want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)
You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends.
With your (demo) programm you can make a demo on diskette.
If you're interested, please do e-mail me at:

fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-
programm by internet (e-mail)

RECEIVE THE DEMO-VERSION FOR FREE (NO COSTS)
BY E-MAIL

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

2724. Re: FT-50R DC power input jack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Toscano" <tosca005@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <336D0922.6377@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Source record: 176192

Phillip wrote:
>
> it is a 4mm jack. most RS plugs seem to be 5.5mm.
> I finally broke down and drove to our ham radio store and
> bought the yaesu plug.

Phillip: By "the Yaesu plug" do you mean the E-DC-6 plug with cable attached, or is there a separate item number for just the plug? I had the same poor results with the Radio Shack 274-1532 plug, 4.0x1.7 mm dc power plug, which seems to be the right size but fails to make a solid connection with the center conductor. I even tried filing down the yellow plastic end so that the plug would go deeper into the radio, but to no avail...

2725. Re: BEWARE OF DEALINGS WITH Mark S. Conway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336D1CDE.341C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176193

Jay C. Greenberg wrote:
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> de Jay, WA4VRV
> Jay C. Greenberg
> WA4VRV
> email: wa4vrv@srv.net
> Phone: (208)524-1388 Evenings/Weekends
> (208)526-7033 Weekdays

I don't blame him for taking the money. A bird in hand is better than
two in the bush!

2726. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-50S, $650.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cooley <ad4mz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <336D5C2F.5B89@hotmail.com>
Source record: 176194

sold

2727. Re: QST Hams with Macs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott@allnetinc.com
Message-ID: <scott-0405972024590001@allnet.pr.mcs.net>
Source record: 176195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Thank you, Thank You, THANK YOU!!!
It is about time!!!

Scott

In article <john-0105970655410001@wd1v.mv.com>, john@wd1v.mv.com (John D.
Seney) wrote:

> Announcing New WWW Site for Macintosh Ham Radio Enthusiasts
>
>
> http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
>
>
> Mac Ham Software including:
>
> Macnet Roster:
> a database of all hams in the world using Mac computers
>
> WD1V's Ham Radio EXAM Simulators:
> the fast path for upgrading your ham license with a Mac
>
> Plus more Mac information - come see!
>
> 73,
>
>
> John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
> 144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
> Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
> Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | | Fax 603.627.1623
>
> http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

2728. Kenwood 950S,850SAT For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "74364.207@compuserve.com" <74364.207@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <336D6475.358A@compuserve.com>
Source record: 176196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Kenwood 950S in excellent condition,mic,manual. $1300
Kenwood 850SAT in excellent condition,mic,manual. $1100
Kenwood SW2100 2KW Power SWR Meter $85.
Kenwood IF 232 Computer Interface $75.
E-Mail if interested.
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2729. FS: Pro-2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <jbert@dialnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc58e1$63347780$d9fa41ce@default>
Source record: 176197
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

For Sale Realistic Pro-2004

Great Shape.
400 channels
Full Coverage 25-1300mHz
Original box and manual.

$225 Shipped Firm

Jeff
jbert@dialnet.net

2730. FS: ACC RC-96 Repeater Controller v5.2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff <jbert@dialnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc58e1$fce9d500$d9fa41ce@default>
Source record: 176198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale

Advanced Computer Controls RC-96 Repeater Controller

Functions perfectly, nerver had a problem.
v5.2 firmware (latest version)
Audio Delay Board
Full Function Display with DTMF Pad
Feature Rich controller.

Latest offer is $425, if you can beat it, it will be yours.

Jeff Bertholdi
jbert@dialnet.net
1-417-866-0722

2731. Re: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com>
Message-ID: <336D56D9.2E19@mcipnet.com>
Source record: 176199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mike Kraml wrote:
>
> Hello All:
> Here I go again, wanted, to either build or buy (used) a panadapter for my
> scope. I believe Kenwood's number is BS-8. If anyone knows how to simply
> build on, please, fill me in!!!! Thanks in advance, 73, Mike - WQ0N

When you find out how let me know.

2732. Mailing Lists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <336D6212.FF@primenet.com>
Source record: 176200

HomeBrew is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to amateur radio
and electronics experimentation and construction:

* building kits
* scratch construction
* radios, antennas, widgets
* design
* accessories
* station construction
* digital, analog, uP
* repair, modification, surplus

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe homebrew

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe homebrew

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
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If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Ham-Books is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to the literature
and periodicals of amateur radio:

* publishers
* magazines
* newsletters
* books
* old and "collector" books
* new book announcements

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TO: majordomo@qsl.net
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Ham-Software is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to software
of all types used for amateur radio:

* logging
* propagation prediction
* digital modes
* award tracking
* commercial, shareware, freeware
* electronic design and simulation
* amateur software development

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TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe ham-software

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TO: majordomo@qsl.net
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Mobile-Portable is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to mobile
and portable operation of amateur radio (QRP and QRO, HF and VHF+):

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* laptop/palmtop computers
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BODY: unsubscribe mobile-portable

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If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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2733. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <markw@Iconnect>
Message-ID: <5kj5er$2vc$1@connect3.iconnect.net>
Source record: 176201

Tony T. Hwang wrote:
>
> Time to get one.
> Just for general use in the shack.
> Astron, Daiwa, Alinco, what else?
> What should I buy? Never had one so
> hams out there who have been using
> one of these, care to comment here or
> by e-mail.
> Thanks a million.
> Tony, VE6CGX

Depends on whether you are using it for VHF or HF. My experiences are with an ASTRON 20 amp supply for all the 2M junk, Then I got an Alinco DM-1350 for the HF stuff (35 AMP). Both are good supplies in my opinion, the Alinco can have voltage jumps when adjusting the volts with no load on it though. Just make sure you get one with enough amps for your equipment, if just a vhf radio 10-15 amps is fine, for HF use 30 + amp rated supply.

73's N9OHS

2734. Web Page Updated http://www.qsl.net/k7on

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <336D7297.70A8@primenet.com>
Source record: 176202

Web Page Updated http://www.qsl.net/k7on

2735. ** WTB: ** Packet Radio Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <336D7B8A.51E4@primenet.com>
Source record: 176203

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Looking for high speed packet equipment:
-9k6 and up modems/TNCs
-GRAPES, PI, Gracillis
-Data Engines
-Data Radios
-Transverters
-Other?

What do you have available?

ke7gh@primenet.com
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2736. TS-850s power question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic Rosenthal <rakefet@nospam.rakefet.com>
Message-ID: <336D48DC.7E9E@nospam.rakefet.com>
Source record: 176204

Please REMOVE nospam when replying!

I see that you can very easily adjust the output power on the TS-850s. Judging by the transistor types used, it seems to me that it would be safe to set it for 150 watts output (using a heftier power supply than the standard one, of course).

The question is: is this likely to damage anything, shorten the life of the final transistors, etc.? The 850 is used mostly for CW (and yes, I know it's just 1.7db).

Vic

Please REMOVE nospam when replying!

2737. Re: HTX-202 error 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97050506142013582@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176205

>>Common problem, the Radio Shack does not like the hight voltage.
>>There is a regulation for the top 12 volt input but the bottom has
>>little to nothin...

This does not in any way address the original poster's ERROR 2
problem.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

2738. RE: Battery Interchangability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97050506141813581@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 176206

> >>I was told I could use the Icom batteries for the IC-2at on the Radio
> >>Shack HTX-202.

Yes...that's correct.

My personal favorite is the MAHA MH-BP-8H 8.4V 1800mAh unit. Slow charge it, and you'll have 1,000 charge cycles of life. Great battery from a great firm.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

2739. Re: TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdelac <jdelac@sowest.net>
Message-ID: <336CEE0B.2A8A@sowest.net>
Source record: 176207

I've had my TS440 since 1986 and I have had every problem in the book. I would say that 90% of the problems where generated by KENWOOD in selecting the type of conformal coating (synthetic rubber of the "semi-conductor" type) that they did. I don't know how long they went on doing this, but the bulletins are dated 8/90. I know at least three friends that bought 440's in 1988 that eventually have had the same problem.

Your problem has all the symptoms of VCO2 in the RF board, drifting. The range where the display drops should be 7.5 to 14.5 mHz, exactly. When you take care of VCO2, you might as well do VCO's 1,3, and 4, for they will be acting up next, it is just a matter of time.

To verify that this is the problem, put your 440 belly up, and remove the bottom cover. The large circuit board you'll see is the RF Unit. Locate a shielded (fenced) section in one of the rear corners of the board. Locate Q23 and D48 (approx. center of the section). Connect the 440 as in regular operation, when the symptom acts up, zap the Q23 ,D48 with Freeze freon spray. Alternately, you might use a hair-dryer or heat-gun(easy! with the latter) to trigger the symptoms. Alternately, KENWOOD must have information as to which 440 serial numbers used the bad coating. If your 440 has the bad coating, then it becomes a matter of time (function of usage), cuz it will.

To fix my problem, I adapted a small-diameter nozzle(1/2") to the heat gun and proceeded to remove all of the synthetic rubber with a pair of tweezers after softening with the heat. I did not have to replace any components like the bulletins usually recommend. Since removing the synthetic rubber was such a pain, I did only VCO2. Eventually, VCO4 and VC03 succumbed to the same ailment and were treated with the same procedure. Prior to this experience I had never heard of a "semiconductor" conformal coating. It is a good thing (for KENWOOD) that we don't "drive" transceivers, cuz this one would have been a definite RECALL!.

Eventually, my 440 came down with the VCO5 condition (SB-973), on this one, I removed all of the components within the shield, removed de rubber with a larger nozzle and reinstalled the components. Good as new.

This is my first time in this newsgroup, and not knowing what has come down on this subject before, there is a good chance I might have repeated well known facts to the newsgroup. For this I apologize.

Happy troubleshooting!

Jess KB6MWU/EA7HBK

>Interesting to see that other people have problems with the TS440. I have
>a TS440s and the digital display drops out from about 7.000 to 14.999 and
>of course I cannot use the radio when there is no display in that range. I
>have sent the radio to Kenwood in CA, Barrys in NY, HRO and no one is able
>to recreate the problem so they say yet it is a definate problem said to
>lie with the phase loop lock. Any suggestions or is this another piece of
>landfill from Kenwood. All the shipping back and forth to the USA added to
>the "repair" costs could have purchased me a new radio.
>Thanks for your help
>Eugene
>VP9NLW
><erayner@ibl.bm>

2740. Re: Any Parts Source for Heathkit?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com
Message-ID: <5kiu89prp1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 176208

Steve Woodward (swoodwar@fix.net) wrote:
: Looking for parts to repair a weather station made by Heath. Is there
: any sources left? Thanks!

It's been reported several times in these newsgroups that HeathKit _still_
supplies/sells parts for Heath gear -- if they still have the stuff in
stock.

73
Jonesy W3DHJ

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SK

2741. Re: FT 50R Here is some for starters!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <336bf8de.304951@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 176209

Baz <Baz@winning.com> wrote:

:
:This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

Why?

:Jerry Yarbrough wrote:
:>
:> I am looking for any mods or secrets I can find on this radio. Thanks in
:> advance. E-Mail at medic@net-master.net
:
:Please note the following message! It may save you some time....
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I fail to see how two lines of =3D can save time. What is your point?

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

2742. Re: FT-8500 slow squelch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rodney S Baker <"Rodney S Baker">
Message-ID: <336B39A1.549C@dedset.net.au>
Source record: 176235

L.W. {Dan} Danz wrote:
>
> "Michael K. Singewald" <n1plh@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> >
> >I like this radio except for a very annoying attribute. When a repeater
> >un-keys, or any transmission stops, I get a terribly long "squelch crash".
> > It was sent back to Yaesu, but nothing changed. I heard a friend of mines
> >same radio, and it does the same thing. Am I the only one to notice this,
> >or doesn't it drive anyone else nuts... especially when talking simplex?
> >It happens the same even with the squelch turned up all the way.
> >
>
> Well, that makes three of us, then. I just bought a brand new FT-8500
> and love it - EXCEPT for four things:
>
> 1) the long squelch tail. It's not what another ham who replied to
> your post stated; I can make the squelch quiet the receiver, and
> search functions correctly, etc. It's just the very annoying LONG
> tail and the "mushy" feel when setting the squelch; there's not an
> abrupt change between noise and no noise, but a long drawn out change
> as the squelch point is acheived. And, no matter how tight the
> squelch is set, the between-transmissions squelch tail is horrendously
> long.

This seems to be an alignment thing as it seems to vary from radio to radio. I had one (Australian spec) unit which I returned under warranty for a microphonic VCO among other small problems. It had a fairly slow squelch action with squelch crash evident even when using the FTS-22 tone decoder. It wasn't abnormally long though - I just accepted it was normal, until I exchanged the unit and the replacement didn't have any sign of squelch crash at all.

There are some settings to do with squelch which are adjustable internally but most of the radios alignment functions are adjustable without taking the cover off - *if* you have the FS-10 smart controller. I suggest you get hold of a service manual and have a look. Don't try adjusting anything without it. I bought a copy of both the FT-8500 and FT-51R service manuals for about AUS$30 each.

>
> 2) The annoying two-tone beep when using the scan function; it happens
> every time the scanning stops. Yes, I know: you can use a function
> setting to turn off the beeper - but that also defeats the keyboard
> beeper, and with the Mr Potato Head controller, I find it's really

> easy for a newbie to hit the wrong buttons - so I really want the
> keyboard beep - at least for a while.

I turned mine off for the same reason. I found its easy to get used to
not having it after a while...

>
> 3) I was totally flabbergasted to read the fine print in the manual
> and find that I needed to purchase an optional circuit card to have
> tone-coded squelch. I just didn't expect this when buying the top of
> the line, especially when my FT-51R HT has it built in.

Standard Yaesu mobile practice. In fact, fairly standard for most of
manufacturers these days AFAIK. Encode as standard, decode as an option.
I believe Yaesu were the first to offer decode as standard on
hand-helds.
>[...]

> I sure hope somebody's got a mod for #1 above; surely it's got to have
> driven somebody nuts before me. And if anybody has any ideas about
> how to modify #2, please holler at me. But I don't hold out a lot of
> hope, because I don't think a hardware mod could kill the one kind of
> beep without also killing the other. But I can hope a little bit,
> can't I?

Like I said, get the service manual. Its worth having as a reference,
even if you don't actually ever open the rig. It's nice to be able to
turn down the low and mid power settings and leave the high power
setting at max. I found the UHF TX won't work much below about 1.2W
without becoming unstable and the VHF side at about 2.5W. I prefer being
able to turn down to this rather than 5W, yet still be able to run
50W/35W when I need it.

On another note, has anyone had severe problems with ignition/alternator
noise? I have 2 radios in the car. One's a Motorola Maxtrac 800MHz
trunked radio and the other's the FT-8500. The Yaesu suffers bad
alternator noise and the Motorola doesn't (which perhaps isn't
surprising given the fact that the Motorola's a commercial quality unit
and the Yaesu isn't quite that) which is rather frustrating...

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Rodney S Baker
rsbaker@dedset.net.au
"All wiyht...rho sritched mg kegtops awound???!!!

2743. Re: Motorola MT1000 Help ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rodney S Baker <"Rodney S Baker">
Message-ID: <336B3AAF.1390@dedset.net.au>
Source record: 176236

Milovanovic Dusan wrote:
>
> I need any information about MOTOROLA MT1000 HANDIE-TALKIE FM RADIO
> (circuit diagram, manul, programing or anything...).
>
> Thanks & 73....
>
> e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu
>
> Dusan Milovanovic, YT1DL
> e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu

Contact your nearest Motorola dealer or service centre. The service manuals, programming leads and software are still available through Motorola's parts distribution network. They're not cheap. Over here the programming lead is about AUS$160, the software licence about AUS$640 and the RIB (Radio Interface Box, basically just an RS232-TTL level converter) lists at around AUS$339. US prices should be about 25% cheaper.

Of course, if you can find a pirated copy of the software and a copy of the RIB cct diagram (very easy to build on veroboard) then you'll be most of the way there. The programming lead will be the most important thing. It's pretty difficult to find the connectors for the top of the radio to make your own.

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Rodney S Baker
rsbaker@dedset.net.au
"All wiyht...rho sritched mg kegtops awound???!!!

2744. Re: Yaesu Ft-530 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <336C3E3A.5224@pacifier.com>
Source record: 176237

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------5B21482439C9
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Marco Smit wrote:
>
> Hello All.
>
> I have a Yaesu Ft-530..
> Where can i find mod files for the ft 530
>
> Thanxs Marco

--------------5B21482439C9
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; name="Ft530.txt"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="Ft530.txt"

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
From: j_otterson@star.enet.dec.com (Jeff Otterson/N1KDO)
Subject: Re: FT530 mods wanted!
Message-ID: <1992Dec31.140555.24650@nntpd.lkg.dec.com>
Lines: 65
Sender: j_otterson@otters.enet.dec.com (Jeff Otterson/N1KDO)
Reply-To: j_otterson@star.enet.dec.com
Organization: Digital Equipment Corporation, Nashua, NH, USA
References: <1992Dec30.215515.364@random.ccs.northeastern.edu>
Distribution: usa
Date: Thu, 31 Dec 1992 14:05:55 GMT

This is copied verbatim from the mod sheet I received with my rig...

YAESU FT-530

Expanded Receive 110-180, 300-500 MHz
Expanded Transmit 130-180, 400-470 MHz

NOT LEGAL IN U.S.A - FOR EXPORT ONLY

o Remove Antenna and Battery.
o Remove four screws on bottom holding battery track.
o Remove the four (black) screws holding rear case.
o Slowly... open the front cover from tranceiver and lay both halves on table.
o Note positioning of white paper insulator in right half of radio and lift out
(don't throw away)
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o Carefully locate Jumper Pad 13 and remove solder.
o Re-install white paper insulator, make sure ground tab slides through the
paper insulator.
o Close radio back up (Careful not to pinch the ribbon cable near lithium
battery when closing halves).
o Re-install the four (black) screws holding rear case.
o Re-install the four (small silver) screws on bottom holding battery track to
radio body.
o Attach Antenna and Battery.
o Turn off Radio.... Press and hold both arrow keys while turning on the Radio.
o Modification Complete.

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| o / 8 (|) (|) 7
----------------- Blowup ---> 10 (|) (|) 9
12 (|) (|) 11
14 (|) (|) 13
16 (|) (|) 15
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In side the rig, it really did not look quite like that ... more like this:

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... 12 (|) (|) 11
(|) 13
16 (|) (|) 15
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In addition to the published receive expansion, it also receives 800-950 MHz...
trunking radio, cell phone (I would *never* listen to that), 33cm ham band...

Have fun!


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/-----------------------------------------------------------------------\
| Jeff Otterson | The opinions expressed here are |
| j_otterson@star.enet.dec.com | mine. Noone else should be held |
| Digital Equipment Corporation | responsible for my actions. |
| 110 Spit Brook Rd. Nashua, NH | CENSORSHIP IS THE TOOL OF TYRANTS |
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Copied from the QRZ! Windows Ham Radio CDROM

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2745. FS: Heathkit Microlizer (microphone equalizer for ssb transceivers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504002400.UAA19021@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176238

I have a Heathkit Microlizer, model HD-1986 microphone equalizer for sale.
This is also a preamp for microphones. If you want to use a Heil mic
element
with most older Icom rigs this will give you the gain you need. I am
asking
$40.00 for the above which includes shipping and the manual.

73 Zack Schindler, N8FNR, 413 Vester, Ferndale, MI 48220-1955

Phone 810-541-1740

2746. FS: Kenwood YK88C 500hz CW filter or trade for YK88SN-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504001900.UAA18691@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176239

I have a Kenwood YK-88C 500hz Cw filter for sale for $90.00 which includes shipping. I would also be willing to trade it for a YK-88SN-1.

73 Zack Schindler, N8FNR, 413 Vester, Ferndale, MI 48220-1955

Phone 810-541-1740

2747. FS ICOM 775/DSP HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504013201.VAA24523@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176240

C O R R E C T I O N
I've had 'em all, and this one is the BEST! See May '97 Review in CQ Magazine. This radio has ALL of the Optional filters (FL53A/101/102/222/223) in addition to all of its other fine features. It is the ULTIMATE for DX, Contests, or just plain ol' Rag chewing. I'm the original owner, it still has some warranty left on it. I'll ship it for $3175.00. I also have the matching SP-20 speaker w/filters. I'll ship it for $145.00. As a Package for $3275.00.
They come in original boxes, packing, owners manual, service manual and all accessories.
I purchased both of these new, They look and operate as new, with minimal use.
I'm selling because I'm hardly ever on the air anymore. Tnx es 73, Van
WB0NZV

E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

2748. FS Amp International LK-550ZC HF Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504013900.VAA25137@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176241

C O R R E C T I O N
The LK-550ZC is a 10-160M HF Linear Amplifier that runs (3) 3-500Z tubes in the final. It has a separate Power Pac (Pac-5) utilizing a Peter Dahl Hypersil transformer, 3200Volts @ 1.75 Amps CCS. It features a full wave bridge rectifier, ALO Grid protection, Peter Dahl Filament transformer, fully adjustable tuned input, QSK, Jennings Vacuum relay and QUIET 2 speed fans. It is in "LIKE NEW" condition with a bound manual, shipping cartons, packing, etc.
The tubes are BRAND NEW AMPEREX 3-500ZG Graphites with less than 30 mins operating time on the, still have 10 months warranty; with documentation. 1500 Watts SSB, CW, SSTV, RTTY, 900 Watts AM continuous duty 24 HOURS A DAY. 1500++ is you want. Parts and Expertise are available from OMEGA Electronics if needed.
Price is $1750.00 plus shipping.
I'm selling because I seldom get on the air anymore, other interests. 73 de Van
WB0NZV

E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

2749. HELP: LAPTOP INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: subbustr@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <5kgunr$99j@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 176242

ZENITH DATA SYSTEMS - SUPERSPORT 286 laptop
NEED operating info..Anyone have this model?

Oak Harbor,WA
98277
subbustr@whidbey.net
de VE7-LFA/W7

2750. Misc Items For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: franklin@net-link.net
Message-ID: <336c3617.6867931@nntp.net-link.net>
Source record: 176243

Posting the following items for a friend, Please call him if you are interested:

Ham 4 Rotor $325
Bencher Low Pass filter $30
Cushcraft 20m mono band 20-3CD $200
Robot 1200C, Martin 4.2E, (4) Mem $450

Call Jim N8DXB at 616-382-3340 evenings

2751. WTB: Bencher paddles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael A. Copeland" <macope@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc584e$9dc10fa0$add623c7@mikecope>
Source record: 176244

New General Class ham would like to buy a Bencher paddlefor a reasonable price. I'm not good enough yet to spend the bucks on a high dollar unit.
73
Mike KF4AUC

2752. Heil proset 5 headset/microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: annen@execpc.com
Message-ID: <862726646.7861@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176245

I have a brand new in the box Heil Proset 5 microphone/headset for sale. I am sure you know the quality of this fine piece of equipment. Contains the HC-5 microphone element. Plugs terminate in 1/4" headphone and 1/8" microphone. Asking $105 or TRADE for----> AMP, TNC,or HT??

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2753. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704048627.AA862731915@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 176246

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 3 May 97 23:53:43 GMT
From: "James Cotterill" <canberraboy@msn.com>
Subject: 6 meter web page - updated

Hello to all,

Re: Strictly 6 web page.

I have now included a list of all known 6 meter capable radio's, with
hyperlinks to relevant info on the net.
Hope you find it useful!

Cheers...Jim VK1ZFG

http://www.qsl.net/vk1zfg

Date: Fri, 02 May 1997 14:52:03 GMT
From: jurish@No.SPam.teleteam.com (Jay Urish)
Subject: CD ROM SCSI CHEAP CHEAP $75.00

On 2 May 1997 10:13:20 GMT, "gabriel melo" <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>texel plextor 2 speed for sale $75.00 call gabe at
> 1-401-434-2606 .
>
>
> e-mail gmelo@worldnet.att.net

Good news pal---You are only 50$$ high... Get real a 2x scsi isn't
worth a flip...

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 21:52:21 -0400
From: Jerry Walker <ke7ua@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Correction - Service Manual For An ICOM 490A

Sorry about the typo on the model - it's an ICOM 490A - looking for a
Service Manual or a copy.

Please E-Mail ke7ua@ix.netcom.com or ke7ua@juno.com

Thank You.

Jerry - KE7UA

Date: Wed, 30 Apr 1997 14:34:56 GMT
From: af2c@computer.net
Subject: FS - Yaesu SSB and AM Filters

Crystal Filters 4 - Sale
The following units will work in both the FTDX 401B and FT101,B,E and
F Models. The FT101 installations may require some hardwiring.

1 - AM Filter
1 - SSB Filter

If interested please reply via Email.

73,
Jay/AF2C

Date: 30 Apr 1997 16:32:51 GMT
From: sidener@saucer.cc.umr.edu (Scott Sidener)
Subject: FS: (mint) Handheld Freq. Counter

Hi, I have a radio shack handheld frequency counter for sale.

It was purchased last september and is in mint condition.

I am asking $65 for it plus $3 for postage.

Thanks,

Scott Sidener N0WFL

Date: 4 May 1997 00:24:46 GMT
From: zaax@aol.com (ZaaX)
Subject: FS: Heathkit Microlizer (microphone equalizer for ssb transceivers)

I have a Heathkit Microlizer, model HD-1986 microphone equalizer for sale.
This is also a preamp for microphones. If you want to use a Heil mic
element
with most older Icom rigs this will give you the gain you need. I am
asking
$40.00 for the above which includes shipping and the manual.

73 Zack Schindler, N8FNR, 413 Vester, Ferndale, MI 48220-1955

Phone 810-541-1740

Date: 4 May 1997 00:20:46 GMT
From: zaax@aol.com (ZaaX)
Subject: FS: Kenwood YK88C 500hz CW filter or trade for YK88SN-1

I have a Kenwood YK-88C 500hz Cw filter for sale for $90.00 which
includes shipping. I would also be willing to trade it for a YK-88SN-1.

73 Zack Schindler, N8FNR, 413 Vester, Ferndale, MI 48220-1955

Phone 810-541-1740

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 20:08:54 -0700
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Subject: FS: Lafayette HE-80 Rcvr

tom goodfellow wrote:
>

> For Sale - Excellent Condition Classic Shortwave Lafayette HE-80
> Receiver. .55KHz thru 54 MHz ..AM SSB CW FM ...A True classic tube rig,

> none of that "solid state" stuff that's not here to last.....Send

Yea... Right! Like the Sony 2010 does not "LAST" What a pisser!!

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 17:58:52 -0400
From: Peter Polizzo <ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Subject: FS: RF Generator

Hello,
i have a B+K RF Signal Generator model 2005 for sale.
its like new in box with manual. I will ship for $100.00
E-Mail if interested. ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us
Peter

Date: 4 May 1997 01:33:00 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS ICOM 775/DSP HF Transceiver

C O R R E C T I O N
I've had 'em all, and this one is the BEST! See May '97 Review in CQ Magazine. This radio has ALL of the Optional filters (FL53A/101/102/222/223) in addition to all of its other fine features. It is the ULTIMATE for DX, Contests, or just plain ol' Rag chewing. I'm the original owner, it still has some warranty left on it. I'll ship it for $3175.00. I also have the matching SP-20 speaker w/filters. I'll ship it for $145.00. As a Package for $3275.00.
They come in original boxes, packing, owners manual, service manual and all accessories.
I purchased both of these new, They look and operate as new, with minimal use.
I'm selling because I'm hardly ever on the air anymore. Tnx es 73, Van WB0NZV

E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

Date: Fri, 02 May 1997 23:49:38 -0700
From: Roger <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Subject: FS TS-450 kenwood

I have an absolutely mint TS-450s with antenna tuner and the matching external speaker. Original Boxes and manual. I got this rig from a silent key estate and it has had very little use, This rig cosmetically and electrically is just like new. I will ship this rig for $1000.00 postal MO,

73 Roger,KO4O

Date: 1 May 1997 16:21:43 GMT
From: "Jarrod Boehme" <jboehme@tamu.edu>
Subject: How do I erase a single memory channel on the Yaesu FT-50?

look in the manual under memory masking page 31. You "mask" the memory
without removing it. The procedure is hold the function key for .5 sec
while on that memory, then press mr. The display should change to ch-1.
For all purposes, the memory is erased. It can be restored if needed.

John Rhodes <jrhodes@iti2.net> wrote in article
<336810aa.96827130@news.zippo.com>...
> Can someone tell me how to erase a single memory channel on the FT-50?
> Thanks
>
>

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 15:51:48 GMT
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: HTX-202 error 2

On Fri, 02 May 1997 09:17:46 -0500, Jeff Kilgore <kilgore@dev.tivoli.com> wrote:
>I bought a Radio Shack HTX-202 a few days ago, and so far I really
>like it. The only problem seems to be that I get occasional error
>2 message (PLL unlock). So far this has only occurred when using
>a 8.4V 1800-mAh battery and a replacement antenna. It does not
>occur with the stock 7.2V battery pack or with the stock rubber
>duck antenna. I assume some RF is getting into something and
>causing the problem.
>
>Has anyone experienced this problem? Is this to be expected (I
>know the 202 does have its shortcomings) or is this perhaps a
>defect in this individual unit? Any information is appreciated.

Yeah, probably everyone who has tried to use one at higher
power with an on-radio whip better than the supplied rubber
dummy load has seen this. The solution is to not try to run
high power unless you use an external antenna. As you
guessed, the problem is RF getting back into the radio
and unlocking the PLL.

If you just *insist* on doing this, adding a counterpoise wire
(aka a Tiger Tail) may eliminate the problem. Just connect
a 19 inch wire to the BNC connector shell and let it dangle.
This will also often improve your range, so it is worth trying.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net

534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 14:21:27 -0700
From: "Matthew A. Erickson" <kk5dr@io.com>
Subject: Illegal Transmission

Jim Band wrote:
>
> What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
> report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
>
> Thanks in advance
It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
and nobody will do anything.
This is the way ham radio is today.

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 15:36:50 GMT
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: Information on Transverters

On 1 May 97 14:07:29 GMT, kdstfan@sound.NET (Kevin Phillips) wrote:

>My son (KB0QHW) has a ICOM-735 and he just upgraded to Tech Plus. Before
>purchasing any VHF equipment, I wanted to find out more about transverters
>(10M to 2M). Does anybody have any experience with this type of equipment
>(Good, Bad or indifferent) I have not found any information regarding
>transverters nor any resellers advertising or selling them in their
>catalogs. I figure this is probably for a good reason. (I'm guessing it's
>probably just as cheap to buy a HT)

Transverters can be a good thing if you are interested in SSB/CW simplex
operation on VHF/UHF. But most HF rigs don't deal with repeaters well,
and the bulk of VHF/UHF operation is via FM repeaters. And there are
FM only radios which are almost as cheap as a good transverter (in some
cases cheaper), so that often makes more sense than struggling to use a
HF rig and transverter for operation for which they aren't suited.

However, let me encourage you to resist the temptation to buy a HT. They
are specialized tools for foot mobile operation. Most will overload badly if
connected to a good antenna, and most run too low power to be comfortable
copy for other stations. Buy a mobile/base radio instead. Used ones can
be had cheap.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 11:48:19 -0400
From: Jerry Walker <ke7ua@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Kenwood BO-9A System Base

Anyone have a Kenwood BO-9A System Base for the TR-9000 Multimode Xcvr
they are willing to sell??

Please E-Mail me ke7ua@ix.netcom.com or ke7ua@juno.com

Thank You.

Jerry - KE7UA

Date: 2 May 1997 01:14:36 GMT
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Subject: Looking For Trap Vert Plans.

Tim good idea and good attitude... buy ARRL Antenna Compendium or whatever its
acalled, then get the W8NX software, ad is in any QST you will thank me later
73 de Steve KZ1X/4
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73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 07:10:17 GMT
From: franklin@net-link.net (Gary F. Franklin)
Subject: Misc Items For Sale

Posting the following items for a friend, Please call him if you are
interested:

Ham 4 Rotor $325
Bencher Low Pass filter $30
Cushcraft 20m mono band 20-3CD $200
Robot 1200C, Martin 4.2E, (4) Mem $450

Call Jim N8DXB at 616-382-3340 evenings

Date: 30 Apr 1997 09:25:29 GMT
From: "Sipke Wagenaar" <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Subject: new logbook software

April 30, 1997

Dear HAM,

In May we (FCB) will come with a new logbook programm for
IBM compatible computers. It's a programm with for example:

* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator (new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
* Holds name, place, info about transceiver, antenna, distance, angle, locator, etc. of the other radiostation
This info is available during your QSO
* Have a look. during the QSO, to other QSO's you've made with this radiostation in the past
(You can scroll without leaving the present QSO)
* Have your logbook on the computer screen or print it.
* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide (or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.

For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can still use this first 100 QSO's)

The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)

You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends. With your (demo) programm you can make a demo on diskette.

If you're interested, please do e-mail me at:

fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-programm by internet (e-mail)

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

Date: 3 May 1997 06:11:16 GMT
From: "Sipke Wagenaar" <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Subject: New logbook software

May 3, 1997

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* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator (new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
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* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide (or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.
For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can still use this first 100 QSO's) Of course you can make more QSO's with the registrated copy.
The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)
You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends.
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fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-programm by internet (e-mail)

RECEIVE THE DEMO-VERSION FOR FREE (NO COSTS)
BY E-MAIL

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

Date: Fri, 2 May 1997 14:34:55 GMT
From: sepool@netcom.com (Samuel E. Pool)
Subject: Sony SW-77, turn on problem...

Costas Spanos (spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu) wrote:
: I have a Sony SW-77 that has had a peculiar problem since I
: got it, new, as a present less than a year ago.

: Most of the time, when I first turn it on it appears to be into a "mute"
: mode. It sounds as if the first RF stage is off and the radio barely
: receives anything. The problem goes away if I hit the "scan" button, or
: if I quickly cycle the power button. Sometimes the problem goes away if
: I simply turn the frequency encoder.

: Anyone seen this problem before? Should I send the radio to Sony for
: repair, or is there a simple fix I can do myself? (I have the service
: manual).

: (BTW, this is the updated version of the SW-77 with the long antenna).

: thanks!

: Costas

Yes, I bought a SW-77 that I hoped to use for recording programs with
its excellent timers, but quite often would have the same behaviour,
making it useless for unattended recording. I ended up returning the
radio, so I don't know if it is repairable at all. The shop I bought
it from tested it, and of course, it didn't do it for them, so they
didn't believe me, but I did return it within their time period. This
was a shop in Dallas, TX, so I bet it didn't end up in your hands!

Other than that, it was a great radio.

good luck,

Sam Pool
--
sepool@netcom.com

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 21:11:22 -0600
From: ve2bpu@sympatico.ca
Subject: syntor programming sheme

HI ! Iam looking for the programming information for a Syntor Motorola
radio originally set at 413 mhz. Iwant to operate this unit in the ham
band at 446 mhz for a packet project. I need to know the code computation
an placement on the prom . Thanks in advance for any help.
73's de ve2bpu.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Wed, 30 Apr 1997 07:07:14 GMT
From: w5kft@nts-online.net (Bryan Edwards)
Subject: WANTED: Dayton Flea Market Spaces

I need one or two flea market spaces at Dayton if you have them
available.

Bryan W5KFT

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 20:49:40 -0700
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Subject: WTB: Butternut Vertical

Hello,
I would like to buy a Butternut Vertical in good condition. Please reply
by email with info.
73
Tim Robertson,KC7QOM
timr@gorge.net

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 22:33:56 -0700
From: George Worth <gworth@ibm.net>
Subject: WTB: Cushman "plug-ins"

I'm trying to find a few Cushman service monitor plug-ins. Specifically,
I'm looking for a 301A oscilloscope, 314 high sensitivity mixer, 302
deviation meter, and 303 broadband mixer. If you have any of the above
and want to sell them, please e-mail me at:

gworth@ibm.net

Thanks,
George

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #481
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2754. Kent keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5khf2l$lmg@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 176247

Could someone direct me where I can get one of this?
Is there a dealer in States who handles Kent products?
TIA
Tony, VE6CGX

2755. Re: FT-800 PROBLEM!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor D. Mete" <KE4QJK@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5870$33626880$046592cf@AT&TWorldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176248

Hi Gary,
I too have the FT-8000. Great radio overall ... loads of neat features.
But I also had a noise problem; alternator and electrical noise (spark plug pops). Also wired the radio DIRECT to the battery with HEAVY DUTY wire, and as short and shielded a run as possible. Nothing I did to try to solve the problem worked until a friend loaned me a Heavy Duty Radio Shack noise filter ($19.95). It cleared up 90 plus percent of the noise. It might work for you.
Just a side note: it does seem the FT-8000 has a front end susceptible to electrical noise. I never had the problem running a TM-742 or FT-2200 mobile in the same Toyota truck. Even when I go by certain stores it receives electrical noise (static)!!! But I'll live with it.

Vic

Gary Baker <gbaker@pacifier.com> wrote in article
<336BA49D.5D48@pacifier.com>...
> Hi,
> Name is Gary,
> I have a yaesu ft-8000 that I run mobile,
> I get great signal reports but I have problems recieving without getting
> a whole lot of engine noise. It seams to be only on the recieve end.
> I have hooked radio directly to battery and have a inline noise
> filter also.
> anyone else experiencing this type of problem?
> I have a newer toyota if that makes any difference.
> any help would be appreciated!
> Gary
> n7gb
>

2756. FOR SALE Kenwood TS-850SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@shore.net
Message-ID: <5khlp3$clf@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 176249

Hello,
I am selling my TS-850SAT in MINT condition, with matching
SP-31 speaker. I am original owner, non smoker. Unit has never been mobile
or left shack. Very little use.
Please make me a reasonable offer, would like to sell it before Dayton.
Call days 617-248-3957 eve 617-334-5770
Thanks
Tony, WA1MWN
Lynnfield, MA

2757. Wanted - OLD Regency HR-2B or similar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@shore.net
Message-ID: <5khls9$clf@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 176250

Looking for OLD two meter crystal controlled rig.
Must be in excellent working order and look pretty good.
Contact
Tony, WA1MWN
day 617-248-3957 eve 617-334-5770

2758. SANGEAN Model ATS-803A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bert Lippel <blippel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5khj00$55s@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176251

Could anyone tell me the list price and/or current value of the above radio? It would help me pay a fair price. Any help much appreciated.
Thanks
Bert

2759. SANGEAN Model ATS-803A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bert Lippel <blippel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5khj04$4vp@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176252

Could anyone tell me the list price and/or current value of the above radio? It would help me pay a fair price. Any help much appreciated.
Thanks
Bert

2760. ARRL reviews

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Esteban Sanchis <esanchis@uv.es>
Message-ID: <01bc5872$adf28740$55079c93@dxer.eleinf.uv.es>
Source record: 176253

Hi everybody

I am looking for the ARRL reviews of the IC756 and the IC706MK2. Is it possible for someone to send me a copy of both. It is also OK if you scan them and send them to me (esanchis@uv.es) attached to your email.

Your help will be very appreciated. Thanks in advance.

Stefan (EA5GMI)

2761. Re: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: aknittle@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504105501.GAA25924@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176254

Next time HRO should charge him $5 and send it surface.

By the time he gets it, he'll be SK with no complaints.

HRO is FB store.

2762. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrt@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <336e7a63.36563429@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 176255

Tony T. Hwang <oolong@netcom.ca> wrote:

>Time to get one.
>Just for general use in the shack.
>Astron, Daiwa, Alinco, what else?
>What should I buy? Never had one so
>hams out there who have been using
>one of these, care to comment here or
>by e-mail.
>Thanks a million.
>Tony, VE6CGX
<><><>

2763. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704048627.AA862751114@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 176256

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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 4 May 1997 10:10:33 GMT
From: "Esteban Sanchis" <esanchis@uv.es>
Subject: ARRL reviews

Hi everybody

I am looking for the ARRL reviews of the IC756 and the IC706MK2. Is it
possible for someone to send me a copy of both. It is also OK if you scan
them and send them to me (esanchis@uv.es) attached to your email.

Your help will be very appreciated. Thanks in advance.

Stefan (EA5GMI)

Date: Sat, 03 May 97 02:40:07 GMT
From: n1rkt@dekalb.Net (Tracy)
Subject: HTX-202 error 2

In article <3369F78A.1366@dev.tivoli.com>, kilgore@dev.tivoli.com wrote:
>I bought a Radio Shack HTX-202 a few days ago, and so far I really
>like it. The only problem seems to be that I get occasional error
>2 message (PLL unlock). So far this has only occurred when using
>a 8.4V 1800-mAh battery and a replacement antenna. It does not
>occur with the stock 7.2V battery pack or with the stock rubber
>duck antenna. I assume some RF is getting into something and
>causing the problem.
>

>Has anyone experienced this problem? Is this to be expected (I
>know the 202 does have its shortcomings) or is this perhaps a
>defect in this individual unit? Any information is appreciated.
>
>73,
>

Jeff, KC1MK

Hi Jeff,

Common problem, the Radio Shack does not like the hight voltage. There is a regulation for the top 12 volt input but the bottom has little to nothing, you can build a better regulation circut into the bottom. I did on one, but for the gain of the larger battery it was not worth the effort. There was no real output gain at all. Be carefull I have heard of three people having this problem with the 202's when using the 12 volt cig. plug in Chrysler products, the chrysler regulators are rather slow in the older models and peak has high as 22 volts at times which will also trip the error 2.

Hope this helps.

'73 Tracy N1RKT/4

Date: 4 May 1997 08:56:36 GMT
From: Bert Lippel <blippel@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: SANGEAN Model ATS-803A

Could anyone tell me the list price and/or current value of the above radio? It would help me pay a fair price. Any help much appreciated.
Thanks
Bert

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #483
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Sun, 04 May 97 08:46:20 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wO0hT-0009epC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sun, 4 May 1997 08:47:35 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id IAA22009; Sun, 4 May 1997 08:47:35 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.54) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma022007; Sun, 4 May 97 08:47:24 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA20497 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Sun, 4 May

1997 04:52:04 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA16496
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 4 May 1997 04:30:46 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA16475
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 4 May 1997 04:30:43 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705041130.EAA16475@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 4 May 97 04:30:43 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #483
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2764. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5off@w5ddl.aara.org.nospam
Message-ID: <n5off-0405970821590001@ip73.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 176257

I think the penalty is $10,000 and a year in jail, max.

However, since FCC resources are very limited, accidental excursions are not prosecuted, nor are malicious events on the ham bands, unfortunately.

The hams do a good job of finding bad guys, especially on VHF/UHF, but there are lots of violators on the ham bands casting a bad light on the hobby. They do it day after day and only the very worst get a slap.

Where the FCC will focus its enforcement resources is on matters of public safety (like aircraft, marine, and police radio interference) and matters of big bucks, like TV and cell interference.

But using a ham HT on at a legit business, for instance, that is like making a turn without a blinker compared to marine and aircraft interference in the eyes of the G boys who have more work than they can shake a stick at.

73 Tom N5OFF

In article <19970503214000.RAA06331@ladder01.news.aol.com>, kc4srn@aol.com (KC4SRN) wrote:

> Not true , you are subject to $5000 fines and imprisonment. The FCC does
> enforce the rules when you cause major problems. Plus, you just give us
> DFers something to do. How would YOU like every Ham in your town knowing
> YOU (and your address and vehicles) were the person causing the trouble.
> Come on guys, no ones going to bite you for accidently hitting the mike.
> Yet, don't even think you can't be found.

--
Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

2765. Re: Kent keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336C91A7.5AD8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176258

Tony T. Hwang wrote:
>
> Could someone direct me where I can get one of this?
> Is there a dealer in States who handles Kent products?
> TIA
> Tony, VE6CGX

Good Morning Tony -- I bought mine from:
R.A. Kent (Engineers)
P.O. Box 809
Mount Ida, AR
71957--0809

QST has an ad on page 154 of May issue.

Available assembled or kit form. Mine is the single paddle type -- not
Iambic -- my preference and really like the Kent model for this use.

73
Rod in SAn Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2766. Need help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rage@iol.IT
Message-ID: <199705041336.PAA08566@iol-mail.iol.it>
Source record: 176259

Hi, I'm Mark from Italy, I have need help about my scanner Sommerkamp
SS-2000; I have need some information about frequency public-service in
Italy.
If you write me; please write in subject: for Mark
Thanks :-)
rage@iol.it

2767. Re: TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bfurno@interact.net.au
Message-ID: <336c8c43.1692416@news.interact.net.au>
Source record: 176260

I had a similar problem with unlock above 7.5 mhz and below 14mhz it
turned out to be a 56pf cap in the vco on the rf board

assocrad@tfs.net wrote:

>"Eugene Cockburn Ference Rayner" <erayner@ibl.bm> wrote:
>
>>Interesting to see that other people have problems with the TS440. I have
>>a TS440s and the digital display drops out from about 7.000 to 14.999 and
>>of course I cannot use the radio when there is no display in that range. I
>>have sent the radio to Kenwood in CA, Barrys in NY, HRO and no one is able
>>to recreate the problem so they say yet it is a definate problem said to
>>lie with the phase loop lock. Any suggestions or is this another piece of
>>landfill from Kenwood. All the shipping back and forth to the USA added to
>>the "repair" costs could have purchased me a new radio.
>>Thanks for your help
>>Eugene
>>VP9NLW
>><erayner@ibl.bm>
>
>The problem you are describing is a common one. It is unusual
>however that it cannot be duplicated on a test bench. Ther PLL loop
>specific to the 7.00 to 14.999 MHz range is at falt. A "shotgun"
>approach to the circuit may solve your problem. However there is no
>guarantee. Associated Radio has serviced many TS-440's with this type
>of PLL unlock. You can check their web site at
>www.associatedradio.com Good luck!
>Dan
>dhwh@juno.com
>
>

****
Bye
Bill
E-Mail bfurno@interact.net.au
****

2768. Remote base station with GE Delta

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504145000.KAA07523@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176261

I want to build a remote base using GE Delta or Motorola Syntor radios.
If anyone out there has experience with remote bases or working with these
radios, please let me know your e-mail address. You can contact me at
guaz@aol.com .

Thanks,

KC7ILQ Wayne

2769. Re: Need parts for IC229H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <wa8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <336CC156.38A3@kellnet.com>
Source record: 176262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mario Melendez wrote:
>
> A friend has an Icom IC229H which unfortunately has a burnt transmitter
> diode thanks to the guys at the local Red Cross who hooked it up wrong.
> We've taken it to at least 3 "technicians" who all say the same thing:
> sure, I can fix it. However all of them end up taking so long we ask for
> the equipment and go to another place.
>
> Finally a few days ago I figured it'd be more efficient to get the darn
> diode and change it ourselves, even if we have to pay international
> shipping it's a whole lot better than having the radio off the air for
> another 3 months while we wait for some electronics tinkerer to get around
> to finding a diode that works.
>
> Now the question: does anybody know where I can purchase the transmitter
> diode?
>
> --
> //\/\ario //\/\elendez- TI2DLL
> hitman@expreso.co.cr
> www.expreso.co.cr/gate/

Have you tried ***ICOM*** ?

Icom has a parts and service setup in Bellvue, Washington......

Icom America 2380-116th Ave. N.E. Bellvue, WA 98004
206.454.8155

or http://www.icomamerica.com

I don't know what kind of problems you'll have getting the part to Costa
Rica, but its worth a shot.....

73,
Bob
--
<> Bob Sull WA8IMO <>
"73, CUL, es keep the FUN in Ham radio."
>Life Member-ARRL QCWA< >Member-NODXA NCDXF<
>DXCC WAS RCC < >8P9BC<
>QSL Mgr for 8P6JG<
>WA8IMO@W8IZ.#NEOH.OH.USA<
>WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM<

2770. WTB: IC-900 or 901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackwy@clark.net
Message-ID: <5ki8t7$1np@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 176263

Looking for an IC-900 or 901 to buy. MUST have 1296 unit
included (no 1296 no sale). Please send me email about condition,
bands,etc., and of course what you're asking for it.

Jack WB3ICL jackwy@clark.net

2771. Re: Motorola MT1000 Help ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Montbach & Bartlett <caspar@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <336C129D.7806@ziplink.net>
Source record: 176264

Rodney S Baker wrote:
>
> Milovanovic Dusan wrote:
> >
> > I need any information about MOTOROLA MT1000 HANDIE-TALKIE FM RADIO
> > (circuit diagram, manul, programing or anything...).
> >
> > Thanks & 73....
> >
> > e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu
> >
> > Dusan Milovanovic, YT1DL
> > e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu
>
> Contact your nearest Motorola dealer or service centre. The service
> manuals, programming leads and software are still available through
> Motorola's parts distribution network. They're not cheap. Over here the
> programming lead is about AUS$160, the software licence about AUS$640
> and the RIB (Radio Interface Box, basically just an RS232-TTL level
> converter) lists at around AUS$339. US prices should be about 25%
> cheaper.
>
> Of course, if you can find a pirated copy of the software and a copy of
> the RIB cct diagram (very easy to build on veroboard) then you'll be
> most of the way there. The programming lead will be the most important
> thing. It's pretty difficult to find the connectors for the top of the
> radio to make your own.
>
> --
> Rodney S Baker
> rsbaker@dedset.net.au
> "All wiyht...rho sritched mg kegtops awound???!!!

try this site
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Pines/9434/index.html
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Please note our new email address: caspar@ziplink.net

2772. *****LOOKING FOR INFO ON TEMPO S1 2 METER HT**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: adavydov1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970504162400.MAA14218@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176265

Hi,

I'm a big CB and scanner fan, but this past weekend I attended a Hamfest and I saw a Tempo S1 FM Transceiver for $10, so I bought it. The radio is programmed by turning the correct knobs on the top of the radio, and selecting +600, -600, or simplex operation. It also has a keypad on it, but I'm not sure what it's used for, but it could be for autopatch because it has the * and # keys on it. The label on the back reads 1.5 Watts RF Power, and 144-148 MHz transmit/receive. I also got a small instruction manual with it, but it doen't reveal anything informative. It's serial number is 002574. I think this radio was made in the late 70's, but I don't know because I not into ham technoligy that much. I'm looking for any information anyone has on this 2 Meter HT. If you have any info, please e-mail me, try to avoid posting something in this newsgroup beacuse I have poor access to the newsgroups.

Thanks,
ADavydov1@aol.com

2773. Re: BA5590/U 12/24V lithium batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc58a8$207dda00$d6022399@peter->
Source record: 176266
Cross-posted to: alt.military.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Loek d'Hont <ldhont@ti.com> wrote in article
<01bc5815$b0d5f260$054de4c0@A0927429.itg.ti.com>...
> For sale: Unused Lithium-SO2 batteries, type BA5590/U, new in box
>

Be VERY careful with these. I worked with these (and did qualification
testing) while
at Mallory. During high discharge, cells can become reverse biased and
vent or
explode. One D side internal cell went through TWO sheets of 1" transite
and lodged
itself in a cinderblock wall. NEVER, NEVER, NEVER attempt to recharge
these batteries!

Also, short circuit current is in the range of 150 Amps, so make sure to
fuse your
setup... (ie, don't bypass the pack fuse).

And NEVER open up the cells. SO2 turns into (eventually) sulphuric acid on
contact
with the moisture in your lungs, plus the electrolyte salt is cyanide
based.

That all said, these are incredible batteries.

2774. Mobile HF homepage moved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Decker N5RV <n5rv@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5kigiu$4ho$1@news10.gte.net>
Source record: 176267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Just an FYI to all in this newsgroup that the "N5RV's Mobile HF Home Page" has moved to:

http://home1.gte.net/n5rv/

Thanks to all who visit and contribute!

73 de Jerry N5RV

2775. Old Hartman Transceiver info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5klk29$33l@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 176018

I would like to know about a Hartman Marine Model 3059 tube Radio Telephone transceiver. It looks very old but don't have any dates in mind. Looks old and I was told very rare.

The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel marine transceiver but receives the AM broadcast band from 550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks on the AM dial.

Can someone fill me in on this radio and or the Hartman Company.

Radio looks like a table top radio with four feet on the bottom, this is not a rackmounted type radio.

2776. !WTB: YAESU FV-102DM DIGITAL REMOTE VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb6elm@juno.com
Message-ID: <5klqh5$a36@poisson.nosc.mil>
Source record: 176019

Hi there,
I am seriously looking for the matching remote Digital VFO(FV-102DM)for the
YAESU FT-102 HF transceiver.

Rubin
wb6elm@juno.com

2777. WTB tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: eduardo montana <emontana@aracnet.net>
Message-ID: <336E0172.61E7@aracnet.net>
Source record: 176020

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.

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****
Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
****

2778. Tac Tec Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Nie <mnie@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <336E932D.3999@fuse.net>
Source record: 176021

Some of us are using old Tac Tec mobile radios. Very stable and reliable. I believe they were made by RCA. One of the guys programs the EEPROMS using Tac Tec programing software on a VIC20 computer.

Question: Does anyone know if software exists to program these radios on an IBM compatible? If so, where might we find it?

Thanks,

Mike Nie
KB8VMX

2779. Kenwood TS-520 complete base setup $600.00 - ts520.jpg (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@antispam.alpha.wcoil.com
Message-ID: <336e16b6.3066939@news.alt.net>
Source record: 176022

Kenwood TS-520 w/Manual (12 volt capability)
Mic
Frenquency Counter (12 volt capability)
Watt, Modulation, SWR Meter
MFJ Econo Tuner MFJ-900
MFJ Signal Enhancer Tunable CW/SSB Filter MFJ-751
MFJ Super Selector CW/SSB Filter MFJ-721
MFJ RTTY\CW Computer Interface MFJ-1224
Hustler 3 BTV Ground Plane Ant. w/Manual

$600.00

Radio equiptment is all in very nice shape.
Makes a nice radio setup for a camper Take out the
antispam before E-Mailing me.

2780. WTB: Rack Fans

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Polizzo <ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <336E5693.317B@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 176023

hi,
i am looking for rack fans for a 19" rack unit. Two or more
fans mounted on a rack panel would be fine.
Do you have anything E-Mail ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us
Thanks Peter..

2781. Re: BEWARE OF DEALINGS WITH Mark S. Conway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4ijn@awod.com
Message-ID: <5kl873$nom@battery.awod.com>
Source record: 176024

n4xy@bellsouth.net (Ed Tanton) wrote:

>>
>> I don't blame him for taking the money. A bird in hand is better than
>>two in the bush!

>Oh come on... surely you have better character than that. Mark AGREED
>to the COD offer. It's called a VERBAL AGREEMENT. It is about keeping
>you WORD. Doing your best to do what you say you will do is NOT a small
>matter no matter how inconsequential the actual subject is. Worst of
>all: you are the one who must live with that choice. The little things
>add up. If you truly do business that way, remind me not to ever do
>business with you. I certainly won't with Mark.

I agree completely. I've added a couple of names to my "Beware Of.."
list.

Steve, W4IJ

2782. Make Money With Your Computer!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: inet97@ameritech.net
Message-ID: <5l2sbiipl10159@nntp0.cleveland.oh.ameritech.net>
Source record: 176025

E-Mail Your Way To Riches!

Dear Friend,

We all know E-mail is here to stay. It's fun, easy and exciting! Would you be interested if we could show you a way to make well over $1,000 per week doing it?

This is not a joke. You may have seen many people trying to tell you that you can make money by joining this or that scheme! Guess what, you decide to go for it and then you get nothing but frustration and disappointment! We are here to take your frustration and disappointment into an Electrifying Adventure!

We have been marketing on-line for almost 2 years now! We have never spent one red penny on advertising and made nothing but profits. We can show you how to make money every day of the year. Many people may think this is untrue or it just can't be done. We are here to tell you that it is absolutely not true. The biggest mistake people make about marketing on-line is that they sit and wait for people to contact them. You will never make it if this is your approach and we'll tell you why. There are over 60 MILLION people on-line right now, and seven new people logging on every minute of the day world-wide and everyone is offering something. So how do you get a potential client or a new customer before your competition does? The answer is simply " Creative E-mailing" and it WORKS! I'll tell you why. You're taking your product, service or idea directly to the market instead of waiting for the market to come to you!

Here are a few testimonials we'd like to share with you (They're all 100% TRUE!):

Internet Communications, my wife and I owe you so much. We ordered your Creative E-mail System and within the first week we received over $1,150 in orders for my Internet Consulting business!
--Charles -- California

I have bought two so-called E-mail programs that cost me over $600.00 when I received them. They were extremely difficult to operate and it took me about two weeks to figure them out. Once I did, they were so time consuming it just wasn't worth my time. When I received your course it took me about four minutes to install and I was in business! Within the first 24 hours of my first E-mailing I received over $580.00 in sales over the phone. That first week I grossed over $2,000.00! I really can't believe how easy you made this, anyone can do it! Thanks!
--Dennis -- Illinios

Hello, I'm a divorced mother of two children. I wanted to thank you for helping me out. This was my first time buying anything on the Internet. I was skeptical at first but I figured I'd take a chance. This was the best chance I've ever took! My part-time business is now a full-time home-business, thanks to your

Creative E-mail System. I had to hire my two family members to help me out!
This is GREAT, thanks so much! I'd recommend this for anyone!
--Ellen -- Florida

You may have seen other people offering products "E-mail Programs, E-mail Addresses, Extractors, Etc." The vast majority of these products are very over-priced and very difficult to even use. None of them even supply you with current, up-to-date, FRESH & RESPONSIVE E-mail addresses! Our Creative E-mail System puts everything into one package to make your profits soar immediately! Even if you do not have a product or service to offer, we are going to give you over 500 how-to reports that you will have full reprint rights to! What makes our course different from anything else being offered anywhere is that we're dedicated to your success! We do not succeed unless you succeed! All of our E-mail Address Databases are created in house. We do not trade our databases with anyone because people are selling extremely bad lists on the Internet. Many of other people's databases are filled with duplicate addresses and many of them are undeliverable. We keep our own database so we know exactly what we have and we keep nothing but the best. There's no other way. We believe in producing high quality products that should be priced reasonably for your success! Read on to see the special bonuses you will receive.

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6 Million FRESH E-mail Addresses only $249.95
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2783. Rode & Shawrtz BN15075 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5923$750f5dc0$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 176026

Hi,

Is there somebody who has the pin assignments of plug 14 of this old (at least more than 10 years) R&S receiver. The plug is normally attached to the power-supply, which I'm missing, and has two rows of pins (labeled 1-8A & B). Any description on what comes out and goes in would be great. This would help me in building my own power-supply.

73s, ON1DJU

Please Email me as well as it is hard to keep up for me.

The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

2784. FS: SWAN 500C & SUPPLY $275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505014800.VAA28221@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176068

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN SWAN 500C AND 117X POWER SUPPLY,WITH MANUAL AND SURE
DESK MIKE FOR $275. VERY CLEAN IN EXCELLENT OPERATING CONDITION. STEVE
W1SN

2785. FS:TS-50/AMERITRON ALS - 500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: STAN <KB8JLV@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336DCA7B.5FED@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176069

KENWOOD TS-50 IS IN GOOD CONDITION HAS MARS MOD. HAVE BOX, MANUAL, MIC,
MOBILE MOUNTING BRACKET. PRICE IS $750 SHIPPED.

AMRITRON ALS-500M MOBILE AMP 160-10 METERS. 500 WATTS OUT. GOOD
CONDITION. HAVE BOX, MANUAL. PRICE IS $500 SHIPPED.
EMAIL ME kb8jlv@worldnet.att.net

2786. FS: HEATHKIT SB200--$325

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505015000.VAA28405@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176070

FOR SALE: VERY CLEAN AND EXCELLENT OPERATING SB200 AMP. WITH MANUAL.
STEVE W1SN

2787. FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505015200.VAA28520@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176071

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER WITH MANUAL FOR $350. STEVE
W1SN

2788. FS: DRAKE MN2000 $185

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505015500.VAA28722@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176072

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN EXCELLENT OPERATING MN2000 DRAKE TUNER FOR $185.
STEVE W1SN

2789. FS: HENNRY 2K-4A $975

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505015901.VAA29077@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176073

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN HENNRY 2K4-A AMP FOR SALE. 80-10 MTRS. I WILL CONSIDER SHIPPING. AMP IS VERY CLEAN AND IN EXCELLENT OPERATING CONDITION. STEVE W1SN

2790. Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5kjl2a$s1r$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 176074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello All:
Here I go again, wanted, to either build or buy (used) a panadapter for my scope. I believe Kenwood's number is BS-8. If anyone knows how to simply build on, please, fill me in!!!! Thanks in advance, 73, Mike - WQ0N

2791. FS-COLLINS FILTER for 75A-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505045400.AAA12784@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176075

Hi All;
I have for SALE:
COLLINS MECHANICAL FILTER
F455 Q7
S/N 7216
P/N 526-9380-00
It fits the 75A-4 rcvr and is marked 3.1 khz on a piece of masking tape.
Price is $50- shipped CONUS.
Thanks es 73......RICH E-Mail RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM

2792. Re: Azden PCS-4000 2M Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray LaRue <raylarue@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5kjpd2$a4t$1@news5.gte.net>
Source record: 176076

Len Umina wrote:
>
> Anyone have info on this rig? I picked one up over the weekend at a flea
> market sans manual.
>
> /Len
>
> umina@ultranet.com

What you need to know?
73,
Ray, W4BYG

2793. Misc for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: vidgames@netcom.com
Message-ID: <vidgamesE9p1wx.qI@netcom.com>
Source record: 176077

I have some radio gear that comes from a relative who was an Advanced and
is now an SK. Much of it is pretty old. I'm interested in getting rid of
it now, but have no idea how much it's worth. If anyone wants to buy any
(or all) of this stuff, I'd appreciate it if you could send me an e-mail
at vidgames@netcom.com (unless someone has a better idea), and I'll take
the best offer; e-mail for more information and I'll do what I can. I'm in
the San Francisco area, so please take into account that I'll add shipping
to your location to your bid. Oh, this gear is in very good shape
physically, though I don't know how well it works electronically. Judging
by the meticulous habits of the owner, I'm sure it's fine. Obviously, if
you're also in the SF area and can pick it up, shipping won't be a problem
and you can eyeball the units yourself--especially the unidentified
pieces (and there are some assorted pieces not on the list below).
Thanks...

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Hallicrafters SR-150 Transceiver
Hallicrafters PC-150-120 Power Supply (I assume it goes with the above radio)
Howard 430 shortwave receiver
Barker and Williamson low-pass filter
ElectroVoice (model ?) microphone
Heath GD-1B grid dip meter
(2) Sears 6460 two-channel walkie-talkie
(2) Channel Master (model ?--1964) walkie-talkie
Heathkit reflected power and SWR bridge (model ?)
Drake 2-A receiver
Royce 2-099A reflected power and SWR bridge
Lafayette HA-79 microphone
GC Electronics coax switch
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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
=-=-=-=-=
If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

2794. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505064601.CAA19254@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176078

>> What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
>> report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
>>
>> Thanks in advance
>It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
>and nobody will do anything.
>This is the way ham radio is today.

I totally disagree. although complaining to the FCC will not usually generate an investigation, Ham radio operators are usually their own best policeing.
This happened in our area, a couple went to radio shack and purchased 2 meter handhelds, and started using the repeaters. They were unable to come up with callsigns, and an old fashioned 'foxhunt' found the culprits, who were informed, by personal appearance at their door, that they would no longer be allowed to use the system.
>>and nobody will do anything.
Partially true, the couple above moved to simplex frequency, where they still operate today, but no interference on the repeaters, so no one bothers. (Hey with the small wattage output, and on simplex, who would they bother). BUT no one else communicates with them (licensed), so it becomes a REAL expensive CB.

2795. NEED TR7 INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: liber.fab@iol.IT
Message-ID: <v01530501af934f1c228a@[195.45.7.17]>
Source record: 176079

Hello everybody,
is someone so kind to explain exactly the difference
between the first part of TR7 production and late units, and about the
starting
serial number of "late" ones ?
TR7 vs TR7A and R7 vs R7A : what real differences ?

Some colleague seems to prefer late TR7s (not "A") because "less noisy",
several other people tells that "TR7A is a remarkable improvement", but I
would like to know exactly about specs and mods.

Thank you very much in advance, and best wishes !
Fabio

2796. Mod for FT-1000MP power control with 3CX800 amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel.GRunberg@telrad.co.IL
Message-ID: <c=US%a=_%p=TELRAD%l=MISMAIL-970505111234Z-157@mismail.MIS.ELEX.CO.IL>
Source record: 176080

Few days ago, I asked for modification of the Yaesu FT-1000MP
RF output control. As known, the first series don't have continous
power control output and this can be sometimes a problem when
driving modern 3CX800 amps (like Alpha 87A, 89, Command
HF-2500, HF-1250, Ameritron AL-800H and so on) at desired
specific output levels without overloading the small dissipation grid.

First of all, many thanks for the 40+ answers.

Second, for those who asked from me to send them too the answers:
the solution is to cut a PCB trace and add a jumper. All the details
can be found on files archive at http://www.contesting.com/_yaesu.
This mod come with a note that the change is made at tcvr owner
sole responsability. Anyway for those having rig still in warranty
period, is strongly recommended to send them to Yaesu.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

2797. Re: BEWARE OF DEALINGS WITH Mark S. Conway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4xy@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33716571.50960777@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176081

>
> I don't blame him for taking the money. A bird in hand is better than
>two in the bush!

Oh come on... surely you have better character than that. Mark AGREED
to the COD offer. It's called a VERBAL AGREEMENT. It is about keeping
you WORD. No one held a gun to his head to agree to the COD... all he
had to do was say NO. That's all. He could have said it nicely.
Easily. Instead, he chose to throw away his reputation because it WAS
easier money. The value of his reputation damaged and personal honor
lost could not possibly equal a small inconvenience. I know... this
was only a little telephone ham radio business deal. What's the big
deal? Doing your best to do what you say you will do is NOT a small
matter no matter how inconsequential the actual subject is. Worst of
all: you are the one who must live with that choice. The little things
add up. If you truly do business that way, remind me not to ever do
business with you. I certainly won't with Mark.
72/73

Ed Tanton N4XY EMAIL: n4xy@bellsouth.net
189 Pioneer Trail
Marietta, GA 30068-3466 TEL: (770)579-3933 V/MBX/FAX

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"Think you can, think you can't: either way you're right!" Henry Ford
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2798. Re: [Yaesu] Mod for FT-1000MP power control with 3CX800 amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgstewart@pepco.COM
Message-ID: <8525648E.0044FD1F.00@teb-ng1.pepco.com>
Source record: 176082

This is a factory authorized and designed mod, so unless you screw up the radio in the process of installing it, you are on solid ground. ;73, Tyler K3MM

To: ham-equip@ucsd.edu
cc: amps@contesting.com, yaesu@contesting.com (bcc: Tyler G Stewart/BENN/CEC)
Subject: [Yaesu] Mod for FT-1000MP power control with 3CX800 amps

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73 de Morel, 4X1AD

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FAQ on WWW: http://www.qsl.net/k7on/yaesu.html
Submissions: yaesu@contesting.com
Administrative requests: yaesu-REQUEST@contesting.com
Problems: owner-yaesu@contesting.com

2799. Re: Relay on a standard printerport and on a standard com port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rstevew@armory.com
Message-ID: <5kkll9$pn6@news.scruz.net>
Source record: 176083
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.hardware.homebuilt,alt.comp.hardware.homedesigned,alt.comp.hardware.pc-homebuilt,alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

In article <5kaut5$he9@thorgal.et.tudelft.nl>,
David Knaack <XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX> wrote:
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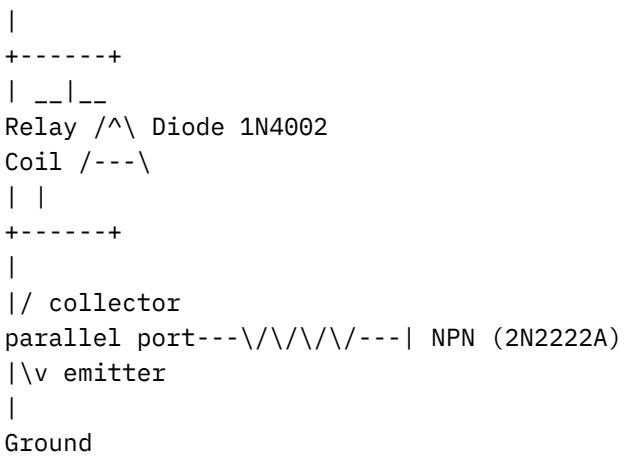
>
>Bergum <bergum@internet.no> wrote in article
><336b61a9.1619434@news.internet.no>...
>> I want to connect relay to my standard printerport.
>> I nead a easy circuit to make the relay switch vhen i am
>> alterning the state on the port.
>> I allso want one for a com port.
>> --
>> Jeg forlot SN/Online p} grunn av for mye rot & dorlig service!!
>>
>> http://www.internet.no/bergum/
>> - Bergum@Internet.no
>>
>You can drive a transistor with the voltage from the port, and the
>transistor can run the relay. I do not recommend trying to drive the
>relay on the current supplied by the port, provide an external supply.
>A 2N2222 will work fine if your relay uses less than 800ma.
>You should probably connect the port ground to the power ground.
>Heres how you would connect the transistor.
>
> Vcc
> |
> /collector
>>From port------|
> \emitter
> |
> Relay
> |
> Ground
>--
>David Knaack[XXdknaack@rdtech.comXX]

I don't know WHY I see newbies and silly folk who don't THINK electronics
very well yet always putting the relay "AFTER" the transistor, as if that
was something important!! Well it's NOT, and in fact its a BAD PRACTICE if
you want the parallel port to work well!! By "AFTER" I mean on the emitter,
as if that will help because "after all, the controlled voltage/current
comes OUT of the EMITTER doesn't it?". NO, incorrect thinking, AND, this
diagram above can cause the transistor to kick on and off as the voltage

across the relay goes up and down jacking the transistor CE junction and the base reference to the emitter UP and DOWN and UP and DOWN like an East L.A. Lowrider Car!! It will oscillate if the base resistor is right on the edge!! And it's dumb!! (Also, they always leave out the base resistor!!!).

If you use the collector to SUCK juice through the relay coil instead of trying to have the emitter BLOW into it, then you don't wind up with the base ON voltage climbing into the sky when it goes on, and maybe not STAYING on as long as the port pin would like!!! The PROPER use of an NPN transistor is to SUCK juice through itself NOT TO BLOW!!! It makes the circuit action unstable because it hops up and down on the emitter load's changing on and off voltage drop across the relay coil!!! Here's the proper way to do it, WITH the all important free-wheeling diode to slurp up the coil inductive kick when the transistor turns off, so it won't blow up the transistor!! A coil likes to keep current flowing and will try desparately with its collapsing magnetic field to keep the current flowing when the transistor turns off, acting like a momentary source of high voltage! The diode with its butt in the air allows it to shoot through THAT instead of your collector-base junction!!! It fires in a circle till the field is used up! But the diode is not a path when the coil is on or off at rest because it is reverse biased in the path from Vcc and won't conduct in that direction! Neat, eh? So always do it this way!!:



And DO read the FAQ files on the parallel port to be found on my site below in my LPT/ subdirectory. You will be glad you did if you want to know all the neat stuff you have and didn't know it in your parallel port!!
-Steve
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-Steve Walz rstevew AT armory.com http://www.armory.com/~rstevew/
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Oz:.AU ftp://ftp.peninsula.apana.org.au:/pub/electronics/ftp.armory.com *
FUCK the CDA: Bring Down the Supreme Court and US Government if they don't!

2800. Re: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mansfield <mmans@aeneas.net>
Message-ID: <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>
Source record: 176084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
The article is titled "Design notes on a Panoramic Adapter/Spectrum
Analyzer".
73's,
Mark

2801. WTB Sony ICF 2010

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: s_guettier@bielefeld.netsurf.de
Message-ID: <336dc7b5.33793833@news.uni-x.net>
Source record: 176085

Please email if you have for sale, with price required!

I am in Germany and so the required AC adapter would need to be able
to handle 220 Volts only.

I would pay shipping charges.

73 Simon Guettier

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Simon Guettier
Herford Germany
s_guettier@bielefeld.netsurf.de :-)
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2802. Handbook Standard C-120 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oesch <yves.oesch@de.epfl.ch>
Message-ID: <336DEB17.65FC@de.epfl.ch>
Source record: 176086

hello all,

I have a Standard C-120: VHF Handy.

But I don't have the handbook. I would be pleased if someone knows this rig, so I could ask him some questions.

Best 73's

Yves / HB9VJV / yves.oesch@de.epfl.ch

2803. SX-99 Schematic Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tkacpura@dinah.lerc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <5kkmuq$fip@sulawesi.lerc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 176087

I am in need of the schematic for a Hallicrafters SX-99 receiver.
Some of the capacitors have leaked, and with Dayton coming up, it is a
good time to lok for replacements. Unfortunately, I can not find the
schematic! Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Tom NG3Q

Thomas Kacpura
2001 Aerospace Parkway
Brook Park, Ohio 44142
(216)977-1057
(216)977-1269 FAX

2804. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704058628.AA862842952@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 176088

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** WTB: ** Packet Radio Equipment
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FS: RCA 700 6 Meter 40 Watt Table Top Base Station Radios
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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 4 May 1997 23:16:01 -0700
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Subject: ** WTB: ** Packet Radio Equipment

Looking for high speed packet equipment:
-9k6 and up modems/TNCs
-GRAPES, PI, Gracillis
-Data Engines
-Data Radios
-Transverters
-Other?

What do you have available?

ke7gh@primenet.com

Date: 5 May 1997 04:58:10 GMT
From: Ray LaRue <raylarue@gte.net>
Subject: Azden PCS-4000 2M Rig

Len Umina wrote:
>
> Anyone have info on this rig? I picked one up over the weekend at a flea
> market sans manual.
>
> /Len
>
> umina@ultranet.com

What you need to know?
73,
Ray, W4BYG

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 12:53:39 GMT
From: wa4vrv@srv.net (Jay C. Greenberg)
Subject: BEWARE OF DEALINGS WITH Mark S. Conway

This is just a warning for anyone who might enter into a deal with
"Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>. I am only representing
myself as I have no other data points.

Last week, Mark posted a Kenwood TH-79AD(H) for sale which I responded
to and agreed to purchase. Yesterday, I sent Mark an email asking him
to let me know the UPS tracking number so that I could have the money
ready when the package arrived (see, the deal he posted included
shipping, but I asked if he would ship COD and he agreed.) Its a good
thing I didn't go out and get a money order or send him a check!!

So, he replied later last night with the following:

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 19:22:07 -0400
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Organization: Nantucket Net
To: "Jay C. Greenberg" <wa4vrv@srv.net>
Subject: Re: Kenwood TH-79AD

Jay, Please don't be mad, but someone local here just bought it.
Sorry for all the trouble..... Thanks, Mark

Here are the original email's between us for anyone who cares to read
them:

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 12:19:44 -0400
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Organization: Nantucket Net
To: "Jay C. Greenberg" <wa4vrv@srv.net>
Subject: Re: Kenwood TH-79AD

Jay C. Greenberg wrote:
>
> Mark:
>
> You posted the following yesterday:
>
> On Tue, 29 Apr 1997 20:20:47 -0400, you wrote:
>
> >Brand New, Comes with radio, speaker mike, and soft plastic case.
> >5 Watts, high power version.
> >$325.00 Shipped UPS Ground
>
> Do you still have this HT?? If so, I would like to buy it. Let me know.
>
> de Jay, WA4VRV - wa4vrv@srv.net
>

Hi Jay, Yup still available. A Few offers, but no one serious.
See ya, Mark, N1XYY

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 21:07:08 -0400
From: "Mark S. Conway" <mconway@Nantucket.Net>
Organization: Nantucket Net
To: "Jay C. Greenberg" <wa4vrv@srv.net>
Subject: Re: Kenwood TH-79AD

Hi Jay, Yup have the box too....
Whatever you want to do is fine.
I'll go COD....
Mark

Jay C. Greenberg wrote:
>
> Mark:
>
> O.K., how would you like to go about this transaction?? I would pay UPS COD
> charges if that is acceptable to you.
>
> Oh, you didn't mention if you have the original box. I guess you do as you
> list the radio as "new".
>
> Let me know.
>
> de Jay, WA4VRV

Again, this is how I was treated by this individual and felt I should
let others on the newgroup know.

de Jay, WA4VRV
Jay C. Greenberg
WA4VRV
email: wa4vrv@srv.net
Phone: (208)524-1388 Evenings/Weekends

(208)526-7033 Weekdays

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 17:11:46 -0700
From: Mark White <"markw"@Iconnect[REMOVE!!].net>
Subject: DC power supplies

Tony T. Hwang wrote:
>
> Time to get one.
> Just for general use in the shack.
> Astron, Daiwa, Alinco, what else?
> What should I buy? Never had one so
> hams out there who have been using
> one of these, care to comment here or
> by e-mail.
> Thanks a million.
> Tony, VE6CGX

Depends on whether you are using it for VHF or HF. My experiences are with an ASTRON 20 amp supply for all the 2M junk, Then I got an Alinco DM-1350 for the HF stuff (35 AMP). Both are good supplies in my opinion, the Alinco can have voltage jumps when adjusting the volts with no load on it though. Just make sure you get one with enough amps for your equipment, if just a vhf radio 10-15 amps is fine, for HF use 30 + amp rated supply.

73's N9OHS

Date: Fri, 02 May 1997 12:50:34 -0700
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Subject: FS: Lafayette HE-80 Rcvr

For Sale - Excellent Condition Classic Shortwave Lafayette HE-80 Receiver. .55KHz thru 54 MHz ..AM SSB CW FM ...A True classic tube rig, none of that "solid state" stuff that's not here to last.....Send e-mail, $140, U ship out of San Diego.....tom

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Date: Wed, 30 Apr 1997 22:41:03 -0600
From: mike@3dnet.com
Subject: FS: RCA 700 6 Meter 40 Watt Table Top Base Station Radios

For Sale: 6 Meter Base Station Radios RCA Series 700 Low Band Table Top Base Station Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz)

FULLY SOLID-STATE Commercial FM Transceiver, 40 Watts, Operates on 120 VAC, 2 frequency (easily converted to 4 frequency). Converted to 6 Meter Operation. Tuned to 52.525 MHz (crystals not included). With integrated speaker, desk microphone, 2 sets of Channel Elements, QC Deck (CTCSS)

without vibrosend/sponders (uses Motorola type). Tuning instructions
included.

CONDITION: Very Good. Removed from service. Checked and Working.
Converted to 6 meter Amateur Band.
RCA Series 700 Base Station ....$125 ea (2 available)

Extra Sets (Rx and Tx) of Channel Element............$5

PRICES DO NOT INCLUDE SHIPPING.
Send Zip code for shipping estimate.

Mike Nowlen, WB4UKB
mnowlen@cwi.net
703-716-1363
No calls after 10PM Eastern please.
Answering machine picks up on 4th ring.

-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 22:38:32 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Subject: Illeagal Transmission

Jim wrote:
>
> A carpenter that did some work for me has a 2 meter/440 and uses it to
> stay in contact with his brother. I asked about a call sign but he said
> he did not have one.
>
> What type of penalty?
> Who to contact?
>
> Please post.
>
> Thanks in advance.
$10,000 US (American, or a night in the lincoln bedroom). Brian
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

Date: 5 May 1997 06:46:30 GMT
From: rpd910@aol.com (RPD910)
Subject: Illegal Transmission

>> What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
>> report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
>>
>> Thanks in advance

>It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
>and nobody will do anything.
>This is the way ham radio is today.

I totally disagree. although complaining to the FCC will not usually generate an investigation, Ham radio operators are usually their own best policeing.
This happened in our area, a couple went to radio shack and purchased 2 meter handhelds, and started using the repeaters. They were unable to come up with callsigns, and an old fashioned 'foxhunt' found the culprits, who were informed, by personal appearance at their door, that they would no longer be allowed to use the system.
>>and nobody will do anything.
Partially true, the couple above moved to simplex frequency, where they still operate today, but no interference on the repeaters, so no one bothers. (Hey with the small wattage output, and on simplex, who would they bother). BUT no one else communicates with them (licensed), so it becomes a REAL expensive CB.

Date: 5 May 1997 01:13:31 GMT
From: kb5mer@aol.com (KB5MER)
Subject: Low pass

Yes send info on 6 meter low pass filter
and price of filter.
Thanks JR

Date: 4 May 1997 21:28:03 -0700
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Subject: Mailing Lists

HomeBrew is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to amateur radio
and electronics experimentation and construction:

* building kits
* scratch construction
* radios, antennas, widgets
* design
* accessories
* station construction
* digital, analog, uP
* repair, modification, surplus

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe homebrew

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe homebrew

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: homebrew@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Ham-Books is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to the literature
and periodicals of amateur radio:

* publishers
* magazines
* newsletters
* books
* old and "collector" books
* new book announcements

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SUBJECT:
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Ham-Software is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to software
of all types used for amateur radio:

* logging
* propagation prediction
* digital modes
* award tracking
* commercial, shareware, freeware
* electronic design and simulation
* amateur software development

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Mobile-Portable is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to mobile
and portable operation of amateur radio (QRP and QRO, HF and VHF+):

* rigs, antennas, tuners
* installation
* batteries
* generators
* solar and alternative energy
* camping/RVs/backpacking
* laptop/palmtop computers
* portable packet
* roving and mountain-topping
* GPS, APRS

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SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe mobile-portable

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TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe mobile-portable

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: mobile-portable@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Date: 5 May 97 11:12:34 GMT
From: morel.GRunberg@telrad.co.IL (Morel Grunberg)
Subject: Mod for FT-1000MP power control with 3CX800 amps

Few days ago, I asked for modification of the Yaesu FT-1000MP
RF output control. As known, the first series don't have continous
power control output and this can be sometimes a problem when
driving modern 3CX800 amps (like Alpha 87A, 89, Command
HF-2500, HF-1250, Ameritron AL-800H and so on) at desired
specific output levels without overloading the small dissipation grid.

First of all, many thanks for the 40+ answers.

Second, for those who asked from me to send them too the answers:
the solution is to cut a PCB trace and add a jumper. All the details
can be found on files archive at http://www.contesting.com/_yaesu.
This mod come with a note that the change is made at tcvr owner
sole responsability. Anyway for those having rig still in warranty
period, is strongly recommended to send them to Yaesu.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

Date: 5 May 97 08:53:49 GMT
From: liber.fab@iol.IT (Fabio Liberatori)
Subject: NEED TR7 INFO

Hello everybody,
is someone so kind to explain exactly the difference
between the first part of TR7 production and late units, and about the
starting
serial number of "late" ones ?
TR7 vs TR7A and R7 vs R7A : what real differences ?

Some colleague seems to prefer late TR7s (not "A") because "less noisy",
several other people tells that "TR7A is a remarkable improvement", but I
would like to know exactly about specs and mods.

Thank you very much in advance, and best wishes !
Fabio

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #488
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Mon, 05 May 97 10:29:57 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wOOnK-0009epC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Mon, 5 May 1997 10:31:14 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id KAA29354; Mon, 5 May 1997 10:31:14 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma029347; Mon, 5 May 97 10:31:07 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA04730 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 5 May
1997 04:52:11 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA15399
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 5 May 1997 04:30:49 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu

Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA15380
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 5 May 1997 04:30:46 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705051130.EAA15380@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 5 May 97 04:30:45 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #488
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2805. Re: RS DUAL BAND RECALL!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Russo <russo@slug.swcp.com>
Message-ID: <y74iv0xq4xu.fsf@slug.swcp.com>
Source record: 176089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

[Crossposted between rec.radio.scanner and rec.radio.amateur.equipment because the original article was on the former but it seems to be more of interest to the latter. Followups set accordingly.]

"N9MSS" <n9mss@htc.net> writes:

>
>
> The FCC pulled type acceptance of the ADI AT-600. I was informed by
> AES on 4-30-97 that they were not shipping any AT-600's and that they
> would put me on a waiting list for this rig. They didn't know how long
> before
> the situation would be resolved with the FCC. So it appears that this goes
>
> along with the Radio Shack recall of the HTX-204.
>
> Bob N9MSS

Since I had a hard time finding any substantiation of this from the FCC's website I wrote to the folks at Premier and asked them to confirm this. Here's their reply, which should quiet the rumors for a few minutes, I hope:

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Message-Id: <1.5.4.32.19970505150737.00678c24@netsol.net>
X-Sender: ko6ux@netsol.net (Unverified)
Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 08:07:37 -0700
To: Thomas Russo <russo@swcp.com>
From: ko6ux@netsol.net (netsol,ywac)
Subject: Re: Claim of FCC action seen on usenet. Truth?
Cc: premier@adi-radio.com

At 10:03 AM 5/2/97 -0600, Thomas Russo wrote:
>
>I saw a post on the USENET group rec.radio.scanner which made the claim that
>an Amateur Electronics Supply salesperson had told the poster that the FCC had
>pulled type-acceptance for the ADI AT-600, and that the radio was therefore
>unavailable for the moment.
>
>I have been unable to substantiate this claim by checking the FCC web site,
>which lists their daily actions. Can you confirm or deny that the AT-600 is
>in fact having legal problems like this? Are the AT-600s still shipping, and
>if so, is FCC type-approval in any sort of question?

There is absolutely no truth to the claim that the FCC has taken any legal action against either PREMIER Communications or ADI. The U.S. version of

the AT-600 is perfectly legal in this country. Neither the receiver type acceptance nor the importing certificate for the radio have been pulled by the FCC. The AT-600 continues to be imported.

This confusion began last month when we began to enounter some CPU trouble with some of the AT-600s we had shipped (one of the batches of CPUs the factory had bought was found to be defective). We asked our dealers to perform a limited recall of the radio so we could check each for one of the defective CPUs.

Our limited recall closely followed the removal of the HTX-204 by Radio Shack, but the two events are, to my knowledge, completely unrelated. One of the AES salesmen has been telling customers that the radios lost their type acceptance, but this is untrue. I was at the AES SuperFest show over the weekend, and I encountered that same salesman then. I spoke to the management of AES (who never told their salespeople that the recall was because of FCC legal problems) and the problem has been corrected. No one there will be spreading that disinformation again.

>Thank you for your time, I'm sorry if you're flooded with this sort of query
>right now. There's a lot to be said for the quick spread of information by
>USENET, but there's also a lot of misinformation out there, too.
>
>Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/

You are quite correct, Tom. The Internet is a good tool for disseminating information quickly, but is also a great way for rumors, misinformation, and lies to spread rapidly. As always, the information is only as good as its source.

By the way, below is some information on the AT-600 / HTX-204 straight from the PREMIER Communications FAQ that is on our webpage. This is the company's official stand on the situation.

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Q: Didn't you make the HTX-204 for Radio Shack?
A: ADI Communications Corporation manufactured the HTX-204 handheld for Radio Shack. However, PREMIER Communications has nothing to do with this arrangement. Both PREMIER and Radio Shack bought their radios from the same factory, nothing more. PREMIER does not offer any technical support for the HTX-204.

Q: What's the difference between the AT-600 and the HTX-204?
A: The two radios are indeed very similar. However, the AT-600 has a number of features that the Radio Shack does not, including wired cloning, PC programmable, auto power on, programmable VFO range, battery voltage indicator, DTMF decode, and 200 memories in non-alphanumeric mode (as opposed to 120 for the Radio Shack version).

Q: Are accessories for the AT-600 compatible with the HTX-204?
A: Generally, yes. The radios both use the same batteries and chargers, and the same microphone and speaker wiring schemes. Since both radios are

physically similar they also can use the same protective leather cases.

Q: Why did Radio Shack recall the HTX-204 and how does the recall affect the availability of the AT-600?
A: PREMIER Communications has no knowledge of why Radio Shack recalled the HTX-204. Officially, they claimed that they were "concerned that the radio could be used for illegal purposes." What their exact concerns were is anyone's guess.
Some of the initial AT-600s did have some minor CPU problems. It is possible that Radio Shack recalled the HTX-204 because of some related problems, but it seems unlikely. The recall does not affect future shipments of the AT-600. There have been some minor delays on ADI's production line, but production is proceeding at full speed.
It is not known whether Radio Shack will be reintroducing the HTX-204.

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Ken Collier, KO6UX
Marketing Director / 'Net Rep
PREMIER Communications
(909) 869-5711
<ko6ux@netsol.net>

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Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/
I asked my landlady how old she is and she wouldn't tell me. 'That's OK,' I says, 'I'll just wait until you go to sleep tonight then I'll cut you in half and count the rings.'... The cops didn't think it was funny, neither. -- Bug-Eyed Earl

2806. Re: FS: Pro-2004

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9dbc@usa.net
Message-ID: <5kkqtu$mn9@nntp.interaccess.com>
Source record: 176090
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

>"Jeff" <jbert@dialnet.net> wrote:
>For Sale Realistic Pro-2004
>Great Shape.
>400 channels
>Full Coverage 25-1300mHz
>Original box and manual.
>$225 Shipped Firm

Is the radio shipped firm, or are you not willing to bargain the
price?

2807. Kenwood TM V7R MOD?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505163401.MAA13337@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176091

I'm looking for the Mars/Cap mod for Kenwood's new dual band transceiver.
Can anybody tell me if one is available of the web?

Thanks,
KC7ILQ

2808. TS 570 INFO WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: STAN <KB8JLV@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336EA084.2568@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176092

I'VE HEARD THAT THERE IS A HIDDEN MENU ON THE KENWOOD TS-570D THAT
ALLOWS MORE USER CONTROL OF FUNCTIONS. POWER OUTPUT/AUDIO MANIPULATION.
ANYONE KNOW HOW TO DO THIS OR IF THIS INFO IS ON THE WEB?
TNX STAN.

2809. Re: SX-99 Schematic Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336DFCA0.34F7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176093

tkacpura@dinah.lerc.nasa.gov wrote:
>
> I am in need of the schematic for a Hallicrafters SX-99 receiver.
> Some of the capacitors have leaked, and with Dayton coming up, it is a
> good time to lok for replacements. Unfortunately, I can not find the
> schematic! Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Tom NG3Q

Good Morning Tom from sunny San Diego
There are several manual vendors on the internet, goto URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagef.html#MAN
for some links.
73
Rod
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2810. FS: Heathkit HRA-10-1 Crystal Calibrator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Muenzler WB5RUE <wb5rue.at@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <01III899K81SAM31JX@ARWEN.UTHSCSA.EDU>
Source record: 176094

I have a Heathkit HRA-10-1 Crystal calibrator that I've had and
not used for years. Make me an offer. As far as I know it works.
Send me personal E-Mail.

Kevin, WB5RUE
wb5rue@amsat.org

2811. FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5kl7jk$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

E.F.Johnson 1 KW low-pass filter for HF use.
Has SO-239 input and output connections.
Tubular aluminum housing about 12" long x 3" diameter.

Price $20.00 plus shipping.

73,
Dean K5DH

2812. FS:HF Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwshock@access.usa.net
Message-ID: <5kjmu9$h9e$2@shiva.usa.net>
Source record: 176096

I am posting this list for KB0MXR. Any interests please e-mail me at
dwshock@usa.net and I will put you in contact with Ron. Thanks
AA0UF

BRAND MODEL DESCRIPT PRICE

HALLICRAFTERS S-38C RECIEVER,4 BAND,AM,CW $40.00
" S-95 " ,0-100,152-174 50.00
" S-36A " SERIAL # 1 425.00
" S-119 " SKY BUDDY-2-BOTH 125.00
" S-40A " -3- EACH 65.00
" S-40B " 65.00
" SX-100 " EXCELLENT 125.00
" S-120 " PARTS 20.00
NATIONAL NC-57 " GOOD 40.00
" NC-98 " 10,15,20,40,80 BANDS 100.00
COLLINS R-388 " IN CASE EXCELLENT 175.00
ELMAC PMR-6A " EXCELLENT 50.00
ELDICO SSB-100F TRANSMITTER 225.00
" SSB-1000 AMPLIFIER - EXCELLENT 450.00
JOHNSON 6 N 2 TRANSCIEVER 6M, 2M 125.00
GONSET COMM III TRANSCIEVER 6M 75.00
RME RME-45 RECIEVER 50.00
" RME-70 " 50.00
" RME-84 " 50.00
B & W 370 SINGLE SIDEBAND ADAPTER 75.00
HEATHKIT DX-60 TRANSMITTER 65.00
" HG-10 VFO 50.00
" SB-300 RECIEVER 75.00
" SB-620 SCOPE 100.00
" HS-1661 SPEAKER 25.00
SWAN 350D TRANSCIEVER,NEEDS ALIGN 100.00
270B " SIGNET 100.00
" 350C " 75.00
" 350 " 75.00
HAMMARLUND HX 500 TRANSMITTER -2- EACH 125.00
" HX 50 " -3- EACH 175.00
" SP 600VLF RECIEVER 10-540 KC 375.00
" SP 600JX " -4- EACH 275.00
" SP 400 " 150.00
" SP 400 " DELUXE 300.00
" BC 779 " MILITARY SP400 125.00
" S-PRO VLF " 125.00
" S-PRO " 125.00
" HQ 129X " -3- EACH 100.00

" HQ 100C " 110.00
" HQ 110 " -2- EACH 100.00
" HQ 140X " 125.00
" HQ 145C " 2 RESISTERS BAD 125.00
" HQ 145AC " 150.00
" HQ 160 " 150.00
" HQ 170C " 165.00
" HQ 170A " 175.00
" HQ 180AC " 175.00
" HC 10 SINGLE SIDEBAND CONVERT 125.00

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73 de "Its not who asked the question but
AA0UF/Doug what the question was that counts."
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2813. FS: Heath HW-32 20m SSB monoband xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5kl8dq$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176097
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

For Sale:

Heathkit HW-32 20m SSB monoband transceiver, 14.200 - 14.350 MHz USB.
Physically in good shape, very little wear on the front panel.
Electrically, it's basically functional (I made a contact on it).
Needs three tubes I donn't have on hand (one each 6BE6, 6EB8, 12AT7).
All other tubes have been tested and are good (including driver and PAs).
No modifications that I can spot (had a BNC installed on rear panel,
which I removed, leaving an empty hole, but that was all I found).

Original manual, power supply cable, and a non-matching mic included.

This rig WILL require some work, but it is basically functional.
Consider it to be a "project radio". It is NOT for the beginner!

Requires one of these Heathkit power supplies (NOT included!):
PS-10, PS-20, HP-13, HP-23, HP-23A, HP-23B

Or build your own, with these requirements:
+800 vdc @ 250 mA
+250 vdc @ 100 mA
-135 vdc @ a few mA
12.6 vac @ 3.75 A

Price is $50. Buyer pays shipping (15 lbs from 75065).

73,
Dean K5DH

2814. Re: KWD 440S/AT Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc598f$b042e260$242a25a6@Scooter.cs.mci.com>
Source record: 176098

jeez what a great deal for you.

Walter R. Jones, Jr - KC7HEX <kc7hex@amsat.org> wrote in article
<336813A2.7C63@amsat.org>...
> I have the following station for sale:
>
> Kenwood TS 440S/AT (built in tuner)
> Kenwood PS 430 (power supply)
> Kenwood SP 430 (speaker)
> Kenwood MC 60 (microphone)
> Kenwood PC-1A (phone patch)
>
> The Kenwood 440S/AT has the YK-88-CN CW filter installed.
>
> The station also include the IC-10 Interface
>
> I have all the original operators manual, service manual, and the
> computer interface documentation. Would like to selling locally
> or to someone who will see the setup in person. Nice station.
> It has the MARS/CAP modification. All the above for only $1,300
> pick-up and will ship for $1,350
>
> Also have the Kenwood TS-520 SE for sale with original
> box, manuals for only $350.
>
>
> --
>
> ==73==
> Walter R. Jones, Jr. E-Mail: kc7hex@amsat.org
> Callsign : KC7HEX Location: Klamath Falls, Oregon
> Latitude : 42 09.54 Country : U.S.A.
> Longitude: 121 40.79 AMSAT-NA: 31687
> Grid: CN92dd http://home.cdsnet.net/~wjonesjr/amateur.htm
>

2815. ICOM/Kenwood MODS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Reece <bigjr@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <336E3CE5.28B1@sprynet.com>
Source record: 176099

Anybody know of any mods for ICOM 756 or Kenwood TS570S? Any mods
at all?
Thanks, Jack WA0VLT

2816. MFJ-1798 Vertical request comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Reece <bigjr@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <336E3B9D.304B@sprynet.com>
Source record: 176100

I'd like comments from anyone who has used an MFJ-1798 80-2 mtr vertical
I'm specifically interested to see if radials are really required to
make the antenna work well and if it is necessary to guy the antenna.
Thanks, Jack WA0VLT

2817. WTB: ICOM-Kenwood SSB Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Reece <bigjr@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <336E3B1F.4732@sprynet.com>
Source record: 176101

I'm interested in buying ssb filters for ICOM 756 & Kenwood TS-570S.
I don't know the model numbers but want good used filters.
Thanks, Jack WA0VLT

2818. ICOM 706...looking for replacement mic suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: olyellr@iglou.com
Message-ID: <E9q5pH.1x0@iglou.com>
Source record: 176102

Can someone recommend a mic to replace the straight hand mic that is supplied with the 706......Icom or otherwise.

Thanks in advance.
Mike L./ke4hlu

2819. fs: azden 6 meter handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sal Guzzo <novagen@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <336E4D5A.7B3D@ibm.net>
Source record: 176103

fs Azden 6 meter handheld, hand mic, rapid charger, dc adapter, rubber duck, 5 foot telescopic antenna. Less than one year old. Mint condition. Cost: 250.00 plus shipping from toronto

reply to novagen@ibm.net

2820. FS: Eddystone 940 and 730/4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Simon Robinson <pls5i50e@pop.plasma.co.uk>
Message-ID: <336DABE0.662E@pop.plasma.co.uk>
Source record: 176104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

For Sale - Eddystone 940

1960's general coverage receiver in the typical grey Eddystone Style.
One of the most popular sets used by amateurs.

Complete and in excellent condition and working order. The only mods
are a different mains connection and aerial socket.

For Sale - Eddystone 730/4

1950's general coverage receiver in grey case with flip up lid. This is
another popular model and is in excellent working order and good
condition. Has similar mods to 940 above.

I will take offers on these two radios until Wednesday 7th May in
POOUNDS STERLING ONLY. Please DO NOT INCLUDE CARRIAGE in your offer as
this will be at your discretion; i.e. you can arrange collection or I
can tell you the cost price to me to add on.

2821. Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
Message-ID: <336E2787.41C6@nrc.ca>
Source record: 176105

Is the HTX-202 suggested for a new ham - it is on sale for C$ 230.00?
How does it compare with other 2m handhelds?
Any known problems, variants of the rig?

Any comment on using the 2m vs. 70cm band?

I realize that there are no simple answers, but I still would not mind
some help.

Thanks, Peter

2822. wtb:uhf master2 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <sandersj@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <336E455F.59F0@swbell.net>
Source record: 176106

I am looking to buy a ge master2 uhf repeater manual or mobil amnual
please send me a e-mail address and cost, i will get back to you
thanks...john

2823. Talking meters for the blind

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: etaylor@nr.infi.net
Message-ID: <5klo8ecgl3@nw001.infi.net>
Source record: 176107

Am looking for sources of talking meters for a friend of mine who has recently become totally blind. He has a complete Bird meter with full complement of plus that he would be willing to trade for other equipment useful to blind.

If anyone know of source for this equipment or has equipment to sell or trade, please reply by email to: etaylor@nr.infi.net

Tnx
Ed N4RWU

2824. FS: Gel Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lawrence M. Koga" <crshi@aloha.net>
Message-ID: <336E792D.2123@aloha.net>
Source record: 176108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have Gates Cyclone 12VDC, 2.5 Ah batteries.

These are packed six(6)to a case, each battery is 2VDC. They are soldered, and with a short molex male connector(sorry I am not up on molex names or specs).

They were in storage for two(2) years, but never used. I have charged them up and they all retain a charge.

$10 + $1.00 shipping. If you like the battery send the $ 11.00 later.

Lawrence NH6NJ

2825. WTT Collins exc WE 75S-3C with 3 Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <336E8534.1EB5CF39@mail.org>
Source record: 176109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have a beautiful Collins 75S-3C WE that I would like to trade for
Collins 32S-3A or RE 30L-1 or RE 30S-1 or Rockwell Collins KWM-2A or
FT-1000MP or KW-380 or HF-380. Tell me what you have for trade, and
we'll make a deal, but I only want "like new" condition trades. If your
trade is worth more than my 75S-3C, then I'll add cash or you can add
cash if your trade is a value less than my Collins receiver. Joe in
Roswell, GA

--------------1ED362206CFFC5A6DB87A325
Content-Type: text/x-vcard; charset=us-ascii; name="vcard.vcf"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Description: Card for Joe Balch
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="vcard.vcf"

begin:vcard

fn:Joe Balch

n:Balch;Joe

org:GlobalComm

email;internet:jb@mail.org

title:CEO

x-mozilla-cpt:;0

x-mozilla-html:TRUE

end:vcard

--------------1ED362206CFFC5A6DB87A325--
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2826. FS: CDE Ham-M rotator and control box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5kl7bp$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176110
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

CDE Ham-M rotator with old-style small control box
Optional mast-mounting adaptor included (not installed)
Physically in good condition with no obvious damage
Not tested electrically
Requires 8-conductor cable (not included)
NO MANUAL

Came from the garage of someone who had been a ham many
years ago whose license long-ago expired. I have no use
for it.

Make me an offer (I have no idea what it's worth).

I'd prefer a local pickup by someone in the Dallas / Fort
Worth area, but I will ship it if you wanna pay the cost!
It's a heavy bugger!

73,
Dean K5DH

2827. Mods; ADI 146

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <336ECC4D.1853@compuserve.com>
Source record: 176111

Anyone have the cap mod for the ADI 146 ?

tnx in advance

Tom aa2vk

2828. Re: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert A. Kile" <midnight@bighorn.accessnv.com>
Message-ID: <336EB1FD.4CCF@bighorn.accessnv.com>
Source record: 176112

It would seem that some sort of upgrade path would be logical for the IC-706 and for many other HF transceivers on todays market. In the case of the IC-706 however several boards would need changing. The PA, LPF, RF BPF, Control and display units to name a few.

It is unfortunate that the dwindling HF market could only sustain the original IC706 for a little over a year. A far cry from TS-520 and FT-101 days which carried for almost a decade.

I've suggested for a long time that manufactures should try improving upon good designs by releasing improved models with noticable changes and enhancements rather than complete new designs. The catch-22 is that with advancing technology it is more often cheaper to engineer a radio with new devices than to re-engineer a radio with no longer available components. Our equipment market is driven by consumer products which are here today gone tomorrow.

Bob Kile, KG7D

2829. Re: Kenwood 950S,850SAT For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <336e4072.377389@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 176113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 04 May 1997 21:39:17 -0700, "74364.207@compuserve.com"
<74364.207@compuserve.com> wrote:

>
>Kenwood 950S in excellent condition,mic,manual. $1300
>Kenwood 850SAT in excellent condition,mic,manual. $1100
>Kenwood SW2100 2KW Power SWR Meter $85.
>Kenwood IF 232 Computer Interface $75.
>E-Mail if interested.
****
I am interested.
Pse e-mail me ur LL.
aldel@ibm.net
Albert, Tnx

2830. Miniature AM Broadcast Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Plack <plack@calweb.com>
Message-ID: <336ED037.3BA3@calweb.com>
Source record: 176114

I need a small AM radio (or AM/FM) that either fits IN the ear (like a real small hearing aid) or one that hooks over the ear (the bulk of the radio behind the ear, w/an audio tube leading to the ear canal opening - like a large hearing aid). I want to be able to wear the radio without the "headset look" (just one earphone - unobtrusive). Only the AM band (560 - 1600 KHZ) is desired though AM/FM would be OK. I've been looking all over for such a radio, and I cannot find.

Any help?

2831. 50.400 AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <*SPAMSAVER*booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <336E4560.7DE1@pactitle.com>
Source record: 176115

Well it's time to get the AM gear warmed up.

Starting today I'll be out on 50.400 AM

I'll be on at 19:00-19:30 PDT Monday and Thurs.

If there is a opening around 16:00 PDT then I'll be
on as soon as I get home from work Mon - Fri!

Hope to hear from a lot of you.

I have received a lot of e-mail from all over the country
and Canada in full support of this test.

Be sure to check out my web page for current info.

http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

Also send me e-mail of your QSO's and I'll post them on my page!

73...

Dave Booth kc6wfs dm04rk
Yeasu 680R/ Marage 215G/ ARX6/ 5-elem
booth@pactitle.com

2832. Alinco DJ-S41T, 70cm HT, my first reactions.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <336ED550.639D@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176116

After reading all the past postings for the Alinco DJ-S41 HT, I saw that almost everyone was happy with their unit. The small size, light weight, and low cost were exactly what I was looking for. I hope that my sons will get their Ham License soon. If so, this is the radio I'm going to purchase for them.

Well, 2 days ago I went to the local Ham Radio Outlet and purchased a unit for me. The current price on this unit from HRO is $120. I assume that other stores will/are offer the unit at around the same price.

While I've only had the unit for just 2 days, I though I'd share my first thoughts about starting to use the unit.

With the 3 AA batteries, the DJ-S41T puts out about 1/3 of a watt of power. Before I started uning the unit, I worried that this won't be enough power. I'm happy to say that for my needs, 1/3 of a watt IS enough. I can hit a repeater up on the hill that's over 5 miles away. According to the signal reports, my signal is coming in 100% clean. I havn't had a chance to see how far I can go with it, but I'll try it out latter on. Today I did "hit" the same repeater from work. No one came back, so I can't say how good/bad my signal was; however the signal had to travel over 20 miles to trigger the repeater. Not bad for just 1/3 of a watt.

The audio output from the unit is VERY good. In general, small speakers don't produce a good sound, but this unit seems to be the exception to the rule.

The 1 page instruction manual is a bit thin <humor intended, but it's true>. That would be my main gripe, but Bill Ricker, N1VUX has written a better manual and posted it on the WEB. Here's the addres to this page:

http://world.std.com/~wdr/alinco.html

I live in the L.A. area where there's a lot of RF out there. My Radio Shack HTX-202 (2 M HT) ignores all the intermod noise; the Alinco DJ-S41T does not. This might have been a problem, except that I discovered that when I fold down the antenna, the sensitivity of the receiver is reduced. Thus, when the antenna is down, I don't have a problem with intermod noise. Yet the repeater's siganl is strong enough for me to pick it up.

I still have a lot of things to try with this unit, but so far, it's looking very good. Keep in mind that this is a unit that sells for $120, don't expect lots of features, like DTMF or PL for receive. If you're looking for a basic unit at a very low price, I give the Alinco DJ-S41T a thumbs up.

If you'd rather use 2M, ALinco has a unit, the DJ-S21T that sells for $120 at HRO. I saw the unit at the store. While I didn't try the 2M unit, it appears to be about the same as far as power, size and features as the DJ-S41T.

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

2833. Re: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5klnnm$fj7$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 176117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Great, now if I only had a copy of that magazine. Any ideas where I could get a copy? Thanks again, 73, Mike...

In article <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>, mmans@aeneas.net wrote:
>There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
>The article is titled "Design notes on a Panoramic Adapter/Spectrum
>Analyzer".
>73's,
>Mark

2834. Yaesu FT-50R Guide V 1.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <336d443b.44101023@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 176210

childers@garlic.com (Bill Childers) wrote:

:Introduction
:The Yaesu FT-50 is perhaps the most unique VHF/UHF Handheld
:manufactured today.

For the information of readers, nothing can be most unique, since
for an item to be unique there is only one. Thus unique can never
use a qualifier. If there is only one it is unique. If there are
two or more it is not unique at all.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

2835. re: modification amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: myrock2584@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505002900.UAA21789@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176211

Re: modification on FL7000 amplifier-need information regarding
modification on this amplifier to include 10=12 meter bands

Thanks for any information

2836. Azden PCS-4000 2M Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Umina <umina@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc58ee$adf66c80$a3647392@kirk.ultranet.com>
Source record: 176212

Anyone have info on this rig? I picked one up over the weekend at a flea market sans manual.

/Len

umina@ultranet.com

2837. Re: Kent keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nbargman@fullnet.net
Message-ID: <336d31a5.3220692@news.fullnet.net>
Source record: 176213

Tony T. Hwang <oolong@netcom.ca> wrote:

>Could someone direct me where I can get one of this?
>Is there a dealer in States who handles Kent products?
>TIA
>Tony, VE6CGX
>

Hi Tony.

They are distributed by:

R.A. Kent [Engineers]
P.O. Box 809
Mount Ida, Arkansas 71957-0809

Phone: 870.867.4550

That should get you one! I sure enjoy mine.

73, de Nate >>

Packet | KA0RNY @ KC5TKF.#NCOK.OK.USA.NOAM | "If wires can be
Internet | nbargman@fullnet.net | connected in two
Location | Enid, Oklahoma USA EM16bj | different ways,
View yet another web page at: | the first way
http://www.harvestcomm.net/personal/nbargman/index.htm | blows the fuse!"

2838. Low pass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb5mer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970505011201.VAA25294@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176214

Yes send info on 6 meter low pass filter
and price of filter.
Thanks JR

2839. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704048627.AA862795215@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 176215

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Today's Topics:
6 meter tansverter
Decision, Decision, Help
FOR SALE Kenwood TS-850SAT
FS: Heath Equipment
FS: Icom 728
FS: Yaesu FT-51R
FS Amp International LK-550ZC(SOLD)
FS Amp International LK-550ZC HF Amp
FS ICOM 775/DSP HF Transceiver (SOLD)
Heil proset 5 headset/microphone
IC-575h WANTED
IC-706 MK II Pricing
Illegal Transmission
Info Military Gear
Mobile HF homepage moved
Motorola MT1000 Help ????
New logbook software
New Yaesu Mobile Mods
Trade-New Heil Proset 5 headset/microphone for 2M amplifier.
Using FTV-250 with FT-890
Wanted - OLD Regency HR-2B or similar
Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?
WTB: Bencher paddles
WTB: Heath HD-8999
WTB: Icom 900 Mobile
Yaesu Ft-530 Mods.

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 18:48:27 GMT
From: necros@fishnet.net
Subject: 6 meter tansverter

I'm looking for a tranverter to convert a 10 meter rig for use on 6
meters. Does anyone konw of any kits or plans. Any information would
be appreciated.
Thanks
Gary Parks KE6RTY
necros@fishnet.net

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 20:50:39 GMT
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Subject: Decision, Decision, Help

Hello everyone.
With my recent retirement, getting back to
on the air more often now. I am in need of a
new HF base rig. Am looking at used Ten Tec
Omni V, Paragon and Icom IC-765. Just can't
make up my mind to pick one. Please help
me decide by responding privately. Or should
I plunge and buy a brand new radio such as
Yaesu FT-920 which is coming soon? My goal is
value for the money. Brand name or New don't
mean much to me. BTW, my main interest is CW DXing.
TIA es 73s
Tony, VE6CGX
Cow Town(Calgary, Alberta)
The Stampede City

Date: 4 May 1997 09:44:03 GMT
From: tony@shore.net (Tony)
Subject: FOR SALE Kenwood TS-850SAT

Hello,
I am selling my TS-850SAT in MINT condition, with matching
SP-31 speaker. I am original owner, non smoker. Unit has never been mobile
or left shack. Very little use.
Please make me a reasonable offer, would like to sell it before Dayton.
Call days 617-248-3957 eve 617-334-5770
Thanks
Tony, WA1MWN
Lynnfield, MA

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 22:21:07 GMT
From: hjm@totcon.com (H.J. Milo)
Subject: FS: Heath Equipment

> List of equipment FS.
>
> Heathkit:

> SB-1000 Amp. ..... $650 1200 pep Excelent cond.
> SB-220 Amp. ..... $625 80-10m 1500 + pep VG (clean)
>
> Heath Station:
> SB-401 Transmiter 80-10m 100w
> SB-303 Receiver 80-10m with 15AM
> SB-220 Amp. 80-10m 1500+ w. pep
> SB-600 Spk.
> HM-102 Wt.meter 200/2000w and SWR
> HD-1410 Keyer .. $1000 with Amp. / $400 without Amp. All in VG working/cosmetic cond.
This is a CLEAN station.
>
> Heath Receiver: SW-7800 .... $175 Excelent cond. 150-30 MHz. up&lo/cw am/wide,nar.
agc/f,s with s.meter
>
> Packet Stuff: Heath:
> 128 Commodre Comp. HD-4040 TNC
> 1541 Disk Drive HD-4040-1 tnc monitor
> 1702 Color Monitor HD-3006 Rtty, crossfire display ... $125 Excelent condition!
> 80 Magnovox Mono Monitor
> XL-800 Epson Printer $225
> with all cables & books, extras stuff.

> All this Equipment is in VG to Excelent working cond. With Manuals or
> copys of manuals. Will split cost of shipping.
> If instrested in this equipment let me know via E-Mail. Tnx HJ.

Date: 1 May 1997 17:44:56 GMT
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Subject: FS: Icom 728

Hello all,

I have a new in the box IC728, purchased in February, along with
the AT160 auto tuner, UI7 AM/FM module, and the FL100 500hz CW
filter.

This is a full featured 100W rig, 100Khz to 30Mhz, triple
conversion receiver, AM/FM/CW/SSB, passband tuning, speech
processor, programmable tuning steps, NB/PreAmp/Attenuator, the
works. All in a compact package.

I paid $1650, asking $1250.

All items are new, in the box, and complete.

Thanks es 73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6
drasmussen@eosintl.com
(619) 434-6135

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 14:27:21 -0700
From: "Ben P. Cook" <bcook@juno.com>
Subject: FS: Yaesu FT-51R

I'm looking to buy the new Icom 706MkII, so I'm selling my handheld. New one from HRO is $439.95 + tax, so I'm asking for $345.00 Radio is in excellent condition, nothing ever replaced (except for AA batteries!). Thanks!

-Ben Cook
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Ben Cook Paintball: Ham Radio:
bcook@juno.com Tag Team KE6YPF Tech.
San Jose,CA TIP#1763 Yaesu FT-51R

Date: 4 May 1997 20:48:33 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS Amp International LK-550ZC(SOLD)

The amplifier is sold. Tnx to all who responded.

Van, WB0NZV

Date: 4 May 1997 01:40:59 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS Amp International LK-550ZC HF Amp

C O R R E C T I O N
The LK-550ZC is a 10-160M HF Linear Amplifier that runs (3) 3-500Z tubes in the final. It has a separate Power Pac (Pac-5) utilizing a Peter Dahl Hypersil transformer, 3200Volts @ 1.75 Amps CCS. It features a full wave bridge rectifier, ALO Grid protection, Peter Dahl Filament transformer, fully adjustable tuned input, QSK, Jennings Vacuum relay and QUIET 2 speed fans. It is in "LIKE NEW" condition with a bound manual, shipping cartons, packing, etc.
The tubes are BRAND NEW AMPEREX 3-500ZG Graphites with less than 30 mins operating time on the, still have 10 months warranty; with documentation. 1500 Watts SSB, CW, SSTV, RTTY, 900 Watts AM continuous duty 24 HOURS A DAY. 1500++ is you want. Parts and Expertise are available from OMEGA Electronics if needed.
Price is $1750.00 plus shipping.
I'm selling because I seldom get on the air anymore, other interests. 73 de Van
WB0NZV

E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

Date: 4 May 1997 20:45:05 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS ICOM 775/DSP HF Transceiver (SOLD)

The amplifier is sold. Tnx to all who responded.

Van, WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 01:32:14 -0600
From: annen@execpc.com
Subject: Heil proset 5 headset/microphone

I have a brand new in the box Heil Proset 5 microphone/headset for sale.
I am sure you know the quality of this fine piece of equipment. Contains
the HC-5 microphone element. Plugs terminate in 1/4" headphone and 1/8"
microphone. Asking $105 or TRADE for----> AMP, TNC,or HT??

-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: 4 May 1997 19:12:42 GMT
From: "George Dakota" <9h1aa@usa.net>
Subject: IC-575h WANTED

Hi there,
I am looking for used ICOM transciever IC-575H. This is a 28/50Mhz Base
Station . Willing to pay shipping from anywhere in the world.Contact George
on e-mail address 9h1aa@usa.net

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 15:57:12 -0400
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 wrote:
>
> icom has already discontinued the 706 pricing to be similar to original unit
> --
> 73 de Steve
> KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC

I saw pricing at several Dealer Web sites to be $1350
Assume the price will drop $100 within the next year plus Icom may give
the Separation kit etc. for free to keep the product moving. The first
Hams who "HAVE TO BE FIRST" usually pay thru the nose and are the ones
with the "bugs" in the radios.

Date: 4 May 1997 22:33:24 GMT
From: "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>

Subject: Illegal Transmission

Matthew A. Erickson <kk5dr@io.com> wrote in article
<336BAC57.28CC@io.com>...
> Jim Band wrote:
> >
> > What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
> > report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
> >
> > Thanks in advance
> It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
> and nobody will do anything.
> This is the way ham radio is today.
>

Not ham radio, but the FCC.

But no big deal, really. In the big scheme of things in the government,
this really isn't a super priority...

Date: Fri, 02 May 1997 12:11:43 -0700
From: PACR CA FREQ MAN <freqman@jps.net>
Subject: Info Military Gear

Warren Weingarten wrote:
>
> I am posting for a fellow ham who wants info on:
> Hughs Aricraft Company
> RT-794A / PRC-74
> 2 - 12 MC
> Any info & source of Tech manuals would be appreciated.
>
> Warren Weingarten - W9VKG

Warren,

I hope the info below helps -
(http://telalink.net/~badger/millist/mi.html)

Gary D. Strawn
Travis AFB, CA

AN/PRC-74

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-12 MHz, SSB, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, variants AN/PRC-74B and AN/PRC-74C operate
2-18mHz, replaced
by AN/PRC-70, Hughes.

AN/PRC-74A

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-12 MHz, SSB/CW, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, variants AN/PRC-74B and AN/PRC-74C operate
2-18mHz, replaced
by AN/PRC-70, Hughes.

AN/PRC-74B

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-18 MHz, SSB/CW, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, replaced by AN/PRC-70, Hughes.

AN/PRC-74C

Radio set, Special Forces, 2-18 MHz, SSB/CW, 15w (PEP), 10.5-17VDC or
12-31VDC, or
110/220VAC, battery operated from 70 BA-30 or 10 BB-418/U mil-type
batteries, or from
PP-4514/PRC-74 supply, replaced by AN/PRC-70

Date: 4 May 1997 17:21:34 GMT
From: Jerry Decker N5RV <n5rv@gte.net>
Subject: Mobile HF homepage moved

Just an FYI to all in this newsgroup that the "N5RV's Mobile HF Home
Page" has moved to:

http://home1.gte.net/n5rv/

Thanks to all who visit and contribute!

73 de Jerry N5RV

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 00:37:49 -0400
From: Montbach & Bartlett <caspar@ziplink.net>
Subject: Motorola MT1000 Help ????

Rodney S Baker wrote:
>
> Milovanovic Dusan wrote:
> >
> > I need any information about MOTOROLA MT1000 HANDIE-TALKIE FM RADIO
> > (circuit diagram, manul, programing or anything...).
> >
> > Thanks & 73....
> >

> > e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu
> >
> > Dusan Milovanovic, YT1DL
> > e-mail: yt1dl@eunet.yu
>
> Contact your nearest Motorola dealer or service centre. The service
> manuals, programming leads and software are still available through
> Motorola's parts distribution network. They're not cheap. Over here the
> programming lead is about AUS$160, the software licence about AUS$640
> and the RIB (Radio Interface Box, basically just an RS232-TTL level
> converter) lists at around AUS$339. US prices should be about 25%
> cheaper.
>
> Of course, if you can find a pirated copy of the software and a copy of
> the RIB cct diagram (very easy to build on veroboard) then you'll be
> most of the way there. The programming lead will be the most important
> thing. It's pretty difficult to find the connectors for the top of the
> radio to make your own.
>
> --
> Rodney S Baker
> rsbaker@dedset.net.au
> "All wiyht...rho sritched mg kegtops awound???!!!

try this site
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Pines/9434/index.html
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Please note our new email address: caspar@ziplink.net

Date: 4 May 1997 22:57:35 GMT
From: "Sipke Wagenaar" <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Subject: New logbook software

May 5, 1997

Dear HAM,

In May we (FCB) will come with a new logbook programm for
IBM compatible computers. It's a programm with for example:

* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator
(new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch
towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till
the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the
past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
* Holds name, place, info about transceiver, antenna, distance,
angle, locator, etc. of the other radiostation
This info is available during your QSO

* Have a look. during the QSO, to other QSO's you've made
with this radiostation in the past
(You can scroll without leaving the present QSO)
* Have your logbook on the computer screen or print it.
* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the
programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide
(or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in
the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.
For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo
version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one
hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can
still use this first 100 QSO's) Of course you can make more
QSO's with the registrated copy.
The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the
English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you
want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)
You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends.
With your (demo) programm you can make a demo on diskette.
If you're interested, please do e-mail me at:

fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-
programm by internet (e-mail)

RECEIVE THE DEMO-VERSION FOR FREE (NO COSTS)
BY E-MAIL

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 22:45:18 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Subject: New Yaesu Mobile Mods

Jarrod Boehme wrote:
>
> I am looking for any mods for the:
>
> ft-3000m
> ft-8000r
> ft-8500
>
> I have found the MARS/CAP mods for the 8000 and 8500 at ftp.qrz.com.
>
> However, I can find no mods at all for the 3000. Anyone know of any
> or where to find them? Thanks in advance.
>
> PS anyone have an ft-3000? If so, do you like it?

>
> Jarrod Boehme KC5ZWD
>
> jboehme@tamu.edu
I've got a Yaesu radio and it works good without mods. Do you have poor
audio? Are there spurious emissions? Maybe you want to disable the TTP
until you use the PTT switch. If I'm not careful when I grab the
microphone, it sends a tone or two. Best of luck improving your radio
with mods, Brian.
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 16:51:07 -0600
From: annen@execpc.com
Subject: Trade-New Heil Proset 5 headset/microphone for 2M amplifier.

I have an unused Heil Proset-5 headphone/microphone set in original box
with manual that I would be willing to trade for a 2 meter mobile
amplifier. The headset has 1/4" and 1/8" plugs for phone/mic,
respectively. The amp must be in excellent condition and work properly.
Am also willing to trade for something else. Just Email me. Thank you!
- Matt Annen, KB9OIV annen@execpc.com

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 07:41:48 GMT
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: Using FTV-250 with FT-890

On 3 May 97 20:51:58 GMT, wlfuqu00@pop.UKy.EDU (William L. Fuqua III) wrote:
> I have a FTV-250 (2 meter transverter) that I want to use with my
>FT-890. Has anyone had any experience with using this transverter
>with a more modern transceiver. It requires a separate transmitter
>output and receiver input from the transceiver and also only needs
>milliwatts of drive.
> So far it seem that I need a relay, attenuator and connect up
>the ALC to the FT890. May also use the FT-890 tx exciter inhibit
>to prevent it from transmitting before the antenna relay has changed to the
>transmit position.

Bill, be *real* careful using ALC for power control. The power will spike up to
full output momentarily until the ALC can grab it. This will happen at the start
of every syllable in SSB. That could fry your transverter, or at least generate
some real nasty spurious products. The better course is to tap the radio at
an earlier stage to get the low drive power you need. You can disable drive
to the PA by either pulling drive or cutting B+ to the PA.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: 4 May 1997 09:45:45 GMT
From: tony@shore.net (Tony)
Subject: Wanted - OLD Regency HR-2B or similar

Looking for OLD two meter crystal controlled rig.
Must be in excellent working order and look pretty good.
Contact
Tony, WA1MWN
day 617-248-3957 eve 617-334-5770

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 22:55:44 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net.nospam>
Subject: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

Alan S. Raskind wrote:
>
> Does anyone know why there do not seem to be any mods for the Yaesu
> FT-8000R dual band radio. I almost looks like none exist. I can't
> believe that. Does anyone who has this radio actually have any mods
> that they have installed that worked, such as extended frequency
> coverage for cellphone, other than listening on images, or anything
> else?
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> 73's,
>
> Alan, WA6AQC
Alan, I'm going to forward your request to the FCC and the speaker of
the house (Newt). Perhaps they will lend a hand with your need for the
cellular mod. By the way, is that an AMATEUR EXTRA class license you're
sporting? Nope, itsa Tech Plus with a WA6??? WTF Over???
Brian/N0iMD
--
Brian Burke
(to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

Date: 4 May 1997 05:42:53 GMT
From: "Michael A. Copeland" <macope@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: WTB: Bencher paddles

New General Class ham would like to buy a Bencher paddlefor a reasonable
price. I'm not good enough yet to spend the bucks on a high dollar unit.
73
Mike KF4AUC

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 22:23:33 GMT
From: hjm@totcon.com (H.J. Milo)
Subject: WTB: Heath HD-8999

Found one, Thanks to all that e-mailed info. HJ.
>Looking for a Heathkit HD-8999 CW keyboard in good working/cosmetic
>condition with manuals. If you have this equipment please e-mail.
>Thanks HJ.

Date: Sun, 4 May 1997 18:11:57 GMT
From: rjb@cybernex.net (rjb)
Subject: WTB: Icom 900 Mobile

Wanted: Icom 900 Mobile
With whatever bands you have for it.
Please leave price and what comes with it, through e-mail.
Rich

Date: 4 May 1997 16:07:05 GMT
From: "Jim Gerke" <jgerke@why.net>
Subject: Yaesu Ft-530 Mods.

BE CAREFUL with mods for the FT-530!

According to mod info I got from Yaesu last year, there are THREE DIFFERENT
mods for the 530. Each is applicable to a different group of serial
numbers.

Mod 1 is for S/N's xx14xxxx thru xx23xxxx
Expanded RX -- 110 - 180, 300 - 500
Expanded TX -- 130 - 180, 400 - 471

Consists of removing the solder from pad 13

Mod 2 is for S/N's xx24xxxx thru xx30xxxx
Expanded RX -- same as Mod 1
Expanded TX -- same as Mod 1

Consists of cutting the green wire which jumpers pad 13

Mod 3 is for S/N's xx33xxxx thru xx43xxxx
Expanded RX -- 110 - 177, 300 - 510
Expanded TX -- 130 - 177, 400 - 470

Consists of:
Removing solder from pads 1 & 3
Cutting green wire which jumpers pad 13
Jumper (add solder) to pads 4 & 5
(jumpers 4, 5, 6, 8, 11, & 15 are
now installed)

All three mods require you to press and hold both arrow keys while turning
on the radio.

These were taken from "The Yaesu Book", Number 4, (a booklet containing
nothing but mods for Yaesu radios) dated May, 1996, which I obtained from
Yaesu at a major hamfest in mid-1996.

Although these mods may also allow you to tune the 800 MHz range, later
versions of the 530 did not have the RF components necessary to receive 800
installed in them. Even though 800 might show up on your dial, these later
radios cannot actually receive up there. And besides, you're not supposed
to do that anyway.

Have fun.

73, Jim, KC5OA

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #485
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Sun, 04 May 97 21:04:49 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wOCE9-0009epC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sun, 4 May 1997 21:06:05 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id VAA25000; Sun, 4 May 1997 21:06:05 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma024997; Sun, 4 May 97 21:05:39 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id QAA14374 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Sun, 4 May
1997 16:52:04 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id QAA28276
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 4 May 1997 16:28:29 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id QAA28246
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 4 May 1997 16:28:25 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705042328.QAA28246@noc.ucsd.edu>

Date: Sun, 4 May 97 16:28:23 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #485
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2840. ATLANTA RADIO CLUB'S HAMFESTIVAL JUNE 21-22 1997

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rychard@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5kjd93$i9@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176216

THE 69TH ANNUAL ATLANTA RADIO CLUB'S HAMFESTIVAL

The Atlanta Radio Club's Hamfestival on June 21-22,1997 is
the Southeast's premier hamfest.This hamfest is brought to you
by the Atlanta radio club,with the help of many of the local
radio clubs here in the metro atlanta area.This is our club's
69th annual hamfest,and with your attendance we hope it will be
our biggest and best to date.
This years event on June 21-22,1997 will be held at the
Atlanta City Hall East-Exhibition Center,675 Ponce de Leon Ave.This is
the same great site as last year's hamfest,which is near the downtown
area,and very easy to get to,and plenty of free parking.
On the days of the hamfest,we will be usings our clubs repeater
(W4DOC 146.82 Mhz minus 600Khz offset) on top of the Nations Bank for
talk-in.This repeater is used every Sunday night 8:00 pm for the
Atlanta Radio Club's net.If you are in the area your presence on the
net is welcomed.
For much more information about our Club and Hamfest plese check
out our web page at http://www.saf.com/arc.The club's BBS at
770-850-0546 has a lot of info also, or send email to dickb@akorn.net
our regular address is ATLANTA HAMFESTIVAL
P.O. BOX 942150,Atlanta Ga. 31141-2150
No matter what your interest in the radio hobbies are,you will find
you came to the right place.Amateur Radio,Shortwave radio,Scanners,
Satellite radio,Emergency radio,Marine radio,Military surplus
radios,etc.AM,FM,SSB,CW,PACKET,RTTY,SLOWSCAN,FAX,DX,ATV,AMTOR,EME,whatever
your interest this is the place to be.If your into building or
homebrewig equipment,radio or computer this is the place to find those
hard to find parts and gizmos.
The computer hobbies are doing better than ever and these interest
will be well covered at the Hamfest.
Buying,Selling,Trading,Swapping,Dealing,Bartering,Giving will all
be happening at the hamfest,probably some begging also.Whether your
coming with money to buy,a load of goods to sell,or just looking
around this is going to be a great hamfest.

The Atlanta Radio club has our regular meetings the first Thursday
of each month.These meetings are at 7:30 PM,located at the Georgia
Power Fedral Credit Union, 4900 Ashford-Dunwoody Rd.this is near the
I-285 loop on the north side of the city.
The Atlanta Radio Club is a non-profit organization wishing to
promote Amateur radio to all interested.
Our club president is Bill Bass W4LFC ph# 770-493-8438,his email
address is BillW4LFC@juno.com ,our vice-president is John Talipsky,Jr
KA4VQH ph#770-925-7110 his email address is johnka4vqh@juno.com ,our

club Secretary is Penn McClatchey K4PE ph#404-605-0742 his email is pmm@saf.com our Treasurer is Charles Golsen N4TZM ph#404-252-3303 his email address is cgolsen@atlanta.com ,our clubs activities manager is myself Richard Dean Young KR4IU ph#404-622-8433 my email address is rychard@atl.mindspring.com ,the opinions expressed are my own and are probably bias due to my love of the radio hobbies.
Hope to see you at the hamfest soon.
Richard Dean Young KR4IU
rychard@atl.mindspring.com

2841. HG-10B VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bc58f4$87aa9820$3506a3cd@bwallace.cts.com>
Source record: 176217

Looking for HG-10B in excellent to mint condition to go with HW-16.

Thanks,

Ben -- WB8HUR

2842. FT-990 computer control for Windows95

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: medcalf@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <336e7e6b.10397130@news.lakes.com>
Source record: 176027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you're looking for a Windows 95/WindowsNT program to control your Yaesu FT-990 radio, I've decided to offer my MasterControl 990 as shareware. The features are noted on my MasterControl 990 home page at http://prairie.lakes.com/~medcalf/

You'll need an RS-232 to TTL adapter to talk to the FT-990, and one available COM port on your computer (the program supports COM 1 through COM 9). The shareware registration is only $25.00 and I'll be happy to consider all suggestions for improvements from registered users.

73, Karl - WK5M
<medcalf@prairie.lakes.com>

2843. Help with moto programming...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hillgen@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <5km0fe$q7c@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 176028

No, this isn't another one of those requests for bootleg software....
I need a little help programming a Moto Saber VHF. The radio is
quoted as having a 148-174 bandsplit and the RSS will allow
programming to 147, however I'm looking for a way to get down to 144.
I've been told that the code created by the RSS could be edited to
allow out of band operation. Can anybody shed some light on this?
How it's done. Does it work? Are there any other ways of achieving
the same goal? Any and all information appreciated!
Thanks!
Jay

2844. WTB:Icom IC-761 or Kenwood TS-940S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970506012001.VAA23013@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176029

I'm interested in purchasing a Icom IC-761 late serial # (preferrable above 3000) or a Kenwood 940S/AT. The radio must be in ABSOLUTELY MINT condition with factory boxes, manuals, etc. If you wish to sell one of these that meet these requirements, Contact Van, WB0NZV at: wb0nzv@aol.com

73 de Van

2845. FS OR SWAP ICOM Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: DICK BURKE <dburke1@tiac.net>
Message-ID: <01bc59bb$7e19aea0$03673ccf@default>
Source record: 176030

LOOKING TO SWAP AN ICOM Z1A FOR A YAESU FT-50.ANY INTEREST PLEASE EMAIL
ME.THANKS
--
DICK BURKE
FROM THE HOME OF THE REAL FISHERMEN!!

2846. Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpasquini@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970506042200.AAA08098@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176031

I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this situation (bad pun intended)? <g>

This thing is just too heavy to send back to get repaired, and I'd like to do the repair myself if anyone else has any thoughts or suggestions. Perhaps this problem has already occurred to someone else?

Thanks in advance, and 73 de

Joe, N2NOU

2847. Syntor Mute Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: U M Edwards <lumway@atl.mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <336EE236.2646@atl.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176032

I have a 2 meter Syntor X that is muted by the microprocessor. The "Mute" line is held low by an I/O chip controlled by the micro. The rig is putting out power on the right frequency so I'm 99% sure that it also on rec. freq. correctly. There is a green 3x3" or so PC board that is mounted as an accessory. It has a bunch of leads plugging into the red personality board.

The radio just sits there mute.

Anyone know how to wake up this beast?

Lum WA4BPY lumway@mindspring.com

2848. FS:giveawayprice Yaesu FT-840, MFJ antenna & paddle-keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tabbyf@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970506052401.BAA12568@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176033

The following are brand new (used once to check if it works).
I'm selling it since I can't use it where I currently stay. Its a giveaway
price and I doubt it if you can ever find anyone selling these eqpt at
this low price for a brand new eqpt.

Yaesu FT-840 $625.00 All mode HF
MFJ-422C $106.00 Bencher paddle w/ electronic keyer.
MFJ-621 $65.00 Portable HF antenna w/ tuner and field strenght meter.

If interested please e-mail me at tabbyf@aol.com

2849. Icom IC-2000H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7qn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970506053600.BAA13340@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176034

I have an Icom IC-2000H for sale. The radio is 3 months old and never mobile. It has the optional UT-101 and comes with the HM-95 DTMF microphone. It is as new with box , manual, etc.

I will ship it out for $250(will negotiate on price some)

E-mail response to N7QN@aol.com
Thanks.73.
Mark.

2850. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Ho <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <336ECACF.8DE@one.net>
Source record: 176035
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael Melland wrote:
> =

> Just for your info. I just received my license and passed to Tech Plus
> two weeks ago.... I used Code Quick and was very hapy with it ! I will=

> be upgrading to General this summer (I hope) and continue to review the=

> tapes and use their "steppers". While some of the material seems "over=

> simplified".... DO IT ! It really worked for me. I've been told that
> once you pass your exam at 5 to 7 wpm the best thing to boost your spee=
d
> further (not to mention your interest) is to get on the air and use it
> ! Thats what I plan to do ! If I can be of any help to you just drop
> me an email !
> =

> 73 de KB9QHU
> =

> Mike

Mike:

Congratulations to your successful upgrade! I just like to throw in my
1 cent worth of opinion to code drilling. Although some people will
take =

the code issue very personally, I don=92t mean to convince anyone to =

agree with me anyway. After all, this is a newsgroup on the internet.

Back to the subject. I didn=92t use any tape at all when learning code;
instead,
I used the "Super Menu Driven Memory Keyer" from MFJ. I figured that it
would be more cost effective to get a piece of hardware as part of my
station
build up. Computer software and tapes can only serve one single purpose =

and are not all that flexible. Moreover, I can connect the Memory Keyer
to =

my computer and I have an instant computer program for me to verify text =

copied. I can customize my passage and words to drill on, especially =

those punctuation marks. On the investment side, the keyer (or
equipment =

alike) has better resale value than tape or software. =

Anyway, I used the thing to get myself from General, Advance, to Extra
in =

3 months. Although it was a little clumsy, I brought it along
everywhere I =

went. Forget about "Morning Edition", "All Things Considered", and my =

favorite audio tapes. I boosted my code speed from 0 to 25 WPM in =

conjunction with listening on HF and WA1W, in a matter of 3 months! It =

took me one shot on the first 20 WPM test and the rest was just plan =

studying.

I use the MFJ box as a station identifier on VHF (yes you can program
the
box to transmit your callsign every 10 minutes), at times, I use it as a =

beacon generator on HF as well. When I am lazy, I use my computer
to transmit CW via the box. =

Anyway, good luck to your venture in your advanced tickets. =

Best 73!

De AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
David Ho
davidho@one.net

2851. FS: Yaesu FTV-901R transverter w 2m/6m/70cm modules

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336ECDCF.41B7@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176036

I have a Yaesu FTV-901R transverter with 2m and the optional 6m and 70cm modules in it. This unit works with Yaesu FT-901 and probably FT-902 rigs. Could probably be used on any 10m rig. Has offsets switch for FM repeaters and Oscar satellite modes (2m up/10 down etc). It is in original box with manual and all schematics. Physically it looks new inside and out. Not a scratch. I am selling it "AS IS" due to the fact it needs some work. I noticed on 2m the receive is very weak but xmit looks ok. On 6m has low output (5 watts) not sure about recv I don't have a 6m antenna. Never tried the 70cm module. I sold my 901 station and never had a reason to try to fix it since. Not sure if it is dirty relay/alignment or part tbl.
These units are very hard to find. Will sell the whole thing for $250.00 which includes shipping in Continental USA. One module is worth that much. It is really a "Mint" unit.

73's
Bob

2852. Kenwood AT-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7qn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970506052900.BAA12943@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176037

I have a Kenwood AT-450 for sale. This unit is for the TS-450S and
TS-690S. It is new in the box and was never installed. I got this with
the idea of going mobile with my 690 but never did. I opened the box and
looked at it but never installed it.
I paid $250 plus tax(bought it locally).
I will ship it out for $225 and if someone is really serious I'll neotiate
on price.

E-mail response to N7Qn@aol.com
Thanks. 73.
Mark.

2853. FS: FV-901DM and SP-901P

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336EC319.7E71@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176038

YAESU 901 station accessories

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo (has up/dwn scan and 40 memory channels).
This unit is in new condition with orig box/manuals. Perfect not a
scratch. $240.00 including shipping continental USA.

Also for sale a SP-901P. This is the speaker/phone patch for the 901
series Yaesu. Comes with manual and orig box. It is also in new
condition. Price is $90.00 including shipping continental USA.

73's
Bob

2854. FS: New Bencher RJ-1 key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336EDC54.4DA7@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176039

I have a new in the box Bencher RJ-1 straight key for sale.
It is in perfect condition. Price is $55.00 including shipping.

73's
Bob

2855. HELP No2 : IC706 CW-R mode : Adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Malezet Jean-Pierre <f6flv@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <336F2CD8.6ADA@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 176040

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Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment
******************************

paul knapton wrote:
>
> On 29 Apr 97 13:38:56 GMT, in rec.radio.amateur.equipment you wrote:
>
> >Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment
> >******************************
> >
> >I have some trouble (CW-R mode only) with my IC706.
> >
> >With the CW (not -R) mode, I can listen very well LSB stations.
> >
> >But with the CW-R mode, I listen USB stations very badly and very weak :
> >The audiofrequency is very deep. If I try to listen a clear carrier, I
> >get 2 listening frequencies.
> >
> >So, my CW-R mode seems to be out of adjustment.
> >
> >Can anyone give me the component I have to adjust ?
> >And where is it on the board ? (Which board ?)
> >I do not have the technical manual.
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >mailto:f6flv@wanadoo.fr
> >my Home Page : http://perso.wanadoo.fr/f6flv/index.htm
> >
> >--
> >
> >
> >
> Hi Jean
> I have a ic706 mk1 and i am a keen CW op....
> My radio functions just like you have discribed...
> This has bothered me for some time...
> Is this two radio's with the same fault or is this
> how they are?????????
> If you get any clever answers could you forward
> them on to me please jean.....
> All the very best de Paul // M0AIA...

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So Paul, I dont have the solution now !
Don't worry about it, it is just an adjustment to do,
but what to do ?
Can somebody tell us please ?

Jean-Pierre Malezet
mailto:f6flv@wanadoo.fr

2856. Help Ft726

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eigil Hansen <eigil@post5.tele.dk>
Message-ID: <336EE1E2.7FBA@post5.tele.dk>
Source record: 176041

I need a display for my Yaesu FT726 . Hope somebody can help me .Please
E-mail me : eigil@post5.tele.dk
Tnx Eigil OZ1CSI

2857. More Alinco DR-570T memory channels?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: pchow@cisco.com
Message-ID: <5kmh0m$3mv$1@cronkite.cisco.com>
Source record: 176042

Anyone knows whether I can add more memory channels to this rig?

Thanks & 73,
N6YD/Peter

2858. IC-706 WEb pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: zs6awk <zs6awk@global.co.za>
Message-ID: <5kmqqq$dih@osprey.global.co.za>
Source record: 176043

Are there any IC-706 usergroups/webpages/modifications ideas ? (apart from the normal ICOM webpages)

Danie zs6awk

2859. FS: Tek 2225 50 Mhz O-SCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: fa419@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <5kn3a5$qb3@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 176044

For Sale:

Tektronix 2225 50 Mhz Oscilloscope with two probes

Perfect working condition

$300.00 + shipping, firm

2860. Re: Mods; ADI 146

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Spillett <ka2ctn@no-spam.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5a0c$d8bcf1e0$832a86d0@dave.st-camillus.org>
Source record: 176045

All the ADI mods are at:

http://members.aol.com/adiradio/

It's easy!

Dave - ka2ctn@ix.netcom.com

TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com> wrote in article
<336ECC4D.1853@compuserve.com>...
>
> Anyone have the cap mod for the ADI 146 ?
>
> tnx in advance
>
> Tom aa2vk
>

2861. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704068629.AA862916757@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 176046

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Today's Topics:
!WTB: YAESU FV-102DM DIGITAL REMOTE VFO
ATLANTA RADIO CLUB'S HAMFESTIVAL JUNE 21-22 1997
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FS: Heath HW-32 20m SSB monoband xcvr
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Old Hartman Transceiver info needed.
Please answer this question
Question with Icom V68
RS DUAL BAND RECALL!!!!
SX-99 Schematic Needed
TS-850s power question
TS 570 INFO WANTED
WTB Sony ICF 2010

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Mon, 05 May 97 20:31:11 GMT
From: wb6elm@juno.com (Rubin Thornton)
Subject: !WTB: YAESU FV-102DM DIGITAL REMOTE VFO

Hi there,
I am seriously looking for the matching remote Digital VFO(FV-102DM)for the
YAESU FT-102 HF transceiver.

Rubin
wb6elm@juno.com

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 00:24:30 GMT
From: rychard@atl.mindspring.com (Richard Dean Young)
Subject: ATLANTA RADIO CLUB'S HAMFESTIVAL JUNE 21-22 1997

THE 69TH ANNUAL ATLANTA RADIO CLUB'S HAMFESTIVAL

The Atlanta Radio Club's Hamfestival on June 21-22,1997 is
the Southeast's premier hamfest.This hamfest is brought to you
by the Atlanta radio club,with the help of many of the local
radio clubs here in the metro atlanta area.This is our club's
69th annual hamfest,and with your attendance we hope it will be
our biggest and best to date.
This years event on June 21-22,1997 will be held at the
Atlanta City Hall East-Exhibition Center,675 Ponce de Leon Ave.This is
the same great site as last year's hamfest,which is near the downtown
area,and very easy to get to,and plenty of free parking.
On the days of the hamfest,we will be usings our clubs repeater
(W4DOC 146.82 Mhz minus 600Khz offset) on top of the Nations Bank for
talk-in.This repeater is used every Sunday night 8:00 pm for the
Atlanta Radio Club's net.If you are in the area your presence on the
net is welcomed.
For much more information about our Club and Hamfest plese check
out our web page at http://www.saf.com/arc.The club's BBS at
770-850-0546 has a lot of info also, or send email to dickb@akorn.net
our regular address is ATLANTA HAMFESTIVAL
P.O. BOX 942150,Atlanta Ga. 31141-2150
No matter what your interest in the radio hobbies are,you will find
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Satellite radio,Emergency radio,Marine radio,Military surplus
radios,etc.AM,FM,SSB,CW,PACKET,RTTY,SLOWSCAN,FAX,DX,ATV,AMTOR,EME,whatever
your interest this is the place to be.If your into building or
homebrewig equipment,radio or computer this is the place to find those
hard to find parts and gizmos.
The computer hobbies are doing better than ever and these interest
will be well covered at the Hamfest.
Buying,Selling,Trading,Swapping,Dealing,Bartering,Giving will all
be happening at the hamfest,probably some begging also.Whether your
coming with money to buy,a load of goods to sell,or just looking
around this is going to be a great hamfest.

The Atlanta Radio club has our regular meetings the first Thursday
of each month.These meetings are at 7:30 PM,located at the Georgia
Power Fedral Credit Union, 4900 Ashford-Dunwoody Rd.this is near the
I-285 loop on the north side of the city.
The Atlanta Radio Club is a non-profit organization wishing to
promote Amateur radio to all interested.
Our club president is Bill Bass W4LFC ph# 770-493-8438,his email
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myself Richard Dean Young KR4IU ph#404-622-8433 my email address is rychard@atl.mindspring.com ,the opinions expressed are my own and are probably bias due to my love of the radio hobbies.
Hope to see you at the hamfest soon.
Richard Dean Young KR4IU
rychard@atl.mindspring.com

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 20:41:13 -0700
From: WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com>
Subject: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Mike Kraml wrote:
>
> Hello All:
> Here I go again, wanted, to either build or buy (used) a panadapter for my
> scope. I believe Kenwood's number is BS-8. If anyone knows how to simply
> build on, please, fill me in!!!! Thanks in advance, 73, Mike - WQ0N

When you find out how let me know.

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 07:50:59 -0500
From: Mark Mansfield <mmans@aeneas.net>
Subject: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
The article is titled "Design notes on a Panoramic Adapter/Spectrum Analyzer".
73's,
Mark

Date: 1 May 1997 02:41:40 GMT
From: rlucch2098@aol.com (RLucch2098)
Subject: FS-TENTEC 540 w/supply

Hi All;
I have for SALE: TENTEC 540 XCVR, analog, w/matching supply with ammeter on the front. No manual, have a hand mike, Some ares have been re-stenciled on the front panel but otherwise the radio is fine w/full power out,
Price is $215-shipped UPS CONUS.
Thanks es 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@AOL.COM

Date: 5 May 1997 18:02:33 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: FS: CDE Ham-M rotator and control box

For Sale:

CDE Ham-M rotator with old-style small control box
Optional mast-mounting adaptor included (not installed)
Physically in good condition with no obvious damage
Not tested electrically
Requires 8-conductor cable (not included)
NO MANUAL

Came from the garage of someone who had been a ham many
years ago whose license long-ago expired. I have no use
for it.

Make me an offer (I have no idea what it's worth).

I'd prefer a local pickup by someone in the Dallas / Fort
Worth area, but I will ship it if you wanna pay the cost!
It's a heavy bugger!

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: 5 May 1997 18:20:42 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: FS: Heath HW-32 20m SSB monoband xcvr

For Sale:

Heathkit HW-32 20m SSB monoband transceiver, 14.200 - 14.350 MHz USB.
Physically in good shape, very little wear on the front panel.
Electrically, it's basically functional (I made a contact on it).
Needs three tubes I donn't have on hand (one each 6BE6, 6EB8, 12AT7).
All other tubes have been tested and are good (including driver and PAs).
No modifications that I can spot (had a BNC installed on rear panel,
which I removed, leaving an empty hole, but that was all I found).

Original manual, power supply cable, and a non-matching mic included.

This rig WILL require some work, but it is basically functional.
Consider it to be a "project radio". It is NOT for the beginner!

Requires one of these Heathkit power supplies (NOT included!):
PS-10, PS-20, HP-13, HP-23, HP-23A, HP-23B

Or build your own, with these requirements:
+800 vdc @ 250 mA
+250 vdc @ 100 mA
-135 vdc @ a few mA
12.6 vac @ 3.75 A

Price is $50. Buyer pays shipping (15 lbs from 75065).

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: 5 May 1997 18:06:44 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter

For Sale:

E.F.Johnson 1 KW low-pass filter for HF use.
Has SO-239 input and output connections.
Tubular aluminum housing about 12" long x 3" diameter.

Price $20.00 plus shipping.

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: 4 May 1997 10:55:31 GMT
From: aknittle@aol.com (AKnittle)
Subject: HRO's catalog of LIES!

Next time HRO should charge him $5 and send it surface.

By the time he gets it, he'll be SK with no complaints.

HRO is FB store.

Date: Sun, 4 May 1997 20:24:00 GMT
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford)
Subject: HTX-202 error 2

>>Common problem, the Radio Shack does not like the hight voltage.
>>There is a regulation for the top 12 volt input but the bottom has
>>little to nothin...

This does not in any way address the original poster's ERROR 2
problem.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

Date: Thu, 01 May 1997 04:28:20 GMT
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net (Gary Fiber)
Subject: IC-28 CTCSS Board??

On Wed, 30 Apr 1997 04:33:58 GMT, gfiber@news.cmc.net (Gary Fiber)
wrote:

>On 30 Apr 1997 01:56:16 GMT, "Rob Bailey" <wm8s@pobox.com> wrote:
>
>>
>>A friend asked me if I could find a CTCSS board for his IC-28 but I can't
>>even see where one was ever offered. Will we have to go "after market"
>>(e.g., ComSpec, etc.), or did ICOM offer a board? He says the manual makes
>>no reference to one.
>>
>>Thanks!
>>
>>Rob, wm8s@pobox.com
>>City of Charleston WV RACES
>I think the board was the UT-28, always get it confused with the ICOM
>DCS board for the radio. The IC-28 would only decode CTCSS in Simplex
>and only encode CTCSS in Duplex. No mod to get the radio to decode in
>duplex. though you could encode in simplex by setting the radio into
>duplex and adjusting the offset to zero MHz.
>
>gary
>THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
>MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion
>
Change that board number to UT-29.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

Date: 1 May 1997 03:46:50 GMT
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com (Rodney Wallberg)
Subject: Illeagal Transmission

Same type of thing happened to me a few years back. I was monitoring on
scan on my two meter base and it stopped on 52 simplex. I stopped the
scan and listened but no one ever gave their call sign. Now this has
happened before but this time I heard it so I got in to my car and
monitored from there,
I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected
the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and
could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were
transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not
once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who
they were.
This does happen from time to time but what to do???
73 Rod

Date: 5 May 1997 21:39:21 GMT
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder)
Subject: Old Hartman Transceiver info needed.

I would like to know about a Hartman Marine Model 3059 tube
Radio Telephone transceiver. It looks very old but don't have
any dates in mind. Looks old and I was told very rare.

The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel
marine transceiver but receives the AM broadcast band from
550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks
on the AM dial.

Can someone fill me in on this radio and or the Hartman Company.

Radio looks like a table top radio with four feet on the bottom,
this is not a rackmounted type radio.

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 14:43:00 GMT
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: Please answer this question

On Fri, 02 May 1997 18:29:24 GMT, "Paul Jordan" <jordan@santanet.com> wrote:
>I've read where operators will have a base station at home set to a desired
>frequency and have the ctcss decoder installed and set. When someone
>tunes to that frequency and keys in the specific tones, the decoder will
>sense the tones and open up the squelch on the radio, allowing the
>transmission to be heard.
>
>Say I have my base station set up (or scanner for that matter) turned on at
>home so I can contact my wife. But, she doesn't want to hear all the other
>garbage all day. Well, when I want to talk to her, I turn my radio on to
>the desired frequency, key it up and key in my access code to my decoder on
>the base station (Kind of like dialing a 4 digit phone number). That done,
>I call my wifes call sign and she'll hear the radio and answer me.

That's different. That is DTMF signaling. CTCSS is use of a continous
subaudible tone to open the squelch of the intended receiver.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: 2 May 1997 00:47:45 GMT
From: "Eric Bouchard" <bouch@videotron.ca>
Subject: Question with Icom V68

73 Everybody

I want to know if the V68 cant do repeater shift and if the case how to do
it. The thin manual with the radio do not tell a lot

Eric Bouchard
VA2PTC from Qu&#65533;bec, Canada

Date: 05 May 1997 10:06:21 -0600
From: Thomas Russo <russo@slug.swcp.com>
Subject: RS DUAL BAND RECALL!!!!

[Crossposted between rec.radio.scanner and rec.radio.amateur.equipment because the original article was on the former but it seems to be more of interest to the latter. Followups set accordingly.]

"N9MSS" <n9mss@htc.net> writes:

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> The FCC pulled type acceptance of the ADI AT-600. I was informed by
> AES on 4-30-97 that they were not shipping any AT-600's and that they
> would put me on a waiting list for this rig. They didn't know how long
> before
> the situation would be resolved with the FCC. So it appears that this goes
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> along with the Radio Shack recall of the HTX-204.
>
> Bob N9MSS

Since I had a hard time finding any substantiation of this from the FCC's website I wrote to the folks at Premier and asked them to confirm this. Here's their reply, which should quiet the rumors for a few minutes, I hope:

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Message-Id: <1.5.4.32.19970505150737.00678c24@netsol.net>
X-Sender: ko6ux@netsol.net (Unverified)
Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 08:07:37 -0700
To: Thomas Russo <russo@swcp.com>
From: ko6ux@netsol.net (netsol,ywac)
Subject: Re: Claim of FCC action seen on usenet. Truth?
Cc: premier@adi-radio.com

At 10:03 AM 5/2/97 -0600, Thomas Russo wrote:
>
>I saw a post on the USENET group rec.radio.scanner which made the claim that
>an Amateur Electronics Supply salesperson had told the poster that the FCC had
>pulled type-acceptance for the ADI AT-600, and that the radio was therefore
>unavailable for the moment.
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>I have been unable to substantiate this claim by checking the FCC web site,
>which lists their daily actions. Can you confirm or deny that the AT-600 is
>in fact having legal problems like this? Are the AT-600s still shipping, and
>if so, is FCC type-approval in any sort of question?

There is absolutely no truth to the claim that the FCC has taken any legal action against either PREMIER Communications or ADI. The U.S. version of

the AT-600 is perfectly legal in this country. Neither the receiver type acceptance nor the importing certificate for the radio have been pulled by the FCC. The AT-600 continues to be imported.

This confusion began last month when we began to enounter some CPU trouble with some of the AT-600s we had shipped (one of the batches of CPUs the factory had bought was found to be defective). We asked our dealers to perform a limited recall of the radio so we could check each for one of the defective CPUs.

Our limited recall closely followed the removal of the HTX-204 by Radio Shack, but the two events are, to my knowledge, completely unrelated. One of the AES salesmen has been telling customers that the radios lost their type acceptance, but this is untrue. I was at the AES SuperFest show over the weekend, and I encountered that same salesman then. I spoke to the management of AES (who never told their salespeople that the recall was because of FCC legal problems) and the problem has been corrected. No one there will be spreading that disinformation again.

>Thank you for your time, I'm sorry if you're flooded with this sort of query
>right now. There's a lot to be said for the quick spread of information by
>USENET, but there's also a lot of misinformation out there, too.
>
>Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/

You are quite correct, Tom. The Internet is a good tool for disseminating information quickly, but is also a great way for rumors, misinformation, and lies to spread rapidly. As always, the information is only as good as its source.

By the way, below is some information on the AT-600 / HTX-204 straight from the PREMIER Communications FAQ that is on our webpage. This is the company's official stand on the situation.

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Q: Didn't you make the HTX-204 for Radio Shack?
A: ADI Communications Corporation manufactured the HTX-204 handheld for Radio Shack. However, PREMIER Communications has nothing to do with this arrangement. Both PREMIER and Radio Shack bought their radios from the same factory, nothing more. PREMIER does not offer any technical support for the HTX-204.

Q: What's the difference between the AT-600 and the HTX-204?
A: The two radios are indeed very similar. However, the AT-600 has a number of features that the Radio Shack does not, including wired cloning, PC programmable, auto power on, programmable VFO range, battery voltage indicator, DTMF decode, and 200 memories in non-alphanumeric mode (as opposed to 120 for the Radio Shack version).

Q: Are accessories for the AT-600 compatible with the HTX-204?
A: Generally, yes. The radios both use the same batteries and chargers, and the same microphone and speaker wiring schemes. Since both radios are

physically similar they also can use the same protective leather cases.

Q: Why did Radio Shack recall the HTX-204 and how does the recall affect the availability of the AT-600?
A: PREMIER Communications has no knowledge of why Radio Shack recalled the HTX-204. Officially, they claimed that they were "concerned that the radio could be used for illegal purposes." What their exact concerns were is anyone's guess.
Some of the initial AT-600s did have some minor CPU problems. It is possible that Radio Shack recalled the HTX-204 because of some related problems, but it seems unlikely. The recall does not affect future shipments of the AT-600. There have been some minor delays on ADI's production line, but production is proceeding at full speed.
It is not known whether Radio Shack will be reintroducing the HTX-204.

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Ken Collier, KO6UX
Marketing Director / 'Net Rep
PREMIER Communications
(909) 869-5711
<ko6ux@netsol.net>

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Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/
I asked my landlady how old she is and she wouldn't tell me. 'That's OK,' I says, 'I'll just wait until you go to sleep tonight then I'll cut you in half and count the rings.'... The cops didn't think it was funny, neither. -- Bug-Eyed Earl

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Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 13:22:48 GMT
From: tkacpura@dinah.lerc.nasa.gov
Subject: SX-99 Schematic Needed

I am in need of the schematic for a Hallicrafters SX-99 receiver. Some of the capacitors have leaked, and with Dayton coming up, it is a good time to lok for replacements. Unfortunately, I can not find the schematic! Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Tom NG3Q

Thomas Kacpura
2001 Aerospace Parkway
Brook Park, Ohio 44142
(216)977-1057
(216)977-1269 FAX

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 19:41:32 -0700
From: Vic Rosenthal <rakefet@nospam.rakefet.com>

Subject: TS-850s power question

Please REMOVE nospam when replying!

I see that you can very easily adjust the output power on the TS-850s.
Judging by the transistor types used, it seems to me that it would be
safe to set it for 150 watts output (using a heftier power supply than
the standard one, of course).

The question is: is this likely to damage anything, shorten the life of
the final transistors, etc.? The 850 is used mostly for CW (and yes, I
know it's just 1.7db).

Vic

Please REMOVE nospam when replying!

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 17:07:48 -1000
From: STAN <KB8JLV@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: TS 570 INFO WANTED

I'VE HEARD THAT THERE IS A HIDDEN MENU ON THE KENWOOD TS-570D THAT
ALLOWS MORE USER CONTROL OF FUNCTIONS. POWER OUTPUT/AUDIO MANIPULATION.
ANYONE KNOW HOW TO DO THIS OR IF THIS INFO IS ON THE WEB?
TNX STAN.

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 11:44:50 GMT
From: s_guettier@bielefeld.netsurf.de (Simon Guettier)
Subject: WTB Sony ICF 2010

Please email if you have for sale, with price required!

I am in Germany and so the required AC adapter would need to be able
to handle 220 Volts only.

I would pay shipping charges.

73 Simon Guettier

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Simon Guettier
Herford Germany
s_guettier@bielefeld.netsurf.de :-)
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From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
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Today's Topics:
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FS: Gel Batteries
FS:giveawayprice Yaesu FT-840, MFJ antenna & paddle-keyer
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Help with moto programming...
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IC-706 Mark II upgrade
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ICOM 706...looking for replacement mic suggestions
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wtb:uhf master2 manual
WTB tower
WTT Collins exc WE 75S-3C with 3 Filters

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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 13:38:56 -0700
From: Dave Booth <*SPAMSAVER*booth@pactitle.com>
Subject: 50.400 AM

Well it's time to get the AM gear warmed up.

Starting today I'll be out on 50.400 AM

I'll be on at 19:00-19:30 PDT Monday and Thurs.

If there is a opening around 16:00 PDT then I'll be
on as soon as I get home from work Mon - Fri!

Hope to hear from a lot of you.

I have received a lot of e-mail from all over the country
and Canada in full support of this test.

Be sure to check out my web page for current info.

http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

Also send me e-mail of your QSO's and I'll post them on my page!

73...

Dave Booth kc6wfs dm04rk
Yeasu 680R/ Marage 215G/ ARX6/ 5-elem
booth@pactitle.com

Date: Sat, 03 May 1997 16:25:23 -0700
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Subject: Aircraft Radio

Will Flor wrote:
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> In article <33695678.2F9@erols.com>, willi6@erols.com wrote:
> >
> >Will Flor wrote:
> >>
> >> In article <19970424162201.MAA15890@ladder01.news.aol.com>, rt721@aol.com
> > (RT721) wrote:
> >> >looking for 12 Aircraft 2-way radio, I understand that new regs are
> >> >requiring upgrades, and i am looking for one that nolonger meets regs just
> >> >for ground use no avat use
> >>
> >> In the US, such usage is contrary to FCC regulations.
> >>
> >Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?
> >
>
> Yes, they'd be OK in the sense that the FCC regulations I mentioned
> don't forbid it, but the older radios only tune to about half the channels
> of the new ones, so they may not be as good a choice as a scanner
> for that purpose.
>
> 73 de KB9JTT

As I recall from talking to my Aviation Repairman about the radios in my airplane, your statements are misleading. First, the regulation is from the FAA, not the FCC. Secondly, the regulation specifies frequency tolerance. While all of the radios with twice the number of channels meet the regulation, many of the older radios do not. It happens that the 300 series radios in my 1977 Cessna both meet the regulation; one is a 720 channel and the other is a 360 channel. Whether a radio meets the regulation depends on the particular model in a series and not how many channels it receives.

Regards,
Dave

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 02:32:50 GMT
From: ripr@pipeline.com (Rip Rapalski)
Subject: Any Out There? Seeking Sources.

NewsGroupers,

Can anyone provide me with a source (sources) of PC board based exciters which utilize Windows software for control? Output need be only <1w. Frequency sought is fairly dawn-dusk (HF-VHF-UHF). We would assume that signal characteristics mandate a family of boards.

Any vectors? Suggested other NGs to post to?

TIA
Rip

Date: 1 May 1997 01:10:26 GMT
From: "Michael Mello" <kq7e@sprynet.com>
Subject: Blown UHF Amplifier Brick

Try RF Parts at 1-800-737-2787. They carry hundreds of bricks and can cross manufacturer and house part numbers.

Mike N5MJ

Charles Stampf wrote
>
> Does anyone know where I can get a UHF amplifier module for my
> Kenwood TM4100 dual band radio, rather than the manufacturer?
>
> Thanks
> Charlie, N2CJ

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 14:31:35 -0400
From: Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

Is the HTX-202 suggested for a new ham - it is on sale for C$ 230.00?
How does it compare with other 2m handhelds?
Any known problems, variants of the rig?

Any comment on using the 2m vs. 70cm band?

I realize that there are no simple answers, but I still would not mind
some help.

Thanks, Peter

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 17:12:58 -0400
From: Sal Guzzo <novagen@ibm.net>
Subject: fs: azden 6 meter handheld

fs Azden 6 meter handheld, hand mic, rapid charger, dc adapter, rubber
duck, 5 foot telescopic antenna. Less than one year old. Mint
condition. Cost: 250.00 plus shipping from toronto

reply to novagen@ibm.net

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 14:19:57 -1000
From: "Lawrence M. Koga" <crshi@aloha.net>
Subject: FS: Gel Batteries

I have Gates Cyclone 12VDC, 2.5 Ah batteries.

These are packed six(6)to a case, each battery is 2VDC. They are
soldered, and with a short molex male connector(sorry I am not up on
molex names or specs).

They were in storage for two(2) years, but never used. I have charged
them up and they all retain a charge.

$10 + $1.00 shipping. If you like the battery send the $ 11.00 later.

Lawrence NH6NJ

Date: 6 May 1997 05:24:41 GMT
From: tabbyf@aol.com (Tabbyf)
Subject: FS:giveawayprice Yaesu FT-840, MFJ antenna & paddle-keyer

The following are brand new (used once to check if it works).
I'm selling it since I can't use it where I currently stay. Its a giveaway
price and I doubt it if you can ever find anyone selling these eqpt at
this low price for a brand new eqpt.

Yaesu FT-840 $625.00 All mode HF
MFJ-422C $106.00 Bencher paddle w/ electronic keyer.
MFJ-621 $65.00 Portable HF antenna w/ tuner and field strenght meter.

If interested please e-mail me at tabbyf@aol.com

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 09:46:42 +0200
From: Eigil Hansen <eigil@post5.tele.dk>
Subject: Help Ft726

I need a display for my Yaesu FT726 . Hope somebody can help me .Please
E-mail me : eigil@post5.tele.dk
Tnx Eigil OZ1CSI

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 04:08:40 GMT
From: hillgen@bigfoot.com (Jay)
Subject: Help with moto programming...

No, this isn't another one of those requests for bootleg software....
I need a little help programming a Moto Saber VHF. The radio is
quoted as having a 148-174 bandsplit and the RSS will allow
programming to 147, however I'm looking for a way to get down to 144.
I've been told that the code created by the RSS could be edited to
allow out of band operation. Can anybody shed some light on this?
How it's done. Does it work? Are there any other ways of achieving
the same goal? Any and all information appreciated!
Thanks!
Jay

Date: Thu, 1 May 1997 02:17:00 GMT
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford)
Subject: HTX-204

>>I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to
>>information on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com.
>>All I have found so far is a brief description of the fact that is was
>>pulled off the shelves.

Well, you're one of the few who can now listen to cellular telephone
calls with a unit manufactured/sold since 1994....

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 21:23:35 -0700
From: "Robert A. Kile" <midnight@bighorn.accessnv.com>
Subject: IC-706 Mark II upgrade

It would seem that some sort of upgrade path would be logical for the
IC-706 and for many other HF transceivers on todays market. In the case
of the IC-706 however several boards would need changing. The PA, LPF,
RF BPF, Control and display units to name a few.

It is unfortunate that the dwindling HF market could only sustain the
original IC706 for a little over a year. A far cry from TS-520 and

FT-101 days which carried for almost a decade.

I've suggested for a long time that manufactures should try improving upon good designs by releasing improved models with noticable changes and enhancements rather than complete new designs. The catch-22 is that with advancing technology it is more often cheaper to engineer a radio with new devices than to re-engineer a radio with no longer available components. Our equipment market is driven by consumer products which are here today gone tomorrow.

Bob Kile, KG7D

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 15:02:45 -0500
From: Jack Reece <bigjr@sprynet.com>
Subject: ICOM/Kenwood MODS!

Anybody know of any mods for ICOM 756 or Kenwood TS570S? Any mods at all?
Thanks, Jack WA0VLT

Date: Mon, 5 May 1997 20:13:54 GMT
From: olyellr@iglou.com
Subject: ICOM 706...looking for replacement mic suggestions

Can someone recommend a mic to replace the straight hand mic that is supplied with the 706......Icom or otherwise.

Thanks in advance.
Mike L./ke4hlu

Date: 6 May 1997 05:37:42 GMT
From: n7qn@aol.com (N7QN)
Subject: Icom IC-2000H

I have an Icom IC-2000H for sale. The radio is 3 months old and never mobile. It has the optional UT-101 and comes with the HM-95 DTMF microphone. It is as new with box , manual, etc.

I will ship it out for $250(will negotiate on price some)

E-mail response to N7QN@aol.com
Thanks.73.
Mark.

Date: 6 May 1997 05:30:42 GMT
From: n7qn@aol.com (N7QN)
Subject: Kenwood AT-450

I have a Kenwood AT-450 for sale. This unit is for the TS-450S and
TS-690S. It is new in the box and was never installed. I got this with
the idea of going mobile with my 690 but never did. I opened the box and
looked at it but never installed it.
I paid $250 plus tax(bought it locally).
I will ship it out for $225 and if someone is really serious I'll neotiate
on price.

E-mail response to N7Qn@aol.com
Thanks. 73.
Mark.

Date: 5 May 1997 16:35:51 GMT
From: guaz@aol.com (Guaz)
Subject: Kenwood TM V7R MOD?

I'm looking for the Mars/Cap mod for Kenwood's new dual band transceiver.
Can anybody tell me if one is available of the web?

Thanks,
KC7ILQ

Date: 5 May 1997 20:04:56 GMT
From: "Bob Snyder" <Bob.Snyder@mci.com>
Subject: KWD 440S/AT Station

jeez what a great deal for you.

Walter R. Jones, Jr - KC7HEX <kc7hex@amsat.org> wrote in article
<336813A2.7C63@amsat.org>...
> I have the following station for sale:
>
> Kenwood TS 440S/AT (built in tuner)
> Kenwood PS 430 (power supply)
> Kenwood SP 430 (speaker)
> Kenwood MC 60 (microphone)
> Kenwood PC-1A (phone patch)
>
> The Kenwood 440S/AT has the YK-88-CN CW filter installed.
>
> The station also include the IC-10 Interface
>
> I have all the original operators manual, service manual, and the
> computer interface documentation. Would like to selling locally
> or to someone who will see the setup in person. Nice station.
> It has the MARS/CAP modification. All the above for only $1,300
> pick-up and will ship for $1,350
>
> Also have the Kenwood TS-520 SE for sale with original
> box, manuals for only $350.

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> ==73==
> Walter R. Jones, Jr. E-Mail: kc7hex@amsat.org
> Callsign : KC7HEX Location: Klamath Falls, Oregon
> Latitude : 42 09.54 Country : U.S.A.
> Longitude: 121 40.79 AMSAT-NA: 31687
> Grid: CN92dd http://home.cdsnet.net/~wjonesjr/amateur.htm
>

Date: Mon, 5 May 1997 05:58:09 GMT
From: vidgames@netcom.com (Andy Eddy)
Subject: Misc for sale

I have some radio gear that comes from a relative who was an Advanced and
is now an SK. Much of it is pretty old. I'm interested in getting rid of
it now, but have no idea how much it's worth. If anyone wants to buy any
(or all) of this stuff, I'd appreciate it if you could send me an e-mail
at vidgames@netcom.com (unless someone has a better idea), and I'll take
the best offer; e-mail for more information and I'll do what I can. I'm in
the San Francisco area, so please take into account that I'll add shipping
to your location to your bid. Oh, this gear is in very good shape
physically, though I don't know how well it works electronically. Judging
by the meticulous habits of the owner, I'm sure it's fine. Obviously, if
you're also in the SF area and can pick it up, shipping won't be a problem
and you can eyeball the units yourself--especially the unidentified
pieces (and there are some assorted pieces not on the list below).
Thanks...

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Hallicrafters SR-150 Transceiver
Hallicrafters PC-150-120 Power Supply (I assume it goes with the above radio)
Howard 430 shortwave receiver
Barker and Williamson low-pass filter
ElectroVoice (model ?) microphone
Heath GD-1B grid dip meter
(2) Sears 6460 two-channel walkie-talkie
(2) Channel Master (model ?--1964) walkie-talkie
Heathkit reflected power and SWR bridge (model ?)
Drake 2-A receiver
Royce 2-099A reflected power and SWR bridge
Lafayette HA-79 microphone
GC Electronics coax switch
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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine

A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
=-=-=-=-=
If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 23:14:37 -0700
From: TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com>
Subject: Mods; ADI 146

Anyone have the cap mod for the ADI 146 ?

tnx in advance

Tom aa2vk

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 08:28:32 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: SX-99 Schematic Needed

tkacpura@dinah.lerc.nasa.gov wrote:
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> good time to lok for replacements. Unfortunately, I can not find the
> schematic! Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Tom NG3Q

Good Morning Tom from sunny San Diego
There are several manual vendors on the internet, goto URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagef.html#MAN
for some links.
73
Rod
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: 5 May 1997 22:50:54 GMT
From: etaylor@nr.infi.net (Ed Taylor)
Subject: Talking meters for the blind

Am looking for sources of talking meters for a friend of mine who has
recently become totally blind. He has a complete Bird meter with full
complement of plus that he would be willing to trade for other equipment

useful to blind.

If anyone know of source for this equipment or has equipment to sell or trade, please reply by email to: etaylor@nr.infi.net

Tnx
Ed N4RWU

Date: 6 May 1997 01:22:15 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: WTB:Icom IC-761 or Kenwood TS-940S/AT

I'm interested in purchasing a Icom IC-761 late serial # (preferrable above 3000) or a Kenwood 940S/AT. The radio must be in ABSOLUTELY MINT condition with factory boxes, manuals, etc. If you wish to sell one of these that meet these requirements, Contact Van, WB0NZV at: wb0nzv@aol.com

73 de Van

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 13:38:55 -0700
From: John <sandersj@swbell.net>
Subject: wtb:uhf master2 manual

I am looking to buy a ge master2 uhf repeater manual or mobil amnual please send me a e-mail address and cost, i will get back to you thanks...john

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Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 16:49:06 +0100
From: eduardo montana <emontana@widow.aracnet.net>
Subject: WTB tower

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.

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Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
****

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 21:11:17 -0400
From: jbalch <jb@mail.org>
Subject: WTT Collins exc WE 75S-3C with 3 Filters

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
--------------1ED362206CFFC5A6DB87A325
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have a beautiful Collins 75S-3C WE that I would like to trade for
Collins 32S-3A or RE 30L-1 or RE 30S-1 or Rockwell Collins KWM-2A or
FT-1000MP or KW-380 or HF-380. Tell me what you have for trade, and
we'll make a deal, but I only want "like new" condition trades. If your
trade is worth more than my 75S-3C, then I'll add cash or you can add
cash if your trade is a value less than my Collins receiver. Joe in
Roswell, GA

--------------1ED362206CFFC5A6DB87A325
Content-Type: text/x-vcard; charset=us-ascii; name="vcard.vcf"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Description: Card for Joe Balch
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="vcard.vcf"

begin:vcard

fn:Joe Balch

n:Balch;Joe

org:GlobalComm

email;internet:jb@mail.org

title:CEO

x-mozilla-cpt:;0

x-mozilla-html:TRUE

end:vcard

--------------1ED362206CFFC5A6DB87A325--

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #491
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Tue, 06 May 97 07:47:43 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wOijN-0009epC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Tue, 6 May 1997 07:48:29 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)

Received: by challenger.si.com; id HAA11593; Tue, 6 May 1997 07:48:29 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma011591; Tue, 6 May 97 07:48:15 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id BAA25851 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 6 May
1997 01:52:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id BAA06444
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 6 May 1997 01:24:31 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id BAA06425
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 6 May 1997 01:24:28 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705060824.BAA06425@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 6 May 97 01:24:27 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #491
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2863. Any Out There? Seeking Sources.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ripr@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <336e96ff.34496543@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 176048

NewsGroupers,

Can anyone provide me with a source (sources) of PC board based exciters which utilize Windows software for control? Output need be only <1w. Frequency sought is fairly dawn-dusk (HF-VHF-UHF). We would assume that signal characteristics mandate a family of boards.

Any vectors? Suggested other NGs to post to?

TIA
Rip

2864. Re: HTX 202 Lithium Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikekb2ufs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970506124101.IAA28509@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176049

I have replaced the Lithium battery in a friend's HTX-202. You may be
able to find a similar battery with radial leads somewhere and just solder
it in. What I did was buy a lithium battery holder from RS and slip in an
ordinary CR2032 lithium cell (about $2 at Walmart). I stuck it on the PC
board with double-face foam tape, soldered the leads to the wires, and
applied some electrical tape to the top of the assembly should it ever
come loose.

(My first attempt was to solder >directly< to the lithuim cell, as I've
done with NiCads-- >>> DO NOT TRY THIS!!! <<<
The cell exploded, of course! Fourtunately I wear glasses.)

73 DE KB2UFS, Mike

2865. WTB:Icom IC-761

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <74551.2354@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <336F27C5.57F8@compuserve.com>
Source record: 176050

Want To Buy:

Icom IC-761 with narrow CW filter if possible.
(I sold my 751a and need to get back on the air soon.)
Please send email with price, condition and info on
filters.

73, Jim KB2YWS

2866. Re: FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5knaeq$t7t@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for the inquiries. The filter is SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <5kl7jk$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, k5dh@qsl.net says...
>
>For Sale:
>
>E.F.Johnson 1 KW low-pass filter for HF use.
>Has SO-239 input and output connections.
>Tubular aluminum housing about 12" long x 3" diameter.

2867. FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter -- SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5knahg$t7t@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for the inquiries. The filter is SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

2868. CDE Ham-M rotator and control box -- SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5knac6$t7t@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The rotator is sold. Thanks for the inquries!

Dean K5DH

2869. FS: 23cm and 70cm ATV Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter J. Brand" <brandp@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5a12$8c6e95e0$19267180@linac1.ne.rpi.edu>
Source record: 176054

I am posting the following equipment for a friend.

ATV Equipment for sale:

All equipment in excellent condition.

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703

PC Electronics model TVC12G:
23cm to TV ch. 8 Downconverter
$75+shipping

PC Electronics model TVC14G:
70cm to TV ch. 3 Downconverter
$65+shipping

Qty 2
PC Electronics model TC70:
70cm ATV Transceiver
1 watt output power
Line level video and audio in
Output on TV ch. 3
$175+shipping each

Mirage D24:
1 watt in 40 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$125+shipping

Mirage D26
1 watt in 50 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$150+shipping

Tonna 9 23 cm beam antenna
23 element
$75+shipping

Cushcraft 70cm beam antenna
10 element
$50+shipping

2870. Re: IC-706 WEb pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336F381B.67FE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176055

zs6awk wrote:
>
> Are there any IC-706 usergroups/webpages/modifications ideas ? (apart from the
> normal ICOM webpages)
>
> Danie zs6awk
---- Good Morning Danie from sunny San Diego, Ca -- there is an ICOM
Reflector (Mail List). My server won't let me access my pages this
morning (humphh) but you can see over 90 mail relectors including ICOM
at the URL below:

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

2871. Re: FS: CDE Ham-M rotator and control box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5knadi$t7t@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 176056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for the inquiries. The rotator is SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <5kl7bp$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, k5dh@qsl.net says...
>
>For Sale:
>
>CDE Ham-M rotator with old-style small control box
>Optional mast-mounting adaptor included (not installed)
>Physically in good condition with no obvious damage
>Not tested electrically
>Requires 8-conductor cable (not included)
>NO MANUAL

2872. HP 415E MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN SIMMONS <kk5rh@flash.net>
Message-ID: <336F303E.2E7D@flash.net>
Source record: 176057

NEED MANUAL/COPY FOR HP-415E. WILL BUY (PAY COPY
COST) AND PAY SHIPPING. PS EMAIL.
TNX
KEN SIMMONS

2873. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704068629.AA862925164@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 176058

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Today's Topics:
FS: HEATHKIT SB200--$325
FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350
Illeagal Transmission

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 5 May 1997 01:52:35 GMT
From: nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1)
Subject: FS: HEATHKIT SB200--$325

FOR SALE: VERY CLEAN AND EXCELLENT OPERATING SB200 AMP. WITH MANUAL.
STEVE W1SN

Date: 5 May 1997 01:54:05 GMT
From: nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1)
Subject: FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER WITH MANUAL FOR $350. STEVE
W1SN

Date: 1 May 1997 17:41:09 GMT
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com (Bea and Marvin Jones)
Subject: Illeagal Transmission

Rodney Wallberg (GZGQ49A@prodigy.com) wrote:
: Same type of thing happened to me a few years back. I was monitoring on
: scan on my two meter base and it stopped on 52 simplex. I stopped the
: scan and listened but no one ever gave their call sign. Now this has
: happened before but this time I heard it so I got in to my car and
: monitored from there,
: I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected

: the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and
: could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were
: transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not
: once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who
: they were.

As well, I've encountered this, too. I do a lot of driving between
Gunnison and Denver (Colo.) On several occasions I've encountered
'Detroit Convoys' -- manufacturer road tests of new cars -- in the
mountains. And they are cluelessly chattering away on 146.52.

I wonder how much more of this occurs with folks clever enough
to select some different, oddball frequency to use....

73
Jonesy

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SK

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Marvin Jones jonz@rmi.net
Gunnison, Colorado

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Tue, 06 May 97 09:02:33 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wOjty-0009erC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Tue, 6 May 1997 09:03:30 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id JAA12751; Tue, 6 May 1997 09:03:30 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.54) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma012743; Tue, 6 May 97 09:03:26 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA19644 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 6 May
1997 04:52:47 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA19298
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 6 May 1997 04:30:53 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA19279
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 6 May 1997 04:30:51 -0700 (PDT)

Message-Id: <199705061130.EAA19279@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 6 May 97 04:30:50 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #493
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2874. Re: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mansfield <mmans@aeneas.net>
Message-ID: <336F4AAA.6B28@aeneas.net>
Source record: 176059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Try your local library. They can obtain it through interlibrary loan
if they do not have it there. There should be plenty of information
for them to get the article.
Mark

> Great, now if I only had a copy of that magazine. Any ideas where I could
> get a copy? Thanks again, 73, Mike...
[snip]
> In article <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>, mmans@aeneas.net wrote:
> >There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
>

2875. HELP! CES *T.T. Mike...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5doc@dxnet.com
Message-ID: <3375538c.4194567@news.dxnet.com>
Source record: 176060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

Can you help??

I have a CES (Winter Park, FL.) 700L *Touch-Tone Microphone.

**Do you have the Color Code for this Mike??

The Mike now has a connector for a GE-MVS series radio.

I contacted the company but they want $25 for a photocopy of the
manual! At present the mike has a 8-pin Molex connector for GE~MVS.
I would like to convert the Mike it to work on a KENWOOD UHF Radio.
The Kenwood has a connector that looks like a modular telephone
connector (only more pins)... I plan to build a junction box.

I HAVE data for the Kenwood Mike Connector, but I need data for the
CES Mike!... While I would like to convert to a official CES Mike
Cable for Kenwood, the cost is another $25! Plus, CES advised that
the Mike would require modifications.

Any help with this project will be greatly appreciated! Any help with
the switch on the back of the Mike, "AUTO" / "MANUAL"?

Many thanks!
Tony
WA6IGJ

5doc@dxnet.com ***Please REMOVE '5' from my email address for
replies!

2876. FS: Lasers for $35

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7ln@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5knqrd$i9e@esnews.corp.es.com>
Source record: 176061
Cross-posted to:
alt.forsale,misc.forsale.computers.pc-specific.misc,utah.forsale,utah.valley.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have three LASER pointer pens for quick sale at $35, which includes shipping via US first class mail. These are metal cased lasers about the size of a standard pen and last about six hours on 2 AA batteries. You can see them for 200 yards or more at night.

Please email me at n7ln@qsl.net for more information. I can hand deliver them to the Provo/Orem or Salt Lake City, Utah areas.

Darvell
n7ln@qsl.net

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Darvell D. Hunt (N7LN) n7ln@qsl.net
See info about my QSL clip art CD at: http://www.qsl.net/n7ln

2877. Lithium & NiCd battery replacement caution

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <5knqk1$ou5@dailyplanet.wam.umd.edu>
Source record: 176062

Batteries, in general, DO NOT like being soldered to.

"So how do they get those little solder tabs on 'em?"

Any good battery pack fabrication shop will have an
arc welder. It runs a high current through a piece of
metal, such as the terminal of your battery.

If another piece of metal is placed on top before
current is applied, POOF, they melt together and
you get a solder tab.

Battery fabrication places will generally add solder
tabs for 25-50 cents apiece. And they sell Lithium
batteries for HALF what Radio Shack sells them for.
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* Scott Rosenfeld NF3I Burtonsville, MD FM19mc QRV 80-10/6/2/440 *
*** 6m 75 grids worked on 8 watts *** HF 140 cfmd * QRP-L #147 ***
** QRP ARCI #9054 ** DXCC/WAS/WAC *** 100% dipole powered HF/6m **
* 301-549-1022 h / 301-982-1015 w *** 145.490- 147.225+ PL 156.7 *

2878. FTV-901R Transverter is SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336F5E6F.5AE3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176063

The ftv-901r transverter is sold. Thanks to all of you who responded to my ad.

73's
Bob

2879. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <336f5cde.14951544@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176064

On 6 May 1997 04:23:07 GMT, jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini) wrote:

>I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
>noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
>seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
>sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
>situation (bad pun intended)? <g>

They all start to flicker after a bit of use, it's inherent in the type of lamp used. Unless it annoys you, ignore it.

The hum is a different matter. It may be real AC hum, or it may only *sound* like AC hum while really being RF getting back into the supply and upsetting the regulator. The latter is more likely the case.

Take a look at your station layout to make sure you aren't inadvertently offering your power supply as an auxillary antenna to your transceiver, IE make sure you aren't running a "hot shack" due to imbalances in your antenna feed setup.

You can also try a Radio Shack snap on choke on the DC leads very close to the supply, and try putting a 0.001 uf cap across the DC terminals of the supply.

If you really have AC hum, it should be apparent on received signals as well as on your transmitted signal. You may need to load down the supply to make this apparent, however. A 12 volt automotive trouble light makes a nice load for the supply to test this. If it really is AC hum, you'll need to replace the filter capacitors. They're the big "cans" inside. They are wired into the circuit with screw terminals, so you don't even need a soldering iron to repair this. You can use generic capacitors (observe working voltage), but for a good mechanical fit it will be better if you replace them with exactly the same make and model as the originals.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2880. Re: Old Hartman Transceiver info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <336f5af5.14462660@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 176065

On 5 May 1997 21:39:21 GMT, sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:
>I would like to know about a Hartman Marine Model 3059 tube
>Radio Telephone transceiver. It looks very old but don't have
>any dates in mind. Looks old and I was told very rare.
>
>The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel
>marine transceiver but receives the AM broadcast band from
>550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks
>on the AM dial.

I can't tell you much about the radio except to note that the 4 channels
are probably in the 2 MHz area. But I can tell you what the triangles
meant. These marks indicated the CONELRAD frequencies on the
AM broadcast band. That was the emergency warning system used
before the EBS (now EAS) system was put in place. In the event of
a nuclear attack, all stations were to go off the air after instructing
their listeners to tune to the CONELRAD frequencies. These frequencies
would be used by stations in rotation, at varying power, and without
giving location or identification, to pass warnings to the public.

The idea behind this system was to deny the enemy known radio
stations which could be used as navigation aids by enemy bombers.
The advent of intertial guidence systems and ICBMs made this
system obsolete.

This does date your radio as being manufactured sometime in the
1950s.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2881. Yaesu FT-920 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <336F8575.514@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176066

Just got some more info on the Yaesu FT-920 HF-6 meter radio.
The radio is double conversion except FM which is triple.
The if stages are 70 MHZ and 8.8 MHZ.
You have to pay extra for FM I assume It costs the same as the FT-840
option $62.
You also have to pay extra for a AM filter $120. If it is the same as
the
one for the Yaesu Ft-840.
You can also ad a cw filter in addition the AM filter. There is no SSB
narrow filter available. I guess Yaesu feels you should use the DSP for
that.
The radio features "DUAL frequency watch". This feature is Not the same
as DUAL RECEIVE. Dual Watch means the radio will go check on a second
frequency every "so many seconds". You can't listen to two stations at
once.
The radio is more similar to the Kenwood TS-570S than the ICOM 756.
That is my two cents worth, Steven Hershman NS1R

2882. COLLINS AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: keithf@en.com
Message-ID: <336f8cf0.2702177@news.en.com>
Source record: 176067

Anyone out there going to be at Dayton with Collins gear for sale?

Keith

2883. Need Manual for icon 2700 h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken@qns2.qns.net
Message-ID: <5ko5sk$q30@qns2.qns.net>
Source record: 176118

I need a replacement manual for an ICON 2700 h. Lost my other one in a move
Please reply to ken@qns.com
thanks

2884. RE. NEED ALPHA 77DX PANELS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ko6d9$h2h@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176119

About one month ago someone posted that they were going to have the panels for the Alpha 77Dx and Sx panels reproduced. Would that individual Please contact me I have interest in two panels. Please e-mail tbolt@ix.netcom.com Thank You; Rich

2885. New Bencher RJ-1 key is sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <336F8C7D.5809@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176120

The Bencher RJ-1 key I had is sold.

Thanks
Bob

2886. Icom IC-706 FORSALE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970506.171147.9999.3.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 176121

I have a mint IC706, never mobile, original box, manuals, microphone..
Price reduced to $900.00. You pay shipping.
Barry Thaysen 301-829-3891 Mt Airy, MD
Bthaysen@juno.com

2887. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: pklein@handel.seattleu.edu
Message-ID: <5ko75t$chd@handel.seattleu.edu>
Source record: 176122

In article <n1istE9rwzK.6EA@netcom.com>,
Michael L. Ardai <n1ist@netcom.com> wrote:

re. AC hum from power supply:

>Make sure your radio is not sitting on top of the supply (or directly to
>the left). I've seen many cases of coupling between the power transformer
>in the supply and something in the radio causing hum.

Or, as the manual for my Taiwanese clone computer monitor pithily puts
it: "Keep off the capacity transformable or magnetic." :-)

73,
Peter - KD7MW

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Peter A. Klein (pklein@seattleu.edu) : -------==3== --- ---
Network Administrator, LAN/WAN/Novell : | | | | | | | |
Seattle University, 296-5569 : @| @| @| @| @| @| @| @|

2888. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Charest <gcharest@gis.net>
Message-ID: <336FA90E.10672244@gis.net>
Source record: 176123

RPD910 wrote:
>
> >> What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
> >> report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
> >>
> >> Thanks in advance
> >It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
> >and nobody will do anything.
> >This is the way ham radio is today.
>
> I totally disagree. although complaining to the FCC will not usually
> generate an investigation, Ham radio operators are usually their own best
> policeing.
>
stuff deleted

I don't think the FCC does much enforcement. Look at K1MAN broadcasting
on
multiple bands. The other night his equipment was operating so poorly
he was
splattering all over 75 meters. This has been going on for a couple of
years.

2889. HELP CTCSS Board FT-2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1nfc@callsign.net
Message-ID: <336fad40.0@199.76.206.53>
Source record: 176124

What tone/squelch unit is required for CTCSS operation on the FT-2500?

thanks a bunch. I am trying to get my ducks in a row before the radio gets here.

73

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
LT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
KINGSLAND FIRE RESCUE
Kingsland, GA 31548 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
Home: 912-729-5287 NAVY:ETC_Carreira@trfkb.navy.mil
Data: 912-729-6067
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm

"The fire pentahedron consists of: Oxygen, Heat, Fuel, Chemical Chain Reaction, and the Chief. Take any one of the 5 away and the fire goes out!"

2890. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1ist@netcom.com
Message-ID: <n1istE9rwzK.6EA@netcom.com>
Source record: 176125

In article <336f5cde.14951544@news.atl.bellsouth.net> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:
-On 6 May 1997 04:23:07 GMT, jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini) wrote:
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->I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
->noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
->seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
->sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
->situation (bad pun intended)? <g>

-The hum is a different matter. It may be real AC hum, or it may only
-*sound* like AC hum while really being RF getting back into the supply
-and upsetting the regulator. The latter is more likely the case.

Make sure your radio is not sitting on top of the supply (or directly to
the left). I've seen many cases of coupling between the power transformer
in the supply and something in the radio causing hum.

/mike
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\|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@netcom.com \|/
-*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc === -*-
/|\ or send "info barc-list" to listserv@majordomonetcom.com /|\

2891. IC706 FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970506.183534.9999.5.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 176126

Mint condition IC706, original box, manual, and microphone.
Reduced to $900.00. You pay shipping from Mt Airy, MD.
Barry Thaysen 301-829-3891
Bthaysen@juno.com
Thanks!

2892. WTB tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: eduardo montana <emontana@aracnet.net>
Message-ID: <336F6BA5.6A0C@aracnet.net>
Source record: 176127

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.

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Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
****

2893. Motorola Saber Custom Case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiE9ryo0.M9s@netcom.com>
Source record: 176128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for a case for my Motorola Saber HT that covers the entire radio. I'm thinking about a custom case constructed out of padded cordura or maybe leather with a clear plastic window for the display, and a grill for the speaker, and maybe some openings for the PTT, etc... The top can be open for access to the controls.

I plan to use the radio with the speaker mic if I'm carrying it, so a basic rectangular case is an acceptable, though less desirable option.

Does anyone know of a company that sells such a case or will custom make something? I know Motorola has a case, but that only covers the bottom half of the radio.

Stephen

2894. FS: Packet modem -- $25!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobra295@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5kodk8$p9a@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Packet setup for $25 + shipping

I have for sale a Bell 202 modem, plus all the parts
and instructions to put this on the air for packet
use. It works much like the new BayComm modems, and
in fact uses the same software. The modem is external
and plugs into the wall. All parts are included to
wire your HT or mobile radio. Basically, the only
thing you have to do is create the cable to go from
the modem to the radio using the supplied components
to detect the PTT and feed the audio. Also a regular
old 25pin cable is needed for between the computer
and the modem. You don't need to be an EE to figure
out this little homebrew project, but a simple knowledge
of soldering, etc. is suggested. A good amount of literature is
included with articles from ham radio magazines as well as
schematics on how to make the patch cable. I'm
reselling this item as I bought it myself a few months
ago for the same price. I plugged in the modem to the
wall, and it turns on and appears to work fine. After
I received the equipment, I never got the chance to
make the cable and get it on the air since. At this
point, my packet connections on the radio are being
used by an autopatch, so I don't really have the means
to use this item conveniently. It can't compete with
high-end TNC's, but hopefully someone else
can use it to get started on packet for a low price.
Included is the software, modem, parts, literature, and
schematics. I ship only USPS, and only in the CONUS
with a prepaid USPS MO. If you would like to purchase
or have a question, please email reply me. Thanks.

2895. SCANNERS FOR SALE---PRO 34, 2004, 2006, 2022 & 2030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <hartbeat@greenepa.net>
Message-ID: <862959925.2510@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176130
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have the following for sale:

Pro 34---Very good condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $210.

Pro 2004--Excellent condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $230.

Pro 2006--Excellent condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $400.

Pro 2022--Excellent condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $225.

Pro 2030--Excellent condition, mods, no box or manual. $140.

All of the above scanners are in great working order and defect free.
E-mail if interested. Thank you.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2896. Help! FT990 20mt transmission problem.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3taw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970506231101.TAA10652@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176131

Help
I have a Yaesu FT990 that has a problem on only 20 mt.
It tunes and transmits perfect into a dummy load. But on two
different types of antena it gets very finicky as to how the
radio will operate. Somtimes the tunner tunes it fine (100w),
Other times it cuts back to (50 - 60w), And other time it shuts
the rig down. There have been no antenna changes, it just does not
like 20mt unless everything is perfect. All the other band tune & work
great. Has anyone else experienced this symptom on thier FT990
or know what this problem is and how to corect it?
I have checked the antenna & transmission lines and everything
is OK.

Stumped N3TAW

rec.radio.amateur.antenna

2897. SCANNERS FOR SALE---Pro 34,2004,2006,2022 & 2030

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <hartbeat@greenepa.net>
Message-ID: <862960888.3363@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have the following scanners for sale:

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Pro 2030--Excellent condition, mods and antenna. No box or manual. $140.

All of the above are in great working order with NO defects.
I will pay shipping. Thank you.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2898. FS: Yaesu FT-2500 VHF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike White <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <336FC688.5567@juno.com>
Source record: 176133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yaesu FT-2500 2 meter transceiver. Mint condition, works perfectly. With manual and all accessories, in original box. AES price is $330. I'm asking $225 + shipping. Email if interested. Thanks.

Mike, N4PDY

2899. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5a78$c9f54100$52102399@peter->
Source record: 176134

Bea and Marvin Jones <jonz@shell.rmii.com> wrote in article
<5kakjleor1@news1.rmi.net>...
>
> I wonder how much more of this occurs with folks clever enough
> to select some different, oddball frequency to use....
>

I'm sure it happens all the time. And nobody will ever know, because most
of this
usage is UHF low power, on splinter freqs.

Nobody is interfered with, nobody hears it, nobody really cares.

Probably as it should be.

2900. WW2 RCA Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: birddog@jersey.net
Message-ID: <336FD5C7.444E@jersey.net>
Source record: 176135

I have a RCA WW2 Transmiter/Reciever Serial # 158 Model # M1 8751.
I am looking for information about the radio and how to use it. Any
information at all would be greatly apreaceted. The radio ws built for
the US Army, Signal Corps. (sorry for the spelling)

Regards,
Pat D.

birddog@jersey.net

2901. FS:HF Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwshock@access.usa.net
Message-ID: <5knnb8$c29$2@shiva.usa.net>
Source record: 176136

I am posting this list for KB0MMX. Any interests please e-mail me at
dwshock@usa.net and I will put you in contact with Ron. Thanks
AA0UF

BRAND MODEL DESCRIPT PRICE

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" S-119 " SKY BUDDY-2-BOTH 125.00
" S-40A " -3- EACH 65.00
" S-40B " 65.00
" SX-100 " EXCELLENT 125.00
" S-120 " PARTS 20.00
NATIONAL NC-57 " GOOD 40.00
" NC-98 " 10,15,20,40,80 BANDS 100.00
COLLINS R-388 " IN CASE EXCELLENT 175.00
ELMAC PMR-6A " EXCELLENT 50.00
ELDICO SSB-100F TRANSMITTER 225.00
" SSB-1000 AMPLIFIER - EXCELLENT 450.00
JOHNSON 6 N 2 TRANSCIEVER 6M, 2M 125.00
GONSET COMM III TRANSCIEVER 6M 75.00
RME RME-45 RECIEVER 50.00
" RME-70 " 50.00
" RME-84 " 50.00
B & W 370 SINGLE SIDEBAND ADAPTER 75.00
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" HG-10 VFO 50.00
" SB-300 RECIEVER 75.00
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" HS-1661 SPEAKER 25.00
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270B " SIGNET 100.00
" 350C " 75.00
" 350 " 75.00
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" HX 50 " -3- EACH 175.00
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" SP 600JX " -4- EACH 275.00
" SP 400 " 150.00
" SP 400 " DELUXE 300.00
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" S-PRO VLF " 125.00
" S-PRO " 125.00
" HQ 129X " -3- EACH 100.00

" HQ 100C " 110.00
" HQ 110 " -2- EACH 100.00
" HQ 140X " 125.00
" HQ 145C " 2 RESISTERS BAD 125.00
" HQ 145AC " 150.00
" HQ 160 " 150.00
" HQ 170C " 165.00
" HQ 170A " 175.00
" HQ 180AC " 175.00
" HC 10 SINGLE SIDEBAND CONVERT 125.00

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73 de "Its not who asked the question but
AA0UF/Doug what the question was that counts."
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2902. FOR SALE: EIMAC 4-400A TUBE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Modern <modern@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <336FF986.CD2@pacbell.net>
Source record: 176137

For Sale: One new-old-stock Eimac 4-400A Tube. $95 plus shipping.
Reply to : modern@pacbell.net

2903. FS: IBM Thinkpad Notebook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Whit Crowley <wcrowley@magibox.net>
Message-ID: <336FF951.6F0C@magibox.net>
Source record: 176138

For Sale: IBM Thinkpad 701C Butterfly Keyboard, 10.4" Active Matrix
Display, 486DX4-75MHz, 720MB Hard Disk, 24MB Memory, 14.4 Modem/Fax,
2x Speed External CDROM/PCMCIA, 2 Power Adapters, Speakers, Running
Windows 95 and runs Office 97 very well. Factory warranty will transfer.
$1250.00 Shipped COD/Cash

Please email wcrowley@magibox.net

2904. Yaesu FTC-1123 Help???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sky444@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <336fad93.6990502@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 176139

Anybody have a manual for this Yaesu FTC-1123 It has 2 meters and I
have no idea how to do anything with it.....any help appreciated..

please respond via e-mail at :::: sky444@worldnet.att.net

2905. ALPHA 76

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew A. Erickson" <kk5dr@io.com>
Message-ID: <336FE4B6.5458@io.com>
Source record: 176140

The ETO ALPHA 76A(pa) is quite likely the best amatuer HF amplifier ever made.(In my oppinion)

Reasons why;

(1) Simple, yet very effective design.
(2)Easy to maintain. (clean once a year, lube fan bearing once a year)
(3)Very effiecent, 70% typical, which means more of the power goes out the antenna, than out in the shack, as heat.
(4)Quiet, cool opeartion, even at full power, for long periods.
(5)The best ALC feedback system on the market, (you set it for max power, and forget it), the amp will never exceed that level you set, no matter what the drive is set at. (You must actually connect the ALC to the exciter for this to work)
(6)Desk top convinience, no bulking outborad power supplies to take up space, yet the amp delivers full legal limit power out.
(7)Easy to tune, set it up by number, never need to tune on the air again, after making up a "cheat chart".
(8)Little to no "parasitic" trouble, NEVER USE THIS AMP ON 12 METERS, without first modifing the Plate choke, or you will burn it up, (unmodified plate choke is resonante on 25 mhz). My 76 has never "spit" or "sputtered", on any band.
(9)Inrush current protection is standard, (long before most other manufacturers every put it in their amp).
(10)Grid & plate over current protection standard, (nearly "foolproof").
(11)Warm-up lock-out, you can't hurt the tubes while they warm-up, because you can't key the amp, till the warm-up period is comlpete.
(12)Many of these amps that are "old"(15+yrs), are still on the air, & still putting out full power, with the original tubes in them. My 76 has the original tubes in it and has been putting out full legal limit ++, since 1982.

These amps, give the owner the most "bang" for his buck, even an older ALPHA, can out perform most "NEW" amps.
This is my opinion, you may or may not share it.
No, I am not connectted to ETO in anyway, I just really like the ALPHA.

2906. TS-570 D, mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: corio@oasis.dit.upm.es
Message-ID: <5kmktt$3eq$1@sanson.dit.upm.es>
Source record: 176141

Anyone know how open the TS 570 D (European) to work 160m. band?
Thanks in avanced.
Carlos.

2907. FOR SALE: Kenwood TS-520 & accessories $600 - ts520.jpg (1/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@antispam.alpha.wcoil.com
Message-ID: <336ee9a0.7168899@goobers.com>
Source record: 176142
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: ts520.jpg

[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: ts520.jpg]

2908. FS: MOTOROLA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Kassay <MKASSAY@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <33700421.333@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 176143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

For Sale...
Motorola MCX-1000 VHF low split mobile transceiver
-56 channel
-CTCSS encode/decode
-scan
-35 watts
-synthesized - EEprom
-alpha-numeric display
-9600 baud
This heavy duty intermod free mobile radio comes complete with mic, speaker, mobile brackets and power cable. Presently programmed for Amateur frequencies.

asking price $400 CDN plus shipping or TRADE???

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* *
Michael Kassay - Barrie, Ontario, Canada.
VE3MKX
mailto:MKassay@Sympatico.ca
Packet - VE3MKX @ VE3FJB.#con.on.can.noam

2909. FOR SALE: Kenwood TS-520 & accessories $600 - ts520.jpg (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@antispam.alpha.wcoil.com
Message-ID: <336ee6ec.6476072@news.alt.net>
Source record: 176144

Kenwood TS-520 w/Manual (12 volt capability)
Mic
Frenquency Counter (12 volt capability)
Watt, Modulation, SWR Meter
MFJ Econo Tuner MFJ-900
MFJ Signal Enhancer Tunable CW/SSB Filter MFJ-751
MFJ Super Selector CW/SSB Filter MFJ-721
MFJ RTTY\CW Computer Interface MFJ-1224
Hustler 3 BTV Ground Plane Ant. w/Manual

$600

Would make a nice radio station for a camper
seeing that everything will go 12 volts dc.
Please take out antispam for my e-mail add.
E-Mail rick@antispam.alpha.wcoil.com

Thanks, Rick

2910. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0605971317130001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 176145

In article <n1istE9rwzK.6EA@netcom.com>, n1ist@netcom.com (Michael L. Ardai) wrote:

>Make sure your radio is not sitting on top of the supply (or directly to >the left). I've seen many cases of coupling between the power transformer >in the supply and something in the radio causing hum.

Then, of course, there is the indoor installation with the mag-mount antenna happily sitting on top of the metal power supply case. :)
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

2911. Midland LMR: Any Info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ Johansson <"-.-. .---"@boi.hp.com>
Message-ID: <336F5A09.6A2A@boi.hp.com>
Source record: 176146

I managed to get a couple of surplus Midland Land Mobile Radio HT's.
They
are marked as Model No. 70-254B. The case and general appearance looks
like
they came out of the same mold (exactly) as my Icom 02-AT. A look with
my
spectrum analyzer shows that they are UHF.

They have 16 channels, LP tone encoding, with a selectable priority
channel.
The 'beep' when you press keys sounds just like the Icom. The keypad has
different markings than the 02-AT, so it's not obvious how you would
program
them.

So, a few of questions:

Are these things actually made by Icom?

Does anyone know how to program these things?
Turning them on with the 'shift' key (func on 02-AT) and holding it
for
about 5 seconds generates a different beep, the display stays blank,
and
apparently nothing else works except the PTT, which gets the radio
back
into normal mode.

Are these things even usable (or modifiable) on 70cm?
If not, I guess I've got a few extra batteries for my Icom...
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|cj@boi.hp.com |
KD6AEG |
|===|
|Hewlett-Packard
| |
|Storage Systems Division | Give a man a
beer |
|11413 Chinden Blvd. M/S 831 | and he'll waste an
hour |
|Boise, ID 83714 | Teach him to
brew |
| | and he'll waste the rest of his
life. |

2912. Re: FS:TS-50/AMERITRON ALS - 500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <336ED510.2251@icss.net>
Source record: 176147

STAN wrote:
>
> KENWOOD TS-50 IS IN GOOD CONDITION HAS MARS MOD. HAVE BOX, MANUAL, MIC,
> MOBILE MOUNTING BRACKET. PRICE IS $750 SHIPPED.
>
> AMRITRON ALS-500M MOBILE AMP 160-10 METERS. 500 WATTS OUT. GOOD
> CONDITION. HAVE BOX, MANUAL. PRICE IS $500 SHIPPED.
> EMAIL ME kb8jlv@worldnet.att.net

What is your MARS call? Brian/N0iMD

2913. Re: Icom IC-2000H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <336ED59A.73B0@icss.net>
Source record: 176148

N7QN wrote:
>
> I have an Icom IC-2000H for sale. The radio is 3 months old and never
> mobile. It has the optional UT-101 and comes with the HM-95 DTMF
> microphone. It is as new with box , manual, etc.
>
> I will ship it out for $250(will negotiate on price some)
>
> E-mail response to N7QN@aol.com
> Thanks.73.
> Mark.

Mark, how is it with intermod? Brian

2914. Re: Yaesu FT-50R Guide V 1.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <336ED9EF.2C7A@icss.net>
Source record: 176149

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> childers@garlic.com (Bill Childers) wrote:
>
> :Introduction
> :The Yaesu FT-50 is perhaps the most unique VHF/UHF Handheld
> :manufactured today.
>
> For the information of readers, nothing can be most unique, since
> for an item to be unique there is only one. Thus unique can never
> use a qualifier. If there is only one it is unique. If there are
> two or more it is not unique at all.
>
> Barry
>
> ====================================
> To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> return address.

Barry, noted. Do you have anything else at this time? Brian

2915. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <336ED3ED.781C@icss.net>
Source record: 176150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Ho wrote:
>
> Michael Melland wrote:
> >
> > Just for your info. I just received my license and passed to Tech Plus
> > two weeks ago.... I used Code Quick and was very hapy with it ! I will
> > be upgrading to General this summer (I hope) and continue to review the
> > tapes and use their "steppers". While some of the material seems "over
> > simplified".... DO IT ! It really worked for me. I've been told that
> > once you pass your exam at 5 to 7 wpm the best thing to boost your speed
> > further (not to mention your interest) is to get on the air and use it
> > ! Thats what I plan to do ! If I can be of any help to you just drop
> > me an email !
> >
> > 73 de KB9QHU
> >
> > Mike
>
> Mike:
>
> Congratulations to your successful upgrade! I just like to throw in my
> 1 cent worth of opinion to code drilling. Although some people will
> take
> the code issue very personally, I don't mean to convince anyone to
> agree with me anyway. After all, this is a newsgroup on the internet.
>
> Back to the subject. I didn't use any tape at all when learning code;
> instead,
> I used the "Super Menu Driven Memory Keyer" from MFJ. I figured that it
> would be more cost effective to get a piece of hardware as part of my
> station
> build up. Computer software and tapes can only serve one single purpose
> and are not all that flexible. Moreover, I can connect the Memory Keyer
> to
> my computer and I have an instant computer program for me to verify text
> copied. I can customize my passage and words to drill on, especially
> those punctuation marks. On the investment side, the keyer (or
> equipment
> alike) has better resale value than tape or software.
>
> Anyway, I used the thing to get myself from General, Advance, to Extra
> in

> 3 months. Although it was a little clumsy, I brought it along
> everywhere I
> went. Forget about "Morning Edition", "All Things Considered", and my
> favorite audio tapes. I boosted my code speed from 0 to 25 WPM in
> conjunction with listening on HF and WA1W, in a matter of 3 months! It
> took me one shot on the first 20 WPM test and the rest was just plan
> studying.
>
> I use the MFJ box as a station identifier on VHF (yes you can program
> the
> box to transmit your callsign every 10 minutes), at times, I use it as a
> beacon generator on HF as well. When I am lazy, I use my computer
> to transmit CW via the box.
>
> Anyway, good luck to your venture in your advanced tickets.
>
> Best 73!
>
> De AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
> David Ho
> davidho@one.net

David, knock your self out. I spent a month of weekends on the 40M novice subband calling CQ about 10 years ago. I got exactly two responses. Neither stuck around the frequency long enough to make a log entry. QRS (could you please, please slow down?) is pretty much unknown also. And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently hand (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse to die. I suggest getting more code practice tapes, getting to 13 or 20wpm, and then forget all about how "swell" the code is and how the code folks are so nice (urban myth). Then use the microphone to actually talk to other people. Good luck, Brian/N0iMD

2916. Re: Jeep Wrangers and Antennas ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <336ED7F9.4B89@icss.net>
Source record: 176151

Barry Anderson wrote:
>
> In article <33641a0c.33713328@news.swbell.net>, sarastro@swbell.net
> says...
> > Greetings. DE N5RXZ
> >
> > you used? Obviously the magmount and glass mount
> > for me isnt an option, at least I dont see where I would
> > put them with a canvas top and all ..
> > I would appreciate any advice...
>
> On my convertable I place a glass mount antenna on the passenger
> side, windshield. Worked great (and looked cool, too)
> --
> Barry Anderson K3SUI
> Frederick, MD.
> banderso@eni.net
I have heard of a guy using a lead/graphite pencil for an antenna. Stuffed it in the hole of the female bnc connector on his handheld. He probably thought it was pretty cool, too. "Rig here is an htx-202 with a number 2 topped off with an eberhard eraser!" Good grief, we're talking about a utility vehicle here. Drill a hole, use a real antenna. Works better. Brian

2917. Re: Kent keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <336ED845.6C50@icss.net>
Source record: 176152

Tony T. Hwang wrote:
>
> Could someone direct me where I can get one of this?
> Is there a dealer in States who handles Kent products?
> TIA
> Tony, VE6CGX

Will trade a Vibroplex iambic for a Kent iambic. Brian

2918. Re: Yeasu FT-50R Secrets?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Pettigrew <m.w.pettigrew@shu.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <336EF10A.2AF9@shu.ac.uk>
Source record: 176153

Jerry Yarbrough wrote:
>
> sarastro@swbell.net wrote:
> >
> > I was ona website awhile back and saw that there are some "secrets" to
> > the Yaesu FT-50R that arent in the manual. (Surprise, surprise)..
> > TO my dismay, that section of the webpage wasnt completed.
> > Does anyone know where I can find this information out?
> >
> > N5RXZIf you find any secrets to the FT50R please forward to me aslo, thanks in
> advance, Jerry Y

The FT-50R page with mods etc is at

http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

Good luck!

Mark
G0WLR

2919. Re: FT-50R WFM & AM quality ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Pettigrew <m.w.pettigrew@shu.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <336EF466.7572@shu.ac.uk>
Source record: 176154

zs6awk wrote:
>
> I am interested in the ft50r. Could somebody tell me what the 88-108MHz FM quality
> is ? What is the deviation it wants ? ie +-150kHz
>
> How is the airband rx quality ?
>
> Can it be made to tx on 141-142MHz ?
>
> Danie zs6awk
> zs6awk@global.co.za

Subjectively:

The wide band FM is terrible - don't use it if you care about quality. I listen to the news on it from time to time and it's OK for that, but not great. You'd be better off with a very cheap small FM broadcast receiver. Rumours abound about the possibility of doing something about this, but I've not seen any hard info yet about how to do it, and there also seems to be a general consensus that you can't. (I'd be very grateful of any information from anyone who knows how, if you can).

Airband RX seems fine to me.

For tx on other freqs, you might want to look at
http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
Where there is plenty of information about mods etc.

I like the set, (but then you'd expect someone who'd bought the set to like it); some others don't.

Best wishes

Mark

2920. WTB 6 meter module for 767

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clay Lane <cn1506@coastalnet.com>
Message-ID: <863064917.21299@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175771

A friend, Andy N4ZHC, who does not have
internet access would like to buy the 6 meter
module for the Yaesu 767.
Please call Andy direct, after 6 PM EDT,
at 910 592 6072.
Any response via my E mail address will
introduce (say) a 24 hour delay.
Thanks
Clay W4TNV

----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2921. FS: Yaesu FT-530 Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hartsig@i2k.com
Message-ID: <hartsig-0705971748390001@206.64.12.164>
Source record: 175772

The following items are in mint condition with original
factory packaging. Everything is in working order. Selling because
I simply do not use it.

Yaesu FT-530 Dual-band Handheld Transceiver w/manual
NC-42 Quick Charger
E-DC-5B Cigarette Lighter Cord
NC-28B Battery Charger
FNB-25 7.2v 600ma battery
FNB-26 7.2v 1000ma battery
ANLI AL-800 Dual Band Antenna BNC

All of the above $300 includes shipping anywhere in the continental U.S.
If interested respond to hartsig@i2k.com

2922. Icom 2350H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason A Wilson <jwilson@inforum.net>
Message-ID: <33716CBD.6A5D@inforum.net>
Source record: 175773

Looking for (if possible) to program my 2530 from my pc. The Mike
connector has a data side and was wondering if it was pc programable.
Almost like Motorola.

Thanks
Jason
KE6BUU

2923. Add transverter interface to FT900AT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfE9u3vu.9w7@netcom.com>
Source record: 175774

The FT757 series had a really nifty transverter interface provision - transmit low level RF was brought out through a RCA jack, and the power jack of the radio had two +12DC inputs - one for the TX finals and one for the rest of the radio. The associated transverter had it's +12 input jack, and a +12 output jack that went over to the radio. When the transverter was activated, it would cut +12 off to the radio's finals, and switch the main antenna line over to the transverter circuitry. Therefore, the radio could not TX QRO into the transverter circuit. The FT900AT does not appear specifically to have this kind of capability, but I suspect it wouldn't be too hard to modify/add. Any ideas?

Thanx,

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

2924. WTB: goodies for Yaesu FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Theriault <gemlab@midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5a11$7b86b1a0$a23175cc@gemlab>
Source record: 175775

Wanted for Yaesu FT-530: remote speaker/mic/controller, soft case,
DC-adapter, batteries or what have you.

Thanks

Peter

2925. ATTN: REQ: Stornophone 6000 programming software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: vr100@rosey.com
Message-ID: <5kr2bf$lhu@drn.zippo.com>
Source record: 175776

Anyone got programming software for STORNOPHONE radios.???
please contact me.

2926. WTB: MFJ code trainer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Staroscik <staroscik@sowest.net>
Message-ID: <33717085.4CEE@sowest.net>
Source record: 175777

I am looking to pick up a used MFJ Morse trainer. I believe the model number is 418 - it's black plastic, with a 2-line LCD display on the side opposite the speaker. If you have one for sale drop me a line.

Regards...
--
Matt Staroscik KF6IYW "It's not a doll -
staroscik@sowest.net it's an ACTION FIGURE."

2927. Re: COLLINS AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4ijn@awod.com
Message-ID: <5kq3kk$gls@battery.awod.com>
Source record: 175778

keithf@en.com wrote:

>Anyone out there going to be at Dayton with Collins gear for sale?

>Keith

So far, I'm planning on bringing a 75A-1, 32V-2, 75A-2, and perhaps a
75A-4. Space #2984.

Steve, W4IJ

2928. wtb:icom 2410

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Aaron Sloan <sloana@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <33714CA5.7080@rconnect.com>
Source record: 175779

Want to buy the icom 2410 dual band mobile. doesn't have to be
cosmeticaly perfect. As long as it works!
Please contact me... sloana@rconnect.com
712-338-2542 evenings.

73 Thanks, Aaron KA0ZOZ

2929. Re: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <33715A3E.562D@icss.net>
Source record: 175780

Marty Jones wrote:
>
> Brian wrote:
> >
> > Michael Melland wrote:
> > >
> > > psoft_a wrote:
> > > >
> > > > I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to information
> > > > on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com. All I have found so far
> > > > is a brief description of the fact that is was pulled off the shelves.
> > > >
> > > Check out the ADI/Premier home page FAQ at: http://www.adi-radio.com
> > > >
> > > 73 de Mike KB9QHU
> > Generally, if you just purchased a new radio, they include an operations
> > manual with them. I would consider looking at it for information. And
> > I'll bet there is absolutely nothing in the manual about it being pulled
> > from the shelves.
> > --
> > Brian Burke
> > (to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)
>
> This guy should be in customer service at
> microsoft. His replies are generally correct,
> smartass, and useless.
>
> Marty Jones

Hello Marty, imagine this scenario, "I just bought a brand new radio and
I didn't get any information with it..." The trick is to read.
Of course, I might have totally misinterpreted the post. Mike might
have really been asking, "I got this really slick handheld transceiver
from Radio Shack before they pulled it for FCC violations. How might I
go about jamming cellular phone calls? The how to info on this
undocumented feature (MS trademark) is not in the manual.
Brian

2930. WTB:Globe Champion VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Polizzo <ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <33713D44.376C@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Source record: 175781

HI,
i am looking for the internal VFO unit for a
Globe Champion 350. If you have one please E-Mail to
ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us
Thanks Peter

2931. Want: Two Heath Manuals, or copies...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5a98$03eca320$47f277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 175968
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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Wanted: Manuals, or good copies of manuals for:

Heath AW-1 Audio Wattmeter

Heath DM-1 Distortion Meter

Original manuals, or copies of manuals covering the sections
on operation, circuit theory, specs, calibration, SCHEMATIC,
and the like. Don't necessarily need copies of the assembly
pages, but will be more than happy to cover ANY manual
reproduction costs, even for the assembly pages.

Thanks de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net
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2932. Re: TM-V7A Software Coming from Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <336FFA5C.12F5@wco.com>
Source record: 175969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

John D. Seney wrote:
>
>
> I spoke with Kenwood's Technical Representative today and he related that
> within a week or so - perhaps in time for the Dayton Hamfest, Kenwood will
> have a Windows 95 program that will allow file uploads and downloads from
> the TM-V7A. It will enable alpha numerics for and load the memories with
> frequency and PL tones. No other remote programmability is planned. The
> program is supposed to sell for $39.95 and use the data port & PG5A connector.
>
> This will certainly take the pain out of loading memories - especially after
> a CPU reset!

I had email to/from the company that is actually doing the work on this project. I put a bug in their ear that since they had the interface to communicate with the V7, gee, wouldn't it be a great way to make a cheap remote base? A single card computer talking to the V7 and all you would have to do is plug in a control receiver... simple and cute.

Major hint. The control head is just that, a control head. Four wires (ground, power, data in and data out) are all that will be used. Someone want to figure out how to interface it? Or make new software other than the cloning software?

Rick

2933. KU4J DxAlert

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: r_denis@globalnet.hn
Message-ID: <862985308.22987@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175970

Can someone tell me where I could get more info on DxAlert manu
factured by KU4J. It is a "black box" that takes Dx spots from
a packet cluster, converts the text into voice and then
broadcasts it (usually through a voice repeater). Any help will
be appreciated.

Rick, HR2KOS

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2934. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704078629.AA862989752@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175971

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Today's Topics:
Alinco DJ-S41T, 70cm HT, my first reactions.
Astron RS-20M problem? (3 msgs)
Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter
COLLINS AT DAYTON
FS.TEST EQ. TEK O-SCOPE
FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter
FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter -- SOLD!
FS: New Bencher RJ-1 key
FT-50??
HTX 202 Lithium Battery replacement
IC-706 WEb pages
IC706 FOR SALE
Icom IC-706 FORSALE!
Kenwood TS-520 complete base setup $600.00 - ts520.jpg (0/1)
Lithium & NiCd battery replacement caution
Looking For Trap Vert Plans.
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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 23:53:04 -0700
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Subject: Alinco DJ-S41T, 70cm HT, my first reactions.

After reading all the past postings for the Alinco DJ-S41 HT, I saw that almost
everyone was happy with their unit. The small size, light weight, and low cost

were exactly what I was looking for. I hope that my sons will get their Ham License soon. If so, this is the radio I'm going to purchase for them.

Well, 2 days ago I went to the local Ham Radio Outlet and purchased a unit for me.
The current price on this unit from HRO is $120. I assume that other stores will/are
offer the unit at around the same price.

While I've only had the unit for just 2 days, I though I'd share my first thoughts
about starting to use the unit.

With the 3 AA batteries, the DJ-S41T puts out about 1/3 of a watt of power. Before
I started uning the unit, I worried that this won't be enough power. I'm happy to
say that for my needs, 1/3 of a watt IS enough. I can hit a repeater up on the hill
that's over 5 miles away. According to the signal reports, my signal is coming in
100% clean. I havn't had a chance to see how far I can go with it, but I'll try it
out latter on. Today I did "hit" the same repeater from work. No one came back,
so I can't say how good/bad my signal was; however the signal had to travel over

20 miles to trigger the repeater. Not bad for just 1/3 of a watt.

The audio output from the unit is VERY good. In general, small speakers don't
produce a good sound, but this unit seems to be the exception to the rule.

The 1 page instruction manual is a bit thin <humor intended, but it's true>.
That would be my main gripe, but Bill Ricker, N1VUX has written a better manual
and posted it on the WEB. Here's the addres to this page:

http://world.std.com/~wdr/alinco.html

I live in the L.A. area where there's a lot of RF out there. My Radio Shack HTX-202
(2 M HT) ignores all the intermod noise; the Alinco DJ-S41T does not. This might have
been a problem, except that I discovered that when I fold down the antenna, the
sensitivity of the receiver is reduced. Thus, when the antenna is down, I don't have
a problem with intermod noise. Yet the repeater's siganl is strong enough for me to
pick it up.

I still have a lot of things to try with this unit, but so far, it's looking very
good. Keep in mind that this is a unit that sells for $120, don't expect lots of

features, like DTMF or PL for receive. If you're looking for a basic unit at a very
low price, I give the Alinco DJ-S41T a thumbs up.

If you'd rather use 2M, ALinco has a unit, the DJ-S21T that sells for $120 at HRO.
I saw the unit at the store. While I didn't try the 2M unit, it appears to be about
the same as far as power, size and features as the DJ-S41T.

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

Date: 6 May 1997 04:23:07 GMT
From: jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini)
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
situation (bad pun intended)? <g>

This thing is just too heavy to send back to get repaired, and I'd like to
do the repair myself if anyone else has any thoughts or suggestions.
Perhaps this problem has already occurred to someone else?

Thanks in advance, and 73 de

Joe, N2NOU

Date: Tue, 6 May 1997 19:04:32 GMT
From: n1ist@netcom.com (Michael L. Ardai)
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

In article <336f5cde.14951544@news.atl.bellsouth.net> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary
Coffman) writes:
-On 6 May 1997 04:23:07 GMT, jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini) wrote:
-
->I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
->noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
->seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
->sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
->situation (bad pun intended)? <g>

-The hum is a different matter. It may be real AC hum, or it may only
-*sound* like AC hum while really being RF getting back into the supply

-and upsetting the regulator. The latter is more likely the case.

Make sure your radio is not sitting on top of the supply (or directly to
the left). I've seen many cases of coupling between the power transformer
in the supply and something in the radio causing hum.

/mike
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\|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@netcom.com \|/
-*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc === -*-
/|\ or send "info barc-list" to listserv@majordomonetcom.com /|\

Date: 6 May 1997 14:17:49 -0700
From: pklein@handel.seattleu.edu (Peter A. Klein)
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

In article <n1istE9rwzK.6EA@netcom.com>,
Michael L. Ardai <n1ist@netcom.com> wrote:

re. AC hum from power supply:

>Make sure your radio is not sitting on top of the supply (or directly to
>the left). I've seen many cases of coupling between the power transformer
>in the supply and something in the radio causing hum.

Or, as the manual for my Taiwanese clone computer monitor pithily puts
it: "Keep off the capacity transformable or magnetic." :-)

73,
Peter - KD7MW

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Peter A. Klein (pklein@seattleu.edu) : ------==3== --- ---
Network Administrator, LAN/WAN/Novell : | | | | | | | |
Seattle University, 296-5569 : @| @| @| @| @| @| @| @|

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 10:13:47 -0500
From: Mark Mansfield <mmans@aeneas.net>
Subject: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Try your local library. They can obtain it through interlibrary loan
if they do not have it there. There should be plenty of information
for them to get the article.
Mark

> Great, now if I only had a copy of that magazine. Any ideas where I could
> get a copy? Thanks again, 73, Mike...
[snip]
> In article <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>, mmans@aeneas.net wrote:
> >There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.

>

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 19:58:12 GMT
From: keithf@en.com
Subject: COLLINS AT DAYTON

Anyone out there going to be at Dayton with Collins gear for sale?

Keith

Date: 7 May 1997 01:33:04 GMT
From: emta@aol.com (EMTA)
Subject: FS.TEST EQ. TEK O-SCOPE

TEKTRONICS 453 dual trace scope w/ extra leads and all manuals,and
AN/URM-25F
signal generator 1-50Mhz, w/ all manuals and covers.
175.00for all
tx KD4SHB

Date: 6 May 1997 13:07:38 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter

Thanks for the inquiries. The filter is SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <5kl7jk$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, k5dh@qsl.net says...
>
>For Sale:
>
>E.F.Johnson 1 KW low-pass filter for HF use.
>Has SO-239 input and output connections.
>Tubular aluminum housing about 12" long x 3" diameter.

Date: 6 May 1997 13:09:04 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: FS: Johnson 1 KW low-pass HF filter -- SOLD!

Thanks for the inquiries. The filter is SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 02:23:00 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: New Bencher RJ-1 key

I have a new in the box Bencher RJ-1 straight key for sale.
It is in perfect condition. Price is $55.00 including shipping.

73's
Bob

Date: Thu, 1 May 1997 09:06:41 -0600
From: csoles@rmi.net (Clyde Soles)
Subject: FT-50??

Anybody figured out how to solar charge one? What panel, charger,
adaptors did you use?

Opinions on an MFJ portable 3-element yagi vs. a pocket roll-up for
remote use? We'll be using the radios at 154.60. I need the most bang
for the buck (in terms of weight and bulk).

Also -- can the supermod be cloned to another FT-50 or do you have to
use the PC software to get the "mother of all mods?"

Date: 6 May 1997 12:41:22 GMT
From: mikekb2ufs@aol.com (MIKEKB2UFS)
Subject: HTX 202 Lithium Battery replacement

I have replaced the Lithium battery in a friend's HTX-202. You may be
able to find a similar battery with radial leads somewhere and just solder
it in. What I did was buy a lithium battery holder from RS and slip in an
ordinary CR2032 lithium cell (about $2 at Walmart). I stuck it on the PC
board with double-face foam tape, soldered the leads to the wires, and
applied some electrical tape to the top of the assembly should it ever
come loose.

(My first attempt was to solder >directly< to the lithuim cell, as I've
done with NiCads-- >>> DO NOT TRY THIS!!! <<<
The cell exploded, of course! Fourtunately I wear glasses.)

73 DE KB2UFS, Mike

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 06:54:35 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: IC-706 WEb pages

zs6awk wrote:
>
> Are there any IC-706 usergroups/webpages/modifications ideas ? (apart from the
> normal ICOM webpages)

>
> Danie zs6awk
---- Good Morning Danie from sunny San Diego, Ca -- there is an ICOM Reflector (Mail List). My server won't let me access my pages this morning (humphh) but you can see over 90 mail relectors including ICOM at the URL below:

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: 6 May 97 22:35:36 GMT
From: bthaysen@juno.COM (Barry F Thaysen)
Subject: IC706 FOR SALE

Mint condition IC706, original box, manual, and microphone.
Reduced to $900.00. You pay shipping from Mt Airy, MD.
Barry Thaysen 301-829-3891
Bthaysen@juno.com
Thanks!

Date: 6 May 97 21:11:44 GMT
From: bthaysen@juno.COM (Barry F Thaysen)
Subject: Icom IC-706 FORSALE!

I have a mint IC706, never mobile, original box, manuals, microphone..
Price reduced to $900.00. You pay shipping.
Barry Thaysen 301-829-3891 Mt Airy, MD
Bthaysen@juno.com

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 17:39:57 GMT
From: rick@antispam.alpha.wcoil.com (Rick)
Subject: Kenwood TS-520 complete base setup $600.00 - ts520.jpg (0/1)

Kenwood TS-520 w/Manual (12 volt capability)
Mic
Frenquency Counter (12 volt capability)
Watt, Modulation, SWR Meter
MFJ Econo Tuner MFJ-900
MFJ Signal Enhancer Tunable CW/SSB Filter MFJ-751
MFJ Super Selector CW/SSB Filter MFJ-721
MFJ RTTY\CW Computer Interface MFJ-1224

Hustler 3 BTV Ground Plane Ant. w/Manual

$600.00

Radio equiptment is all in very nice shape.
Makes a nice radio setup for a camper Take out the
antispam before E-Mailing me.

Date: 6 May 1997 17:43:29 GMT
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu (Scott Rosenfeld NF3I)
Subject: Lithium & NiCd battery replacement caution

Batteries, in general, DO NOT like being soldered to.

"So how do they get those little solder tabs on 'em?"

Any good battery pack fabrication shop will have an
arc welder. It runs a high current through a piece of
metal, such as the terminal of your battery.

If another piece of metal is placed on top before
current is applied, POOF, they melt together and
you get a solder tab.

Battery fabrication places will generally add solder
tabs for 25-50 cents apiece. And they sell Lithium
batteries for HALF what Radio Shack sells them for.
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* Scott Rosenfeld NF3I Burtonsville, MD FM19mc QRV 80-10/6/2/440 *
*** 6m 75 grids worked on 8 watts *** HF 140 cfmd * QRP-L #147 ***
** QRP ARCI #9054 ** DXCC/WAS/WAC *** 100% dipole powered HF/6m **
* 301-549-1022 h / 301-982-1015 w *** 145.490- 147.225+ PL 156.7 *

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 00:23:27 GMT
From: aruder@pipeline.com.nospam (Lou or Annette Hinshaw)
Subject: Looking For Trap Vert Plans.

Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net> wrote:

>Hello and thanks for your time.
> I'm a techplus getting ready to upgrade to general and would like to
>attempt to build a trap vertical. Prefer roof mount, 10-15-20-40 meters.
>Prefer to build rather than buy as I enjoy the fruits of my own
>labors!.Hi Hi. Any help or advice would be appreciated.
>73
>Tim,KC7QOM

go ur public library and seek radio antenna books or mags.
they often have antenna design and construction articles.

good luck

lou wb0nru

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

Date: Tue, 6 May 1997 19:40:47 GMT
From: lui@netcom.com (Stephen Lui)
Subject: Motorola Saber Custom Case

I'm looking for a case for my Motorola Saber HT that covers the entire radio. I'm thinking about a custom case constructed out of padded cordura or maybe leather with a clear plastic window for the display, and a grill for the speaker, and maybe some openings for the PTT, etc... The top can be open for access to the controls.

I plan to use the radio with the speaker mic if I'm carrying it, so a basic rectangular case is an acceptable, though less desirable option.

Does anyone know of a company that sells such a case or will custom make something? I know Motorola has a case, but that only covers the bottom half of the radio.

Stephen

Date: 6 May 1997 15:55:48 -0500
From: ken@qns2.qns.net (Ken Hoyt)
Subject: Need Manual for icon 2700 h

I need a replacement manual for an ICON 2700 h. Lost my other one in a move
Please reply to ken@qns.com
thanks

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 14:54:37 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: New Bencher RJ-1 key is sold

The Bencher RJ-1 key I had is sold.

Thanks
Bob

Date: 6 May 1997 21:04:41 GMT
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com (Richard Gillani)
Subject: RE. NEED ALPHA 77DX PANELS

About one month ago someone posted that they were going to have the panels for the Alpha 77Dx and Sx panels reproduced. Would that

individual Please contact me I have interest in two panels. Please
e-mail tbolt@ix.netcom.com Thank You; Rich

Date: 7 May 1997 01:23:29 GMT
From: "Joe Hargis" <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: SB-401:NEED PARTS

I got 'stung' at PHD Hamfest in KC. Need parts for SB401. Can you help??Joe
WS0E<Joe.7hc@juno.com>

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 08:44:53 -0400
From: Jim Porter <74551.2354@compuserve.com>
Subject: WTB:Icom IC-761

Want To Buy:

Icom IC-761 with narrow CW filter if possible.
(I sold my 751a and need to get back on the air soon.)
Please send email with price, condition and info on
filters.

73, Jim KB2YWS

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 15:24:37 -0400
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Yaesu FT-920 Info

Just got some more info on the Yaesu FT-920 HF-6 meter radio.
The radio is double conversion except FM which is triple.
The if stages are 70 MHZ and 8.8 MHZ.
You have to pay extra for FM I assume It costs the same as the FT-840
option $62.
You also have to pay extra for a AM filter $120. If it is the same as
the
one for the Yaesu Ft-840.
You can also ad a cw filter in addition the AM filter. There is no SSB
narrow filter available. I guess Yaesu feels you should use the DSP for
that.
The radio features "DUAL frequency watch". This feature is Not the same
as DUAL RECEIVE. Dual Watch means the radio will go check on a second
frequency every "so many seconds". You can't listen to two stations at
once.
The radio is more similar to the Kenwood TS-570S than the ICOM 756.
That is my two cents worth, Steven Hershman NS1R

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 22:21:17 GMT
From: sky444@worldnet.att.net
Subject: Yaesu FTC-1123 Help???

Anybody have a manual for this Yaesu FTC-1123 It has 2 meters and I
have no idea how to do anything with it.....any help appreciated..

please respond via e-mail at :::: sky444@worldnet.att.net

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Wed, 07 May 97 02:33:44 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wP0JJ-0009epC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Wed, 7 May 1997 02:34:45 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id CAA24315; Wed, 7 May 1997 02:34:45 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma024313; Wed, 7 May 97 02:34:31 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id WAA12344 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 6 May
1997 22:22:06 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id WAA23659
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 6 May 1997 22:14:13 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id WAA23640
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 6 May 1997 22:14:10 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705070514.WAA23640@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 6 May 97 22:14:09 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #495
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2935. Looking for NiMH cells...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Adison Cota <dante@uclink2.berkeley.edu>
Message-ID: <33703214.6519@uclink2.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 175972

Anyone know where I can find a good source for NiMH cells?

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Daniel Cota
dante@uclink2.berkeley.edu

2936. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5koh0i$gk9@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 175973

jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini) wrote:
>I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
>noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
>seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
>sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
>situation (bad pun intended)? <g>

The lights just do that. Don't worry about it.

Regarding the hum, I've occasionally found the filter capacitor
literally *loose*. Get a fair-sized Phillips screwdriver. You'll
find two screws fastening the circuit board to the top of a capacitor.
Make sure those screws are good and tight, and that they have
lockwashers between the screws and the circuit board.

73 Doug

2937. Tempo VHF/One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: cgill@airmail.net
Message-ID: <6B91D82C6CBE75B3.AFC83D847FA9F958.C5D5515EFCC57918@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 175974

I am desparetly looking for the schematic to this radio, Tempo VHF/One
2m radio, or help connecting it to a KPC-3.

It has a round connection labeled ACC with 9 female pins to connect
to. I was able to figure out receive audio and ground easily but not
the others, PTT, Transmit audio, etc...

Any help is appreciated!
Please relpy to my email address.

Craig KB5TCU
cgill@airmail.net
cgill@pobox.org.sg

2938. Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim@uncle.net
Message-ID: <33702a02.9795613@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175975

I recently purchased an Icom 706 and would like to dabble with 2 meter AM or SSB. Do hams actually communicate in these modes anymore? I never seem to hear anyone. Is this mode more affected by propogation than others? The main reason I ask is that I have never heard anyone on 2 meter AM or SSB. I never see this topic discussed so I suppose the answer will help new hams other than myself. I live near Macon GA and travel to Atlanta frequently with the rig installe in my truck. Thanks for any replies. Tim

2939. Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim@uncle.net
Message-ID: <33712d17.10584613@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175976

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2940. Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim@uncle.net
Message-ID: <33702e26.10855011@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175977

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2941. Looking for Crystals - 6M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33707092.40FA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the units.

Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is there much 6M AM activity?

Any help would be appreciated.

2942. Old Hartman Transceiver info needed. - Reply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@saddlecrk.COM
Message-ID: <s3703dfe.095@dsm-usa.com>
Source record: 175979

sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:

>The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel marine transceiver but
>receives the AM broadcast band from
>550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks on the AM dial.

Sorry, don't know a thing about the radio, but the two triangle marks on the AM dial indicate Civil Defense frequencies - I beleive that two AM freqs were designated for use nationwide back in the 60's or earlier, in the (then likely and widely anticipated) event that someone lobbed a nuke at us. I haven't seen those marks in a long time but remember them on the first transistor radio I ever saw. Maybe someone else can add more details.....

2943. Heath HW-32 20m SSB monoband xcvr -- SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5kpv7p$789@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 175980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Thanks for the inquiries. The HW-32 has been SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

2944. Re: FS: Heath HW-32 20m SSB monoband xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5kpv68$789@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 175981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Thanks for the inquiries. The HW-32 has been SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <5kl8dq$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, k5dh@qsl.net says...
>
>For Sale:
>
>Heathkit HW-32 20m SSB monoband transceiver

2945. FS: Yaesu FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Fitzgerald <AA2WU@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337086A4.5F2D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175982

Am selling a Yaesu FT-840 with matching FC-10 tuner for $900. The rig is about 3 years old; the tuner is 2 years old. Both in excellent condition.

****
Bill Fitzgerald
Cranford, New Jersey
****

2946. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704078630.AA863013326@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175983

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Today's Topics:
FS: SWAN 500C & SUPPLY $275
Help! FT990 20mt transmission problem.
Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity? (2 msgs)
Mods; ADI 146

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 5 May 1997 01:50:10 GMT
From: nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1)
Subject: FS: SWAN 500C & SUPPLY $275

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN SWAN 500C AND 117X POWER SUPPLY,WITH MANUAL AND SURE
DESK MIKE FOR $275. VERY CLEAN IN EXCELLENT OPERATING CONDITION. STEVE
W1SN

Date: 6 May 1997 23:12:52 GMT
From: n3taw@aol.com (N3TAW)
Subject: Help! FT990 20mt transmission problem.

Help
I have a Yaesu FT990 that has a problem on only 20 mt.
It tunes and transmits perfect into a dummy load. But on two
different types of antena it gets very finicky as to how the
radio will operate. Somtimes the tunner tunes it fine (100w),
Other times it cuts back to (50 - 60w), And other time it shuts
the rig down. There have been no antenna changes, it just does not
like 20mt unless everything is perfect. All the other band tune & work
great. Has anyone else experienced this symptom on thier FT990
or know what this problem is and how to corect it?
I have checked the antenna & transmission lines and everything
is OK.

Stumped N3TAW

rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 07:59:17 GMT
From: Tim@uncle.net (Tim)
Subject: Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity?

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Thanks for any replies. Tim

Date: 6 May 1997 11:03:00 GMT
From: "David Spillett" <ka2ctn@no-spam.ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Mods; ADI 146

All the ADI mods are at:

http://members.aol.com/adiradio/

It's easy!

Dave - ka2ctn@ix.netcom.com

TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com> wrote in article
<336ECC4D.1853@compuserve.com>...
>
> Anyone have the cap mod for the ADI 146 ?
>
> tnx in advance
>
> Tom aa2vk
>

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Wed, 07 May 97 09:39:39 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wP6xc-0009erC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Wed, 7 May 1997 09:40:48 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id JAA27025; Wed, 7 May 1997 09:40:48 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.54) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma027021; Wed, 7 May 97 09:40:29 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA08746 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 7 May
1997 04:52:08 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA25120
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 7 May 1997 04:30:49 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA25101
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 7 May 1997 04:30:46 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705071130.EAA25101@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 7 May 97 04:30:45 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #497
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

2947. 50MHz stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Brown <equinox@itl.net>
Message-ID: <3370F749.1FC2@itl.net>
Source record: 175984
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,

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Due to a major increase in server space we are now able to add lots of
constructional articles to the 50MHz section.
Filters/Amps/Antennas etc...lots more to come!
Checkout:
http://user.itl.net/~equinox

:-)
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2948. Re: Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geoffm@humus.cs.huji.ac.il
Message-ID: <5kpvtg$73s@news.huji.ac.il>
Source record: 175985

Tim (Tim@uncle.net) wrote:

: I recently purchased an Icom 706 and would like to dabble with 2 meter
: AM or SSB. Do hams actually communicate in these modes anymore? I
: never seem to hear anyone. Is this mode more affected by propogation
: than others? The main reason I ask is that I have never heard anyone
: on 2 meter AM or SSB. I never see this topic discussed so I suppose
: the answer will help new hams other than myself. I live near Macon
: GA and travel to Atlanta frequently with the rig installe in my truck.

2 meter AM is just about dead. This is due to the lack of equipment, as all
of the modern "all-mode" rigs don't include it. With the advent of the 706 and
the rumored Yaesu rig comming, it may yet be back.

However 2m SBB is alive and well. It is mostly around 144.200 (the national
ssb/cw calling frequency). You will not hear much mobile as the signals
are usually horizontally polarized and 2m fm antennas are vertical. This is
about a 20db loss.

There are 2m ssb nets, and several times a year there are contests. To
me VHF contesting was one of the best things a ham could do. Why?
besides being relaxed, as no one trys for the rapid fire cw contacts
they do on hf, it is a chalenge.

Since VHF is basicaly line of sight and almost never bounces, you are
trying to commuicate by either bending the signals over the horizion or
"ducting" them in the tropsphere.

It can be done, I've personally had 300 mile and farther contacts on 2m ssb.

Geoff.

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Geoffrey S. Mendelson (4X/N3OWJ), Senior Programmer
Computer Science Institute, Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel
geoffm@cs.huji.ac.il (02) 65 85692 Fax (02) 561 7723
To get pgp public key: "finger geoffm@cs.huji.ac.il"

2949. FT902 DM fs:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2uha@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970507151401.LAA09948@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175986

I have a 902dm works fine all bands including warc. phone patch , dc pwr supply , ac power supply, mike an manual, prefer local sale or within 250 miles of northern vt so i can demonstrate it use. 400 .00
bud

2950. FS: Over 1150 Mods on Disk!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3370a80e.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 175987

ATTENTION HAM RADIO OPERATORS: During my spring cleaning this past week I found
50 copies of the 1996 edition of the N2RWE Amateur Radio Modification Database which
is a software program that I created in 1994 and have updated yearly as a one-stop
source for Ham Radio and Scanner Modifications! The package contains over
1150 Mods and Service bulletins.

Asking Price: $10 SHIPPED!!

Info:

1996 Hamfest Leftovers!!! Hurry!!! Only 50 Copies Left!!!
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- Printed Documentation
- 1996 Hamfest Price $15
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- Yaesu
- Standard
- Alinco
- Realistic
- Bearcat
- Regency
- Kantronics
- AEA
- Azden
- Many, Many More!
Requires:
- DOS 3.3 or Higher
- 640k RAM
- 4 Megabytes Free Hard Disk Space
- 3.5" Disk Drive

I'd you'd like to get one, or for more information please
visit my web site at http://mypage.ihost.com/unitedsound
or e-mail me at srwhite@ibm.net

If you're a dealer and would like to sell these copies at a
hamfest, the price for 10 is $50 ($5 ea), for 20 the
cost is $80 ($4 ea) and shipping is free!

Thanks,
Steve White
N2RWE

2951. KW TS520S CW Filter??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3373ace3.15881440@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175988

Where can I buy a CW filter for a KW TS520S? Someone told me ICM or Foxtrot Tango, but I can't come up with any web pages for either. Any other suggestions?

Tnx es 73 de Ron/N3ZDS

2952. need HP-415e manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEN SIMMONS <kk5rh@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3370A078.4BF6@flash.net>
Source record: 175989

I have a HP-415E swr meter. still has battery
but won't charge. Would like to replace, but have
no idea what kind of battery to use. I would like
to buy a manual or a good copy and pay all costs.
If anyone can help me with this please e-mail.

Thanks
Ken Simmons KK5RH

2953. WTB: Icom IC-761 or Kenwood 940S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970507170001.NAA16857@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175990

MUST be in "MINT" condition, prefer orig. boxes, manuals etc. contact Van,
E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

tnx es 73 de Van

2954. KW TS520 CW Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33719e76.12187633@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175991

Where can I buy a CW filter for a KW TS520S? Someone told me ICM or Foxtrot Tango, but I can't come up with any web pages for either. Any other suggestions?

Tnx es 73 de Ron/N3ZDS

2955. Connection of VF-1 to DX-40?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gekko95@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5kqdcr$o0k@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone have the pinout requirements to connect a VF-1
to a DX-40? (which pin of the VFO goes to which pin of the
DX-40)

Thanks for any who reply.

Dave gekko95@ix.netcom.com

2956. Re: HTX-204

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty Jones <mjones@same.as.CC>
Message-ID: <3370CF2B.28BC@same.as.CC>
Source record: 175993

Brian wrote:
>
> Michael Melland wrote:
> >
> > psoft_a wrote:
> > >
> > > I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to information
> > > on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com. All I have found so far
> > > is a brief description of the fact that is was pulled off the shelves.
> >
> > Check out the ADI/Premier home page FAQ at: http://www.adi-radio.com
> >
> > 73 de Mike KB9QHU
> Generally, if you just purchased a new radio, they include an operations
> manual with them. I would consider looking at it for information. And
> I'll bet there is absolutely nothing in the manual about it being pulled
> from the shelves.
> --
> Brian Burke
> (to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

This guy should be in customer service at
microsoft. His replies are generally correct,
smartass, and useless.

Marty Jones

2957. FS Receiver RCA SSB-R3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ACHILES <achiles@kom.forthnet.gr>
Message-ID: <01bc5b0e$d4e3cd20$e76adbc2@achiles>
Source record: 175994

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Dual diversity receiver system RCA SSB-R3 in exellent cont.Original all
components
Realy havy and big system 260 Kg. Dimensions 50" x 30" x 92"
I can sent you photos
Perfect Audio
13 pieces avelable 1,600.00 $ ea + sh
Only for colectors ham call :sv7apq
Email :achiles@kom.forthnet.gr
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2958. FS ICOM IC901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3370C349.4937@pacbell.net>
Source record: 175995

I an ICOM IC901 for sale.It is a dual bander for 2 meters and 70 cm.
It includes the remote mounting kit,box and book.$450
AL
K6DJP

2959. WTB- Audio Broadcast Eqpt.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrplace@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <yrplace-0705971038480001@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 175996

I am interested in purchasing all kinds of compressor/ amplifiers, older microphones, mic preamps,mic mixers and other professional broadcast and recording equipment for my collection.

Especially interested in anything by Langevin.

The older the better, and basket cases are always welcome.

Thanks in advance.

.Mark Linett
818-244-1909

2960. wtb Solar Panels of about 40 watts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zdf@netdoor.com
Message-ID: <3370c92d.140967894@news.netdoor.com>
Source record: 175997

Seeking good used solar panels for hamshack of about 40 watts output.
E-mail what you have and asking price.

Gene
N5ZDF@netdoor.com

2961. Old Hartman Transceiver info needed. - Reply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@saddlecrk.COM
Message-ID: <s370927f.028@dsm-usa.com>
Source record: 175998

sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:

>The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel marine transceiver but
>receives the AM broadcast band from
>550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks on the AM dial.

Sorry, don't know a thing about the radio, but the two triangle marks on the AM dial indicate Civil Defense frequencies - I beleive that two AM freqs were designated for use nationwide back in the 60's or earlier, in the (then likely and widely anticipated) event that someone lobbed a nuke at us. I haven't seen those marks in a long time but remember them on the first transistor radio I ever saw. Maybe someone else can add more details.....

2962. Re: Old Hartman Transceiver info needed.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5kqn93$5dl@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 175999

Gary Coffman (ke4zv@bellsouth.net) wrote:

: >I would like to know about a Hartman Marine Model 3059 tube
: >Radio Telephone transceiver. It looks very old but don't have

: I can't tell you much about the radio except to note that the 4 channels
: are probably in the 2 MHz area. But I can tell you what the triangles

Yes, they are in the 2 MHz area.

: meant. These marks indicated the CONELRAD frequencies on the
: AM broadcast band. That was the emergency warning system used

Yes, this seems to be also correct. Had other people email the same
answers to me.

: This does date your radio as being manufactured sometime in the
: 1950s.

I agree, the radio must date sometime in the 1950's.

What's the story on the Hartman company and did they make other radios?

: Gary
: Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
: Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
: 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
: Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

2963. Adjusting Mic Gain for SSB on a Kenwood TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmclaugh@cscc.edu
Message-ID: <863041241.1012@dejanews.com>
Source record: 176000
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am realatively new to working any HF (I just passed my 5 WPM 2 weeks ago) and am trying to learn how to work 10 M SSB. I am pretty sure my SWR is ok (don't have a meter or tuner yet. I am waiting until next week and am going to pick one up at Dayton Hamvention). My question is that I need to adjust my mic gain so that I can lower the power out to about 200 Watts PEP. According to the rig's manual, you do this with the mic gain. I know this is really hard to do with out a power meter, but even if I can get it close (say 190 or heck even less), that would work for now. Also, does the Carrier Knob do anything on SSB?

Joel McLaughlin
N8VQJ

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

2964. FS: Compaq Contura laptop 486

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970507220900.SAA09144@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176001

I have for sale in excellent condition:

Compaq Contura Laptop 486DX25
120 meg. HD
4 meg. ram
Trackball
Battery, AC adapter and power cord
Windows 3.1
3 1/2 in.drive
2400 Baud internal modem
Monochrome VGA liquid display monitor
With all books and documentation

Will sell it $425 shipped and thats firm
I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, MA

2965. FS: Geochron "Original" World Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970507221000.SAA09247@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176002

Geochron "original" Worl Clock (the one with the gray line map) and minute indicator. New in box, $650, including UPS.

Call Sherman, W4FLA, 1-800-333-9041

73,
Dave, K2DP

2966. HELP: Accessory Plug for Tempo One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@bright.net
Message-ID: <5kquvg$a3i@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 176003

Greetings!

I recently acquired a Tempo One transceiver, sans accessory plug.
Could a fellow Tempo One owner please let me know what pins are
jumpered (aon this plug so I can get the rig on the air?

Thanks!

73,

Tony N8SNC

2967. WTB: GE Master II UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5b37$3a641e20$398baccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 176004

Want to buy GE Master II UHF sled.

My appologies if you responded to my previous request and
I didn't answer. MSN.COM has simply been too unreliable.
Please respond to the address below.

73 Stan W3INK
w3ink@erols.com

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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com

2968. Icom FA-S270A on a Yaesu FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: markbond@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <markbond-ya023680000705971906560001@news5.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 176005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm experimenting with an Icon FA-S270A antenna on my Yaesu FT50R. So far
it seems to preform adaquately. Does anyone know what Icom uses the
FA-S270A for in it's product line.
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/__Mark_S_Bond__W2MB____/__markbond@bellatlantic.net__\
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2969. GERTSCH FM-9D---need book

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970507183800.OAA23014@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176006

E-Mail radiomatt@aol.com with price
Thanx

2970. FS: Yaesu DualBand HT+Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: timw@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970507.154317.8087.4.TimW@juno.com>
Source record: 176007

The following is for sale as a package:

*) Yaesu FT-530 Dual-Band Handheld (w/ antenna, battery, charger,
manuals, etc.)
*) VOX Headset for above
*) Soft Case for above
*) Car adapter for above
*) Speaker-Microphone for above

The above equiment will sell at $395 or best offer. It is in excellent
condition with no severe blemishes on the case. It has been inspected by
several local hams, and has received high marks. This is a great deal!!!
(shipping is negotiable)

Call Tim at:
(360) 573-6125
or e-mail at
TimW@juno.com

Thank you for reading,
Tim Whitcomb, AB7LP
ab7lp@qsl.net

2971. Re: Looking for Crystals - 6M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: DrPepper@iwvisp.com
Message-ID: <3372be9a.2478930@news.iwvisp.com>
Source record: 176008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Try G&G Communications at:

www.iinc.com/ggcomm/

They have a complete list on rocks on line.
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On Wed, 07 May 1997 08:07:46 -0400, "Ronald D. Lucier"
<optics3d@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M
>Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the
>units.
>
>Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is
>there much 6M AM activity?
>
>Any help would be appreciated.

Dr Pepper
Good ALL the time
(Well, , , SOME of the time, anyway :)

2972. Re: earn FREE digital display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: pklein@handel.seattleu.edu
Message-ID: <5kr3cc$k1h@handel.seattleu.edu>
Source record: 176009

In article <3370F582.18AF@aade.com>, Neil Heckt <neil@aade.com> wrote:
>Many customers have requested a version of my Digital Frequency Display
>(see May QST or web site below) for use to upgrade older equipment with
>analog dials to digital dials.

Neil, FYI:

In the late 70's I got a 4-digit digital display from an outfit called Torrestronics, somewhere in Ohio. This display measured only kHz and 1/10ths of kHz. The idea was that your "main tuning" dial or bandswitch showed MHz anyway, so why pay for the circuitry and additional digits to display MHz?

You hooked it to the local oscillator or VFO of your receiver or transceiver. It had a two sets of DIP switches which you programmed to your 1st IF frequency (10000 - IF, actually). Which set was in effect was controlled by a two-position switch on the front panel. I used one for CW/LSB and the other for USB.

Yes, it could be off a couple hundred Hz due to variations in crystal frequency, but you could easily figure this out by calibrating to WWV or another known source.

I used this unit for years, on a Hallicrafters SX-122A and a Drake B-line. It was simplicity itself--one connection to the radio through a spare jack and a disc capacitor, plus AC power. The unit still works--it and the SX-122A is on semi-permanent loan to a non-ham friend who listens to shortwave broadcasts.

I mention this only because it might be a simpler, more economical and less radio-invasive approach that would work for some people. It sure took the sting out of using those old main tuning/bandspread general coverage receivers, and made my old Drakes feel like a synthesized transceiver (without the phase noise :-)

Of course your concept counting the signals and adding/subtracting them as the radio does is more accurate, and takes into account BFO offset.

73,
Peter - KD7MW

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Peter A. Klein (pklein@seattleu.edu) : ------==3== --- ---
Network Administrator, LAN/WAN/Novell : | | | | | | | |
Seattle University, 296-5569 : @| @| @| @| @| @| @| @|

2973. Re: Icom IC-2000H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3371166D.2B2D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176010

Brian wrote:
>
> N7QN wrote:
> >
> > I have an Icom IC-2000H for sale. The radio is 3 months old and never
> > mobile. It has the optional UT-101 and comes with the HM-95 DTMF
> > microphone. It is as new with box , manual, etc.
> >
> > I will ship it out for $250(will negotiate on price some)
> >
> > E-mail response to N7QN@aol.com
> > Thanks.73.
> > Mark.
>
> Mark, how is it with intermod? Brian

I also own a Icom IC-2000H and it has never been prone to intermod
like my Alinco moble radios.

2974. WTB: UBC9000xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Cox <i2567@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <3370D637.5BB5@netnitco.net>
Source record: 176011
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello,

I am looking to buy a UBC9000xlt (UK version). If anyone has one
they want to sell, please let me know.

Thanks
Ed

2975. BAYCOMM MODEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Arnold" <D.Arnold@primocomputers.com>
Message-ID: <33713A1A.3E50@primocomputers.com>
Source record: 176012

Wanted dead or alive..no junk please a baycomm packet modem
schematic will do just fine if i can get the modem itself
web pages or what ever..need for project with a 1 june deadline
getting desperate

DON KB5FHX

2976. WTB: Crystals in the FT-243 holders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Brennan <tdi@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <33712D8B.77D7@bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 176013

Anyone out there interested in selling crystals in the range of
7001 Khz to 7040 Khz please e-mail. They must be in the old FT-243
holders. So many crystal supplyers seem to no longer be in business.

Sure would like a little help from the web.

Thanks,
Bob Brennan, K3IMA

2977. FS: Prop Pitch Motors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Skapiak" <jskapiak@inficon.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5b58.37d9c6c0$4713c6cf@default>
Source record: 176014

I have a pair of prop pitch motors for sale $350 for the pair +
shipping or will deliver to the Dayton Hamvention. I can be reached at
315-677-5238 evenings or e-mail at jskapiak@inficon.com

John K2SY

2978. Re: TM-V7A Software Coming from Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Marius Evang <jane@ifi.uio.no>
Message-ID: <xmlwwpb3srf.fsf@hridil.ifi.uio.no>
Source record: 176015
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

>> Rick Bates writes:

RB> Major hint. The control head is just that, a control head. Four
RB> wires (ground, power, data in and data out) are all that will be
RB> used. Someone want to figure out how to interface it? Or make
RB> new software other than the cloning software?

This has been discussed for the TM733 as well, but nobody has done
it... It seems like all restrictions as to out-of-band operation,
xband repeater, 1750Hz tone etc. Is only present in the "control head"

MArius (LC1MAT/LB4PE/9H3WF)

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<nickj> marius: du sogner til den ny-naivistiske retning innen
livsbeskuelse. ganske vanlig blant s�kalte "studenter", statsst�ttede
livsnytere og intellektuelle sjarlataner som de er

2979. earn FREE digital display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil Heckt <neil@aade.com>
Message-ID: <3370F582.18AF@aade.com>
Source record: 176016

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to bring out a filament AC voltage which I can rectify.

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possible photograph them. I can use photographic prints or video
tape from your camcorder. (I have a flat bed scanner and a snappy
video capture unit).

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and credit for the modification instructions.

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Thanks

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Neil
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Home of L/C Meter IIB and Digital Frequency Display
Links to sites of interest to Engineers, Amateurs and hobbyists
interested in Circuit Design and construction.
253-351-9316

2980. Comments: IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric K. Davis" <ekd@iastate.edu>
Message-ID: <337151F4.FC556E7@iastate.edu>
Source record: 176017

I am currently looking at purchasing an Icom W32A handheld. I would
like comments on its performance by someone who has used one before.

73's
Eric

2981. Re: Looking For Trap Vert Plans.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <5koic5$ht5@camel2.mindspring.com>
Source record: 176155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net> wrote:

>Hello and thanks for your time.
> I'm a techplus getting ready to upgrade to general and would like to
>attempt to build a trap vertical. Prefer roof mount, 10-15-20-40 meters.
>Prefer to build rather than buy as I enjoy the fruits of my own
>labors!.Hi Hi. Any help or advice would be appreciated.
>73
>Tim,KC7QOM

go ur public library and seek radio antenna books or mags.
they often have antenna design and construction articles.

good luck

lou wb0nru

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

2982. Re: Lafayette Atom Smasher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: af2c@computer.net
Message-ID: <336fcd6b.12292408@news.computer.net>
Source record: 176156

Hi Perry -

I have one of those old "Atom Smashers." You can shorten the rubber band using an old trick we used with the drive belt on cassette machines.

Carefully cut the rubber band and then lay one-end over the other with an overlap. Make a diagonal cut with a sharp razor blade through both ends of the rubber band at a point which gives you the length you need.

Now carefully "crazy glue" the two ends together.

73,
Jay

Perry Locke <cpl@kaiwan.com> wrote:

>
>While this is not a RADIO, it is the type of toy that amateurs
>would, and probably have, enjoyed.
>
>I have an 'Atom Smasher' that I got for christmas when I was about 10
>(that was about 35 years ago). It is a 10" Van de Graf generator that
>was sold by Lafayette Electronics in the early sixties. I am interested
>in hearing from anyone who has owned or does own one.
>
>The one I have still works great. But I need a new rubber belt for it. I
>tried a 5/8" x 7" pale crepe rubber band, but it is too long...I have to
>elevate the tube by hand to place enough tension on the belt to
>get the motor to drive it. Anyone know where I can find a 5/8"
>x 5" pale crepe rubber band to try?
>
>Perry
>KE6IPV

2983. Re: ICOM/Kenwood MODS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Fay <tonyfay@indigo.ie>
Message-ID: <336FD141.F34@indigo.ie>
Source record: 176157

Jack Reece wrote:
>
> Anybody know of any mods for ICOM 756 or Kenwood TS570S? Any mods
> at all?
> Thanks, Jack WA0VLT

Jack,
Check out Kenwoods web site as they post field service notes there
for their repair outlets.
Tony. EI6EQB

2984. fs...test don't download

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mitchell@cwo.com
Message-ID: <5kohs0$t8$1@bigdog.eli.net>
Source record: 176158

test

2985. RE.: NEED ALPHA 77DX Panels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5kok7t$8oi@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 176159

Approximately one month ago someone posted that they were going to have the Alpha 77 Dx and Sx panels reproduced. Would that individual PLEASE contact me.)or anyone who can help me.) I have interest in ordering two panels. Please e-mail me at tbolt@ix.netcom.com Thanks;Rich

2986. FS.TEST EQ. TEK O-SCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: emta@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970507013200.VAA23520@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176160

TEKTRONICS 453 dual trace scope w/ extra leads and all manuals,and
AN/URM-25F
signal generator 1-50Mhz, w/ all manuals and covers.
175.00for all
tx KD4SHB

2987. SB-401:NEED PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Hargis <joehargis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5a84$d3cde400$d01a93cf@dell>
Source record: 176161

I got 'stung' at PHD Hamfest in KC. Need parts for SB401. Can you help??Joe WS0E<Joe.7hc@juno.com>

2988. F.S. Yaesu 220 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5komj1$14d6@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 176162

I have for sale a Yaesu FT109RH... 220 mHz HT, 10 memories, up to five watts out, LCD display, S/RF/bat meter, original box, manual, charger, looks real nice and works great. No need for it as there is not much on 220 here. Asking $175.....
73 Rod KB8DNS

2989. FS.HF STA.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: emta@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970507013100.VAA23439@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 176163

For sale Kenwood TS-530 xcvr,AT-250 tuner,shure 444D mic,2 long wires,
asst.baluns,1 multi band verticle ant,1 autek computing swr meter,other
asst.
650.00 will not seperate. Also see test eq.FS.

2990. TM-V7A Software Coming from Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-0605972106550001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 176164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

I spoke with Kenwood's Technical Representative today and he related that within a week or so - perhaps in time for the Dayton Hamfest, Kenwood will have a Windows 95 program that will allow file uploads and downloads from the TM-V7A. It will enable alpha numerics for and load the memories with frequency and PL tones. No other remote programmability is planned. The program is supposed to sell for $39.95 and use the data port & PG5A connector.

This will certainly take the pain out of loading memories - especially after a CPU reset!

73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

2991. FS/FT Telrex TB-6-EM Tri-Band Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: proton@postoffice.ptd.net
Message-ID: <5kosdjhlk4@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 176165

I got this Beam in a package deal but it is a little to big for my station. It was in use up until I got it. it is in good condition but I think it may need a new trap on one band. I want 200.00 for it, but will trade for other gear of same value i.e. smaller HF beam, radios, ect. you may contact me via E-Mail at Proton@postoffice.ptd.net

73 alex N3OAP

2992. FS: FNB-49 battery for Yaesu FT-50R $25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: WinW <ufs00776@email.sjsu.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5a9e$5e7cc8a0$6b194182@default>
Source record: 176166

I have a FNB-49 NI-CD (600 mA, 6 V) battery pack available for $25 in the San Jose, California area. It is about one month old. I am selling to buy a bigger battery.

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ufs00776@email.sjsu.edu

2993. Want: Manual for Sprague Tel-Ohmike TO-6A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5a97$faf43080$47f277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 176167
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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Wanted: Manual or SCHEMATIC (especially) for
venerable and trusted Sprague Tel-Ohmike
condensXX (pardon!) CAPACITOR checker,
model TO-6A.

Any reproduction costs GLADLY covered, and
my eternal thanks are offered to you!

Thanks de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net
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2994. *** Kenwood TH-78A for Sale ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Currier <currier@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3371760E.7C5E@flash.net>
Source record: 175782

I've got a friend who wants to sell his TH-78A. It has a couple of extra batteries, rapid charger, cases for the radio with large and small batteries, and wall plugin charger. In good condition. Asking $389 plus shipping. May consider other offers. If interested, please e-mail "currier@flash.net"

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David Currier
KC5IFK
currier@flash.net
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2995. FS: Motorola HT90 UHF HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5kr0rk$p7r@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 175783

Hello, I have a mint Motorola HT90 UHF HT for sale with rapid charger.
Freq range is 450-470 ,4 watt,2 freq. Currently on 443.1 my uhf
repeater. $100 shipped
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

2996. WTB: AM-6155 (UHF) Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5kr38m$9do@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 175784

Looking for an AM-6155 UHF Amplifier. Prefer a clean, unmodified unit but will consider a clean, working, converted unit. What have we out there ?? 73 de Dick, W1KSZ.

2997. Re: avanti antenna information needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <dbarker@visioncomm.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5b50$e98d63c0$3a0a92cf@gothamway>
Source record: 175785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

And I always thought an Avanti was a fiberglass Studebaker.

WG4S, Atlanta

2998. KENWOOD TS-870S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sanguan srivalosakul <srivalo@mozart.inet.co.th>
Message-ID: <3371F29D.77B@mozart.inet.co.th>
Source record: 175786

HI,
I'm interested in Kenwood TS-870s. please tell me about it.
73
HS0UBO
hs0ubo@qsl.net

2999. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704078630.AA863060421@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175787

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Illeagal Transmission
Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity?
Looking for Crystals - 6M
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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

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From: Currier <currier@flash.net>
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Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 16:51:14 -0600
From: jmclaugh@cscc.edu
Subject: Adjusting Mic Gain for SSB on a Kenwood TS-430S

I am realatively new to working any HF (I just passed my 5 WPM 2 weeks
ago) and am trying to learn how to work 10 M SSB. I am pretty sure my SWR
is ok (don't have a meter or tuner yet. I am waiting until next week and
am going to pick one up at Dayton Hamvention). My question is that I need
to adjust my mic gain so that I can lower the power out to about 200 Watts
PEP. According to the rig's manual, you do this with the mic gain. I
know this is really hard to do with out a power meter, but even if I can
get it close (say 190 or heck even less), that would work for now. Also,
does the Carrier Knob do anything on SSB?

Joel McLaughlin
N8VQJ

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 19:11:02 -0700
From: "Matthew A. Erickson" <kk5dr@io.com>
Subject: ALPHA 76

The ETO ALPHA 76A(pa) is quite likely the best amatuer HF amplifier ever made.(In my
oppinion)

Reasons why;

(1) Simple, yet very effective design.
(2)Easy to maintain. (clean once a year, lube fan bearing once a year)
(3)Very effiecent, 70% typical, which means more of the power goes out the antenna, than
out in the shack, as heat.
(4)Quiet, cool opeartion, even at full power, for long periods.
(5)The best ALC feedback system on the market, (you set it for max power, and forget it),
the amp will never exceed that level you set, no matter what the drive is set at. (You must
actually connect the ALC to the exciter for this to work)
(6)Desk top convinience, no bulking outborad power supplies to take up space, yet the amp
delivers full legal limit power out.
(7)Easy to tune, set it up by number, never need to tune on the air again, after making up

a "cheat chart".
(8)Little to no "parasitic" trouble, NEVER USE THIS AMP ON 12 METERS, without first modifing the Plate choke, or you will burn it up, (unmodified plate choke is resonante on 25 mhz). My 76 has never "spit" or "sputtered", on any band.
(9)Inrush current protection is standard, (long before most other manufacturers every put it in their amp).
(10)Grid & plate over current protection standard, (nearly "foolproof").
(11)Warm-up lock-out, you can't hurt the tubes while they warm-up, because you can't key the amp, till the warm-up period is comlpete.
(12)Many of these amps that are "old"(15+yrs), are still on the air, & still putting out full power, with the original tubes in them. My 76 has the original tubes in it and has been putting out full legal limit ++, since 1982.

These amps, give the owner the most "bang" for his buck, even an older ALPHA, can out perform most "NEW" amps.
This is my opinion, you may or may not share it.
No, I am not connectted to ETO in anyway, I just really like the ALPHA.

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Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 20:39:50 -0700
From: Joe Modern <modern@pacbell.net>
Subject: FOR SALE: EIMAC 4-400A TUBE

For Sale: One new-old-stock Eimac 4-400A Tube. $95 plus shipping.
Reply to : modern@pacbell.net

Date: 7 May 1997 22:11:04 GMT
From: stevewz1u@aol.com (Steve wz1u)
Subject: FS: Compaq Contura laptop 486

I have for sale in excellent condition:

Compaq Contura Laptop 486DX25
120 meg. HD
4 meg. ram
Trackball
Battery, AC adapter and power cord
Windows 3.1

3 1/2 in.drive
2400 Baud internal modem
Monochrome VGA liquid display monitor
With all books and documentation

Will sell it $425 shipped and thats firm
I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, MA

Date: 7 May 1997 13:13:44 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: FS: Heath HW-32 20m SSB monoband xcvr

Thanks for the inquiries. The HW-32 has been SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <5kl8dq$1pm@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, k5dh@qsl.net says...
>
>For Sale:
>
>Heathkit HW-32 20m SSB monoband transceiver

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 21:25:05 -0700
From: Michael Kassay <MKASSAY@sympatico.ca>
Subject: FS: MOTOROLA

For Sale...
Motorola MCX-1000 VHF low split mobile transceiver
-56 channel
-CTCSS encode/decode
-scan
-35 watts
-synthesized - EEprom
-alpha-numeric display
-9600 baud
This heavy duty intermod free mobile radio comes complete with mic, speaker, mobile brackets and power cable. Presently programmed for Amateur frequencies.

asking price $400 CDN plus shipping or TRADE???

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* *
Michael Kassay - Barrie, Ontario, Canada.
VE3MKX
mailto:MKassay@Sympatico.ca
Packet - VE3MKX @ VE3FJB.#con.on.can.noam

Date: 7 May 97 16:04:30 GMT
From: srwhite@ibm.net
Subject: FS: Over 1150 Mods on Disk!

ATTENTION HAM RADIO OPERATORS: During my spring cleaning this past week I found
50 copies of the 1996 edition of the N2RWE Amateur Radio Modification Database which
is a software program that I created in 1994 and have updated yearly as a one-stop
source for Ham Radio and Scanner Modifications! The package contains over
1150 Mods and Service bulletins.

Asking Price: $10 SHIPPED!!

Info:

1996 Hamfest Leftovers!!! Hurry!!! Only 50 Copies Left!!!
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Features:
- Over 1150 Entries!
- OVER 1000 MODS for Ham Radio and Scanner Equipment!!!!
- Over 100 Service Bulletins!
- Fast Retreival with the Easy-To-Use Database Software!!
- Database Software Allows On-Screen Viewing, Printing, and Exporting
- Version 5.01 - 1996 Edition
- Printed Documentation
- 1996 Hamfest Price $15
Mods Available for Over 20 Manufacturers Such As:
- Icom
- Yaesu
- Standard
- Alinco
- Realistic
- Bearcat
- Regency
- Kantronics
- AEA
- Azden
- Many, Many More!
Requires:
- DOS 3.3 or Higher
- 640k RAM
- 4 Megabytes Free Hard Disk Space
- 3.5" Disk Drive

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or e-mail me at srwhite@ibm.net

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hamfest, the price for 10 is $50 ($5 ea), for 20 the
cost is $80 ($4 ea) and shipping is free!

Thanks,
Steve White
N2RWE

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 09:41:56 -0400
From: Bill Fitzgerald <AA2WU@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: Yaesu FT-840

Am selling a Yaesu FT-840 with matching FC-10 tuner for $900. The rig is about 3 years old; the tuner is 2 years old. Both in excellent condition.
****
Bill Fitzgerald
Cranford, New Jersey
****

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 11:00:41 -0700
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Subject: FS ICOM IC901

I an ICOM IC901 for sale.It is a dual bander for 2 meters and 70 cm. It includes the remote mounting kit,box and book.$450
AL
K6DJP

Date: 7 May 1997 18:39:39 GMT
From: radiomatt@aol.com (Radiomatt)
Subject: GERTSCH FM-9D---need book

E-Mail radiomatt@aol.com with price
Thanx

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 22:18:07 GMT
From: tony@bright.net (Tony S.)
Subject: HELP: Accessory Plug for Tempo One

Greetings!

I recently acquired a Tempo One transceiver, sans accessory plug. Could a fellow Tempo One owner please let me know what pins are jumpered (aon this plug so I can get the rig on the air?

Thanks!

73,

Tony N8SNC

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 13:51:23 -0500
From: Marty Jones <mjones@same.as.CC>
Subject: HTX-204

Brian wrote:
>
> Michael Melland wrote:
> >
> > psoft_a wrote:
> > >
> > > I just bought an HTX-204 dual band. If anyone can point me to information
> > > on it, please email me at michaelb@firstlogic.com. All I have found so far
> > > is a brief description of the fact that is was pulled off the shelves.
> >
> > Check out the ADI/Premier home page FAQ at: http://www.adi-radio.com
> >
> > 73 de Mike KB9QHU
> Generally, if you just purchased a new radio, they include an operations
> manual with them. I would consider looking at it for information. And
> I'll bet there is absolutely nothing in the manual about it being pulled
> from the shelves.
> --
> Brian Burke
> (to reply, please remove ".nospam" from the end of my return address)

This guy should be in customer service at
microsoft. His replies are generally correct,
smartass, and useless.

Marty Jones

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 01:48:01 +0100
From: Tony Fay <tonyfay@indigo.ie>
Subject: ICOM/Kenwood MODS!

Jack Reece wrote:
>
> Anybody know of any mods for ICOM 756 or Kenwood TS570S? Any mods
> at all?
> Thanks, Jack WA0VLT

Jack,
Check out Kenwoods web site as they post field service notes there
for their repair outlets.
Tony. EI6EQB

Date: 6 May 1997 23:57:18 GMT
From: "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Subject: Illeagal Transmission

Bea and Marvin Jones <jonz@shell.rmii.com> wrote in article
<5kakjleor1@news1.rmi.net>...
>
> I wonder how much more of this occurs with folks clever enough
> to select some different, oddball frequency to use....
>

I'm sure it happens all the time. And nobody will ever know, because most
of this
usage is UHF low power, on splinter freqs.

Nobody is interfered with, nobody hears it, nobody really cares.

Probably as it should be.

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 07:24:56 GMT
From: Tim@uncle.net (Tim)
Subject: Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity?

I recently purchased an Icom 706 and would like to dabble with 2 meter

AM or SSB. Do hams actually communicate in these modes anymore? I

never seem to hear anyone. Is this mode more affected by propogation

than others? The main reason I ask is that I have never heard anyone

on 2 meter AM or SSB. I never see this topic discussed so I suppose

the answer will help new hams other than myself. I live near Macon

GA and travel to Atlanta frequently with the rig installe in my truck.

Thanks for any replies. Tim

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 17:40:46 GMT
From: DrPepper@iwvisp.com (Dr Pepper)
Subject: Looking for Crystals - 6M

Try G&G Communications at:

www.iinc.com/ggcomm/

They have a complete list on rocks on line.
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On Wed, 07 May 1997 08:07:46 -0400, "Ronald D. Lucier"
<optics3d@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M
>Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the
>units.
>

>Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is
>there much 6M AM activity?
>
>Any help would be appreciated.

Dr Pepper
Good ALL the time
(Well, , , SOME of the time, anyway :)

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 10:19:21 -0600
From: CJ Johansson <"-.-. .---"@boi.hp.com>
Subject: Midland LMR: Any Info?

I managed to get a couple of surplus Midland Land Mobile Radio HT's.
They
are marked as Model No. 70-254B. The case and general appearance looks
like
they came out of the same mold (exactly) as my Icom 02-AT. A look with
my
spectrum analyzer shows that they are UHF.

They have 16 channels, LP tone encoding, with a selectable priority
channel.
The 'beep' when you press keys sounds just like the Icom. The keypad has
different markings than the 02-AT, so it's not obvious how you would
program
them.

So, a few of questions:

Are these things actually made by Icom?

Does anyone know how to program these things?
Turning them on with the 'shift' key (func on 02-AT) and holding it
for
about 5 seconds generates a different beep, the display stays blank,
and
apparently nothing else works except the PTT, which gets the radio
back
into normal mode.

Are these things even usable (or modifiable) on 70cm?
If not, I guess I've got a few extra batteries for my Icom...
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|cj@boi.hp.com |
KD6AEG |
|===|
|Hewlett-Packard
| |
|Storage Systems Division | Give a man a

beer |
|11413 Chinden Blvd. M/S 831 | and he'll waste an
hour |
|Boise, ID 83714 | Teach him to
brew |
| | and he'll waste the rest of his
life. |

Date: 7 May 97 18:44:25 GMT
From: Tom@saddlecrk.COM (Tom Lyons)
Subject: Old Hartman Transceiver info needed. - Reply

sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:

>The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel marine transceiver but
>receives the AM broadcast band from
>550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks on the AM dial.

Sorry, don't know a thing about the radio, but the two triangle marks on the AM dial indicate Civil Defense frequencies - I beleive that two AM freqs were designated for use nationwide back in the 60's or earlier, in the (then likely and widely anticipated) event that someone lobbed a nuke at us. I haven't seen those marks in a long time but remember them on the first transistor radio I ever saw. Maybe someone else can add more details.....

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 18:33:04 -0600
From: Wayne <hartbeat@greenepa.net>
Subject: SCANNERS FOR SALE---Pro 34,2004,2006,2022 & 2030

Have the following scanners for sale:

Pro 34--Very good condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $210.

Pro 2004--Excellent condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $230.

Pro 2006--Excellent condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $400

Pro 2022--Excellent condition, mods, box, manual and antenna. $225.

Pro 2030--Excellent condition, mods and antenna. No box or manual. $140.

All of the above are in great working order with NO defects.
I will pay shipping. Thank you.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: 7 May 1997 17:02:30 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)

Subject: WTB: Icom IC-761 or Kenwood 940S/AT

MUST be in "MINT" condition, prefer orig. boxes, manuals etc. contact Van,
E-mail:
wb0nzv@aol.com

tnx es 73 de Van

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 17:52:19 -0400
From: Peter Polizzo <ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Subject: WTB: Rack Fans

hi,
i am looking for rack fans for a 19" rack unit. Two or more
fans mounted on a rack panel would be fine.
Do you have anything E-Mail ppolizzo@suffolk.lib.ny.us
Thanks Peter..

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #499
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Wed, 07 May 97 22:36:34 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wPJ5c-0009esC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Wed, 7 May 1997 22:37:52 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id WAA10127; Wed, 7 May 1997 22:37:52 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma010125; Wed, 7 May 97 22:37:39 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id RAA28569 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 7 May
1997 17:52:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id PAA23175
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 7 May 1997 15:32:40 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id PAA23104
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 7 May 1997 15:32:29 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705072232.PAA23104@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 7 May 97 15:32:22 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #499
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3000. WANTED: I-COM W31A UHF VHF HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: samesame1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970508032400.XAA06734@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175788

I am looking for i com w31a dual band ht any bodey want to sell please
contect me via e-mail samesame1@aol.com must be in good condition tnx.

3001. Yaesu FT-747GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Chapin <bchapin@rahul.net>
Message-ID: <5krai1$7cj@samba.rahul.net>
Source record: 175789

Hi From W6ELD:

I may be sorry, since I am a Tech (Whoops, Tech Plus), but I bought one of the subject rigs at a Hamfest/Fleamarket in Midland, Texas back in March. It has a so called "CAT" capability (No, I don't think this is related to "Computer Aided Tomotography").

My questions:

Does Yaesu offer software so a "standard" PC can control the thing?

What is a good program to send/receive CW on the puppy? I was up to about 17 wpm back in 1950, but settled for a Tech when they were offered in 1951. I _AIN'T_ going to try to get my code speed at age 70, but would like to try using a translation program, PC to RF, or whatever they are called.

Tnx 73,

Bob, W6ELD (Eleven Lazy Donkeys)

3002. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5kr1ta$9ok@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 175790

pklein@handel.seattleu.edu (Peter A. Klein) wrote:
>Or, as the manual for my Taiwanese clone computer monitor pithily puts
>it: "Keep off the capacity transformable or magnetic." :-)

<G>!

Seriously, I've had the bolts that fasten the filter capacitor to the
circuit board get loose. In the short term this causes hum; in the
long term, it can actually damage the circuit board.

Luckily the fix is easy. Take the cover off the supply & make sure
all screws (except of course the one in the voltage adjust control!)
are tight.

73 Doug

3003. Re: Alinco DJ-S41T, 70cm HT, my first reactions.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5krklc$c0a@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175791

To go along with the thread.... Alinco is also introducing a FRS radio
that looks the same as the DJ-S41T but of course will only be useful on
the 14 "channels" on the Family Radio Service. I seen all three at the
AES Super Fest on May 3rd.
Pssst! I also seen a prototype of a all mode HT
reciever, 500 kHz to 2 gigs..... Dayton will have more I should think.
73 Rod KB8DNS

3004. FS: Kenwood TS-940S/AT - 2 CW Filters - Blowout!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5krl57$4t1$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 175792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Must sell: Kenwood TS-940S/AT - Kenwood 500HZ 8MHZ IF, and Internatinal 400HZ 455KC IF. Includes voice synthesizer and Computer interface options. Perfect front, a few black marks on case. Rig works perfect. Recently aligned (2 months ago). All manuals, services manuals, orginal boxes, etc. Must sell, need cash, $1085.00 + shipping. email or call 314-235-1076 days, or 314-947-4155 evenings. 73, Mike - WQ0N

3005. Kenwood TS-830S for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: vidgames@netcom.com
Message-ID: <vidgamesE9uJA7.Guz@netcom.com>
Source record: 175793

I have a Kenwood TS-830S that comes from a relative who was an Advanced and is now an SK. I'm interested in getting rid of it now, but have no idea how much it's worth. If anyone wants to buy it, I'd appreciate it if you could send me an e-mail at vidgames@netcom.com (unless someone else has a better idea), and I'll take the best offer; e-mail for more information and I'll do what I can. I'm in the San Francisco area, so please take into account that I'll add shipping to your location to your bid. Oh, this radio is in very good shape physically, though I don't know how well it works electronically. Judging by the meticulous habits of the owner, I'm sure it's fine. Obviously, if you're also in the SF area and can pick it up, shipping won't be a problem *and* you can eyeball the units yourself. Thanks...

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
=-=-=-=-=
If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

3006. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim@uncle.net
Message-ID: <3372638f.3778941@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175794

On Mon, 28 Apr 1997 12:42:44 -0700, Jim <jimb@aol.com> wrote:

>A carpenter that did some work for me has a 2 meter/440 and uses it to
>stay in contact with his brother. I asked about a call sign but he said
>he did not have one.
>
>What type of penalty?
>Who to contact?
>
>Please post.
>
>Thanks in advance.

Beyond he basic lip service, nothing will likely happen. Your best

is to find a local group of hams that live in different parts of town

and try to catch him or her on the input. After you do that, do an

address search to find hams in the area. If that doesn't work don't

recognize the interference.

3007. HELP w/ Tempo One SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net
Message-ID: <33717936.4871627@news.lightspeed.net>
Source record: 175795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've got an odd problem with this radio. I can tune 80, 20 & 15 meters up to an output of 175 watts (into a dummy load) USB/LSB. However, on 40 meters, I can only tune a maximum of 100 watts. The (built-in current) meter will show the PA current as normal (350MA) except on 40 meters, which will have a max of 175MA. All tubes check out ok and it operates normally otherwise. Any suggestions as to what the problem might be?

I have another Tempo One and it functions normally on all bands. It differs from the one in question in that it has a cooling fan for the finals.

Thanks for any help you can give!

John B. Lawrence

3008. FS: Motorola Micom-X HF xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard B. Harel" <Richard_Harel@ccm.jer.intel.com>
Message-ID: <33721AE0.1774@ccm.jer.intel.com>
Source record: 175796

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For Sale:
Motorola Micom-X
* 2-30 Mhz HF-SSB commercial xcvr
* 125 Watts Output
* 13.8 V Operation
* Remote automatic antenna unit, hand held mic,
users/service manual included.

$1850 or best offer.
(Not including shipping [FedEx] from Jerusalem, Israel)
-----------------------------------------------------
Richard Harel - WB2JBS
Tel: 001-972-2-5896086 (If I am not at my desk,
please leave your name, Tel. # and best time to call)

E-mail:richard_harel@ccm.jer.intel.com
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Disclaimer:
I do not speak for my employer.
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3009. Re: Battery Interchangability?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <5ks5cb$e32@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 175797

Clint Bradford (clint.bradford@atdbbs.com) wrote:

: > >>I was told I could use the Icom batteries for the IC-2at on the Radio
: > >>Shack HTX-202.

: Yes...that's correct.

: My personal favorite is the MAHA MH-BP-8H 8.4V 1800mAh unit. Slow charge
: it, and you'll have 1,000 charge cycles of life. Great battery from a
: great firm.

: ---
: Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
: ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
: ---

Battery packs that are compatible with a 202.....
IC2/IC3/IC4/IC02/IC03/IC04/IC32/ICGX(I'm not SURE
about this one)/H-16/U-16/MAXON-210/some other Radio Shack
HT's/Midland 70-145/Midland 70-245(but note that it won't charge in a ICOM
charger).

3010. FS: Harris HF Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard B. Harel" <Richard_Harel@ccm.jer.intel.com>
Message-ID: <3372315A.213A@ccm.jer.intel.com>
Source record: 175798

This equipment is only available for sale as a complete package !

PRS-6A includes:

Harris RF-590 Receiver
Harris RF-1310A Exciter
Harris RF-3466 High Speed HF Modem
Harris RF-110 1KW Autotuned Amplifier (2 x 4CX1500)
Harris RF-124 PS for above
Harris RF-551A Preselector
Harris PRS Test Panel
Bird 1KW PWR/SWR/Patch panel

Price: $4850 or best offer.
Serious inquiries only please.

Notes:
1. All equipment is in excellent physical and functional condition.
2. All original manuals are included. A seperate integration manual
is also included.
3. All original interconnect cables are included.
4. All equipment now wired for 230V AC operation. (Easily switched
to 110V AC with new fuse and internal or external selector)
5. All equipment is 19" rack mountable. All slides and mounting
hardware is
included. I do not have the rack itself.
6. Price does not include shipping from in Jerusalem,
Israel UPS or FedEx. The total weight is apprx. 250 kg. w/o packing
material. I was quoted FedEx General Cargo rate of $2.10/kg FOB to
JFK.

Contact:

Richard Harel - WB2JBS
Tel: 001-972-2-5896086 (Leave Name, Tel. # and best time to call)

E-mail:richard_harel@ccm.jer.intel.com

Disclaimer:
I do not speak for my employer.

3011. WTB. SM-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hamn4sr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970508105001.GAA28250@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175799

Have a friend who is looking for a SM-230. If you have one to sell
please respond directly to me. Tnx Steve N4SR HAMN4SR@AOL.COM

3012. When to Power Down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <3371b7a8.53758393@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 175800

There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??

73 N1MSV

3013. Re: Midland LMR: Any Info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3371c602.892277@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 175801

On Tue, 06 May 1997 10:19:21 -0600, CJ Johansson <"-.-.
---"@boi.hp.com> wrote:

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>They are marked as Model No. 70-254B. The case and general appearance looks
>like they came out of the same mold (exactly) as my Icom 02-AT. A look with
>my spectrum analyzer shows that they are UHF.
>
>They have 16 channels, LP tone encoding, with a selectable priority
>channel.
>The 'beep' when you press keys sounds just like the Icom. The keypad has
>different markings than the 02-AT, so it's not obvious how you would
>program them.

ICOM private labled the U-16 for Midland. ICOM will not support these
radio, but Midland does. The 70-154 and 70-254 uses a stand alone
programming box to program accomplish the programming. The ability to
clone from radio to radio was removed during manufacturing.

> Are these things actually made by Icom?

Yes but you will need to contact Midland for support

> Does anyone know how to program these things?

Used a stand alone mocroprocessor controlled programmer

Gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

3014. Re: Icom FA-S270A on a Yaesu FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3371c94c.1735289@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 175802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 07 May 1997 19:06:56 -0500, markbond@bellatlantic.net (Mark S. Bond) wrote:

>I'm experimenting with an Icon FA-S270A antenna on my Yaesu FT50R. So far >it seems to preform adaquately. Does anyone know what Icom uses the >FA-S270A for in it's product line.

The IC-T21A 2 meter radio and T41A UHF radio. Both had a bonus band receive. the T21A could receive on UHF and the T41A could receive on VHF so both radios required a dual band antenna.

Gary
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3015. Gonset Communicators - Manuals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3371F529.1B8F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have several Gonset Communicators 2M, 6M, one 6M amp. I would like to find copies of manuals for these beasts. Anyone out there that can help? I am willing to pay copying & postage, etc. If no manuals, any clues on tuning, operating, tweaking, pricing?

73 Ron, WA1UWZ

Information on the highest quality single objective stereoscopic cameras in the world is at:

http://www.3doptics.com

3016. Re: HELP w/ Tempo One SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5kskug$cku@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 175804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does the rig have separate tuned circuits in the mixer and driver stages
for each band? If so, I'd suspect a failure somewhere in one of the 40m
tuned circuits which may be limiting the drive on that band.

Dean K5DH

In article <33717936.4871627@news.lightspeed.net>, ke6tgn@lightspeed.net
says...
>
>I've got an odd problem with this radio. I can tune 80, 20 & 15 meters
>up to an output of 175 watts (into a dummy load) USB/LSB. However, on
>40 meters, I can only tune a maximum of 100 watts. The (built-in
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>Thanks for any help you can give!
>
>John B. Lawrence
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3017. Re: Yaesu FT-747GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3371d686.3948094@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175805

On 8 May 1997 01:33:53 GMT, Bob Chapin <bchapin@rahul.net> wrote:

>Hi From W6ELD:
>
>I may be sorry, since I am a Tech (Whoops, Tech Plus), but I bought one of
>the subject rigs at a Hamfest/Fleamarket in Midland, Texas back in March.
>It has a so called "CAT" capability (No, I don't think this is related to
>"Computer Aided Tomotography").
>
>My questions:
>
>Does Yaesu offer software so a "standard" PC can control the thing?

I don't think so, but there are a number of freeware and shareware programs
available on the net which do. Look in the usual ham software sites. You'll
need a RS232 to TTL level converter. A MAX232 chip will work.

>What is a good program to send/receive CW on the puppy? I was up to about
>17 wpm back in 1950, but settled for a Tech when they were offered in
>1951. I _AIN'T_ going to try to get my code speed at age 70, but would
>like to try using a translation program, PC to RF, or whatever they are
>called.

I don't know of a really *good* CW copy program, but Hamcom works.
It uses a simple opamp interface between the radio and the computer.
A good audio filter in front of the interface will help a lot. There's also
a program called FFTMorse which uses your sound card on your
computer to copy code.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3018. Re: When to Power Down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3371d89b.4481188@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175806

On Thu, 08 May 1997 11:28:26 GMT, gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell) wrote:
>There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer
>off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone
>know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave
>them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down
>everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??
>
>73 N1MSV

If you aren't afraid of power surges, and you don't mind the electric bill, the equipment will last longer if it is constantly powered. We discovered this in broadcasting a long time ago. The vast majority of equipment fails at power-on, and the most common component to fail is electrolytic capacitors. They do much better with constantly applied voltage. Also, keeping the equipment powered prevents moisture from condensing in it. That reduces corrosion problems. (Of course if the equipment is in a conditioned space, that's not a big problem.)

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Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3019. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704088631.AA863100017@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175807

Ham-Equip Digest Thu, 8 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 501

Today's Topics:
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FS: 23cm and 70cm ATV Equipment
FS: Kenwood TS-940S/AT - 2 CW Filters - Blowout!!!
FS: Motorola HT90 UHF HT
FS:TS-50/AMERITRON ALS - 500M
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KENWOOD TS-870S
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New logbook software
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WTB 6 meter module for 767
wtb Solar Panels of about 40 watts

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

Archives of past issues of the Ham-Equip Digest are available
(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 00:13:13 GMT
From: desmith@telalink.net (Doug Smith)
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

pklein@handel.seattleu.edu (Peter A. Klein) wrote:
>Or, as the manual for my Taiwanese clone computer monitor pithily puts
>it: "Keep off the capacity transformable or magnetic." :-)

<G>!

Seriously, I've had the bolts that fasten the filter capacitor to the
circuit board get loose. In the short term this causes hum; in the
long term, it can actually damage the circuit board.

Luckily the fix is easy. Take the cover off the supply & make sure
all screws (except of course the one in the voltage adjust control!)
are tight.

73 Doug

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 19:27:38 -0700
From: "D.Arnold" <D.Arnold@primocomputers.com>
Subject: BAYCOMM MODEM

Wanted dead or alive..no junk please a baycomm packet modem
schematic will do just fine if i can get the modem itself
web pages or what ever..need for project with a 1 june deadline
getting desperate

DON KB5FHX

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 23:09:24 -0500
From: "Eric K. Davis" <ekd@iastate.edu>
Subject: Comments: IC-W32A

I am currently looking at purchasing an Icom W32A handheld. I would
like comments on its performance by someone who has used one before.

73's
Eric

Date: 1 May 1997 22:42:29 GMT
From: stevewz1u@aol.com (Steve wz1u)
Subject: FS/ Turner microphone (oldie)

I have an old Turner microphone for sale, just the head which tilts up and
down with cable. I do not have the stand. The microphone is in excellent
condition and the model is (33x) if thats of any help to you. I will take
$35 plus shipping and can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail
WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma.

Date: 6 May 1997 11:42:18 GMT
From: "Peter J. Brand" <brandp@rpi.edu>
Subject: FS: 23cm and 70cm ATV Equipment

I am posting the following equipment for a friend.

ATV Equipment for sale:

All equipment in excellent condition.

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703

PC Electronics model TVC12G:
23cm to TV ch. 8 Downconverter
$75+shipping

PC Electronics model TVC14G:
70cm to TV ch. 3 Downconverter
$65+shipping

Qty 2
PC Electronics model TC70:
70cm ATV Transceiver
1 watt output power
Line level video and audio in
Output on TV ch. 3
$175+shipping each

Mirage D24:
1 watt in 40 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$125+shipping

Mirage D26
1 watt in 50 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$150+shipping

Tonna 9 23 cm beam antenna
23 element
$75+shipping

Cushcraft 70cm beam antenna
10 element
$50+shipping

Date: Thu, 08 May 97 04:41:12 GMT
From: tenorman@i1.net (Mike Kraml)
Subject: FS: Kenwood TS-940S/AT - 2 CW Filters - Blowout!!!

Must sell: Kenwood TS-940S/AT - Kenwood 500HZ 8MHZ IF, and Internatinal 400HZ 455KC IF. Includes voice synthesizer and Computer interface options. Perfect front, a few black marks on case. Rig works perfect. Recently aligned (2 months ago). All manuals, services manuals, orginal boxes, etc. Must sell, need cash, $1085.00 + shipping. email or call 314-235-1076 days, or 314-947-4155 evenings. 73, Mike - WQ0N

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 00:48:17 GMT
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Subject: FS: Motorola HT90 UHF HT

Hello, I have a mint Motorola HT90 UHF HT for sale with rapid charger. Freq range is 450-470 ,4 watt,2 freq. Currently on 443.1 my uhf repeater. $100 shipped
73, Mike N0XD

mfunaro@dsmnet.com

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 01:52:00 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Subject: FS:TS-50/AMERITRON ALS - 500M

STAN wrote:
>
> KENWOOD TS-50 IS IN GOOD CONDITION HAS MARS MOD. HAVE BOX, MANUAL, MIC,
> MOBILE MOUNTING BRACKET. PRICE IS $750 SHIPPED.
>
> AMRITRON ALS-500M MOBILE AMP 160-10 METERS. 500 WATTS OUT. GOOD
> CONDITION. HAVE BOX, MANUAL. PRICE IS $500 SHIPPED.
> EMAIL ME kb8jlv@worldnet.att.net

What is your MARS call? Brian/N0iMD

Date: 7 May 1997 17:44:40 GMT
From: "ACHILES" <achiles@kom.forthnet.gr>
Subject: FS Receiver RCA SSB-R3

Dual diversity receiver system RCA SSB-R3 in exellent cont.Original all
components
Realy havy and big system 260 Kg. Dimensions 50" x 30" x 92"
I can sent you photos
Perfect Audio
13 pieces avelable 1,600.00 $ ea + sh
Only for colectors ham call :sv7apq
Email :achiles@kom.forthnet.gr

Date: 7 May 1997 13:14:33 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: Heath HW-32 20m SSB monoband xcvr -- SOLD!

Thanks for the inquiries. The HW-32 has been SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 07:07:46 GMT
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net (John B. Lawrence)
Subject: HELP w/ Tempo One SSB

I've got an odd problem with this radio. I can tune 80, 20 & 15 meters
up to an output of 175 watts (into a dummy load) USB/LSB. However, on
40 meters, I can only tune a maximum of 100 watts. The (built-in
current) meter will show the PA current as normal (350MA) except on

40 meters, which will have a max of 175MA. All tubes check out ok and
it operates normally otherwise. Any suggestions as to what the problem
might be?

I have another Tempo One and it functions normally on all bands. It
differs from the one in question in that it has a cooling fan for the
finals.

Thanks for any help you can give!

John B. Lawrence

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 19:06:56 -0500
From: markbond@bellatlantic.net (Mark S. Bond)
Subject: Icom FA-S270A on a Yaesu FT50R

I'm experimenting with an Icon FA-S270A antenna on my Yaesu FT50R. So far
it seems to preform adaquately. Does anyone know what Icom uses the
FA-S270A for in it's product line.
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Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 08:34:53 -0700
From: sanguan srivalosakul <srivalo@mozart.inet.co.th>
Subject: KENWOOD TS-870S

HI,
I'm interested in Kenwood TS-870s. please tell me about it.
73
HS0UBO
hs0ubo@qsl.net

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 10:32:08 -0500
From: KEN SIMMONS <kk5rh@flash.net>
Subject: need HP-415e manual

I have a HP-415E swr meter. still has battery
but won't charge. Would like to replace, but have
no idea what kind of battery to use. I would like
to buy a manual or a good copy and pay all costs.
If anyone can help me with this please e-mail.

Thanks
Ken Simmons KK5RH

Date: 1 May 1997 19:53:33 GMT
From: "Sipke Wagenaar" <fcb@worldonline.nl>
Subject: New logbook software

May 1, 1997

Dear HAM,

In May we (FCB) will come with a new logbook programm for
IBM compatible computers. It's a programm with for example:

* Regio number for Dutch cities in it, together with QTH locator
(new) and distance/angle to your station. (Almost) all Dutch
towns in it.
* Complete QSL registration. It sends for every band a QSL till
the other radiostation confirmed the band.
* See (for every band) if you have worked the radiostation in the
past and if the QSO is already confirmed.
* Holds name, place, info about transceiver, antenna, distance,
angle, locator, etc. of the other radiostation
This info is available during your QSO
* Have a look. during the QSO, to other QSO's you've made
with this radiostation in the past
(You can scroll without leaving the present QSO)
* Have your logbook on the computer screen or print it.
* Many other things

* Do use (in future) the options we'll intend to make for the
programm like: calculations, analysis for QSO's, worldwide
(or local) certificates, contest possibilities - these QSO's in
the logbook for QSL - worldcharts, etc.

For having satisfied customers, we'll only distribute a demo
version of the programm. You can use this for 100 (one
hundred) QSO's. (After registration - for a low fee you can
still use this first 100 QSO's)

The Dutch version will leave us in the beginning of May, the
English version in the end of May. (Please let us know if you
want to have other languages like French, German of Spanish)

You're also free to give a demo version to your (HAM)friends.
With your (demo) programm you can make a demo on diskette.

If you're interested, please do e-mail me at:

fcb@worldonline.nl

and receive shortly information or (if possible) the demo-
programm by internet (e-mail)

With HAM-greetings from FCB (Harlingen, the Netherlands)
Sipke (PA3CWR)

Date: 8 May 1997 03:25:36 GMT
From: samesame1@aol.com (SAMESAME1)
Subject: WANTED: I-COM W31A UHF VHF HT

I am looking for i com w31a dual band ht any bodey want to sell please
contect me via e-mail samesame1@aol.com must be in good condition tnx.

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 23:41:31 -0600
From: Clay Lane <cn1506@coastalnet.com>
Subject: WTB 6 meter module for 767

A friend, Andy N4ZHC, who does not have
internet access would like to buy the 6 meter
module for the Yaesu 767.
Please call Andy direct, after 6 PM EDT,
at 910 592 6072.
Any response via my E mail address will
introduce (say) a 24 hour delay.
Thanks
Clay W4TNV

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 18:29:23 GMT
From: n5zdf@netdoor.com (Gene Holcombe)
Subject: wtb Solar Panels of about 40 watts

Seeking good used solar panels for hamshack of about 40 watts output.
E-mail what you have and asking price.

Gene
N5ZDF@netdoor.com

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Thu, 08 May 97 09:46:08 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wPTXb-0009esC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Thu, 8 May 1997 09:47:27 -0400 (EDT)
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id xma015772; Thu, 8 May 97 09:46:55 -0400
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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA24704 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Thu, 8 May
1997 04:52:11 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA28943
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
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Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA28919
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Thu, 8 May 1997 04:30:46 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705081130.EAA28919@noc.ucsd.edu>
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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #501
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3020. Sold: Yaesu 2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5bb8$03ddaa20$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 175808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

My Yaesu 2500 transceiver is sold. Thanks to all those who replied.
--
Mike White
m_white@juno.com

My opinions are my own, not my employer's.

3021. Radio/Computer Equipment for Sale/Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: joshin@cats.ucsc.edu
Message-ID: <5ksq21$e4v@darkstar.ucsc.edu>
Source record: 175809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ba.market.computers,scruz.market

Hi, Its spring cleaning time and thus time to clean out the shack/computer
room of the stuff that doesn't get used enough (or at all)...

I have the following forsale/trade:

1) Icom R71a receiver with remote and manual - $450 obo
2) 2 unopened Kingston 32M parity simms (not EDO) - $350 obo (for both)
3) Archive 2G SCSI dat drive in external case - $250
4) Quantum 730M FastSCSI hard drive (internal) - $150
5) Fujitsu 512M FastSCSI hard drive (internal) - $100
6) 33.6Kbps modem internal (ISA) - $50
7) External SCSI 3.5" case (must be sold with #4 or #5) - $50
8) Apple Powerbook Duo 210 (upgraded to POWER PC)
800M drive, 16M ram, 19.2K modem, scsidock
16 grey screen, 3 batteries, 2 power adapters - $700
(older type "B" keyboard)

I'm looking in the following in trade:
1) Solid State HF rig (Icom 735 or better) accessories a plus
2) 2M/70cm amplifier
3) 2m/70cm base antenna
4) AOR 8000 or similar scanner

Thanks,
Josh Goldsmith
joshin@cats.ucsc.edu
(408)222-7005

3022. FS: YAESU FT-726R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Brude <jbrude@isoc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5bbd$efd6a760$44447bcf@586-pc>
Source record: 175810

2 meter & 70 cm SSB/CW/FM Transciever , setup to run full duplex on satellites. This unit is just back from Yaesu service dept. and comes with a 30 day warranty. All 9 relays where replaced , the radio was checked to meet factory specifications. I am the original owner. Yaesu YM-48A touch tone pad microphone included. $900 firm + shipping - Can deliver to Dayton Hamvention.
James Brude, WB0SCD, 31 Quail Brace Court, Amelia, Ohio USA 45102, phone:513-753-5183, Email:jbrude@isoc.net -

3023. FS B 3016G 2 meter power amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Brude <jbrude@isoc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5bca$db1c07e0$44447bcf@586-pc>
Source record: 175811

For sale: 30 in 160 watt 2 meter power amp with Gas-Fet pre-amp built in.
This unit operates on SSB/FM . It has SWR/OVERLOAD protection circuitry.
Price $200 + shipping . Can be delivered to Dayton Hamvention.
Phone # (513) 753-5183 ask for Jim WB0SCD
email jbrude@isoc.net

3024. HQ-110C SCHEMATIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.C. SPRAGGINS" <acs@houston.net>
Message-ID: <337221E1.7C5C@houston.net>
Source record: 175812

Howdy:

I recently acquired an HAMMARLUND HQ-110C. Although it is in working condition, somebody did make some modifications that I'd like to undo. Can you supply me with a copy of the schematic via email attached scanned file, or photocopy via snail-mail? I'll be glad to pay for copying and postage.

Thanks and 73
A.C. W5EZM

3025. Re: Want discussion - others with ICOM 2/4 SRA's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337220C4.360B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175813

Jim Robinton wrote:
>
> I have an ICOM 2SRA and I would like to find others who have
> this same radio. I really like mine and I am having some minor
> problems with it that I think are based on its design.
>
> If you have one of these radios please drop me an e-mail
> message, I would like to start a mailing list and also to discuss
> some of the problems (and possible solutions).
>
> Thanks
> /Jim /N1CRZ
--- Jim have you tried the ICOM reflector??
Go To INDEX below, click on "Mailing Lists"

73
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3026. Re: Looking for Crystals - 6M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Devenport <jd_port@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3372019B.2B59@concentric.net>
Source record: 175814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M
> Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the
> units.
>
> Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is
> there much 6M AM activity?
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
I don't know the details of the Gonset, but you might post the basic frequency of the crystals (8 mhz, 6 mhz, whatever) so we can peruse our junkboxes for you.
6 Meter AM activity was abysmally low back in the mid to late 1970's when I became a 6 meter enthusiast, and 6 was the lowest DX frequency for Technician licensees back then, and they constituted the majority of the contacts I conversed with. 10 Meter SSB is now the DX band of choice for many if not most Techs and I think this has impacted 6 meter activity.
SSB had become the dominant mode by the mid- 70's and I eventually succumbed to 6 Meter SSB by building a transverter for my HF rig and eventually converted an old SSB CB rig directly to 6 meters.
There are probably a few 6M AM nets still in existence, especially in the Midwest, and when the band gets really hot there are occasionally some AM'ers that come out of the woodwork. But I think you'll find they are quite few and far between.
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|---|
|Jim Devenport W5AOX |
|All Standard Disclaimers Disclaimed |
|Anti-Spam: Remove the "_" from address to respond |
http://www.concentric.net/~jdport/

3027. FS: ATV Downconverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter J. Brand" <brandp@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5bd8$9b7179a0$19267180@linac1.ne.rpi.edu>
Source record: 175815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am Posting this for a friend:

All equipment in excellent condition

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703 after 4 PM EDT

PC Electronics model TVC12G:
23cm to TV ch. 8 Downconverter
$75+shipping

PC Electronics model TVC14G:
70cm to TV ch. 3 Downconverter
$65+shipping

3028. FS: Amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter J. Brand" <brandp@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5bd9$354868e0$19267180@linac1.ne.rpi.edu>
Source record: 175816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am posting these items for a friend:

All equipment in excellent condition

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703 after 4 PM EDT

Mirage D24:
1 watt in 40 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$125+shipping

Mirage D26
1 watt in 50 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$150+shipping

3029. FS: Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter J. Brand" <brandp@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5bd9$785ca6a0$19267180@linac1.ne.rpi.edu>
Source record: 175817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am posting these items for a friend:

All equipment in excellent condition

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703 after 4 PM EDT

Tonna 9 23 cm beam antenna
23 element
$75+shipping

Cushcraft 70cm beam antenna
10 element
$50+shipping

3030. FS: ATV Tranceivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter J. Brand" <brandp@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc5bd8$ed0f55c0$19267180@linac1.ne.rpi.edu>
Source record: 175818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am posting this for a friend:

All equipment in excellent condition

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703 after 4 PM EDT

Have 2 of the following:

PC Electronics model TC70:
70cm ATV Transceiver
1 watt output power
Line level video and audio in
Output on TV ch. 3
$175+shipping each

3031. Re: Tempo One SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: J M Noeding <la8ak@online.no>
Message-ID: <337230D2.4676@online.no>
Source record: 175819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dean Hemphill, K5DH wrote:
>
> Does the rig have separate tuned circuits in the mixer and driver stages
> for each band? If so, I'd suspect a failure somewhere in one of the 40m
> tuned circuits which may be limiting the drive on that band.
>
> Dean K5DH
>
> In article <33717936.4871627@news.lightspeed.net>, ke6tgn@lightspeed.net
> says...
> >
> >I've got an odd problem with this radio. I can tune 80, 20 & 15 meters
> >up to an output of 175 watts (into a dummy load) USB/LSB. However, on
> >40 meters, I can only tune a maximum of 100 watts. The (built-in
> >current) meter will show the PA current as normal (350MA) except on
> >40 meters, which will have a max of 175MA. All tubes check out ok and
> >it operates normally otherwise. Any suggestions as to what the problem
> >might be?
> >
> >I have another Tempo One and it functions normally on all bands. It
> >differs from the one in question in that it has a cooling fan for the
> >finals.
> >
> >Thanks for any help you can give!
> >
> >John B. Lawrence
> >
> >
isn't it similar to FT-200 FT-250 etc ?
I had an early FT-250 in 69. The fault John mentions occurred on 80m -
believe a 330uuF capacitor changed value in 80m driver or pre-driver
circuit, it was also a crystal problem on ssb (80m cw), believe one
ceramic value capacitor changed value in the carrier oscillator. I
cannot remember particular problems for 40m, but it is 27 years since I
had this rig... The AGC circuit looks like a copy of the Drake TR4.
DF7JE modified it similar to this, but I felt that it was not much
success in changing time constants in this order...
73
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OPR.: Jan-Martin Noeding - LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 KristiansandS
Main interest: Amateur radio technical experiments, QRV: 3.5-10369MHz
CW/SSB

Tel. QTH +47-380-87178, QRL: +47-380-52660, GSM: 9064-4295,
NMT:944-26396

3032. Mailing List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33723014.2552@primenet.com>
Source record: 175820

BitBucket is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to
specialized amateur radio communication techniques.

-SSTV, ATV, FAX, APT, DSP, QRP
-Packet, Pactor, GTOR, Clover, RTTY
-R/C, Telemetry, Balloons, Rockets, Robotics
-homebrew, modifications, interfacing, widgets, etc

To subscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: SUBSCRIBE bitbucket

To unsubscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: UNSUBSCRIBE bitbucket

As we encourage the free exchange of ideas, if you pay for
email service by the byte you may want to consider carefully
before subscribing.

To submit materials:
TO: bitbucket@primenet.com

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bit bucket /n./

1. The universal data sink (originally, the mythical receptacle
used to catch bits when they fall off the end of a register
during a shift instruction). Discarded, lost, or destroyed data
is said to have `gone to the bit bucket'. On Unix, often used
for /dev/null. Sometimes amplified as `the Great Bit Bucket in
the Sky'.

2. The place where all lost mail and news messages eventually go.
The selection is performed according to Finagle's Law;
important mail is much more likely to end up in the bit bucket
than junk mail, which has an almost 100% probability of getting
delivered. Routing to the bit bucket is automatically performed
by mail-transfer agents, news systems, and the lower layers of
the network.

3. The ideal location for all unwanted mail responses: "Flames
about this article to the bit bucket." Such a request is
guaranteed to overflow one's mailbox with flames.

4. Excuse for all mail that has not been sent. "I mailed you those figures last week; they must have landed in the bit bucket." Compare black hole.

This term is used purely in jest. It is based on the fanciful notion that bits are objects that are not destroyed but only misplaced. This appears to have been a mutation of an earlier term `bit box', about which the same legend was current; old-time hackers also report that trainees used to be told that when the CPU stored bits into memory it was actually pulling them `out of the bit box'. See also chad box.

Another variant of this legend has it that, as a consequence of the `parity preservation law', the number of 1 bits that go to the bit bucket must equal the number of 0 bits. Any imbalance results in bits filling up the bit bucket. A qualified computer technician can empty a full bit bucket as part of scheduled maintenance.

If you have any questions or problems, please contact:
k7on@qsl.net
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

3033. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <33722457.1417718@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 175918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 May 1997 01:47:09 -0500, Brian <burkefam@icss.net> wrote:

>David, knock your self out. I spent a month of weekends on the 40M
>novice subband calling CQ about 10 years ago. I got exactly two
>responses. Neither stuck around the frequency long enough to make a log
>entry. QRS (could you please, please slow down?) is pretty much unknown
>also. And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently hand
>(or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse to
>die. I suggest getting more code practice tapes, getting to 13 or
>20wpm, and then forget all about how "swell" the code is and how the
>code folks are so nice (urban myth). Then use the microphone to
>actually talk to other people. Good luck, Brian/N0iMD

Brian,

I am sorry to hear your bad experience and deeply regret that
you feel left out by the "Extra Class" fists.

I guess you've missed my point here. I am not pushing people
to believe that CW and Extra Class are everything, rather, I am
merely trying to mention an option of getting the code tests
done. I made it in one way, but others might have made it in a
different way.

It's true that I love code; moreover, I also love that little extra elbow-room that advanced tickets can enjoy. Maybe it is me who like to go after a personal goal (Extra ticket in this case) or finding something that I think has batter resale value. It really doesn't matter! All we (HAM) care is to make QSO's and enjoy our hobby!

I shall leave the discussion on the existence of code test for other people to argue. I got my Extra ticket by passing the test because it is TODAY'S requirement. TOMORROW's requirement has itself to worry about. But for now, I play it by the rule. It's something I've earned and been enjoyed doing.

I know there are no-code fans out there, don't bother to flame me.

Best 73!

De AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
David Ho

davidho@one.net

3034. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC5YWX <jboros@thighfiber.com>
Message-ID: <33723CD1.AD6C8DB7@thighfiber.com>
Source record: 175919
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Tim wrote:

> On Mon, 28 Apr 1997 12:42:44 -0700, Jim wrote:
>
> >A carpenter that did some work for me has a 2 meter/440 and uses it
> to
> >stay in contact with his brother. I asked about a call sign but he
> said
> >he did not have one.
> >
> >What type of penalty?
> >Who to contact?
> >
> >Please post.
> >
> >Thanks in advance.
>
> Beyond he basic lip service, nothing will likely happen. Your best

Is it known that the carpenter is using it on the HAM Bands?
Could have he done the MARS/CAP (xtended TX) mod and be using
frs or one of those business freqs like 154.6? If he is not using
the ham bands he is out of the hams' jurisdiction. If he is on band
and using the local repeaters, then the repeater owners have issue.
And the club (if one exists) should persue it.
Next time he's over, have your Optronics 3000A, Scout, Explorer
going when he TXs.
73s de Jim KC5YWX

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3035. HRO-50T reverse auction continues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970508225701.SAA10070@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175920

Have a National HRO-50T, two coils, coil storage case, and speaker, today's price $210 picked up in Dayton. Additional details in previous posting.

73,

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

3036. Re: Tempo VHF/One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Wines <rbbsys@bright.net>
Message-ID: <33725ACB.2BDB@bright.net>
Source record: 175921

cgill@airmail.net wrote:
>
> I am desparetly looking for the schematic to this radio, Tempo VHF/One
> 2m radio, or help connecting it to a KPC-3.
>
> It has a round connection labeled ACC with 9 female pins to connect
> to. I was able to figure out receive audio and ground easily but not
> the others, PTT, Transmit audio, etc...
>
> Any help is appreciated!
> Please relpy to my email address.
>
> Craig KB5TCU
> cgill@airmail.net
> cgill@pobox.org.sg
I happen to own a VHF/One Plus and have a schematic. All I need is an
address to send a copy to. I don't like to charge somebody for the cost
of copying it's not worth it. Besides you make friends quicker and
better if you do nice things.
Here's the pinout of ACC: 1 ground
2 Mic
3 PTT
4 Comes from relay contact K2(energized by SSB)
5 N/C
6 DISCR1
7 Speaker
8 V+(12 v)
9 Comes from power booster (Q1) and tied to pin 4 through
R4 68 ohm.
This might help until I get your address.
E-mail me, in the subject put Chuck
73's DE KC8FLQ

3037. Want discussion - others with ICOM 2/4 SRA's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Robinton <robinton@avherc.sanders.lockheed.com>
Message-ID: <337210BE.3C44@avherc.sanders.lockheed.com>
Source record: 175922

I have an ICOM 2SRA and I would like to find others who have
this same radio. I really like mine and I am having some minor
problems with it that I think are based on its design.

If you have one of these radios please drop me an e-mail
message, I would like to start a mailing list and also to discuss
some of the problems (and possible solutions).

Thanks
/Jim /N1CRZ

3038. re: Kenwood TS-430S Question....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmclaugh@cscc.edu
Message-ID: <863138900.7009@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thanks for all of the help with this rig. I got the advice I needed. Everything seems to be working now. I haven't made a contact on 10 M yet because of my work schedule (seems like the few openings there are now on 10 always happen when I am stuck in a computer room for 8 hours (work) Yuck!). 73, and maybe I will see some of you at Dayton next week!

Joel McLaughlin
N8VQJ

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3039. Re: Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemenst@fhsmpt.fh.trw.com
Message-ID: <337221f6.12022783@news.cl.trw.com>
Source record: 175924

I am in the midst of building a 1208 transverter, and have tested out
the receive portion recently -- it worked great with my Halli S-53!
(approx -127 dBm AM input at 50 MHz was easily audible).

After I finish building the transmit portion and checking it out, I'm
going to "move" the 1208 transciver IF from 20m to 10m, as I don't
have a 20m all mode rig.

If anyone else has done this with the 1208 kit, I'd LOVE to hear from
them. So far it looks to be pretty straightforward, but one never
knows...

-tom KC8GFQ

>PZFH81A@prodigy.com (Sam Barrett) wrote:
>Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 1208 6 meter converter and successfully used
>it with an ICOM IC-735 or other similar rig?
>
>I would like to hear stories.
>
>WA5RPP/1
>Sam Barrett
>pzfh81a@prodigy.com
>
>

3040. ham page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobjr@rdgsons.com
Message-ID: <33722e3b.13406711@news.seanet.com>
Source record: 175925

http://www.seanet.com/~bobjr/ham.htm

3041. FS: RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <863146777.13845@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175926
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

RADIOS FOR SALE

RCA:
Series 700 Low Band 42-50 MHz, 40 Watt Mobile, 4 freq, As-is, No Accessories, 1 set of Channel Elements: $40 (5 available)

Series 700 Low Band 42-50 MHz, 40 Watt Base Station (120 VAC), 2 freq, , 2 sets of Channel Elements: $125

Series 1000 Low Band 42-50 MHz, 100 Watt Mobile Dual Channel Scan with Channel Elements and Accessories: $95 (1 available)

Extra Set of Channel Elements (Rx and Tx) for RCA 500/700/1000 Series Radios: $5 ea set

QC Deck (CTCSS) for 500/700/1000 without vibrosend/sponders (Motorola type), installed or separate: $10

TAC 200 Low Band Mobile Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz), 100 Watt Complete with Control Head, Microphone, Cable, 1 set of channel elements: $100

TAC 300 Low Band Mobile Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz), 50 Watt Mount Mobile, Converted to 6 Meter Operation. Crystaled 52.525 MHz: $95

High Band 250 Watt Amplifier: Uses 4CX250 type tube. Looks complete except no cabinet or blower. Heavy. UPS shipment may be possible if power supply is shipped separately. It is in excellent physical condition but I have not fired it up so I don't know about operating condition: $150

GENERAL ELECTRIC
UHF GE Delta S 100 Watt Synthesized Mobile Radio 440-470 MHz, Excellent condition, clean with accessories. Trunk mount commercial mobile about 14" x 12" x 2". Comes with 16 channel control head, mic, speaker, cables. Standard commercial specs. Has programmable Channel Guard (CTCSS): $250

MOTOROLA
MOCOM 70 on 6 Meters, Low power version in excellent condition with accessories and 2 pairs of channel elements. Tuned to 52.525 MHz, but crystals not provided. Radio is in blue color.
Seems to be a special factory paint job: $75

MOCOM 70 on 2 Meters, Low power version, working fine, in fair condition without accessories. No Covers. CHEAP. $40

Shipping:
All items are plus shipping charges. Send zip code for a shipping

estimate.

Mike Nowlen WB4UKB
Reston, VA
(703)716-1363

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3042. FS Heatkit SB-634 -SB-604

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA8EXA <spoilme@clover.net>
Message-ID: <33729B34.36BD@clover.net>
Source record: 175927

I have for sale in mint condition with org. manual. SB-634 Clock,2000
watt meter, phone patch. $85.00
Also matching speaker SB-604 $40.00 mint. Both for $120.00 shipped.

Fred
Mingo Jct Ohio

3043. FS: UHF HT & Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas K. Neiferd" <dknife@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33728AC9.3293@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Standard HX-240U, UHF 16 chnl/4 watt HT, 420-470 MHz, programmable,
all original accessories and boxes, software and field programming
instructions, digital display, simplex/duplex, hi/low power, scan,
CTCSS tones, drop-in-charger, spkr/mic, power cords, bottom covers,
extra alk battery pack, lighted LED, mobile mag mount ant, and manuals.
Excellent condition, $300.

Realistic DX-380 Portable Communications Receiver.
150 kHz-30 MHz AM and 88-108 MHz FM. Digital display.
Has local/dx and narrow/wide AM reception switches.
Stereo/mono FM switch. Also, hi/low tone and fast/slow
tune switches. AM external antenna, dc power, and headphone
jacks. Tunes by direct entry, up/down button, or rotary dial.
Original box and manual, like new, works great. $100

I will pay shipping via UPS ground.

Contact Doug, KG8EP at dknife@worldnet.att.net

3044. WTB ts520s parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE2MOM <nezrouge@lino.com>
Message-ID: <33749F87.425@lino.com>
Source record: 175929

I am looking for ts520s or ts520 parts or whole unit
in good or bad shape.
VE2MOM
73

3045. FS: FT-530 DualBand HT + Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: timw@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970508.145238.14263.0.TimW@juno.com>
Source record: 175930

The following is for sale as a package:

*) Yaesu FT-530 Dual-Band Handheld (w/ antenna, battery, charger,
manuals, etc.)
*) VOX Headset for above
*) Soft Case for above
*) Car adapter for above
*) Speaker-Microphone for above

The above equiment will sell at $395 or best offer. It is in excellent
condition with no severe blemishes on the case. It has been inspected by
several local hams, and has received high marks. This is a great deal!!!
(shipping is negotiable)

Call Tim at:
(360) 573-6125
or e-mail at
TimW@juno.com

Thank you for reading,
Tim Whitcomb, AB7LP
ab7lp@qsl.net

3046. Need IC-471 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <33726040.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 175931

Looking for a schematic and block diagram for an ICOM IC-471A all mode
UHF transceiver.
Anyone ?

Please e-mail: hduff@ica.net

3047. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3372BDC3.5DAE@pacbell.net>
Source record: 175932

Greg Charest wrote:
>
> RPD910 wrote:
> >
> > >> What would be the penalty for someone transmitting on 2m/440. Who can i
> > >> report to and what evidence is needed. Please post to newsgroup.
> > >>
> > >> Thanks in advance
> > >It does not matter who you report the "illegal" act to, nobody cares,
> > >and nobody will do anything.
> > >This is the way ham radio is today.
> >
> > I totally disagree. although complaining to the FCC will not usually
> > generate an investigation, Ham radio operators are usually their own best
> > policeing.
> >
> stuff deleted
>
> I don't think the FCC does much enforcement. Look at K1MAN broadcasting
> on
> multiple bands. The other night his equipment was operating so poorly
> he was
> splattering all over 75 meters. This has been going on for a couple of
> years.

I live near the L.A. area and I can't believe some of the things said and done over the air on 2M. It appears to be the same guys who have the foul mouth and no call sign. As for the jammers, I can't be sure, but it seems to be the same type of overmodulated tone almost every time and maybe just the same person.

Some of these guys are proud of the fact that no one seems to be able to touch them and the brag of their ability to jam others.

I believe that 99.9% of the Hams in the L.A. area are very considerate to each other. However this appears to be a case of a few bad apples who want to spoil it for everyone. Still, I day dream that it would be nice if all the Hams could band together in some sort of massive civil suit against the worst offenders.

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

3048. **HUGE** Collection of Radio Mods on WWW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33728E68.6BB3@primenet.com>
Source record: 175933

HUGE Collection of Radio Mods on WWW
Just installed a huge collection of equipment
modifications on my web site:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on/radmods.htm

Or, from the main page: www.qsl.net/k7on

Mods for all brands equipment below:
AEA Alinco AOR Argosy Bearcat GE Grundig
Heathkit Icom Kantronics Kenwood MFJ Misc
Motorola Paccom Ramsey Ranger Regency Sangean
Sony Standard Tandy TAPR Uniden Yaesu

Brian k7on@qsl.net >or< http://www.qsl.net/k7on

3049. Buying & Selling on the Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <33726793.25F7@techie.com>
Source record: 175934

For those of you who buy, sell or trade stuff on the net, check out:

http://www.tradesafe.com/tradesafe/

It may be an alternative to C.O.D. or blind trust.

I don't have any connection to TradeSafe, I just thought it was an
interesting idea.
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Ed Cummins
W5CE@usa.net

3050. 30-50Mhz mobiles/HT's Wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <+qmw3GAqFaczEwQO@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175935

I'm interested in buying a selection of US low band, (30-50Mhz) VHF
radios,HT's and dash mount mobiles, will consider either crystal or
synth'd, must be complete and working.
Nothing too 'boat anchorish' and must be complete and working, W.H.Y.?
Direct e-mail please: phil@two-way.demon.co.uk

73

Phil de G4ZOW/Xtreme mobile!

3051. FT-50 modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Chambers <corky@sunline.net>
Message-ID: <3372554A.35BA@sunline.net>
Source record: 175936

If you attempt to do the cap/mars modification on the Ft-50 using a
soldering iron. Will it damage the radio at all. For example put small
charge through the radio and perhaps fry some of the components inside.
If so how would do it without messing up the radio.
Thanks for all your help
Larry

3052. Re: When to Power Down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R0805970936190001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 175937

In article <3371b7a8.53758393@newshost.capecod.net>, gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell) wrote:

>There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer
>off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone
>know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave
>them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down
>everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??

I have three computers that have never been turned off in three years. I do turn the monitors off when I QRT for the night, but the CPUs and disks stay powered up. I find the thermal shock of heating/cooling/heating/cooling much more disruptive than simply leaving things warm and humming along.

73, Dick
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://wadg.greatbasin.net/siera/

3053. Re: SoundCard=WEFAX-FAX-SSTV-RTTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerhard@ats.xs4all.nl
Message-ID: <5kst9q$i5c@ats.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 175938
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mbv@flash.net (Ken Durham) writes:

>DOS programs are OK, but since there are Win95 programs
>available to perform the same functions (and auto-install too)
>I'll stick with them.

Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !

3054. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704098631.AA863187331@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175821

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 03 May 97 23:44:00 GMT
From: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com (Roland Stiner)
Subject: AIRCRAFT RADIO

>Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?

It's legal to use ANY radio to receive-no license needed.

OLX 1.53 PRIVATE REPLY? E-MAIL ME AT: NK2U@JUNO.COM

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|Fidonet: Roland Stiner 1:2604/151
|Internet: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

Date: 9 May 1997 04:27:12 GMT
From: tahoefranz@aol.com (Tahoefranz)
Subject: BEWARE OF DEALINGS WITH Mark S. Conway

I had a simular experience.

A guy in New York, I won't mention his name because I don't mean to cause him any harm, and I struck a deal for some equipment.. The last I heard from him is that it was a done deal and he would ship by UPS blue label. Well, I had a check ready but no UPS man/woman ever showed up. So I emailed numerous times and now response from that individual who has an address at ibm.com....

I mailed a final email that asked for a courtesy response stating if he was going to send it or not. That way I could look elsewhere for the same product. I got absolutely no response.

Perhaps he lost my address, email address, and the phone number that I gave him. Hmmmm, sounds unlikely but I will give him the benefit of the doubt. My guess is that he got a better offer, which is FINE, but he could at least had the courtesy to let me know. There would have been no hard feelings.

Oh well. I guess not everyone has the same ethic and respect for fellow human beings that I do.

Just my 2 cents.

Franz in Tahoe

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 19:58:55 GMT
From: davidho@one.net (David Ho (AF4BH))
Subject: Code Quick Question

On Tue, 06 May 1997 01:47:09 -0500, Brian <burkefam@icss.net> wrote:

>David, knock your self out. I spent a month of weekends on the 40M
>novice subband calling CQ about 10 years ago. I got exactly two
>responses. Neither stuck around the frequency long enough to make a log
>entry. QRS (could you please, please slow down?) is pretty much unknown
>also. And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently hand
>(or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse to
>die. I suggest getting more code practice tapes, getting to 13 or
>20wpm, and then forget all about how "swell" the code is and how the
>code folks are so nice (urban myth). Then use the microphone to
>actually talk to other people. Good luck, Brian/N0iMD

Brian,

I am sorry to hear your bad experience and deeply regret that
you feel left out by the "Extra Class" fists.

I guess you've missed my point here. I am not pushing people
to believe that CW and Extra Class are everything, rather, I am
merely trying to mention an option of getting the code tests
done. I made it in one way, but others might have made it in a

different way.

It's true that I love code; moreover, I also love that little extra elbow-room that advanced tickets can enjoy. Maybe it is me who like to go after a personal goal (Extra ticket in this case) or finding something that I think has batter resale value. It really doesn't matter! All we (HAM) care is to make QSO's and enjoy our hobby!

I shall leave the discussion on the existence of code test for other people to argue. I got my Extra ticket by passing the test because it is TODAY'S requirement. TOMORROW's requirement has itself to worry about. But for now, I play it by the rule. It's something I've earned and been enjoyed doing.

I know there are no-code fans out there, don't bother to flame me.

Best 73!

De AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
David Ho
davidho@one.net

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 08:19:43 GMT
From: rick@antispam.alpha.wcoil.com (Rick)
Subject: FOR SALE: Kenwood TS-520 & accessories $600 - ts520.jpg (0/1)

Kenwood TS-520 w/Manual (12 volt capability)
Mic
Frenquency Counter (12 volt capability)
Watt, Modulation, SWR Meter
MFJ Econo Tuner MFJ-900
MFJ Signal Enhancer Tunable CW/SSB Filter MFJ-751
MFJ Super Selector CW/SSB Filter MFJ-721
MFJ RTTY\CW Computer Interface MFJ-1224
Hustler 3 BTV Ground Plane Ant. w/Manual

$600

Would make a nice radio station for a camper
seeing that everything will go 12 volts dc.
Please take out antispam for my e-mail add.
E-Mail rick@antispam.alpha.wcoil.com

Thanks, Rick

Date: 8 May 1997 17:58:55 GMT
From: "Peter J. Brand" <brandp@rpi.edu>

Subject: FS: Amplifiers

I am posting these items for a friend:

All equipment in excellent condition

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703 after 4 PM EDT

Mirage D24:
1 watt in 40 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$125+shipping

Mirage D26
1 watt in 50 watts out - 70 cm Amplifier
$150+shipping

Date: 9 May 1997 10:51:22 GMT
From: mikekb2ufs@aol.com (MIKEKB2UFS)
Subject: FT-51 cross band repeat?

Chuck,

The manual neglects to tell you to put the '51R in the "DUP" (duplex) mode first! Try this (<FM><9>) and crossband-repeat will work.

There are >several< things that are not mentioned in the manual. If you're scanning and come across an interesting frequency, how do you hang onto it, short of writing it down? Press <FM> and <VFO>, this will transfer the frequency to the last VFO used. This also works if you're using a memory channel as a "VFO" (MT).

Feel free to ask me if you have any other questions--I may have stumbled across an answer!

73 DE KB2UFS, Mike

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 00:30:49 GMT
From: pcl36587@alfa.ist.utl.pt (Pedro Delgado)
Subject: HF Equipment comments wanted please

Hello everyone,

Being active on the 2 meter band for some years now, I've now decided to get an HF rig (read: I've finally saved some money for it :)).

I've been browsing through sites, catalogs, stores, and I've come up with the following list :

Maker Model Aprox price in USD

Alinco DX-70TH 969.95
Icom IC-707 759.95

Kenwood TS-50S 849.95
Yaesu FT-840 899.95

Now, all the manufacturer specs aside, I'd like hear from people that have actually used these radios - good/bad experiences, receiver performance as in sensivity and selectivity, stability of operation (has the pll lock ever failed on you while you used any of these models ?).

Receiver performance is very important to me...with all the signals you can get in the HF bands, and interference from strong adjacent stations, its no good to pay top $$$ for a radio if it can't receive well - of these models, which one do you consider to have the best receiver circuitry ?

The Alinco seems to be a very good buy...has FM and 6 meter band already included in the price - for the price, it looks too good to be true when compared with other rigs of the same price range.

The Icom seems to have a more sensitive and selective receiver.

The fact is, I know I can't get a Rhode & Schwartz receiver, or a Japan Radio Company quality equipment for these prices, but I'd like to employ my money in a decent rig that would last me several years, with a good quality service.

Thank you very much for taking the time to read this msg, and please reply by email as well as posting your replies.

Best regards,

Pedro Delgado /
/ pcl36587@alfa.ist.utl.pt
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Those who would give up freedom for security will have neither.

PGP Public Key Available upon request
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Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 10:38:51 -0600
From: Jim Devenport <jd_port@concentric.net>
Subject: Looking for Crystals - 6M

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M
> Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the
> units.
>
> Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is
> there much 6M AM activity?
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
I don't know the details of the Gonset, but you might post the basic frequency of the crystals (8 mhz, 6 mhz, whatever) so we can peruse our

junkboxes for you.
6 Meter AM activity was abysmally low back in the mid to late 1970's
when I became a 6 meter enthusiast, and 6 was the lowest DX frequency
for Technician licensees back then, and they constituted the majority of
the contacts I conversed with. 10 Meter SSB is now the DX band of
choice for many if not most Techs and I think this has impacted 6 meter
activity.
SSB had become the dominant mode by the mid- 70's and I eventually
succumbed to 6 Meter SSB by building a transverter for my HF rig and
eventually converted an old SSB CB rig directly to 6 meters.
There are probably a few 6M AM nets still in existence, especially in
the Midwest, and when the band gets really hot there are occasionally
some AM'ers that come out of the woodwork. But I think you'll find they
are quite few and far between.
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|---|
|Jim Devenport W5AOX |
|All Standard Disclaimers Disclaimed |
|Anti-Spam: Remove the "_" from address to respond |
http://www.concentric.net/~jdport/

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 01:44:20 GMT
From: hduff@ica.net (Hugh Duff)
Subject: schematic library on WWW ?

Wondering if anyone has come across a Web site that has an archive of
scanned schematics for various ham rigs from the past ?

Hugh VA3TO hduff@ica.net

Date: 9 May 1997 05:32:15 GMT
From: bucherj@aol.com (BucherJ)
Subject: Thosands of mods

I have literaly thousands of mods for Ham Radios and Scanners.
In the next week or so I should have all my mods on line for download.
I'll give the web address to those of you that want to begin, however in
the mean time I will attempt to send them manually to you via email.

http://members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA02589
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Fri, 9 May 1997 04:30:51 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Fri, 9 May 97 04:30:49 PDT
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #505
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3055. converted c.b. to 10 meter ssb radio wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9iif <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <3373B975.7A90@mc.net>
Source record: 175822

i am looking for an inexpensive c.b. radio with ssb that has been converted to 10 meters ssb.28.00-28.500 or a 10 meter ssb qrp rig.i need this to run my 6 meter transverter and need the low power.thanks 73 jack

3056. Re: ATTN: REQ: Stornophone 6000 programming software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509143501.KAA20899@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175823

Try this address:
http://www.morgan2.demon.co.uk

3057. Re: HF Equipment comments wanted please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <33732ef3.69669429@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 175824

On Fri, 09 May 1997 00:30:49 GMT, pcl36587@alfa.ist.utl.pt (Pedro
Delgado) wrote:

> Maker Model Aprox price in USD
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> Alinco DX-70TH 969.95
> Icom IC-707 759.95
> Kenwood TS-50S 849.95
> Yaesu FT-840 899.95
>
[DELETED]
>
> Receiver performance is very important to me...with all the signals you can get
>in the HF bands, and interference from strong adjacent stations, its no good to
>pay top $$$ for a radio if it can't receive well - of these models, which one do
>you consider to have the best receiver circuitry ?
>

I'll cast a vote for the Alinco. I've never used it but have heard
good things about the rig and I like that extra band of 6M.

> The Alinco seems to be a very good buy...has FM and 6 meter band already
>included in the price - for the price, it looks too good to be true when
>compared with other rigs of the same price range.
>
> The Icom seems to have a more sensitive and selective receiver.
>

[DELETED]

For the price around US$1000, I'll be tempted to look into the used
gear marktet for some rigs that are a little bit older but with more
bells and wistles.

The Kenwood TS-850 has one of the hottest receiver out there for the
longest time. It has been a good and solid perfomer in the
competition class. A local ham store has the rig selling for under US
$1200. You might find better deal if you look around.

Good luck in your search.

Best 73!

de AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
David Ho
davidho@one.net

3058. Kenwood TS-950SDX + options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: brufel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509161101.MAA25432@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175825

Have for sale MINT condition Kenwood TS-950SDX top of the line HF
transceiver.
Radio is 3 years old and I am original non-smoking owner.

Options included with radio:

1.8 KHz narrow SSB filter (YK-88SN-1)
Matching speaker with filters (SP-950)
Matching microphone (MC-85)

Have all manuals and original boxes. I will sell for $2995 incl UPS 48.

Bruce, K3BF
brufel@aol.com
Pensacola, FL

3059. Re: WTB: Yaesu FT-520 accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509162301.MAA25878@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175826

now there is a rare model

3060. Realtime Clock inside YAESU FRG-100B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: csd.meyer@skynet.be
Message-ID: <csd.meyer-ya023580000905971833320001@news.skynet.be>
Source record: 175827

W A N T E D

DATASHEET of TOSHIBA realtime clock TC8521AP

fax welcome (France) +33 387 52 55 67
or email to csd.meyer@skynet.be

Merci !

Jean-Paul Brodier - BEEI
(the guy behind the BEEI-keypad "Made in France" for the FRG-100B)

3061. HTX-202 opinions - summary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
Message-ID: <33730F07.41C6@nrc.ca>
Source record: 175828

I would like to thank everyone who commented on the HTX-202.
In summary it is a robust, simple 2m handheld, with no known problems
(except that recent thread on Error 2), with a tight front-end, and no
possibility of extending the range.
I will keep an eye open for one.

Thanks again, Peter
--
Peter E. Orban
VE3PEY

3062. FS Tektronics 2215 Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: cptvdeo@inil.com
Message-ID: <863200355.22018@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175829

Nice Tektronics oscilloscope for sale

60 MHz dual trace (includes A+B, A-B)
Dual timebase (delayed sweep)
Auto focus and brightness
Excellent condition
Includes all manuals and two probes.

$450 + shipping or best offer

Dave cptvdeo@inil.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3063. Help DRAKE TR7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl00365@yamato.ibm.co.jp
Message-ID: <5kujl3eho1@daphnis.yamato.ibm.com>
Source record: 175830

I have DRAKE TR7. Recently it shows a problem that
frequency synthesizer(PLL) does not locked and looks
free running only on 20meter band.

Does anyone know how to adjust PLL locking range?

'73 de JA2DHC, Kazuo Ohashi
E-Mail: ohashi@airnet.or.jp
Web : http://www.airnet.or.jp/ohashi/

3064. For Sale: ICOM Z1A Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: thelms@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <MPG.ddd390fb0152d598968f@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175831

This unit has been used for only 1 QSO. I bought to listen to Airport transmissions while I was taking flying lessons. I am no longer pursueing a pilot's license and this unit is getting zero use.

I still have the original box and manual. It's in excellent shape.

I am asking $250 obo plus shipping.
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Trent Helms, KE4FU
thelms@mindspring.com
(407) 578-5258 Home Number

3065. Re: Gonset Communicators - Manuals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33736D02.447E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Michael Pendley wrote:
>
> Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
> >
> > I have several Gonset Communicators 2M, 6M, one 6M amp. I would like to
> > find copies of manuals for these beasts. Anyone out there that can help?
> > I am willing to pay copying & postage, etc. If no manuals, any clues on
> > tuning, operating, tweaking, pricing?
> >
> > 73 Ron, WA1UWZ
> >
> > Information on the highest quality single objective stereoscopic cameras
> > in the world is at:
> >
> > http://www.3doptics.com
> Ron,
> There are several Gonsets. Which ones do you need manuals for ?
>
> 73
> Michael
> WA5VTV

These are Civil Defense Surplus. The only marking I can find is inside
- CD-9385. 12 volt & 120 VAC supplies. Other than that...?

Thanks

3066. FS Heathkit SB104A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmartin@alt.net
Message-ID: <33736f2e.2174208616@news.alt.net>
Source record: 175833

I have the following items for sale, all Heathkit. Everything works.
Making room for a new Yaesu.

SB104A Solid state Transceiver with digital display
Station Console
Speaker
Power supply

I will let the complete station go for $400 all you need is an
antenna!

Email me if you are interested.

Jerry Martin
N0BWA
jmartin@alt.net
n0bwa@niobrara.com

3067. Petites annonces des RADIO-AMATEURS Francais.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yannick CAILLIAU <f5tcn@mail.dotcom.fr>
Message-ID: <01bc5ca9$9d64f940$bdbc95c2@ycaillia.hol.fr>
Source record: 175834

Bonjour tous,
Une nouvelle adresse est votre disposition :
http://www.mygale.org/07/f5tcn/
et cliquer sur "les petites annonces"
D s maintenant vous pouvez d poser ou consulter les annonces des Radio Amateurs.
Ces annonces ne consernent que le materiel RA !
73 tous Yannick. F5TCN

3068. WTB: Early 60s US Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Weischadle <gweischadle@sattel.com>
Message-ID: <337397A7.6BA2@sattel.com>
Source record: 175835

Looking for a U.S. Callbook from the early 1960s, condition not too important. Please state price.

73,
George K6GW

3069. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704098632.AA863214332@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175836
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: piece.jpg

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Buying & Selling on the Net
COMUNICATION EQUIPMENT
Tempo VHF/One
When to Power Down?

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 20:13:31 -0400
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Subject: Buying & Selling on the Net

For those of you who buy, sell or trade stuff on the net, check out:

http://www.tradesafe.com/tradesafe/

It may be an alternative to C.O.D. or blind trust.

I don't have any connection to TradeSafe, I just thought it was an
interesting idea.
--

Ed Cummins
W5CE@usa.net

Date: 9 May 1997 07:53:11 GMT
From: "Don Medine" <bumper09@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: COMUNICATION EQUIPMENT

Come visit our internet site for updated information....

http://pw1.netcom.com/~bumper09/small.html

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We have great specials on ear pieces, etc.... I highly recommend the "SOUNDTUBE" system. Priced elsewhere for $129.00.

We are selling them for $80.00. This is a secret service type earpiece that is completely compatible with almost every portable radio and scanner....

We also have great deals on MOTOROLA products.... This includes surveillance audio systems, Speaker Mics, Earmic systems and various other accessories.

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Thanks,
Don Medine
TAC-COM Communications

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 18:59:24 -0400
From: Chuck Wines <rbbsys@bright.net>
Subject: Tempo VHF/One

cgill@airmail.net wrote:
>
> I am desparetly looking for the schematic to this radio, Tempo VHF/One
> 2m radio, or help connecting it to a KPC-3.
>
> It has a round connection labeled ACC with 9 female pins to connect
> to. I was able to figure out receive audio and ground easily but not
> the others, PTT, Transmit audio, etc...
>
> Any help is appreciated!
> Please relpy to my email address.
>
> Craig KB5TCU
> cgill@airmail.net
> cgill@pobox.org.sg
I happen to own a VHF/One Plus and have a schematic. All I need is an address to send a copy to. I don't like to charge somebody for the cost of copying it's not worth it. Besides you make friends quicker and better if you do nice things.
Here's the pinout of ACC: 1 ground
2 Mic

3 PTT
4 Comes from relay contact K2(energized by SSB)
5 N/C
6 DISCR1
7 Speaker
8 V+(12 v)
9 Comes from power booster (Q1) and tied to pin 4 through
R4 68 ohm.
This might help until I get your address.
E-mail me, in the subject put Chuck
73's DE KC8FLQ

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:20:40 GMT
From: mcduffie@prairieweb.com (Gary McDuffie, Sr.)
Subject: When to Power Down?

On Thu, 08 May 1997 13:53:21 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

> If you aren't afraid of power surges, and you don't mind the electric bill,
the equipment
> will last longer if it is constantly powered. We discovered this in
broadcasting a long
> time ago. The vast majority of equipment fails at power-on, and the most
common
> component to fail is electrolytic capacitors. They do much better with
constantly
> applied voltage. Also, keeping the equipment powered prevents moisture from
> condensing in it. That reduces corrosion problems. (Of course if the equipment
> is in a conditioned space, that's not a big problem.)

Watch the fans though. All three of my computers run 100% of the time.
But, I have to replace fans now and then. When the fan dies, it gets a
little quieter, and the temp goes up in the box, lowering the life of the
components inside. If you aren't around and don't catch it, things can get
a little warm. Just "keep an ear peeled" for the fans.

You will also need to blow the dirt out more often unless you're in a
conditioned environment. The fans in question suck household dust through
every opening, including floppy slots, jacks (cdrom/modem), etc.

On the other hand, if you only use your computer once a week, shut it off.

Gary (the other one)

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #506
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The following is an attached File item from cc:Mail. It contains
information that had to be encoded to ensure successful transmission
through various mail systems. To decode the file use the UUDECODE

program.
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Fri, 09 May 97 17:29:47 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wPxFm-0009esC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Fri, 9 May 1997 17:31:02 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id RAA11875; Fri, 9 May 1997 17:31:01 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.54) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma011873; Fri, 9 May 97 17:30:50 -0400
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1997 05:52:05 -0700 (PDT)
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Fri, 9 May 1997 05:33:19 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id FAA08756
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Fri, 9 May 1997 05:33:11 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705091233.FAA08756@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Fri, 9 May 97 05:33:10 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #506
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3070. FS:Heathkit HM-102 Watt/Swr Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: lewjb@ncats.newaygo.mi.us
Message-ID: <863105190.7986@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

200 & 2000 watt scales,10-80m,removable remote sender unit,
original manual.Excellent 9+ condition.$48.00 shipped.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3071. Re: Old Hartman Transceiver info needed. - Reply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Lutzinger <rickl@lathropeng.com>
Message-ID: <33736C9F.56CB@lathropeng.com>
Source record: 175838

Tom Lyons wrote:
>
> sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:
>
> >The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel marine transceiver but
> >receives the AM broadcast band from
> >550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks on the AM dial.
>
> Sorry, don't know a thing about the radio, but the two triangle marks on the AM dial
> indicate Civil Defense frequencies - I beleive that two AM freqs were designated for
> use nationwide back in the 60's or earlier, in the (then likely and widely anticipated)
> event that someone lobbed a nuke at us. I haven't seen those marks in a long time
> but remember them on the first transistor radio I ever saw. Maybe someone else can
> add more details.....

The two triangles represent 640khz and 1240khz respectively and were, as
previously stated, for Civil Defense announcements. All other radio
operation would be ceased in the event of a nuclear emergency. The
markings began in 1954 and lasted through 1963 radios, although some
imported units lasted a little longer.

Rick Lutzinger KD6ZR email (work): rickl@lathropeng.com
647 Choctaw Drive email (home): rjlutz@home.com
Fremont, CA 94539

3072. Ham Equipment Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dialta@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509220300.SAA12703@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175839

Following is a lists of Ham gear I'm parting with, do to an impending move. The prices are all negotiable, and I'm mainly interested in selling everthing on this list. Manuals and documentation furnished where available.

1. CDR Rotor Control Box. Series, 4516, for use with HAM-M rotators. $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

2. Complete RTTY, CW and ASCII digital station. INFO-TECH M-300C Keyboard that transmits RTTY, CW and ASCII at all normal speeds and shifts. INFO-TECH M-200F, RTTY/CW/ASCII Demodulator, that copies and outputs to video all standard speeds and shifts. Has printer support, etc. "Taxan" Amber phosphor Video Monitor. Complete system $200.00, plus $25.00 shipping.

3. "Digi-Designer" Work Station. Complete digital IC test and construction aid, with internal clock, (1 to 100K speeds), four logic switches, two pulsers, IC test and assembly block, and built in 110 VAC power supply, (TTL level voltages out). $25.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

4. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic "Memory Keyer". $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

5. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic Keyer, with built in clock, and 10 minute ID timer. $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

6. 5-Volt, 1 amp, "Calectro" Regulated TTL Power supply. $10.00, plus $3.00 shipping.

7. Six element 450 MHz Beam Anternna. $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

8. "Hustler" MO-2 Folding Mobile Antenna Mast. $10.00, $3.00 shipping.

9. New Kenwood PG-2 DC Power Cable. Fits TM201, 211, 401, 411, 2530/50/70, TR8400/9500, TR751, 7S670, R600/1000/2000. $5.00, plus $3.00 shipping.

10. Kenwood Mc-35S 50K Noise Cancelling Microphone. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

11. Drake 7073DM Hand Held Microphone. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

12. New Radio Shack Dynamic Hand Held Microphone, with 5-pin DIN type connector. $5.00, plus $3.00 freight.

13. Kenwood Dynamic Microphone, 500 ohm, 4-pin connector. $10.00, $4.00 shipping.

14. "CALRAD" D-350 Dynamic Desk Microphone, 50K impedance. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

15. New Yaesu YM-23 Condenser Hand Microphone, with 4-pin connector. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

16. "Swan" SWR-1A Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

17. "Siltronix" SWR-2, Power and SWR Meter. $15.00 plus $4.00 shipping.

18. Forty foot Rohn 25 Ham Tower, with HyGain TH-3 "Thunderbird" 1KW beam antenna. CDR "Tail Twister" Heavy Duty Rotor, and Control Station. Three element two-meter beam, and Ringo Ranger Two-meter vertical antenna. Pick up only in Rapid City, SD. Bargain priced at $700.00, firm.

19. HAL Communications PCI-3000, PC AMTOR Computer Board. Excellent digital communictions including RTTY, CW, ASCII and AMTOR. Fully functional, latest firmware, and full documentation. Bargain priced at $175.00, plus $7.50 shipping.

20. ICOM IC4AT 450 MHz Handi-Talki, with Speaker Microphone, two batteries, battery charger and extendable "DX" antenna. Package contains huge ICOM optional 2nd battery (13.8 volts), that could almost be used to jump start your car! Complete system for $100.00, plus $10.00 shipping.

21. Bencher ZA-1A balun. $5.00, plus $3.00 shipping.

22. Heathkit IT-741D Logic Probe. $15.00, plush $4.00 shipping.

23. Heathkit "Cantenna", 1KW Dummy Load. $15.00, plus $7.50 shipping.

24. Epson MX80/FT Tractor Feed Dot Matrix Printer, with roll paper adapter. $50.00, plus $10.00 shipping.

25. New "Pro-AM" two-Meter vertical antenna, (surface mount). $15.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

26. Sencore Digital Volt Meter. $10.00, plush $5.00 shipping.

27. "QST" Magazines. January 1974 through March 1997, complete, 288 issues. $50.00, plus $20.00 shipping.

28. "Ham Radio" Magazines. Bound editions for years 1976 and 1977./ $10.00, plus $7.50 shipping.

29. CW-1300 Oscilloscope. Military Surplus and makes good RTTY, AMTOR, Clover, etc., monitor. $10.00, plus $10.00 shipping.

Contact: S. Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street, Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605) 343-6127
EMail = k0vkh@juno.com

73....Thanks!

3073. LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <MichaelN@cycat.com>
Message-ID: <33738AB5.6D25@cycat.com>
Source record: 175840
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !

Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
Which distribution and where is it available.
I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
UNIX guru to get working.

Am I asking for too much?

michael N6CHV

3074. ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175841

I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the
Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

3075. Re: COLLINS AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33738BF1.346A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175842

Always is!!

3076. WTB tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: eduardo montana <emontana@aracnet.net>
Message-ID: <3373440F.293C@aracnet.net>
Source record: 175843

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.

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Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
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3077. MFJ 259 vs Autek RF1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Kullmann <kullmann@lion.documentum.com>
Message-ID: <33739C8D.152C@lion.documentum.com>
Source record: 175844

Hi all,

Can anyone contrast these two instruments for me with live experience?
I'm going to buy one of these soon.

Things making it the most difficult to decide are:

One, the Autek says it measures true Z, so you can tell if you need to
add L or C to complete match. Can you do this with the MFJ?

Two, the MFJ has meters which is better at seeing dips. One person told
me that you can miss the dips on a digital readout. How real/bad is
this?

Three, are there dip coils for the Autek, or can you easily make them?

I like both because:
1. frequency counter
2. swr
3. measure L and C components
4. Measure RF resistance

I like the Autek because:
1. it's $110 cheaper (129 vs 239)
2. smaller size (5 x 2.5 x 1.5 vs 4 x 2.5 x 6.75)
3. reads R + jX (instead of just Z)
4. Single range (vs 6 ranges (only 3 for same Autek range))
5. Seems more rugged (only from pictures)

Thanks,
-Bill

I like the MFJ because:
1. Dual meter display vs alternating digital modes
2. has dip coil accessory.
3. higher freq limit (170 vs 35Mhz)
4. 8 digit readout on freq counter (vs 4)

3078. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris@jtan.com
Message-ID: <E9xov3.D6K@kd3bj.ampr.org>
Source record: 175845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael <MichaelN@cycat.com> writes:

>...doesn't require me to become a total
>UNIX guru to get working...

You make that sound like a bad thing.

--
Chris Nadovich +1 215 257 8708 (voice)
http://www.jtan.com/chris +1 215 257 8154 (fax)
73 de KD3BJ SK ..

3079. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33739F88.694A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael wrote:
>
> > Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !
>
> Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
> Which distribution and where is it available.
> I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
> ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
> UNIX guru to get working.
>
> Am I asking for too much?
>
> michael N6CHV

Michael -- not a Linux Guru here -- but maybe the following URL will
help:
http://sunsite.unc.edu:80/mdw/HOWTO/HAM-HOWTO.html
Linux HAM-HOW TO, Amateur Radio, Terry Dawson, VK2KTJ

This and 92 other software related links at the INDEX below:

73
Rod
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3080. Re: WTB: Early 60s US Callbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Kullmann <kullmann@lion.documentum.com>
Message-ID: <33739F56.2CB0@lion.documentum.com>
Source record: 175847

Got a Fall '63 DX listing callbook, not US (had one, but have'nt seen it
in years). Any help?

George Weischadle wrote:
>
> Looking for a U.S. Callbook from the early 1960s, condition not too
> important. Please state price.
>
> 73,
> George K6GW

3081. MOD for Yaesu FT 8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <david@cabot.mv.com>
Message-ID: <3373A495.222D@cabot.mv.com>
Source record: 175848

Does anyone know the mod for the out of band TX on the Yeasu FT8000R
Dual Band Mobile Rig?

Thinking of picking one up. Please advise ease of use, MoD,
Performance, etc.
73
Dave

3082. [Fwd: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <337399C8.5A56@wco.com>
Source record: 175849

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Received: from usa.acsys.com (usa.acsys.com [192.92.123.51]) by shell.wco.com
(8.8.5/8.6.12) with SMTP id XAA26757 for <rbates@wco.com>; Thu, 8 May 1997 23:17:09 -0700
(PDT)
Received: from ppanther (ppanther.acsys.com) by usa.acsys.com (4.1/SMI-4.1)
id AA10881; Fri, 9 May 97 00:17:07 MDT
Sender: pening@acsys.com
Message-Id: <3372B4F4.544DF537@acsys.com>
Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:24:04 -0600
From: "Cary R. Penington" <pening@acsys.com>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0 (X11; I; Linux 1.2.13 i586)
Mime-Version: 1.0
To: rbates@wco.com
Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Hi Rick,
EZ Clone support for the Kenwood TM-V7A is now available
for $45.00, including cable and software. This notification
is being sent as a result of your previous inquiries and
interest in EZ Clone. Thanks, we are looking forward to
hearing from you.

73
Cary Penington, KC5KPS
pening@acsys.com
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3083. WTB: Hallicrafters R46 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <3373a1a2.11144151@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 175850

Do you have a good working one for sale?
VE2ATD
Montreal

3084. Kenwood TS-120S + AT-120 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bill M. Carson" <poppie@fidalgo.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5cd1$6eced420$169d81ce@bill-carson>
Source record: 175851

For ale. Bill

3085. Re: When to Power Down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5l05ne$guc@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 175852

dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan) wrote:
>In article <3371b7a8.53758393@newshost.capecod.net>, gareth@capecod.net
>(Gareth Crispell) wrote:
>
>>There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer
>>off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone
>>know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave
>>them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down
>>everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??
>
>I have three computers that have never been turned off in three years. I
>do turn the monitors off when I QRT for the night, but the CPUs and disks
>stay powered up. I find the thermal shock of
>heating/cooling/heating/cooling much more disruptive than simply leaving
>things warm and humming along.
>
>73, Dick
>--
>Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada

I just retired as production manager of the local daily paper, where among other things I was responsible for operation/maintenance of all computer systems - consisting of about 50 PCs and about 20 Macs. We *NEVER* turned them off, but did run screen savers on many of the color monitors. These sets would typically run about 5 years between failures, and most failures were cooling fans - followed by keyboards and monitors, then hard drives - in that order.

I think the key rule for an individual user would be that if your computer is used an hour or so EVERY DAY, it would be best to just leave it on - but some sort of surge protector is recommended. In this scenario, I would also leave the monitor on, but use a screen saver to even out wear and tear on screen coatings. There are mixed recommendations on merely turning down the contrast to darken the screen.

Oh yeah, by the way, those few computers in our business that WERE turned off regularly, failed MORE OFTEN than those left on continuously...

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Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
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Liberalism: The concept that those having more of anything
than you, are "wealthy", and morally required to share
that "wealth" with the less successful (you).
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Anyone proposing to rob Peter to pay Paul can count on
the support of Paul...
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3086. FS: Icom Z1-A Setup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: cward@stimpy.acofi.edu
Message-ID: <33735924.168831@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 175853
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

All of the below for $450.00 + shipping, obo. Terms are COD
cash/money order.

The whole setup includes the manuals.

IC-Z1A Dual band handheld w/ 4.8V battery, face detachment kit,
and fixed length antenna (FA-1443B)
IC-CP12 Cigarette lighter adapter
IC-BP173 9.6V NiCad battery
IC-BC79A Desktop rapid charger w/ AC adapter
IC-AD51 Desktop rapid charge adapter for the IC-BP173 9.6V NiCad
battery
MFJ-1712 dual band extending antenna for the Z1A

Earphone for listening to the Z1A quietly

Books:

ARRL General Class License Manual for the Radio Amateur
Now You're Talking: All You Need To Get Your First Ham Radio License

Everything is in perfect condition and was only used for 3 hours
total. I'm selling it because I don't have time to study and get my
license. Instead, I'm going to take up photography.

I'll guarantee against DOA for 10 days. Warranty card included.

E-mail if interested.

Thanks,

Curtis
cward@stimpy.acofi.edu

3087. Kenwood TS-120S w/AT-120 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bill M. Carson" <poppie@fidalgo.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5cc5$9bbd04e0$0a9d81ce@bill-carson>
Source record: 175854

For Sale: Just recalibrated and tuned from A to Z by K6RXR. Good price for an excellent, compact 100W output rig. Bill KE7GM

3088. FS: MOTOROLA & ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dxhog@netsync.NET
Message-ID: <337279AC.25B0@netsync.net>
Source record: 175939

I have the following equipment for sale.

Eight UHF 100W Motorola Micor's. All units include control cables,heads,speakers,and mikes. $150.00 each.

One Mocom70 100W 42 to 50 MHz. $100.00 Units are in working condition.

Icom P2AT 2 meter hand held package. Includes LC93 soft case, cp12 Cigar lighter charger, BP113 batt, Periphex BP114S batt with charger, HS51 headset boom mike setup, HM54 speaker mike, and extra BC74A charger. Unit is in great condition and have box and manual. $175.00

DRSI DKP2 TNC, modified for netrom use on node stack, With manual $55.00

Ramsey 2M PA10 amplifier with preamp, 2 to 5 watts in gives 40 to 60 watts out, with manual $45.00.

All equipment is in great working order and prices include shipping to anywhere in USA. I can be reached at 716-569-3585, or e-mail dxhog@netsynv.net. Best to you and yours, 73 Dave/N2ODU.

3089. WTB: Gonset GR-212 Communications Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Knapp <skyking@ptdprolog.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5c16$7d984ba0$4c14bacc@skyking.ptd.net>
Source record: 175940

Looking for one in decent shape. Prefer the one with the square "S" meter.
(Rather than the round one)

Thanks,

Ken Knapp, N3GBW
skyking@ptdprolog.net

3090. ADI AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <337286d8.11788261@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

is it possible to expand Tx range still with the newest version of 600

?

your help is greatly appreciated.

thanks in advance.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3091. schematic library on WWW ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <3372835f.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 175942

Wondering if anyone has come across a Web site that has an archive of scanned schematics for various ham rigs from the past ?

Hugh VA3TO hduff@ica.net

3092. HF Equipment comments wanted please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: pcl36587@alfa.ist.utl.pt
Message-ID: <3372692c.25867697@193.136.132.5>
Source record: 175943

Hello everyone,

Being active on the 2 meter band for some years now, I've now decided to get an HF rig (read: I've finally saved some money for it :)).

I've been browsing through sites, catalogs, stores, and I've come up with the following list :

Maker Model Aprox price in USD

Alinco DX-70TH 969.95
Icom IC-707 759.95
Kenwood TS-50S 849.95
Yaesu FT-840 899.95

Now, all the manufacturer specs aside, I'd like hear from people that have actually used these radios - good/bad experiences, receiver performance as in sensivity and selectivity, stability of operation (has the pll lock ever failed on you while you used any of these models ?).

Receiver performance is very important to me...with all the signals you can get in the HF bands, and interference from strong adjacent stations, its no good to pay top $$$ for a radio if it can't receive well - of these models, which one do you consider to have the best receiver circuitry ?

The Alinco seems to be a very good buy...has FM and 6 meter band already included in the price - for the price, it looks too good to be true when compared with other rigs of the same price range.

The Icom seems to have a more sensitive and selective receiver.

The fact is, I know I can't get a Rhode & Schwartz receiver, or a Japan Radio Company quality equipment for these prices, but I'd like to employ my money in a decent rig that would last me several years, with a good quality service.

Thank you very much for taking the time to read this msg, and please reply by email as well as posting your replies.

Best regards,

Pedro Delgado /
/ pcl36587@alfa.ist.utl.pt
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Those who would give up freedom for security will have neither.

PGP Public Key Available upon request
==========

3093. Re: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "L.J. d'Hont" <LDHONT@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5c27$8f3c39a0$355e5bc0@a0927429.itg.ti.com>
Source record: 175944

Don't forget that the Yen has plummeted more than 25% after the original
706 came out.
So I would expect this 706 MKII to be a lot CHEAPER than what the 706 was,
there isn't THAT much changed to the radio.

If not, some fat cat is getting even fatter from your money, and we all
know who those fat cats are.

73, Loek

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<336CEA18.CEA@ix.netcom.com>...
> Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 wrote:
> >
> > icom has already discontinued the 706 pricing to be similar to
original unit
> > --
> > 73 de Steve
> > KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC
>
> I saw pricing at several Dealer Web sites to be $1350
> Assume the price will drop $100 within the next year plus Icom may give
> the Separation kit etc. for free to keep the product moving. The first
> Hams who "HAVE TO BE FIRST" usually pay thru the nose and are the ones
> with the "bugs" in the radios.
>

3094. Re: Comments: IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5ktnqh$a3j8@peach.america.net>
Source record: 175945

Erick everyone under the sun will have a different opinion about what they think is best but I really like the one I have. The reciever on it is not as good as good as the W2A that I just sold but the W32A has alot more features that I like and with hams wanting all UHF and VHF to be more broad banded the recievers on all brands will pick up more garbage than they use to. I wish they would offer these rigs both HT and mobile with ham only bands so they would be more selective and not pick up so much intermode garbage. If I want a scanner like most hams want ht's and mobiles to be I would rather buy a scanner. That's the price though we pay for convience. Very nice rig though, I think you would be pleased with it. I tried the Yaesu FT51 in a high intermode area and man it picked up alot of trash. It has alot of nice features but you see alot of them for sale which is not a good indication. You don't see many W32A's for sale. I tried them both the FT51 and the W32A and the Yaesu simply picks up more crap and I am an owner of Yaesu HF equipment so I am not a Yaesu hater. I hope this helps. E-mail me if you have any other questions. I really like mine. "Eric K. Davis" <ekd@iastate.edu> wrote:

>I am currently looking at purchasing an Icom W32A handheld. I would
>like comments on its performance by someone who has used one before.

>73's
>Eric

3095. Is There Any 2 Meter AM Activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim@uncle.net
Message-ID: <33702d8d.10702075@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175946

I recently purchased an Icom 706 and would like to dabble with 2 meter AM or SSB. Do hams actually communicate in these modes anymore? I never seem to hear anyone. Is this mode more affected by propogation than others? The main reason I ask is that I have never heard anyone on 2 meter AM or SSB. I never see this topic discussed so I suppose the answer will help new hams other than myself. I live near Macon GA and travel to Atlanta frequently with the rig installe in my truck. Thanks for any replies. Tim

3096. kenwood HT? help me

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpatedc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509055000.BAA05361@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175947

i have a kenwood 440mhz tr-3600A with no manual. it must be a 80's model.
there are 6 switches on back for PL tones. please help me if u know how to
work this HT. i can get a manual but is it really worth $25?
send email to dpatedc@flash.net
thanks daryl kc5slq

3097. FS: SSTV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5ku57p$s1l@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 175948

Hello, I have a NS-88 slow scan converter. It is the NS-88, a japan copy of the Robot 1200C. The front panel looks the same as the Robot. $300 shipped. I also have a Sony color monitor for the converter.$100 shipped. If you have any questions please email me.
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

3098. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jspatric@mailhost.ecn.uoknor.edu
Message-ID: <5ku7gqfc1@independence.ecn.ou.edu>
Source record: 175949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian <burkefam@icss.net> writes:

>David, knock your self out. I spent a month of weekends on the 40M
>novice subband calling CQ about 10 years ago. I got exactly two
>responses. Neither stuck around the frequency long enough to make a log
>entry. QRS (could you please, please slow down?) is pretty much unknown
>also. And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently hand
>(or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse to
>die. I suggest getting more code practice tapes, getting to 13 or
>20wpm, and then forget all about how "swell" the code is and how the
>code folks are so nice (urban myth). Then use the microphone to
>actually talk to other people. Good luck, Brian/N0iMD

Well, gee, I'll have to tell KE3WD (Extra) that he is an urban "myth".
You see, I tried CW for the first time on 40m (Novice sub-band) and low
and behold, he was calling CQ at about 6-7 wpm. I had a nice CW QSO
with him, even if he did have to send most things twice!

So, David, there are some people in the Novice sub-bands who QRS
gladly!

Oh, and if you ever hear KC5VEI on, please answer me!

John -- KC5VEI -- "Happy the Red Cross lets me use their radio!"
--
John Patrick (jpatrick@ou.edu) - KC5VEI
Electrical/Computer Engineering Grad @ The University of Oklahoma
* John's EE Page: <http://www.ecn.ou.edu/~jspatric/ee-info.html> *

3099. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704098631.AA863163058@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175950
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Ham-Equip Digest Thu, 8 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 503

Today's Topics:
AIRCRAFT RADIO
ATTN: REQ: Stornophone 6000 programming software
FS: Antennas
FS: ATV Downconverters
FS: MOTOROLA & ICOM
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HRO-50T reverse auction continues
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Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?
TS-570 D, mods
When to Power Down?
WTB: MFJ code trainer

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 20:58:01 GMT
From: mdwatt@usit.net (Marty Watt)
Subject: AIRCRAFT RADIO

On 03 May 97 23:44:00 GMT, Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
(Roland Stiner) wrote:

>
>
>>Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?
>
>It's legal to use ANY radio to receive-no license needed.

BUT!

It is NOT legal to use the non-accepted receivers as the primary (or
even backup) receiver on board an aircraft. Non-flight activities
only ...

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Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #2031 - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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Date: 7 May 1997 16:13:51 -0700
From: vr100@rosey.com
Subject: ATTN: REQ: Stornophone 6000 programming software

Anyone got programming software for STORNOPHONE radios.???
please contact me.

Date: 8 May 1997 17:59:29 GMT
From: "Peter J. Brand"
Subject: FS: Antennas

I am posting these items for a friend:

All equipment in excellent condition

Contact Bill, W2MTE, at (518) 355-2703 after 4 PM EDT

Tonna 9 23 cm beam antenna
23 element
$75+shipping

Cushcraft 70cm beam antenna
10 element
$50+shipping

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PC Electronics model TVC12G:
23cm to TV ch. 8 Downconverter
$75+shipping

PC Electronics model TVC14G:
70cm to TV ch. 3 Downconverter
$65+shipping

Date: 9 May 97 01:11:08 GMT
From: dxhog@netsync.NET (DAVID WOODBURN)
Subject: FS: MOTOROLA & ICOM

I have the following equipment for sale.

Eight UHF 100W Motorola Micor's. All units include control cables,heads,speakers,and mikes. $150.00 each.

One Mocom70 100W 42 to 50 MHz. $100.00 Units are in working condition.

Icom P2AT 2 meter hand held package. Includes LC93 soft case, cp12 Cigar lighter charger, BP113 batt, Periphex BP114S batt with charger, HS51 headset boom mike setup, HM54 speaker mike, and extra BC74A charger. Unit is in great condition and have box and manual. $175.00

DRSI DKP2 TNC, modified for netrom use on node stack, With manual $55.00

Ramsey 2M PA10 amplifier with preamp, 2 to 5 watts in gives 40 to 60 watts out, with manual $45.00.

All equipment is in great working order and prices include shipping to anywhere in USA. I can be reached at 716-569-3585, or e-mail dxhog@netsynv.net. Best to you and yours, 73 Dave/N2ODU.

Date: Fri, 02 May 1997 10:33:28 -0700
From: Art Searle
Subject: FS: Timewave DSP-599ZX DSP Noise Filter

Forsale: Timewave DSP-599ZX DSP Noise Filter

I bought this 1/09/97 for $369.95. It works great but I have sold all of my HF equipment and have no use for it.

Asking $250.00 or make an offer

--
Art Searle, W2NRA, NRA Benefactor Life Member
NRA Certified Firearms Instructor

Date: 8 May 97 16:01:36 GMT
From: "James Brude"
Subject: FS B 3016G 2 meter power amp

For sale: 30 in 160 watt 2 meter power amp with Gas-Fet pre-amp built in.
This unit operates on SSB/FM . It has SWR/OVERLOAD protection circuitry.
Price $200 + shipping . Can be delivered to Dayton Hamvention.
Phone # (513) 753-5183 ask for Jim WB0SCD

email jbrude@isoc.net

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 11:38:07 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4"
Subject: FTV-901R Transverter is SOLD

The ftv-901r transverter is sold. Thanks to all of you who responded to my ad.

73's
Bob

Date: 8 May 1997 13:37:20 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: HELP w/ Tempo One SSB

Does the rig have separate tuned circuits in the mixer and driver stages for each band? If so, I'd suspect a failure somewhere in one of the 40m tuned circuits which may be limiting the drive on that band.

Dean K5DH

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>finals.
>
>Thanks for any help you can give!
>
>John B. Lawrence
>
>

Date: 8 May 1997 22:59:21 GMT
From: k9sqg@aol.com (K9SQG)
Subject: HRO-50T reverse auction continues

Have a National HRO-50T, two coils, coil storage case, and speaker, today's price $210 picked up in Dayton. Additional details in previous posting.

73,

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 14:51:29 -0600
From: KC5YWX
Subject: Illeagal Transmission

Tim wrote:

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>
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> to
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> >he did not have one.
> >
> >What type of penalty?
> >Who to contact?
> >
> >Please post.
> >
> >Thanks in advance.
>
> Beyond he basic lip service, nothing will likely happen. Your best

Is it known that the carpenter is using it on the HAM Bands?
Could have he done the MARS/CAP (xtended TX) mod and be using
frs or one of those business freqs like 154.6? If he is not using
the ham bands he is out of the hams' jurisdiction. If he is on band
and using the local repeaters, then the repeater owners have issue.
And the club (if one exists) should persue it.
Next time he's over, have your Optronics 3000A, Scout, Explorer
going when he TXs.
73s de Jim KC5YWX

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Date: 03 May 97 23:44:00 GMT
From: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com (Roland Stiner)
Subject: ILLEGAL TRANSMISSIONS

> I drove near the highway and as the sigs became louder I disconnected
>the antenna and spotted them driving by. I followed them for a bit and
>could see that they had dealed plates on the cars and it seems they were
>transporting cars aross some distance. I still monitored them and not
>once did they give their call signs and ignored my asking of them who
>they were.
> This does happen from time to time but what to do???

There's nothing you can do until the FCC is willing to assume their
responsibilities and enforce the law. They haven't done that in a good
while now and probably won't ever again.

OLX 1.53 PRIVATE REPLY? E-MAIL ME AT: NK2U@JUNO.COM
--
|Fidonet: Roland Stiner 1:2604/151
|Internet: Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 01:11:49 -0600
From: r_denis@globalnet.hn
Subject: KU4J DxAlert

Can someone tell me where I could get more info on DxAlert manu
factured by KU4J. It is a "black box" that takes Dx spots from
a packet cluster, converts the text into voice and then
broadcasts it (usually through a voice repeater). Any help will
be appreciated.

Rick, HR2KOS

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: 8 May 1997 12:57:05 -0700
From: "Brian K. Short"
Subject: Mailing List

BitBucket is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to
specialized amateur radio communication techniques.

-SSTV, ATV, FAX, APT, DSP, QRP
-Packet, Pactor, GTOR, Clover, RTTY
-R/C, Telemetry, Balloons, Rockets, Robotics
-homebrew, modifications, interfacing, widgets, etc

To subscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: SUBSCRIBE bitbucket

To unsubscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: UNSUBSCRIBE bitbucket

As we encourage the free exchange of ideas, if you pay for
email service by the byte you may want to consider carefully
before subscribing.

To submit materials:
TO: bitbucket@primenet.com

bit bucket /n./

1. The universal data sink (originally, the mythical receptacle
used to catch bits when they fall off the end of a register
during a shift instruction). Discarded, lost, or destroyed data
is said to have `gone to the bit bucket'. On Unix, often used
for /dev/null. Sometimes amplified as `the Great Bit Bucket in
the Sky'.

2. The place where all lost mail and news messages eventually go.
The selection is performed according to Finagle's Law;

important mail is much more likely to end up in the bit bucket
than junk mail, which has an almost 100% probability of getting
delivered. Routing to the bit bucket is automatically performed
by mail-transfer agents, news systems, and the lower layers of
the network.

3. The ideal location for all unwanted mail responses: "Flames
about this article to the bit bucket." Such a request is
guaranteed to overflow one's mailbox with flames.

4. Excuse for all mail that has not been sent. "I mailed you those
figures last week; they must have landed in the bit bucket." Compare
black hole.

This term is used purely in jest. It is based on the fanciful
notion that bits are objects that are not destroyed but only
misplaced. This appears to have been a mutation of an earlier
term `bit box', about which the same legend was current; old-
time hackers also report that trainees used to be told that
when the CPU stored bits into memory it was actually pulling
them `out of the bit box'. See also chad box.

Another variant of this legend has it that, as a consequence of
the `parity preservation law', the number of 1 bits that go to
the bit bucket must equal the number of 0 bits. Any imbalance
results in bits filling up the bit bucket. A qualified computer
technician can empty a full bit bucket as part of scheduled
maintenance.

If you have any questions or problems, please contact:
k7on@qsl.net
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:14:27 GMT
From: hduff@ica.net (Hugh Duff)
Subject: Need IC-471 schematic

Looking for a schematic and block diagram for an ICOM IC-471A all mode
UHF transceiver.
Anyone ?

Please e-mail: hduff@ica.net

Date: Fri, 2 May 1997 16:40:10 GMT
From: jss167@psu.edu (Jim)
Subject: PA Hamfest & Computerfest

>The Murgas Amateur Radio Club will hold it's annual hamfest and computerfest
>on Sunday July 6th at the Luzerne County Fairgrounds(NE PA.) This is a
>respectably sized fest.
>From I-81 take exit 47B(puts you on 309). This changes into 415. Turn left
>at light by Texaco onto 118. Fest is a bit down road on left.

>wb3faa@aol.com for info
>146.61 talk in

Date: Fri, 02 May 1997 15:46:04 GMT
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: Please answer this question

On Fri, 02 May 1997 06:54:54 GMT, dude@wherever.net (Tim) wrote:
>I read about the option of having a CTCSS decoder as an option in most
>dual band HT'S. Does this mean that if you are listening to lets say
>a taxi dispatch or police radio and or a repeater that the radio will
>show what PL tone is being used? I thought CTCSS or PL tones were
>only transmitted in the transmission part of the conversation not the
>reception. (I am talking about repeaters exclusively). I do
>understand that you can use these tones if there are alot of hams
>using the same simplex frequencies. Is there another use? Possibly
>the one's I stated earlier? Thank you.

The CTCSS decoder acts as your receiver's squelch when engaged. It isn't
something which reads out a tone frequency (though there are units which
can do that too). You set the tone to be decoded to match the one the repeater
your are monitoring transmits.

Most tone accessed repeaters, and even some which don't require tone
access, also transmit tone. So if you have a CTCSS decoder in the radio,
your receiver's squelch will only open when the repeater is transmitting
and the selected tone is decoded by your receiver. It *won't* open for pager
crud and other IMD and overload on or near the channel frequency. This
makes monitoring the repeater much more pleasant in those "intermod alleys"
most of us have to drive through every day.

Note, most repeaters won't pass through tone from user radios. The tone that
they transmit is generated by an encoder installed at the repeater. This is
usually, but not always, set to the same frequency as the tone needed to
access the repeater.

Having tone on the repeater output is a very good idea, and is beneficial whether
the repeater requires tone access or not because it helps out those monitoring
the repeater in those intermod alleys. Locally, we encourage all repeater owners
to install a 100 Hz output tone on their machines for this purpose.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 22:00:18 +0200
From: J M Noeding
Subject: Tempo One SSB

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isn't it similar to FT-200 FT-250 etc ?
I had an early FT-250 in 69. The fault John mentions occurred on 80m -
believe a 330uuF capacitor changed value in 80m driver or pre-driver
circuit, it was also a crystal problem on ssb (80m cw), believe one
ceramic value capacitor changed value in the carrier oscillator. I
cannot remember particular problems for 40m, but it is 27 years since I
had this rig... The AGC circuit looks like a copy of the Drake TR4.
DF7JE modified it similar to this, but I felt that it was not much
success in changing time constants in this order...
73
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OPR.: Jan-Martin Noeding - LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 KristiansandS
Main interest: Amateur radio technical experiments, QRV: 3.5-10369MHz
CW/SSB
Tel. QTH +47-380-87178, QRL: +47-380-52660, GSM: 9064-4295,
NMT:944-26396

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 19:00:36 GMT
From: lemenst@fhsmpt.fh.trw.com (Tom LeMense)
Subject: Ten-Tec 1208 6mtr w/IC-735?

I am in the midst of building a 1208 transverter, and have tested out
the receive portion recently -- it worked great with my Halli S-53!
(approx -127 dBm AM input at 50 MHz was easily audible).

After I finish building the transmit portion and checking it out, I'm going to "move" the 1208 transciver IF from 20m to 10m, as I don't have a 20m all mode rig.

If anyone else has done this with the 1208 kit, I'd LOVE to hear from them. So far it looks to be pretty straightforward, but one never knows...

-tom KC8GFQ

>PZFH81A@prodigy.com (Sam Barrett) wrote:
>Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 1208 6 meter converter and successfully used
>it with an ICOM IC-735 or other similar rig?
>
>I would like to hear stories.
>
>WA5RPP/1
>Sam Barrett
>pzfh81a@prodigy.com
>
>

Date: 6 May 1997 07:00:13 GMT
From: corio@oasis.dit.upm.es (Carlos Orio Gutierrez)
Subject: TS-570 D, mods

Anyone know how open the TS 570 D (European) to work 160m. band?
Thanks in avanced.
Carlos.

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 11:28:26 GMT
From: gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell)
Subject: When to Power Down?

There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??

73 N1MSV

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 23:19:49 -0700
From: Matt Staroscik
Subject: WTB: MFJ code trainer

I am looking to pick up a used MFJ Morse trainer. I believe the model number is 418 - it's black plastic, with a 2-line LCD display on the side opposite the speaker. If you have one for sale drop me a line.

Regards...
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Matt Staroscik KF6IYW "It's not a doll -
staroscik@sowest.net it's an ACTION FIGURE."

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #503
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Fri, 09 May 97 03:06:35 EST
Return-Path:
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id
for ; Fri, 9 May 1997 03:07:29 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id DAA29650; Fri, 9 May 1997 03:07:29 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma029648; Fri, 9 May 97 03:07:10 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id WAA29912 for ; Thu, 8 May 1997 22:52:05 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id WAA07902
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Thu, 8 May 1997 22:26:53 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id WAA07883
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Thu, 8 May 1997 22:26:49 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705090526.WAA07883@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Thu, 8 May 97 22:26:48 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #503
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3100. WE OFFER MOTOROLA ACCESSORIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Medine <bumper09@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5adc$e8d04700$473e5dcf@bumper09.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175951
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Motorola.doc

Ear Piece special also in effect....

VISIT http://pw1.netcom.com/~bumper09/small.html

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3101. Re: BEWARE OF DEALINGS WITH Mark S. Conway

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tahoefranz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509082700.EAA09637@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175952

I had a simular experience.

A guy in New York, I won't mention his name because I don't mean to cause him any harm, and I struck a deal for some equipment.. The last I heard from him is that it was a done deal and he would ship by UPS blue label. Well, I had a check ready but no UPS man/woman ever showed up. So I emailed numerous times and now response from that individual who has an address at ibm.com....

I mailed a final email that asked for a courtesy response stating if he was going to send it or not. That way I could look elsewhere for the same product. I got absolutely no response.

Perhaps he lost my address, email address, and the phone number that I gave him. Hmmmm, sounds unlikely but I will give him the benefit of the doubt. My guess is that he got a better offer, which is FINE, but he could at least had the courtesy to let me know. There would have been no hard feelings.

Oh well. I guess not everyone has the same ethic and respect for fellow human beings that I do.

Just my 2 cents.

Franz in Tahoe

3102. HF Transceiver for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4mzw@akorn.net
Message-ID: <863237375.13776@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175953

Icom IC-756 Transceiver for sale Like New never used.
$ 1,800.00 (shipped ConUS)

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3103. Thosands of mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509053200.BAA04435@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175954

I have literaly thousands of mods for Ham Radios and Scanners.
In the next week or so I should have all my mods on line for download.
I'll give the web address to those of you that want to begin, however in
the mean time I will attempt to send them manually to you via email.

http://members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher

3104. SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS OFFERED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Medine <bumper09@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5c4d$9b71e0a0$783e5dcf@bumper09.ix.netcom.com>
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Thanks,
Don Medine
TAC-COM Communications

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3105. ADI AT-600 MARS/CAP Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jclark97@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509062501.CAA06773@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175956

I've been doing much research on the AT-600 radio. From what I've read, it can be rather easily modified to trasmit from 100-199 Mhz and 400-499 Mhz. This seems almost too good to be true, and it probably is. My question to anyone out there who might know is what the performance of the radio is while transmitting out of the ham bands. I know that using a ham antenna will decrease performance while transmitting on non-ham frequencies. But I'm mainly curious as to the performance of the modified AT-600, and also how it compares to other modified dual-band handhelds, such as the FT-50 and FT-51, the IC-T7A and IC-W32A, and the C558A. And, if anyone might have any additional info, I'm also trying to find out more about the Icom IC-Delta100 and IC-Delta1A, and the C568A, tri-band radios. I'm inquiring as to if they are modifiable, and if so, how much. Your information will be much appreciated.

3106. W-32 Review by KN4AQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <33730b9f.3524650@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 175957

"Eric K. Davis" <ekd@iastate.edu> wrote:

>I am currently looking at purchasing an Icom W32A handheld. I would
>like comments on its performance by someone who has used one before.
>
>73's
>Eric
>

from the Raleigh Amateur Radio Society newsletter, the Exciter:

Icom IC-W32A Mini-Review

The never-ending search for the perfect (Icom) handheld has led me to the Icom IC-W32A, a tiny dual-bander. It's getting close. (You Kenwood/Yaesu/Alinco/Standard guys - write your own review.)

As dual-band HTs got smaller, the shrinking real-estate on top of the radio created a problem. It takes three knobs to control the usual volume/squelch combo for VHF, volume/squelch for UHF, and channel/tuning. Add jacks for antenna, power and a speaker/mic, and things get tight on the top of smaller rigs.

Icom's first dualbander-on-a-diet was the W2A back in 1991 (the 24AT doesn't count - it can't tune both bands at once, so it doesn't need dual controls). They jammed all the controls on top of the radio, but they put the VHF volume/squelch shaft so close to the antenna connector that it was hard to turn. The next generation W21A still had three knobs, but somewhat better ergonomics. But the competition was getting smaller still. There just wouldn't be room.

So Icom and the other manufacturers pulled one of the three knobs off the top of the radio, and everybody went off in different directions as they tried to figure out how to double up on the functions of the remaining two knobs. The result is that you probably can't just pick up a friend's HT and use it anymore, unless it happens to be on the right channel and have the right volume setting already.

Icom went through some particularly tortured control combinations in the short-lived Z1A and W31A before arriving at a workable combination in the W32A. Those older radios put the squelch controls for each band on the outside rings of each shaft, and divide the inside ring between volume duty and channel duty. The Z1 forces you to find and push a "function" key before you can adjust the volume (a real stupid idea). The W31 lets you program those shafts to be either volume or channel, and then you have to hold the function button use the opposite function (not as stupid, but inconvient).

I have a Z1, and kept wishing that they hadn't wasted that outside ring on the squelch control. Sure, squelch is a diddler's delight as a control, but you really don't have to adjust it much. Volume control is much more important.

Well, someone at Icom must have been listening inside my brain, because that's just what they did. The ring on each outer shaft of the W32 controls volume - easy to reach and adjust. The center knob controls frequency (and other functions through the SET menu).

To change the squelch level, you have to hold a function key and rotate the center knob. But, among the 8 levels of squelch settings, there's something called "AT," or as the manual describes it, an "automatic level adjustment with a noise pulse count system." I don't know what that is, but it seems to work pretty well. I'm now happy with the compromise on limited real-estate.

Something else I'm happy about is memories - 100 per band. 100 memories on 2 meters is just barely enough for what I want to do, which is program every 2 meter repeater and simplex channel into a memory (there are 100 of the beasts).

Why do that? Because it's the only way to easily scan all the 2 meter FM channels. The band plan is too convoluted for easy scanning using "band limits." Repeaters down by 145.11 - 145.49 are in 20 kHz steps. Then there's a big gap in the band, until you reach the repeaters and simplex from 146.4 to 147.6, and those are on 15 kHz channels. So you're choices are to scan just one part of the band efficiently, or scan too much of it at 5 kHz steps, very inefficiently. Unless you can program every channel into memory.

There's just one thing I'd like to see in addition that the W32 doesn't do - "bank" the memories, or group them and let me turn banks on and off. The local repeaters would be in one bank, and the rest of them would be in another. I could then choose to scan just the local machines, or all of them. You might have your own favorite plan for banked memories.

(Why do I want to do all that scanning anyway? How do you think I got the reputation for being everywhere at once?)

And now, some of the other interesting touches in this radio:

Alpha names - you can program the display to read an 8-character text name for memory channels. Great for those lesser-used memory channels when you can't remember why you programmed it. But I dread the day when we stop calling it "six-four" and start calling it "channel nine."

Weather Channels - there's a separate "band" for tuning the NOAA weather channels from 162.40 - 162.55. They read out only in channel numbers from 1 thru 10, not in frequencies. And the order is strange: Ch. 1 is 162.55, Ch. 2 is 162.40, Ch. 3 is 162.475, Ch. 4 is 162.425, and it goes up from there. That follows the order of "popularity" of the NOAA channels, but will seem odd to hams used to dealing with real frequencies.

Frequency coverage is wide, but not quite as wide as earlier models (you'll need to "keyboard mod" the radio for 800 MHz receive - turn off, and hold down the SQUELCH and BAND buttons while turning on):

108-136, with a real AM detector.

136-200 (I haven't tested the sensitivity in the upper reaches of that band,, but it doesn't hear the potent ch. 11 video carrier on 199.25, so I suspect it's kind of deaf up there).

300-400 (again, no sensitivity measurements, and there's an FM detector, although much of the military aviation activity in this band is AM).

400-600. Here, the TV carrier test shows sensitivity up to the low 500's, but it can't hear channel 30 (in Middelsex) at 567.24 - that carrier bangs into my AOR 3000A scanner.

600 - 1000. No hint of the channel 40 carrier at 627.26, but it hears the 800 MHz public service stuff well. The cellular band is blocked (big deal, it's all going digital anyway). It hears a 940 MHz system well.

It's a small radio, but has big buttons. The speaker is on the small side, with only fair fidelity and volume. Transmit audio is kind of bassy and a little muddy.

Transmitting on VHF will finally mute the UHF receiver, and vice versa. It took Icom forever to figure this out. With the W2A and W21A, if you were transmitting on VHF and somebody came up on UHF, you blasted that sound out your transmitter.

You can set different CTCSS tones for transmit and receive. The only radio I've encounterd before that did this was the Radio Shack HTX-202. I don't think I've ever really wished I could do that, but now I can.

Automatic Repeater Offsets - Kenwood has done this for years. Icom just learned how to track the radio with the band plan, and shift the transmitter offset up or down depending on what part of the band you're in. But the band plan they used must have been the ARRL's, which still calls for "linear translators" between 145.11 and 145.19. So the W32A won't set an automatic offset there. Icom, get a clue. There are no linear translators except on the OSCARS, so this part of the band is full of repeaters.

But they make up for that faux pas with this feature - when it's time to program a memory, you dial it into the VFO, then push some buttons to start putting it into memory. But part way into that process, as you are selecting which memory channel you want to use by dialing across the existing memory channels, the display SHOWS YOU WHAT'S ALREADY BEEN PROGRAMMED in each channel. Now that is extra useful.

There's a direct readout of battery voltage - at least I thought there was. Turns out it only reads in .5 volt increments, and not when the radio is transmitting. So it's utility is limited. The manual says it was designed to keep tabs on the voltage of an alkaline pack, not the nicads.

Cloning and PC programming - you can. I haven't tried it yet. You need an optional cable.

There is no adapter to charge the battery with the little wall cube charger when the battery is off the radio. Your option is to charge it while on the radio, or get a rapid-charger. The rapid charger is nice, and it runs on 12 volts, so you can use it in your car. Beware, there's a little, loose plastic insert required to hold in different size batteries. It falls out easily. I know. I lost mine. The replacement is $15.

DTMF "Paging" functions are GONE. Nobody except N1GMV every used them, but they were a great idea. Your radio could be programmed with a bunch of touch-tone codes, and would sit silently monitoring a busy channel until someone send one of your codes. I couldn't believe this radio didn't have the feature, but it's not on the buttons, and not in the manual. It does have CTCSS encode and decode, with 50 tone channels instead of the usual 38.

Also missing is the ability to keep the internal speaker going when you plug in a speaker-mic.

And finally, Icom stole Kenwood's "guide." It's a little scroll of text across the screen that tells you what the function of a button or "set" function is. I felt like a dork using it, but it worked.

There's more, of course, but most of the other functions are the ones we've been using for several years.

So yes, I like the W32. It solved some vexing operational problems, and only added a few small new ones. My W2A cost over $600 in 1991. The W32 street price is about $400.

Gary Pearce KN4AQ - the HT King.
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Gary Pearce AVID/Video Editor kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Cary, NC Franklin Video Ham Radio:
(919) 380-9944 Raleigh, NC KN4AQ

3107. Re: FT-51 cross band repeat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikekb2ufs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970509105101.GAA13273@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175958

Chuck,

The manual neglects to tell you to put the '51R in the "DUP" (duplex) mode first! Try this (<FM><9>) and crossband-repeat will work.

There are >several< things that are not mentioned in the manual. If you're scanning and come across an interesting frequency, how do you hang onto it, short of writing it down? Press <FM> and <VFO>, this will transfer the frequency to the last VFO used. This also works if you're using a memory channel as a "VFO" (MT).

Feel free to ask me if you have any other questions--I may have stumbled across an answer!

73 DE KB2UFS, Mike

3108. COMUNICATION EQUIPMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Medine <bumper09@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5c4c$b6701580$783e5dcf@bumper09.ix.netcom.com>
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Thanks,
Don Medine
TAC-COM Communications

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3109. Re: FS ICOM IC901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tim <alpo@essex1.com>
Message-ID: <3373663A.74B4@essex1.com>
Source record: 175960

N9JTF-
I wish you had a 6m[UX-59] module

3110. Quality HF Station FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <"kd4cdb@bellsouth.net"@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <5kv19s$i7l$1@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Due to purchase of a new home with covenants and supposedly rfi ridden neighbors the following gear is for sale:
1. Kenwood TS140S with recently purchased MC60 Mike. I am original owner,mars modified,excellent condition. 650$ together,will not break up.
2.Ameritron AL811, 3 tuber,original owner,new Svetlanas put in at xmas,600 watts all day. 450$
3.MFJ 989C 2KW tuner,bought new at xmas,MINT. 275$
Entire package,1300$
All manuals and power cables of course. All prices you pay shipping or pickup in Atlanta,Georgia.
Terms: Items must be prepaid with certified check or money order. No cod's because UPS takes months to cut a moneyorder. I will ship immediately on receipt UPS and verify with a tracking number. Prices are firm,this a great station. Queries via e-mail Thanks KD4CDB Jim

3111. Re: RE.: NEED ALPHA 77DX Panels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Clements <philk5pc@connect.net>
Message-ID: <3373F666.486D@connect.net>
Source record: 175962

Richard Gillani wrote:
>
> Approximately one month ago someone posted that they were going to have
> the Alpha 77 Dx and Sx panels reproduced. Would that individual PLEASE
> contact me.)or anyone who can help me.) I have interest in ordering
> two panels. Please e-mail me at tbolt@ix.netcom.com Thanks;Rich

That is Paul Kluwe, W8ZO. I just installed my new panels from him, and they
are beautiful. Pkluwe@aol.com $150 for all three panels, shipped.

(((73)))
Phil, K5PC

3112. Surface Mount Transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kevin R. Smith" <krs@li.net>
Message-ID: <33732E35.8772B5D9@li.net>
Source record: 175963

I have a Midland LMR repeater that I'm in the process or repairing and I need some surface mount transistors. Does anyone know of a good reasonable source for these. Midlands delivery is out of this world.

Kevin

3113. Re: Gonset Communicators - Manuals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Pendley <Michael.Pendley@sematech.org>
Message-ID: <33732DAC.693E@sematech.org>
Source record: 175964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> I have several Gonset Communicators 2M, 6M, one 6M amp. I would like to
> find copies of manuals for these beasts. Anyone out there that can help?
> I am willing to pay copying & postage, etc. If no manuals, any clues on
> tuning, operating, tweaking, pricing?
>
> 73 Ron, WA1UWZ
>
> Information on the highest quality single objective stereoscopic cameras
> in the world is at:
>
> http://www.3doptics.com

Ron,
There are several Gonsets. Which ones do you need manuals for ?

73
Michael
WA5VTV

3114. IC-706 CW-R adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Malezet Jean-Pierre <f6flv@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <3373352B.15AB@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 175965

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>Danie Brynard wrote:
>********************
>
> Hi Jean-Pierre
>
> I have got a IC-706MkII which is now about 5 days old :-) I found exactly
> the same problem on it as you described on the amateur.equipment usenet.
> Have you perhaps found a cure for the problem so far ? I will keep you
> posted when I hear something.
>
> Problem Statement: I hear two carriers about 1.25kHz apart when listening to
> a carrier on say 7.020 MHz when the radio is in CW-R mode. On CW mode it
> works fine although the selectivity (IF filter is wide) is not very good so
> I have ordered the 500Hz CW filter.
>
> 73 Danie zs6awk
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> ++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++
> Danie Brynard Email: zs6awk@global.co.za
> PO Box 15133,Centurion,0140,South Africa
> GRID LOC: KG44CE, Tel/Fax: (2712) 6640330
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>paul knapton wrote:
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> On 29 Apr 97 13:38:56 GMT, in rec.radio.amateur.equipment you wrote:
>
> >Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment
> >*******************************
> >
> >I have some trouble (CW-R mode only) with my IC706.
> >
> >With the CW (not -R) mode, I can listen very well LSB stations.
> >
> >But with the CW-R mode, I listen USB stations very badly and very weak :
> >The audiofrequency is very deep. If I try to listen a clear carrier, I
> >get 2 listening frequencies.
> >So I can't call a USB station in CW !!!
> >
> >So, my CW-R mode seems to be out of adjustment (the balanced mixer probably).
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> >
> >Can anyone give me the component I have to adjust ?
> >And where is it on the board ? (Which board ?)
> >I do not have the technical manual.
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >mailto:f6flv@wanadoo.fr
> >my Home Page : http://perso.wanadoo.fr/f6flv/index.htm
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> >
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> >
> Hi Jean
> I have a ic706 mk1 and i am a keen CW op....
> My radio functions just like you have discribed...
> This has bothered me for some time...
> Is this two radio's with the same fault or is this
> how they are?????????
> If you get any clever answers could you forward
> them on to me please jean.....
> All the very best de Paul // M0AIA...

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So Danie, I dont have the solution now !
Don't worry about it, it is just an adjustment to do,
but what to do ?
Can somebody tell us please ?

Jean-Pierre Malezet
mailto:f6flv@wanadoo.fr

3115. Re: Looking for Crystals - 6M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3373194C.4372@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Jim Devenport wrote:
>
> Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
> >
> > Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M
> > Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the
> > units.
> >
> > Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is
> > there much 6M AM activity?
> >
> > Any help would be appreciated.
> I don't know the details of the Gonset, but you might post the basic
> frequency of the crystals (8 mhz, 6 mhz, whatever) so we can peruse our
> junkboxes for you.

The few crystals I have here are 8 mhz range. Gonset apparently used a 6X multiplier, at least for the 6M rigs. At 50.4 this would mean 8400 Khz crystals would do. These are FT-243 packages.

I have quite a few responses regarding these crystals. Apparently there is a good supply available. Anyone needing any can contact me and I'll provide the reference I have as to where to buy them.

Thanks to all who have responded.

73 de Ron, WA1UWZ

3116. Re: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3373128C.2610@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175967

L.J. d'Hont wrote:
>
> Don't forget that the Yen has plummeted more than 25% after the original
> 706 came out.
> So I would expect this 706 MKII to be a lot CHEAPER than what the 706 was,
> there isn't THAT much changed to the radio.
>
> If not, some fat cat is getting even fatter from your money, and we all
> know who those fat cats are.
>
> 73, Loek
>
> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
> <336CEA18.CEA@ix.netcom.com>...
> > Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 wrote:
> > >
> > > icom has already discontinued the 706 pricing to be similar to
> original unit
> > > --
> > > 73 de Steve
> > > KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC
> >
> > I saw pricing at several Dealer Web sites to be $1350
> > Assume the price will drop $100 within the next year plus Icom may give
> > the Separation kit etc. for free to keep the product moving. The first
> > Hams who "HAVE TO BE FIRST" usually pay thru the nose and are the ones
> > with the "bugs" in the radios.
> >

I have followed the Japanese radio prices as the Yen got strong and
week. I found that the Ham Radio prices went up when the Yen was strong
but the prices didn't go down when the Yen was weak. I guess it is a one
way street!!!
73's Steven Hershman NS1R

3117. RF Line Sampler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3373c12b.524510@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175855

Looking for an "In Line RF Sampler". 50 ohms, legal limit, 0 to 30
MHz.
Want to sample the RF signal with the vertical input of a scope.
Let me know if you have such a item and the cost.
Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3118. Rooms Available for Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sparkes@fast.net
Message-ID: <5l0m6o$evt@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 175856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I cannot attend the Hamvention this year so I have one room available for 3 nights, arriving Thur., May 15,
and leaving Sun., May 18. The room is non-smoking and has 2 double beds. The motel is renting the
rooms for the 3 nights (must take 3 nights I think). The rate is $80.00 per night charged by the motel. I am
not getting anything out of this but would like to make the room available to someone who might need it..
The motel is a 15 min. drive from Hara Arena. I must cancel by Mon., May 12, so let me know ASAP if you
are interested.

Email me at: sparkes@fast.net

Ned Parkes - N3LKT

3119. Forsale/Trade: Icom R71a + computer stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: joshin@cats.ucsc.edu
Message-ID: <5l0mkb$f0j@darkstar.ucsc.edu>
Source record: 175857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi, Its spring and thus time to clean out the shack/computer
room of the stuff that doesn't get used enough (or at all)...

I have the following forsale/trade:

1) Icom R71a receiver with remote and manual - $450 obo
2) 2 unopened Kingston 32M parity simms (not EDO) - $350 obo (for both)
3) Archive 2G SCSI dat drive in external case - $250
4) Fujitsu 512M FastSCSI hard drive (internal) - $100
5) External SCSI 3.5" case (must be sold with #4 or #5) - $50
6) Apple Powerbook Duo 210 (upgraded to POWER PC)
800M drive, 16M ram, 19.2K modem, scsidock
16 grey screen, 3 batteries, 2 power adapters - $750
(older type "B" keyboard)

I'm looking in the following in trade:
1) Solid State HF rig (Icom 735 or similar) accessories a plus
2) 2M/70cm amplifier
3) 2m/70cm base antenna
4) AOR 8000 or similar scanner
5) 2M/70cm mobile radio

Thanks,
Josh Goldsmith
joshin@cats.ucsc.edu
(408)222-7005
KF6KHH

3120. National HRO info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5l0qsq$l3r@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 175858

I would like to know a little about the history of the National HRO receiver?

What are the different models (like -M or -5)?

What is the value of the different models?

3121. DX-70TH First Impressions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: res@cmprime.att.com
Message-ID: <5l0t6l$ab3@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175859

Just got a new DX70 delivered from HRO in Delaware to my home in NNJ, 20 hours from phone call to delivery.

First thing I did was sit it down beside a 706 belonging to George, KC2MF and compare some receiver performance using a signal generator. The sensitivity of both rigs are the same. At high signal levels the Alinco has some tweets and whistles as you bring the strong signal in towards the tuned in signal. The 706 has none. I should mention that this is with a strong (-30 dBm) signal and the tweets were near the noise level so from a practical standpoint it is no big deal. Phase noise appeard to be similar but again, slightly lower on the 706. I do an IM test by injecting 2 signals of -10 dBm through an attenuator into the receiver and measuring the amount of attenuation I need to insert to get 3rd order IM level of -90 dBm (about S5 or so). The Alinco is better than the Icom here .....
The AM filter is a bit broad, seems to be around 10 KHz, and there is a narrow AM filter included which does the job but is a little restricted, as you would expect. For listening to AM broadcast you will probably leave it broad. On FM the book says it selects a narrow filter for 10 M FM and a wide filter for 6 m. I heard a local 10 m FM repeater and it sounded normal to me. As far as I know, though, 10 m repeaters in the US use +/- 5 KHz deviation just like 6 m and 2 m repeaters do so I do not know what Alinco has in mind here or if they really do what they say.

Overall the DX70 sounds great on receive. The internal speaker is about what you'd expect in a miniture rig and on an external speaker it sounds as good as any big rig. The ssb filter is great, the built in cw filter is adequate for everyday cw operation. I ran it on 40 cw and checked out the cw full break-in which I was not impressed with as it keys a relay that is too noisy for me. On semi-break, of course, it isn't as noticable because it doesn't open and close as often. There are 7 values of tx delay that are settable from a menu and one that is "automatic". It changes values based on your keying speed - the faster you send the shorter the tx delay. If the rig detects a hot heat sink a rather noisy but effective fan comes on for a few seconds and then goes off.
I looked for 2nd harmonics on a spectrum analyzer and there are NONE, I mean NOTHING was visible at all, and I can see over 60 db down. So don't expect too much TVI while mobiling down the interstate !

The vfo dial is smooth as silk, not detented. It is a little smaller than the 706. The multi-funtion dial on the left side is used to QSY quickly up the band in fixed increments which are settable from a menu. i.e. you set it for 5 kHz and it jumps up the band in 5 KHz steps. There are other ways to qsy quickly, as well. By hitting a small button the multi-function dial can tune in 1MHz steps or advance one band at a time.

Size is nearly the same as a 706 or a Radio Shack 10 meter rig..
The display is great, very readable and the brightness can be set to 4 levels.
A mobile mount comes with it, but no remote kit. That is an accessory.

All in all a great little rig - amazing what engineers can produce if you keep the refrig stocked with enough Mountain Dew.

73
Rick K2XT

3122. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bboone@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5l0usm$onj@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I hear that Redhat is easy to set up, I am running Slackware now. You
can get the distributions from www.cheapbytes.com. -- Bobby kr4bu

Michael (MichaelN@cycat.com) wrote:
: > Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !

: Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
: Which distribution and where is it available.
: I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
: ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
: UNIX guru to get working.

: Am I asking for too much?

: michael N6CHV

3123. Patcomm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5l0t0r$r1t@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 175861

Hello,
Is the company named Patcomm still around?
I remember seeing their ad. a year ago or so
on 73 magazine and today had a QSO on 40m CW
with a ham who was using Patcomm made XCVR.
I am interested to know more about this radio.
Can anybody out there give me some pointers or
info. on this? He said he bought the radio from
A.E.S. Pls reply by e-mail or post here.
TIA, 73
Tony, VE6CGX

3124. wtb: bearcat 235xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sandeep <sandeep@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <3373F910.1412@interlog.com>
Source record: 175862

Looking for a used Bearcat 235XLT scanner.

416 251 5666
Sam

http://www.interlog.com/~sandeep

sandeep@interlog.com

3125. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704108632.AA863248535@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175863

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WTB tower

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 22:40:24 +0000
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Subject: [Fwd: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A]

Received: from usa.acsys.com (usa.acsys.com [192.92.123.51]) by shell.wco.com
(8.8.5/8.6.12) with SMTP id XAA26757 for <rbates@wco.com>; Thu, 8 May 1997 23:17:09 -0700
(PDT)
Received: from ppanther (ppanther.acsys.com) by usa.acsys.com (4.1/SMI-4.1)
id AA10881; Fri, 9 May 97 00:17:07 MDT
Sender: pening@acsys.com
Message-Id: <3372B4F4.544DF537@acsys.com>
Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:24:04 -0600
From: "Cary R. Penington" <pening@acsys.com>

X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0 (X11; I; Linux 1.2.13 i586)
Mime-Version: 1.0
To: rbates@wco.com
Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Hi Rick,
EZ Clone support for the Kenwood TM-V7A is now available
for $45.00, including cable and software. This notification
is being sent as a result of your previous inquiries and
interest in EZ Clone. Thanks, we are looking forward to
hearing from you.

73
Cary Penington, KC5KPS
pening@acsys.com

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 16:41:21 -0400
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: COLLINS AT DAYTON

Always is!!

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 18:35:54 -0400
From: Larry Chambers <corky@sunline.net>
Subject: FT-50 modification

If you attempt to do the cap/mars modification on the Ft-50 using a
soldering iron. Will it damage the radio at all. For example put small
charge through the radio and perhaps fry some of the components inside.
If so how would do it without messing up the radio.
Thanks for all your help
Larry

Date: Sun, 04 May 1997 02:48:37 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: FT 50R Here is some for starters!

Baz <Baz@winning.com> wrote:

:
:This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

Why?

:Jerry Yarbrough wrote:
:>
:> I am looking for any mods or secrets I can find on this radio. Thanks in

:> advance. E-Mail at medic@net-master.net
:
:Please note the following message! It may save you some time....
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I fail to see how two lines of =3D can save time. What is your point?

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 9 May 1997 22:03:35 GMT
From: dialta@aol.com (Dialta)
Subject: Ham Equipment Sale

Following is a lists of Ham gear I'm parting with, do to an impending move. The prices are all negotiable, and I'm mainly interested in selling everthing on this list. Manuals and documentation furnished where available.

1. CDR Rotor Control Box. Series, 4516, for use with HAM-M rotators. $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

2. Complete RTTY, CW and ASCII digital station. INFO-TECH M-300C Keyboard that transmits RTTY, CW and ASCII at all normal speeds and shifts. INFO-TECH M-200F, RTTY/CW/ASCII Demodulator, that copies and outputs to video all standard speeds and shifts. Has printer support, etc. "Taxan" Amber phosphor Video Monitor. Complete system $200.00, plus $25.00 shipping.

3. "Digi-Designer" Work Station. Complete digital IC test and construction aid, with internal clock, (1 to 100K speeds), four logic switches, two pulsers, IC test and assembly block, and built in 110 VAC power supply, (TTL level voltages out). $25.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

4. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic "Memory Keyer". $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

5. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic Keyer, with built in clock, and 10 minute ID timer. $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

6. 5-Volt, 1 amp, "Calectro" Regulated TTL Power supply. $10.00, plus $3.00 shipping.

7. Six element 450 MHz Beam Anternna. $20.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

8. "Hustler" MO-2 Folding Mobile Antenna Mast. $10.00, $3.00 shipping.

9. New Kenwood PG-2 DC Power Cable. Fits TM201, 211, 401, 411, 2530/50/70, TR8400/9500, TR751, 7S670, R600/1000/2000. $5.00, plus $3.00 shipping.

10. Kenwood Mc-35S 50K Noise Cancelling Microphone. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

11. Drake 7073DM Hand Held Microphone. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

12. New Radio Shack Dynamic Hand Held Microphone, with 5-pin DIN type connector. $5.00, plus $3.00 freight.

13. Kenwood Dynamic Microphone, 500 ohm, 4-pin connector. $10.00, $4.00 shipping.

14. "CALRAD" D-350 Dynamic Desk Microphone, 50K impedance. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

15. New Yaesu YM-23 Condenser Hand Microphone, with 4-pin connector. $10.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

16. "Swan" SWR-1A Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 shipping.

17. "Siltronix" SWR-2, Power and SWR Meter. $15.00 plus $4.00 shipping.

18. Forty foot Rohn 25 Ham Tower, with HyGain TH-3 "Thunderbird" 1KW beam antenna. CDR "Tail Twister" Heavy Duty Rotor, and Control Station. Three element two-meter beam, and Ringo Ranger Two-meter vertical antenna. Pick up only in Rapid City, SD. Bargain priced at $700.00, firm.

19. HAL Communications PCI-3000, PC AMTOR Computer Board. Excellent digital communictions including RTTY, CW, ASCII and AMTOR. Fully functional, latest firmware, and full documentation. Bargain priced at $175.00, plus $7.50 shipping.

20. ICOM IC4AT 450 MHz Handi-Talki, with Speaker Microphone, two batteries, battery charger and extendable "DX" antenna. Package contains huge ICOM optional 2nd battery (13.8 volts), that could almost be used to jump start your car! Complete system for $100.00, plus $10.00 shipping.

21. Bencher ZA-1A balun. $5.00, plus $3.00 shipping.

22. Heathkit IT-741D Logic Probe. $15.00, plush $4.00 shipping.

23. Heathkit "Cantenna", 1KW Dummy Load. $15.00, plus $7.50 shipping.

24. Epson MX80/FT Tractor Feed Dot Matrix Printer, with roll paper adapter. $50.00, plus $10.00 shipping.

25. New "Pro-AM" two-Meter vertical antenna, (surface mount). $15.00, plus $5.00 shipping.

26. Sencore Digital Volt Meter. $10.00, plush $5.00 shipping.

27. "QST" Magazines. January 1974 through March 1997, complete, 288 issues. $50.00, plus $20.00 shipping.

28. "Ham Radio" Magazines. Bound editions for years 1976 and 1977./ $10.00, plus $7.50 shipping.

29. CW-1300 Oscilloscope. Military Surplus and makes good RTTY, AMTOR, Clover, etc., monitor. $10.00, plus $10.00 shipping.

Contact: S. Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street, Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605) 343-6127
EMail = k0vkh@juno.com

73....Thanks!

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 17:03:44 -0400
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Date: 9 May 1997 05:51:04 GMT
From: dpatedc@aol.com (Dpatedc)
Subject: kenwood HT? help me

i have a kenwood 440mhz tr-3600A with no manual. it must be a 80's model. there are 6 switches on back for PL tones. please help me if u know how to work this HT. i can get a manual but is it really worth $25?
send email to dpatedc@flash.net
thanks daryl kc5slq

Date: Fri, 9 May 1997 22:26:29 GMT
From: Dave <david@cabot.mv.com>
Subject: MOD for Yaesu FT 8000

Does anyone know the mod for the out of band TX on the Yeasu FT8000R Dual Band Mobile Rig?

Thinking of picking one up. Please advise ease of use, MoD, Performance, etc.
73
Dave

Date: 7 May 1997 20:04:51 GMT
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder)
Subject: Old Hartman Transceiver info needed.

Gary Coffman (ke4zv@bellsouth.net) wrote:

: >I would like to know about a Hartman Marine Model 3059 tube
: >Radio Telephone transceiver. It looks very old but don't have

: I can't tell you much about the radio except to note that the 4 channels
: are probably in the 2 MHz area. But I can tell you what the triangles

Yes, they are in the 2 MHz area.

: meant. These marks indicated the CONELRAD frequencies on the
: AM broadcast band. That was the emergency warning system used

Yes, this seems to be also correct. Had other people email the same
answers to me.

: This does date your radio as being manufactured sometime in the
: 1950s.

I agree, the radio must date sometime in the 1950's.

What's the story on the Hartman company and did they make other radios?

: Gary
: Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
: Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
: 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
: Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 11:27:43 -0700
From: Rick Lutzinger <rickl@lathropeng.com>
Subject: Old Hartman Transceiver info needed. - Reply

Tom Lyons wrote:
>
> sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder) wrote:
>
> >The radio is very strange in that not only is it a 4 channel marine transceiver but
> >receives the AM broadcast band from
> >550 kHz to 1600 kHz. It also has two strange triangle marks on the AM dial.
>
> Sorry, don't know a thing about the radio, but the two triangle marks on the AM dial
> indicate Civil Defense frequencies - I beleive that two AM freqs were designated for
> use nationwide back in the 60's or earlier, in the (then likely and widely anticipated)
> event that someone lobbed a nuke at us. I haven't seen those marks in a long time
> but remember them on the first transistor radio I ever saw. Maybe someone else can
> add more details.....

The two triangles represent 640khz and 1240khz respectively and were, as
previously stated, for Civil Defense announcements. All other radio
operation would be ceased in the event of a nuclear emergency. The
markings began in 1954 and lasted through 1963 radios, although some
imported units lasted a little longer.

Rick Lutzinger KD6ZR email (work): rickl@lathropeng.com
647 Choctaw Drive email (home): rjlutz@home.com
Fremont, CA 94539

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 00:33:56 GMT
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com (NuView)
Subject: RF Line Sampler

Looking for an "In Line RF Sampler". 50 ohms, legal limit, 0 to 30 MHz.
Want to sample the RF signal with the vertical input of a scope.
Let me know if you have such a item and the cost.
Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

Date: 9 May 1997 19:58:55 GMT
From: jc17fl@aol.com (JC17FL)
Subject: US NAVY AN/URR-27A RADIO FOR $8. ?

It is true. A NAVY RADIO AN/URR-27A is up for sale at Auction World.

And the high bid is just $8.

Somebody is really going to "steal" this one - it might as well be you !

See it for yourself at:

http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=lzm26404

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 11:39:14 GMT
From: kn4aq.gary@mms.net (Gary Pearce)
Subject: W-32 Review by KN4AQ

"Eric K. Davis" <ekd@iastate.edu> wrote:

>I am currently looking at purchasing an Icom W32A handheld. I would
>like comments on its performance by someone who has used one before.
>
>73's
>Eric
>

from the Raleigh Amateur Radio Society newsletter, the Exciter:

Icom IC-W32A Mini-Review

The never-ending search for the perfect (Icom) handheld has led me to the Icom IC-W32A, a tiny dual-bander. It's getting close. (You

Kenwood/Yaesu/Alinco/Standard guys - write your own review.)

As dual-band HTs got smaller, the shrinking real-estate on top of the radio created a problem. It takes three knobs to control the usual volume/squelch combo for VHF, volume/squelch for UHF, and channel/tuning. Add jacks for antenna, power and a speaker/mic, and things get tight on the top of smaller rigs.

Icom's first dualbander-on-a-diet was the W2A back in 1991 (the 24AT doesn't count - it can't tune both bands at once, so it doesn't need dual controls). They jammed all the controls on top of the radio, but they put the VHF volume/squelch shaft so close to the antenna connector that it was hard to turn. The next generation W21A still had three knobs, but somewhat better ergonomics. But the competition was getting smaller still. There just wouldn't be room.

So Icom and the other manufacturers pulled one of the three knobs off the top of the radio, and everybody went off in different directions as they tried to figure out how to double up on the functions of the remaining two knobs. The result is that you probably can't just pick up a friend's HT and use it anymore, unless it happens to be on the right channel and have the right volume setting already.

Icom went through some particularly tortured control combinations in the short-lived Z1A and W31A before arriving at a workable combination in the W32A. Those older radios put the squelch controls for each band on the outside rings of each shaft, and divide the inside ring between volume duty and channel duty. The Z1 forces you to find and push a "function" key before you can adjust the volume (a real stupid idea). The W31 lets you program those shafts to be either volume or channel, and then you have to hold the function button use the opposite function (not as stupid, but inconvient).

I have a Z1, and kept wishing that they hadn't wasted that outside ring on the squelch control. Sure, squelch is a diddler's delight as a control, but you really don't have to adjust it much. Volume control is much more important.

Well, someone at Icom must have been listening inside my brain, because that's just what they did. The ring on each outer shaft of the W32 controls volume - easy to reach and adjust. The center knob controls frequency (and other functions through the SET menu).

To change the squelch level, you have to hold a function key and rotate the center knob. But, among the 8 levels of squelch settings, there's something called "AT," or as the manual describes it, an "automatic level adjustment with a noise pulse count system." I don't know what that is, but it seems to work pretty well. I'm now happy with the compromise on limited real-estate.

Something else I'm happy about is memories - 100 per band. 100 memories on 2 meters is just barely enough for what I want to do, which is program every 2 meter repeater and simplex channel into a memory (there are 100 of

the beasts).

Why do that? Because it's the only way to easily scan all the 2 meter FM channels. The band plan is too convoluted for easy scanning using "band limits." Repeaters down by 145.11 - 145.49 are in 20 kHz steps. Then there's a big gap in the band, until you reach the repeaters and simplex from 146.4 to 147.6, and those are on 15 kHz channels. So you're choices are to scan just one part of the band efficiently, or scan too much of it at 5 kHz steps, very inefficiently. Unless you can program every channel into memory.

There's just one thing I'd like to see in addition that the W32 doesn't do - "bank" the memories, or group them and let me turn banks on and off. The local repeaters would be in one bank, and the rest of them would be in another. I could then choose to scan just the local machines, or all of them. You might have your own favorite plan for banked memories.

(Why do I want to do all that scanning anyway? How do you think I got the reputation for being everywhere at once?)

And now, some of the other interesting touches in this radio:

Alpha names - you can program the display to read an 8-character text name for memory channels. Great for those lesser-used memory channels when you can't remember why you programmed it. But I dread the day when we stop calling it "six-four" and start calling it "channel nine."

Weather Channels - there's a separate "band" for tuning the NOAA weather channels from 162.40 - 162.55. They read out only in channel numbers from 1 thru 10, not in frequencies. And the order is strange: Ch. 1 is 162.55, Ch. 2 is 162.40, Ch. 3 is 162.475, Ch. 4 is 162.425, and it goes up from there. That follows the order of "popularity" of the NOAA channels, but will seem odd to hams used to dealing with real frequencies.

Frequency coverage is wide, but not quite as wide as earlier models (you'll need to "keyboard mod" the radio for 800 MHz receive - turn off, and hold down the SQUELCH and BAND buttons while turning on):

108-136, with a real AM detector.

136-200 (I haven't tested the sensitivity in the upper reaches of that band,, but it doesn't hear the potent ch. 11 video carrier on 199.25, so I suspect it's kind of deaf up there).

300-400 (again, no sensitivity measurements, and there's an FM detector, although much of the military aviation activity in this band is AM).

400-600. Here, the TV carrier test shows sensitivity up to the low 500's, but it can't hear channel 30 (in Middelsex) at 567.24 - that carrier bangs into my AOR 3000A scanner.

600 - 1000. No hint of the channel 40 carrier at 627.26, but it hears the 800 MHz public service stuff well. The cellular band is blocked (big deal, it's all going digital anyway). It hears a 940 MHz system well.

It's a small radio, but has big buttons. The speaker is on the small side, with only fair fidelity and volume. Transmit audio is kind of bassy and a little muddy.

Transmitting on VHF will finally mute the UHF receiver, and vice versa. It took Icom forever to figure this out. With the W2A and W21A, if you were transmitting on VHF and somebody came up on UHF, you blasted that sound out your transmitter.

You can set different CTCSS tones for transmit and receive. The only radio I've encounterd before that did this was the Radio Shack HTX-202. I don't think I've ever really wished I could do that, but now I can.

Automatic Repeater Offsets - Kenwood has done this for years. Icom just learned how to track the radio with the band plan, and shift the transmitter offset up or down depending on what part of the band you're in. But the band plan they used must have been the ARRL's, which still calls for "linear translators" between 145.11 and 145.19. So the W32A won't set an automatic offset there. Icom, get a clue. There are no linear translators except on the OSCARS, so this part of the band is full of repeaters.

But they make up for that faux pas with this feature - when it's time to program a memory, you dial it into the VFO, then push some buttons to start putting it into memory. But part way into that process, as you are selecting which memory channel you want to use by dialing across the existing memory channels, the display SHOWS YOU WHAT'S ALREADY BEEN PROGRAMMED in each channel. Now that is extra useful.

There's a direct readout of battery voltage - at least I thought there was. Turns out it only reads in .5 volt increments, and not when the radio is transmitting. So it's utility is limited. The manual says it was designed to keep tabs on the voltage of an alkaline pack, not the nicads.

Cloning and PC programming - you can. I haven't tried it yet. You need an optional cable.

There is no adapter to charge the battery with the little wall cube charger when the battery is off the radio. Your option is to charge it while on the radio, or get a rapid-charger. The rapid charger is nice, and it runs on 12 volts, so you can use it in your car. Beware, there's a little, loose plastic insert required to hold in different size batteries. It falls out easily. I know. I lost mine. The replacement is $15.

DTMF "Paging" functions are GONE. Nobody except N1GMV every used them, but they were a great idea. Your radio could be programmed with a bunch of touch-tone codes, and would sit silently monitoring a busy channel until someone send one of your codes. I couldn't believe this radio didn't have the feature, but it's not on the buttons, and not in the manual. It does have CTCSS encode and decode, with 50 tone channels instead of the usual 38.

Also missing is the ability to keep the internal speaker going when you plug in a speaker-mic.

And finally, Icom stole Kenwood's "guide." It's a little scroll of text across the screen that tells you what the function of a button or "set" function is. I felt like a dork using it, but it worked.

There's more, of course, but most of the other functions are the ones we've been using for several years.

So yes, I like the W32. It solved some vexing operational problems, and only added a few small new ones. My W2A cost over $600 in 1991. The W32 street price is about $400.

Gary Pearce KN4AQ - the HT King.
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Gary Pearce AVID/Video Editor kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Cary, NC Franklin Video Ham Radio:
(919) 380-9944 Raleigh, NC KN4AQ

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 10:38:48 -0700
From: yrplace@earthlink.net (Mark Linett)
Subject: WTB- Audio Broadcast Eqpt.

I am interested in purchasing all kinds of compressor/ amplifiers, older microphones, mic preamps,mic mixers and other professional broadcast and recording equipment for my collection.

Especially interested in anything by Langevin.

The older the better, and basket cases are always welcome.

Thanks in advance.

.Mark Linett
818-244-1909

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 18:04:06 -0400
From: Bill Kullmann <kullmann@lion.documentum.com>
Subject: WTB: Early 60s US Callbook

Got a Fall '63 DX listing callbook, not US (had one, but have'nt seen it in years). Any help?

George Weischadle wrote:
>
> Looking for a U.S. Callbook from the early 1960s, condition not too
> important. Please state price.
>
> 73,
> George K6GW

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 22:14:48 GMT
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com (Yves Dussault)
Subject: WTB: Hallicrafters R46 speaker

Do you have a good working one for sale?
VE2ATD
Montreal

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 16:34:39 +0100
From: eduardo montana <emontana@widow.aracnet.net>
Subject: WTB tower

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.

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Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Sat, 10 May 97 00:04:46 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wQ3Q1-0009esC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sat, 10 May 1997 00:06:01 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
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id xma014355; Sat, 10 May 97 00:05:43 -0400
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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA06734 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Fri, 9 May
1997 19:52:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id TAA00265
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Fri, 9 May 1997 19:42:38 -0700 (PDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu

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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Fri, 9 May 1997 19:42:34 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705100242.TAA00246@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Fri, 9 May 97 19:42:33 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #509
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3126. Re: IC-756 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tenorman@i1.net
Message-ID: <5l12nd$g88$1@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 175864

> and the rig does have
>some nice features, it's just missing a few of the ones they advertised and
>the selectivity, noise blanker, and CW operation are lacking.
>
>73,
>Len N1LU

Details ;-) - 73, Mike - WQ0N

3127. Re: Add transverter interface to FT900AT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ak2f@qsl.net
Message-ID: <863264325.23516@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175865

In article <dgfE9u3vu.9w7@netcom.com>,
dgf@netcom.com (David Feldman) wrote:
>
> The FT757 series had a really nifty transverter interface provision - transmit
> low level RF was brought out through a RCA jack, and the power jack of the
radio
> had two +12DC inputs - one for the TX finals and one for the rest of the
radio.
> The associated transverter had it's +12 input jack, and a +12 output jack that
> went over to the radio. When the transverter was activated, it would cut +12
off
> to the radio's finals, and switch the main antenna line over to the
transverter
> circuitry. Therefore, the radio could not TX QRO into the transverter circuit.
> The FT900AT does not appear specifically to have this kind of capability, but
I
> suspect it wouldn't be too hard to modify/add. Any ideas?
>
> Thanx,
>
> 73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

David:

I have modified my FT-990 for use with my microwave modules transverters
for 6 and 2 meters....works great! Runs circles around most of the
expensive VHF multimode boxes!

Basically, when I put +12 volts on a wire (from external transverter
VHF/HF switch) the following happens: 1. Add on DIP relay breaks the
signal from the driver board (normally goes to amp) and re-routes to a
phono jack on the rear (transverter drive input). 2. Using steering
diodes (2), I force the exernal RX antenna relay into the rx antenna
position (used for receive converter input).

That's it! I have scanned in pictures and schematic drawings if you're
interested. Can you handle VISIO files (source) or I can convert and
e-mail as BMP or GIF attachments.

73s,
Woody AK2F

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3128. Re: Need help for Selsyn (Selsing ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6jxw@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <863266392.24325@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175866

Alessandro Bondoli" <bondoli&campese@sira.it> wrote:
> I need help to find the way to feed a couple of synchro
> transmitter-receiver called Selsyn (or Selsing, I don't know).

Alessandro In the "ARRL Antenna Book," from pages 19-3 to 19-7, it shows how such Selsyns can be connected. Hope this will be helpful to you?

de W6JXW Ray

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3129. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704108632.AA863269225@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175867

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Today's Topics:
COLLINS AT DAYTON
IC-706 CW-R adjustment
IC-756 Problems
Syntor Mute Problem
WTB: AM-6155 (UHF) Amp

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Wed, 07 May 1997 14:34:12 GMT
From: wb4ijn@awod.com (Steve Thomason)
Subject: COLLINS AT DAYTON

keithf@en.com wrote:

>Anyone out there going to be at Dayton with Collins gear for sale?

>Keith

So far, I'm planning on bringing a 75A-1, 32V-2, 75A-2, and perhaps a
75A-4. Space #2984.

Steve, W4IJ

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 10:31:07 -0400
From: Malezet Jean-Pierre <f6flv@wanadoo.fr>
Subject: IC-706 CW-R adjustment

>Danie Brynard wrote:
>********************
>
> Hi Jean-Pierre
>
> I have got a IC-706MkII which is now about 5 days old :-) I found exactly

> the same problem on it as you described on the amateur.equipment usenet.
> Have you perhaps found a cure for the problem so far ? I will keep you
> posted when I hear something.
>
> Problem Statement: I hear two carriers about 1.25kHz apart when listening to
> a carrier on say 7.020 MHz when the radio is in CW-R mode. On CW mode it
> works fine although the selectivity (IF filter is wide) is not very good so
> I have ordered the 500Hz CW filter.
>
> 73 Danie zs6awk
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> ++
> Danie Brynard Email: zs6awk@global.co.za
> PO Box 15133,Centurion,0140,South Africa
> GRID LOC: KG44CE, Tel/Fax: (2712) 6640330
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>paul knapton wrote:
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>
> On 29 Apr 97 13:38:56 GMT, in rec.radio.amateur.equipment you wrote:
>
> >Help IC706 CW-R mode adjustment
> >*******************************
> >
> >I have some trouble (CW-R mode only) with my IC706.
> >
> >With the CW (not -R) mode, I can listen very well LSB stations.
> >
> >But with the CW-R mode, I listen USB stations very badly and very weak :
> >The audiofrequency is very deep. If I try to listen a clear carrier, I
> >get 2 listening frequencies.
> >So I can't call a USB station in CW !!!
> >
> >So, my CW-R mode seems to be out of adjustment (the balanced mixer probably).
> >
> >Can anyone give me the component I have to adjust ?
> >And where is it on the board ? (Which board ?)
> >I do not have the technical manual.
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >mailto:f6flv@wanadoo.fr
> >my Home Page : http://perso.wanadoo.fr/f6flv/index.htm
> >
> >--
> >

> >
> >
> Hi Jean
> I have a ic706 mk1 and i am a keen CW op....
> My radio functions just like you have discribed...
> This has bothered me for some time...
> Is this two radio's with the same fault or is this
> how they are?????????
> If you get any clever answers could you forward
> them on to me please jean.....
> All the very best de Paul // M0AIA...

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So Danie, I dont have the solution now !
Don't worry about it, it is just an adjustment to do,
but what to do ?
Can somebody tell us please ?

Jean-Pierre Malezet
mailto:f6flv@wanadoo.fr

Date: Sat, 10 May 97 06:59:14 GMT
From: tenorman@i1.net (Mike Kraml)
Subject: IC-756 Problems

> and the rig does have
>some nice features, it's just missing a few of the ones they advertised and
>the selectivity, noise blanker, and CW operation are lacking.
>
>73,
>Len N1LU

Details ;-) - 73, Mike - WQ0N

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 00:48:06 -0700
From: U M Edwards <lumway@atl.mindspring.com>
Subject: Syntor Mute Problem

I have a 2 meter Syntor X that is muted by the microprocessor. The "Mute"
line is held low by an I/O chip controlled by the micro. The rig is
putting out power on the right frequency so I'm 99% sure that it also on
rec. freq. correctly. There is a green 3x3" or so PC board that is
mounted as an accessory. It has a bunch of leads plugging into the red
personality board.

The radio just sits there mute.

Anyone know how to wake up this beast?

Lum WA4BPY lumway@mindspring.com

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 11:29:12 GMT
From: w1ksz@juno.com (Richard W. Solomon)
Subject: WTB: AM-6155 (UHF) Amp

Looking for an AM-6155 UHF Amplifier. Prefer a clean, unmodified unit
but will consider a clean, working, converted unit. What have we out
there ?? 73 de Dick, W1KSZ.

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; Sat, 10 May 97 08:44:26 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wQBWl-0009erC@esseye.si.com>
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1997 04:52:06 -0700 (PDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05173
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 10 May 1997 04:30:48 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705101130.EAA05173@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sat, 10 May 97 04:30:47 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #511
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3130. Re: National HRO info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33747735.1CF4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175868

Carl Hodder wrote:
>
> I would like to know a little about the history of the National HRO receiver?
>
> What are the different models (like -M or -5)?
>
> What is the value of the different models?

Good Morning Carl -- try the National Radio WWW Page -- Click on INDEX
below, click on Antique Radios.
There is a link to National Radios there.

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3131. FS: HENRY 2K-3 Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: SEREIKAS@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <5l1udi$s1@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175869

I have a Henry 2K-3 amplifier for sale. I am the second owner and it is truly in excellent condition. It is a console type amp, 80-10 meters, runs 2 Eimac 3-500Z tubes. It puts out the legal limit with 100-110 W input and truly looks and works great. I have the original manual for it.

I am asking $925, pick-up only....I will be taking it to Dayton, so could deliver there (see it at Space 1941-1942). If interested, drop me an email.

George
KC2MF

3132. Re: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33747f2d.596419@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 175870

On Fri, 09 May 1997 08:03:24 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>
> I have followed the Japanese radio prices as the Yen got strong and
>week. I found that the Ham Radio prices went up when the Yen was strong
>but the prices didn't go down when the Yen was weak. I guess it is a one
>way street!!!
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

Well if you made your stocking purchases on the strong Yen, likely
you could not stand the loss of dropping your selling price when the
actual value of the product was less under a weak Yen to dollar ratio.
I suspect that is what is happening.
I am sure most Amateur companies do not particapte in price protection
programs.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

3133. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Keeley <rkeeley@dibbs.net>
Message-ID: <337493C0.CB6@dibbs.net>
Source record: 175871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael wrote:
>
> > Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !
>
> Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
> Which distribution and where is it available.
> I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
> ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
> UNIX guru to get working.
>
> Am I asking for too much?
>
> michael N6CHV

Then Linux tain't for you. I do think Linux is the way to go, put it is
up to you to dig it out. You don't have to be a guru to learn it (it
helps tho', heh heh) but it definately isn't spoon fed to you.
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73's

Roy KC4IMC

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kc4imc@maf.wa4wbi.ampr.org
Snail Mail = 10675 Salt Aire Rd, E., Theodore, AL 36582, USA

3134. Re: Talking meters for the blind

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33740e82.2968992@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175872

You want a device to measure distance and say the result?

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

3135. Re: Illeagal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33740fc3.3290231@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175873
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

KC5YWX wrote:

:Tim wrote:
:
:> On Mon, 28 Apr 1997 12:42:44 -0700, Jim wrote:
:>
:> >A carpenter that did some work for me has a 2 meter/440 and uses it
:> to
:> >stay in contact with his brother. I asked about a call sign but he
:> said
:> >he did not have one.
:> >
:> >What type of penalty?
:> >Who to contact?
:> >
:> >Please post.
:> >
:> >Thanks in advance.
:>
:> Beyond he basic lip service, nothing will likely happen. Your best
:
: Is it known that the carpenter is using it on the HAM Bands?
:Could have he done the MARS/CAP (xtended TX) mod and be using
:frs or one of those business freqs like 154.6? If he is not using
:the ham bands he is out of the hams' jurisdiction.

It is out of the hame jurisdiction but he is still breaking the law
by using a non type approved radio.

Have some consideration for readers of the newsgroups and DONT post
using html.

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:Tim wrote:
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On Mon, 28 Apr 1997 12:42:44 -0700, Jim <jimb@aol.com>
:wrote:
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:to

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Here is how to turn HTML off in Netscape 4.0:

1) Start Netscape 4.0
2) Select menu "Edit, Preferences, Mail and News Preferences"
3) Select tab "Compositions"
4) Remove the check mark for "Use HTML Composition Window"

And at same time check...

1) That "Allow 8-bit" is checked
2) That "MIME compliant" is unchecked

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return address.

3136. Re: IC-706 MK II Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <337494ad.6101019@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 175874

On Fri, 09 May 1997 08:03:24 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>
> I have followed the Japanese radio prices as the Yen got strong and
>week. I found that the Ham Radio prices went up when the Yen was strong
>but the prices didn't go down when the Yen was weak. I guess it is a one
>way street!!!
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

Well if you made your stocking purchases on the strong Yen, likely
you could not stand the loss of dropping your selling price when the
actual value of the product was less under a weak Yen to Dollar ratio.
I suspect that is what is happening.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

3137. Tubes For Sale - tubes.doc [01/01]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com
Message-ID: <5l2319$e58_001@pppS3.rushmore.com>
Source record: 175875
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: tubes.doc

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BEGIN -- Cut Here -- cut here

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END -- Cut Here -- cut here
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3138. Re: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gavin Stirling <gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19970510173927717 65@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 175876

In message <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>
hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:

> I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the
> Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
> I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

So how did the therapy go?

3139. Re: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5l2fj3$910@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 175877

In message <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>
hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:

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> Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
> I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Hey, I would wait a while before thinking about the Yaesu. We
already know about some of the shortcomings of the Icom, but
the Yaesu will need time to shake out the bugs. Plus, if you
buy the Yaesu right away, you will pay a premium price, the
price will always come down a short while after the original
sales hype dies down.

Clark
WA3JPG

3140. Mods for Icom IC-47A Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddanz@primenet.com
Message-ID: <3374c30e.8344187@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 175878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner

Does anybody know of a modification that can be made to the Icom IC-47A 440-450MHz Ham Transceiver that will make it also receive in the 460 - 470 MHz range (specifically want to monitor 460.xxx frequencies).

--
L. W. "Dan" Danz (WA5SKM) ddanz@primenet.com
Fountain Hills AZ http://www.primenet.com/~ddanz

3141. NEED MOD - TM-V7A Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <david@cabot.mv.com>
Message-ID: <3374CB80.4AFE@cabot.mv.com>
Source record: 175879

Thanks for reading this posting. I just got a Kenwood TM V7A and would like the Full VHF & UHF mod please. Evidently there is a "cut the green wire" mod, but this isn't the one I want(?) Any feed back or suggestions please Thanks.
73
Dave
N1EDU
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3142. T-368 Transmitter Prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Dail <kt4ja@ecsu.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <3374D27E.6341@ecsu.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 175880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Just how much is a T-368 transmitter worth if it
is in decent condition? I would like to know the
low and high end prices...

Thanks,
Walter - KT4JA

3143. Re: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Fawns <wmfawns@tdl.com>
Message-ID: <3374BD05.18D8@tdl.com>
Source record: 175881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> Try your local library. They can obtain it through interlibrary loan
> if they do not have it there. There should be plenty of information
> for them to get the article.
> Mark
>
> > Great, now if I only had a copy of that magazine. Any ideas where I could
> > get a copy? Thanks again, 73, Mike...
> [snip]
> > In article <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>, mmans@aeneas.net wrote:
> > >There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
> >
Mark es Mike:

I have BS-8 adaptor in my SM-220 and could copy the schematic from the
service manual if you think it would help. If you can find a BS-5 and
don't want it, I would like to purchase it.

Thanks.

73 de KE6HEZ, Bill

3144. Re: T-368 Transmitter Prices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Garabedian <wmt@thegrid.net>
Message-ID: <3374DD64.4BD9@thegrid.net>
Source record: 175882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Walter Dail wrote:
>
> Just how much is a T-368 transmitter worth if it
> is in decent condition? I would like to know the
> low and high end prices...
>
> Thanks,
> Walter - KT4JA

WALTER! I have had 3ea. T-368's and 1 spare parts radio. I paid $600. for the 1st one about 7 years ago and another 5 years ago for $900., and a new one in the wooden crate about the same time $1200. I traded one, (a used one this year) for a broadcast staion radio that is worth at least $2000. For the ones that I have seen, they go all over the place. I have my (parts only) radio for sale at $400. Hope this helps some, Regards, ARTHUR KC6KUK . . .

3145. HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <3373baf4.4800233@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

are there any possibilities to expand rx/tx range of HTX-242 mobile
tranceiver ?

thanks in advance.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3146. Jeep Cherokee engine noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwowen@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970510203600.QAA28455@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175884

I have an 1989 Jeep Cherokee 4.0 and an Alinco DX-70TH with two mag mount antennas. One is for the HF side and the other for 6M.
I am getting alot of engine and computer noise into the unit through the antennas.
It is not coming in through the power, no AC whine.
On 6M I am getting about an S6 of noise on SSB and about the same on 10M.
As I work down in frequency the interference decreases, and almost completely goes away at about 75M.
I have changed the wires and plugs, have rerouted the power, have tried grounding every thing.

Anyone out have this problem or possibly have a cure? And, yes I do realize that getting rid of the old Jeep and getting something newer would probably solve the problem, however, that is not an option at this time.
So, please....

Thank you,

Cliff Owen
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Clifford W. Owen
N3YYP

My thoughts are my own, and NO ONE can control them!
Protect "Freedom of Speech" and oppose "Censorship"!

3147. KENWOOD TS-801S INFO NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.com
Message-ID: <5l27i2$e5g@linet06.li.net>
Source record: 175885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi everyone, I have a Kenwood TK-801S UHF mobile radio. This
radio is an old beast. I need to know what is the pinouts for the
connectors in the back. There are two sets of straight connectors,
one set has 11 pins and the other set has 8 pins. Which one's are
for power, mic, etc. Also, does anyone know what it takes to program
this thing?
If you can help please e-mail me direct at: mrusso@hoflink.com
Thanks, Mark N2FLF

3148. FS: Heathkit HW-18.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970510091100.FAA15014@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175886

For sale: Heathkit HW-18 HF radio. Radio is in good working condition for its age. Radio works and is currently on 4627 and 4630 KHz. Comes with power supply, cable, and microphone.....$50.

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

3149. HR2510 Digital Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan Koenigsberg <AE2J@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3374E67B.1103@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175887

My HR2510 digital display is only showing 8's. It had been stored away for a couple of years, and rarely used before that. Just took it out, and discovered this problem. When held at an oblique angle I can make out the actual frequencies very faintly, but when viewed head-on the, all the lcd segments display. Anybody ever deal with this problem?? Does anyone have a copy the schematic or service manual? Would happily pay for one or a photocopy? I would appreciate any help I can get on this problem.

3150. Any info on new Standard C510A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5l2pr1$cjv@camel2.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175888

I am looking for any info on the new dual band HT from Standard.
Specifically, I'd like to know if it uses a rechargeable pack or AA
cells for power. I'd be nost interested in impressions from anyone who
has one already.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

3151. Re: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3374EDEF.3A9F@onramp.net>
Source record: 175889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A BS-5 can be converted to a BS-8 oBill Fawns wrote:
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> Mark Mansfield wrote:
> >
> > Try your local library. They can obtain it through interlibrary loan
> > if they do not have it there. There should be plenty of information
> > for them to get the article.
> > Mark
> >
> > > Great, now if I only had a copy of that magazine. Any ideas where I could
> > > get a copy? Thanks again, 73, Mike...
> > [snip]
> > > In article <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>, mmans@aeneas.net wrote:
> > > >There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
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> Mark es Mike:
>
> I have BS-8 adaptor in my SM-220 and could copy the schematic from the
> service manual if you think it would help. If you can find a BS-5 and
> don't want it, I would like to purchase it.
>
> Thanks.
>
> 73 de KE6HEZ,

A BS-5 can be converted to a BS-8 or vice-versa.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3152. Re: Jeep Cherokee engine noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3374f2ab.15171000@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175890

On 10 May 1997 16:36:39 GMT, cwowen@aol.com (Cwowen) wrote:
>I have an 1989 Jeep Cherokee 4.0 and an Alinco DX-70TH with two mag mount
>antennas. One is for the HF side and the other for 6M.
>I am getting alot of engine and computer noise into the unit through the
>antennas.
>It is not coming in through the power, no AC whine.
>On 6M I am getting about an S6 of noise on SSB and about the same on 10M.
>As I work down in frequency the interference decreases, and almost
>completely goes away at about 75M.
>I have changed the wires and plugs, have rerouted the power, have tried
>grounding every thing.

Regrounding *everything* is always important on the Cherokee. It is painted before assembly and many parts will not have good electrical connection. On mine, the horn wouldn't even blow until I sanded paint from mating surfaces.

That said, the best way to cure electrical interference is always to treat it at the *source*. That means you need to locate the exact sources of the noise you are experiencing and then treat them there. If the engine control computer is a source of noise, suppress it *at the computer*. If the noise is due to the fuel injectors, suppress it *at the injectors*. Etc. Use a small "sniffer" loop on the end of a piece of coax to identify the noise sources and use standard suppression techniques to deal with them right at the source. You can chase your tail for months trying generic solutions. Be systematic and solve the noise problems directly at their source and you'll have a quieter vehicle, and in less time.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3153. FS/ FOK25 Foldover Conv Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970510221200.SAA18062@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175891

I have for sale in excellent condition the FOX25 Foldover Conv kit which will make you Rohn 25G tower fold in half and bring your antenna to you on the ground.
The boom arm is 22 feet long and comes with a 10 foot section of 25G which breaks in half and also the winch.
The Conversion kit is 6 years old and sells new between $1200 to $1300. I will take $450 or Best Reasonable Offer.
This must be a pick-up only
I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma. 35 miles south of Boston

3154. Cherokee AH-50 6 meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5l2k9p$26h2@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175892

Just bought a new handie talkie from Cherokee, the same people
that make 11 meter CB radios and also FOX radar detectors. Small unit
about 5.5 inches high with out the antenna, just over a pound in weight,
fits the hand very nicely and it is similiar to a Standard HT in style.
The rig covers 50 through 54 mHz in FM mode, has five memories and scans
the memories or band scan.
Power out is one or five watts and it comes with a 12 volt
battery pack. My radio shack speaker/mic fits the rig but the connector
is a bit thick and is close to the BNC antenna. My Maxon spk/mic fits
much better. Rumor has it since Cherokee has introduced an 11 meter all
mode HT they will follow with a 10 meter version and I hope it will have
repeater offsets and FM.
List price for the AH-50 is 349 but my 200 was just as good! Here
is the WEB page for their products with a better discription and jpegs:
http://www.
wirelessmarketing.com

73 Rod KB8DNS

3155. wanted ICOM IC-1275

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Pokrocos <patp@princeton.edu>
Message-ID: <5l2n6oimc1@cnn.Princeton.EDU>
Source record: 175893

HI,NAME IS LOU. LOOKING FOR ICOM IC-1275 1.2 GIG ALL MODE.
PLEASE CALL LOU @ 609-890-0380 N2QNX 73'S

3156. WTB: EIMAC 3-500Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5l30b6$n0p@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 175894

Looking for a spare for an amp I just picked up. EIMAC preferrred but will look at others. What have we ?? 73 de Dick, W1KSZ.

3157. WTB-KENWOOD TS-940S PARTS RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33750777.27CA@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175895

Someone had a TS-940S with a bad display they couldn't get fixed. I am looking for one in that condition (parts rig). If you have a junker TS-940S I am interested. Must be very low price to use for parts only.

Thanks
Bob

3158. WTB: Kenwood IF-10B Interface kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Walter S. Szachara" <szachara@gulftel.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5d9d$fa1bb620$295070ce@portal.gulftel.com>
Source record: 175896

I would like to buy a Kenwood IF-10B Interface kit for the TS-940S. Please state condition and price in direct e-mail.

Thanks,

Walt, W2OKF

3159. Manual KK Precision Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Koert Koelman <kkoelman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33751580.F7765503@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175897

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Today, I bought a used oscilloscope at a flea market. It is a BK
Precision Model 1479, 30MHz scope.

I need a manual for this scope. Does anyone have a manual which they
would be willing to copy for me? Of course, I would reimburse expenses.

Thanks for reading this. Drop me a note if you can help.

Koert (KC6WCI)

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Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="vcard.vcf"

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n:Koelman;Koert

org:http://www.netcom.com/~kkoelman/Homepage.html

adr:;;2140 Lyon Avenue;Belmont;CA;94002-1639;

email;internet:kkoelman@ix.netcom.com

tel;work:510-271-7587

tel;fax:415-591-5051

tel;home:415-593-5613

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x-mozilla-html:FALSE

end:vcard

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3160. RE: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970510175455138886@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175898

>>I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Great little HTs, indeed!

>>...is it possible to expand Tx range still with the newest version of
>> 600 ?

Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?

When you posed this question to ADI on their website, what was your
reply?

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

3161. FS ICOM IC901 MODULE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3374DF23.4DD@pacbell.net>
Source record: 175899

I have for sale a 220mhz module (UX39A) for the ICOM IC900 OR IC901
for $225.
AL

3162. Re: AIRCRAFT RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5d84$86b66d60$22102399@peter->
Source record: 175900

Roland Stiner <Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com> wrote in article
<1e2_9705040130@magsystems.com>...
>
>
> >Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?
>
> It's legal to use ANY radio to receive-no license needed.

In the USA, at least...

3163. WTB DRAKE R7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: liber.fab@iol.IT
Message-ID: <v01530500af9a967b5dc4@[195.45.6.110]>
Source record: 175901

Hello everybody,
I'm looking for one R7-A (or late R7) with optionals and
accessories (MS7, RV75, all are welcome....).
Working condx must be 100% OK, shape excellent without scratches on front
panel, no ruined knobs.
Owner no smoker is better, of course......
Please, send list with prices, thank you very much !

Liberatori Fabio, Italy

3164. Re: Jeep Cherokee engine noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337537E7.28DC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175902

Cwowen wrote:
>
> I have an 1989 Jeep Cherokee 4.0 and an Alinco DX-70TH with two mag mount
> antennas. One is for the HF side and the other for 6M.
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> antennas.
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> I have changed the wires and plugs, have rerouted the power, have tried
> grounding every thing.
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> Anyone out have this problem or possibly have a cure? And, yes I do
> realize that getting rid of the old Jeep and getting something newer would
> probably solve the problem, however, that is not an option at this time.
> So, please....
>
> Thank you,
>
> Cliff Owen
> ==========
> Clifford W. Owen
> N3YYP

The only puzzling thing about your report is that the noise
gets quieter as you go lower in frequency. That is unusual,
in my experience. I have attached some general information.
I endorse Gary Coffman's view of suppression at the source
as a key. I am not sure how to build a sniffer, but
I suspect that I will need to learn someday. In your
case, a rubber duck antenna for 6M would probably work fine
as a sniffer.

HF MOBILE NOISE ELIMINATION

In my experience, there are three parts to the job of installing HF
mobile in a vehicle: Installing the radio, installing the antenna,
and suppressing noise. Of the three, suppressing noise is probably
the hardest.

The first question is what kind of noise you are experiencing. If it
sounds like a popping noise, and gets louder when you accelerate, it
is probably ignition noise. If it is a hash type noise, it is
probably an electric motor. The engine fans on my Tercel were very

bad, but only ran in traffic, so I just lived with it. I was told that .001uf caps, short leads, from the motor to ground would help, but never did it. Some electric fuel pumps can be very noisy.

One test to see if the noise is coming from the power cable or the antenna is to disconnect the antenna. If you still have noise, work on the power cable. If the noise goes away, the power is OK, focus on suppressing noise at the source. If you connect the radio power cable directly to the battery, you will probably not experience noise on the power cable. (Don't forget to fuse both plus and minus at the battery for safety). Heavy cable is advisable; I would not use anthing smaller than 12 ga, and some people use welding cable.

I assume here that you have broad-band noise across various bands. If you have a single frequency birdie, you probably have noise from the computer crystal.

You might check to be sure that you have resistor plugs and wires before starting more serious work. Also, be sure that your noise blanker is on, although most radios do not have super-effective noise blankers.

On a 1979 Honda Civic with points, I used resistor plugs and wires, which solved the problem, but meant that I had to change the points every 5000 miles or so, as the iginition system was designed for resistor wires only, and if the ignition system was not perfect, the car ran poorly.

On a 1985 Toyota Tercel, I had tremendous luck suppressing ignition noise by buying heavy copper tubular braid, and slipping it over the spark plug wires. I built a copper box that covered most of the distributor, bonded the braid to the box, and then bonded the box to the block, keeping the wires short. This was a day and night improvement, and I never felt the need to do any more ignition noise suppression.

On a 1996 Subaru Legacy, I again built a copper box, and bought more tubular braid. However, I only got an improvement of about 2 S-units. I needed more, especially on 40 meters, so I ran two ground wires from the exhaust pipe to the chassis. This was probably worth more than 2 S-units, and finished the job to my satisfaction.

If you are systematic, you should be able to identify the source of any problems and correct them.

A couple of other notes on HF mobile installations. Don Johnson, W6AAQ wrote the book, 40+5 YEARS OF HF MOBILEERING. Try to get a copy. I use the Hustler antenna system, and find it adequate except on 75 m. If you plan to operate 75m, consider a WB5TYD Texas Bug Catcher or a Screwdriver antenna. Unless you have an automatic or remote tuning system, the antenna bandwidth on 75m will probably be only about 50kc or so. I have never invested the time and effort required to achieve a satisfactory 75m installation.

Good luck
Richard Ferguson, KA0DXM
Boulder Colorado
November 19, 1996
raferguson@worldnet.att.net

3165. Re: wtb: bearcat 235xlt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3374EB97.7BDF@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175903

GOOD LUCK!

Except for a few demo units, they have not been shipped to dealers yet.

Tom

3166. HRO-50T $150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511035700.XAA10562@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175904

HRO-50T, A and B coils, coil storage rack, speaker, $150 picked up in Dayton. Price will be reduced daily until Dayton Hamvention.

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

3167. Re: HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jonathan (KE6YZZ)" <jd@caprica.com.no-spam>
Message-ID: <337548A9.215C@caprica.com.no-spam>
Source record: 175905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Masa wrote:
>
> are there any possibilities to expand rx/tx range of HTX-242 mobile
> tranceiver ?
>
> thanks in advance.
>
> Masataka Noda
> Masa@WriteMe-X.com
> http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
>
> Spam Security is ON:
> Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

That IS why the HTX-242 was pulled off the market by R/S last week.
--
Jonathan DeFabritis
Amateur Radio License: KE6YZZ
Mailto:jd@caprica.com
My Homepage: http://www.caprica.com/~jd/
Taral Hicks Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~jd/taralfan.html
---
To reply to me you must change the "To" header to say jd@caprica.com or
I won't get your reply. I've altered the address to defeat junk-mail
robots that scan newsgroups and websites! And it works like a charm!
---
* ALAN KEYES for PRESIDENT in 2000! http://www.declaration.net

3168. WTB: Mint KW-940S/AT or Icom IC-761

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970510233301.TAA22345@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175906

Late serial numbers only, in mint un-marked condition. Please contact me at E-mail address below with particulars. Tnx es 73, Van. WB0NZV

wb0nzv@aol.com

3169. FS/Swap IBM laptop/printer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5l2o4n$v2o@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 175907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have "true blue" IBM PS-2 L40 386 laptop, 8meg, 100meg HD, Dos 6.2,
Win 3.1, other software, MS mouse, mono VGA, includes Kodak Diconix
150 plus port. printer, PS, 3 batts., extra P/S, soft case for PC and
Printer, cables, etc. etc., up and running. Great packet machine, or
student setup
.
Make Offers, or swap for ham gear, or upgrade components for my
desktop 386 to a Pentium or ???? whatcha got?

Email replies please

3170. **OVER 2700 Ham Radio WWW Links**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3375339E.2110@primenet.com>
Source record: 175908

OVER 2700 Ham Radio WWW Links

Just added a collection of ~2740 amateur radio WWW links:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on/index24.htm

Or, "OTHER Internet Resources" from the main page:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

Please copy them, use them, etc...

73, Brian

3171. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerhard@ats.xs4all.nl
Message-ID: <5l2cb7$qm0@ats.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 175909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael <MichaelN@cycat.com> writes:

>> Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !
>Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
>Which distribution and where is it available.
>I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
>ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
>UNIX guru to get working.

>Am I asking for too much?

Have you ever played with Unix or Linux ?

I'm rather new to HAM and packet radio and I have just bought my first set.
For 3 years I have run Linux now and it seems to me the ultimate OS for
packet radio (you have to discover this yourself, NO FLAMES).
I think Linux users/developers and radio amateurs both want to have the
POSSIBILITY to control and to know every little detail.

Unfortunaty using Linux is not common practice in packet radio land. Why ?
I don't know, maybee someone else can explain it to me.

But if you don't bother what's going on, run M$ products and call your
reseller if it's not working. However, I don't think you are a real radio
amateur in that case (perhaps my interpretation of radio amateur is wrong :)).

73,

Gerhard.

(PE1RLZ)

3172. KMA Antennas at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: egriffin@ctc.net
Message-ID: <3374d36e.1288705@news>
Source record: 175910

KMA Antennas will be in the flea market area at Dayton with
log periodics and our special 6 meter antenna, the Secret Six.
The prices for all antennas will be discounted for the event. Stop
and say hello at spaces 3667 - 3668.

Ed Griffin
KMA Antennas

3173. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wild Bill Marcus <bill@carolinacommerce.com>
Message-ID: <337520F5.5FA1@carolinacommerce.com>
Source record: 175911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Try Linux Unleased by Sam's. It walks you thru almost everything. Makes
installation a snap. Comes with Slakware 3.0 on included CD. Lists at
$50. It's the best I've seen!
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From the Desk of Wild Bill Marcus, N3WNC
wildbill@carolinacommerce.com
Socastee High Amateur Radio Club, KF4RNJ
Grand Strand Amateur Radio Club, W4GS
http://www.users.sccoast.net/kc4knf/gsarc.htm
Phil. 4:19
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3174. Re: Patcomm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <3375161E.4229@compuserve.com>
Source record: 175912

Tony T. Hwang wrote:
>
> Hello,
> Is the company named Patcomm still around?
> I remember seeing their ad. a year ago or so
> on 73 magazine and today had a QSO on 40m CW
> with a ham who was using Patcomm made XCVR.
> I am interested to know more about this radio.
> Can anybody out there give me some pointers or
> info. on this? He said he bought the radio from
> A.E.S. Pls reply by e-mail or post here.
> TIA, 73
> Tony, VE6CGX
Yes Tony... still in QST running full page ads
phone 516.862.6512
address; 7 Flowerfield M100
St. James, NY 11780

Friend of my has one and is happy with it (abt 2 yrs ... call of N2ZWS)
maybe drop him a note as to the radio.

73
Tom , aa2vk

3175. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <3375093F.56C6@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Source record: 175913

Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys cigarettes. And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license before they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ham bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who wants to break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedicated, and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who asks, "May I please see your Ham license?"

What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.

73,
Jimmy Kahn, WA2ILK

3176. ICOM RADIOS - S.K.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JIM BALES <jbales@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5d8e$c44c3880$710503d0@jbales.iland.net>
Source record: 175914

Selling for widow of silent key, I now have the radios at my qth and have looked them over, thanks to several of you the radios are offered at the following prices.
IC271A near new condition with manual and original box, no internal P.S. $450.00

IC471A very good condition with minor scraches top and side comes with the internal P.S., manual and original box. $500.00

Both prices include shipping, money back if not in good working order.

Jim K0KM
1 573 774 2800
jbales@iland.net

3177. Re: FT-50RD OR AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33763831.576A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175671

I don't know anything about the "AT600" but do have an FT50. Although the FT50 seemed like a radio packed with abilities, I have found Yaesu service and the RF section (UHF) of the FT50 to be poor. I had an FT40 (UHF only version) and had the same problems. The majority, I now have discovered, of FT50s have a problem when transmitting at the higher power levels on UHF. There is an RF problem that causes the radio to emit static sounding noise on the transmitted signal. This problem does not normally happen at the lower power levels, nor does it happen when transmitting into a dummy load or external antenna. After buying my radio on February 17th of this year, I have just received it back from Yaesu last monday from it's second trip to them for repair of this annoying problem. And, just like my first FT40, it still has the problem.
The real problem is that Yaesu is VERY MUCH AWARE of this design problem, they even have a service bulletin to "reduce the problem", note, not remove the problem, but, REDUCE the proble.

This repair is nothing more than a piece of copper tape placed over the UHF Power module and a mini spring (thats right, a mechanical spring) wedged between the outer case and a shield cover. This repair may work on some, but not all FT50Rs. This combined with not having a radio more than 6 days over three months ownership leaves a bad taste in my mouth for Yaesu. My radio sat in a "black hole" for three weeks waiting for a Quality Control check by the service manager as it was a "second return".

The service manager was on vacation, later defined as sick leave (after 5th phone call), and when he returned and signed it off, it came back as bad or worse than when it left. Then when I call to complain to the service manager, seems he died! Seems nobody else can now make a decision. I suspect that with Radio in hand and a personnal visit to the Yaesu booth at Dayton, and a loud voice, I might get some satisfaction, if not a new replacement.

Now, before all the FT50 lovers get really pissed off, the radio if it worked, a very nice, greatly modifiable unit, and I truly looked forward to having one. The programming software for the unit makes it "easier" to program than by keypad, but is full of flaws and it's design can never be accused of copying someone like Motorola software. And, as I have now found, in 9 out of 11 FT50s in the area, the UHF noise problem was there but the owners had never noticed as they are normally talking on repeaters that are somewhat noisy anyway. The main selling point for me was the ability of the radio to do Digital Coded Squelch, and the noise problem sometimes causes a problem when using this system.

All I would suggest is that you immediately test the unit, before purchase if able, for this problem. If you can get one from the start without the problem, you would be very happy with it.

Tom

3178. Re: FS/Swap IBM laptop/printer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick McGaver <mcgaver@earth.execpc.com>
Message-ID: <5l5f98$np1@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 175672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

So how much are you asking... looking at a cash deal
tnx Rick

3179. Repeater Controller for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex MacKenzie <amac@cape.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5e53$555ebd60$4c3cba8c@micron1>
Source record: 175673

I have an RLC-Club Repeater Controller that I had bought last August with an Audio Delay Module, metal rack cabinet, and Interface software to input to your computer. I had hoped to put up a repeater, but I decided against it. The controller has been only TESTED on the air, for about 5 hours total. It is sitting in its original box and everything.
This controller has voice synthesizer, autopatch, and every other feature you can imagine. I am selling the unit with the original manual (with a few notes written in it) and an AC power supply. Contact me via email at: amac@cape.com. I am asking $625 and you pay for shipping. Thank you.

3180. new web site...address correction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9sbv@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <337a3eb2.256289479@praxcus>
Source record: 175674

heck out the new web site on the net! N9SBV's Ham Radio Connection
> at
> Http://members.tripod.com/~n9sbv/status.htm
>
> This new system is oriented toward helping the new ham radio
> operator
> with resources he or she may need to get the most out of their
> hobby.
>
> Lots of shareware available for download from the FTP Site. With 2
>
> of the NEC 7 disk Changers online for starters, there is over 15 Gig
>
> online of all types of shareware software.
>
> The WebServer is focused on Amateur Radio Related Areas.
> Homebrewing,
> Weather, RACES, FCC Rules and Regs, general Ham Radio Aids, and the
> like. And if you would like to put up a home page at the
> site....well
> I may even be able to accomadate a few users for that purpose. The
> site will be maintaining a Ham Radio focus however.
>
> This site is located in South Bend, Indiana. It's my hope that it
> will become a major link for Operators in the Michiana Area to keep
> in
> touch locally and worldwide.
>
> See you on the site!
>
> 73 de N9SBV

3181. FS: MAXON SM4150 VHF MOBILE RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Dvorak <dvorak@icsi.net>
Message-ID: <33764F8B.7B0D@icsi.net>
Source record: 175675

16 channel, 40 watts, recently checked out by radio tech. This is a nice
radio that works fine and looks fine! $225 including shipping (UPS COD)
I'm selling b/c I'm going to UHF radios.
Will trade for UHF mobile or hand held.
Email to dvorak@icsi.net

3182. Re: When to Power Down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb840@scn.org
Message-ID: <EA1DKE.MKE@scn.org>
Source record: 175676

In a previous article, dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan) says:

>In article <3371b7a8.53758393@newshost.capecod.net>, gareth@capecod.net
>(Gareth Crispell) wrote:
>
>>There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer
>>off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone
>>know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave
>>them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down
>>everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??
>
>I have three computers that have never been turned off in three years. I
>do turn the monitors off when I QRT for the night, but the CPUs and disks
>stay powered up. I find the thermal shock of
>heating/cooling/heating/cooling much more disruptive than simply leaving
>things warm and humming along.
>
>73, Dick
>
I have three computers at home and use one at work. I turn the one at
work off every night. I turn the ones at home off whenever I'm done
using them, and won't be using them again for at least an hour. Some
times the ones at home get turned off and on several times in one day.
I have NEVER had any of the problems that doomsayers warn about when
encouraging people to leave their computers on all the time. All that
happens when you leave the computer on when it's not needed, is you waste
electricity. 73 de KD7MK
--
Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

3183. HELP! What is an Icom model FX-609 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sidener@saucer.cc.umr.edu
Message-ID: <5l5go9nhp4@news.cc.umr.edu>
Source record: 175677

Hi,I just took apart what I believe is a 1.3GHz data radio and found a tranciever unit that say s"Icom fx-609" Has anyone ever heard of this? I was wondering if I could tune it to 1.2GHz.

Any info would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Scott Sidener N0WFL sidener@umr.edu

3184. Misc Ham Equipment FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dkiefer@altinet.net
Message-ID: <33764c3b.29794342@news.altinet.net>
Source record: 175678

I have for sale, the following items. All with shipping included, and
Manuals unless noted:

KENWOOD: TS-870S with S)-2 txco unit and auto tuner. One
of the finest transceivers I've used. This unit was purchased on
December 23, 1995 as a Christmas present to myself. This unit
has been packed in its original carton, with all the accessories
that came with it originally, including the computer control program.
Unit is LNIB ready to be shipped to your ham shack.
Asking $1900.00

ICOM/MIRAGE/DRSI: IC-22A/B-108/DPK-2 Packet station. This
combination has been in use at this station running a BBS using
the FBB software now for the past 6 years. I took it off the air
2 months ago. Copies of many different BBS or Packet programs
are available on the Internet, and any of them would work very]
well with this package. Have only a copy of the manual for the
Icom, but have the originals for the amplifier and TNC. Will not
split this package up.
Asking $250.00

DRSI: Type 2 computer board. This unit has dual 1200 baud
ports, with both ports supplied with DCD-3105 state machines.
This allows monitoring with the squelch open, and has proven
to be the best way to receive packet. This board also was
being used in BBS mode on a third 2-meter frequency, running
at first 4RE software, then FBB software. The transceiver was
a Yaesu FT-2200, which has been sold. So this board is all
I have left from that setup. Nothing finer to use on packet
then a DRSI internal packet tnc.
Asking $195.00

HAL: PCI-3000/SPT-2 computer board. This unit will receive
RTTY, ASCII, AMTOR and CW. This board has the latest
updates that Hal has for it. The SPT-2 interface is one of
the best for tuning in signals. As good as a scope! This
as is the DRSI type 2 board, an 8-bit card, and will work
with an XT computer or higher.
Asking $165.00

Telex: Contester headset. Mic plug setup for the TS-870S
or any other Kenwood 8-pin mic setup. Excellent headset.
Asking $75.00

DRAKE: TV-3300 low pass filter.
Asking $25.00

All items ready to be shipped, and as stated above, include UPS shipping CON US. Reason for selling? I've lost most of my interest in ham radio. You can call me between 9:30 A.M. to 12 noon weekdays, and anytime after 9:30 A.M. on weekends. Or email at dkiefer@altinet.net

Thanks es 73 Don W5QXK

3185. Re: FT-51 cross band repeat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhoiby@azstarnet.com
Message-ID: <337663ca.17166210@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 175679

I had an FT-51 last year and everything worked great as far as I could
tell, including the cross-band repeat. I'm sorry I can't help you any
more, but I no longer have the radio...

-James Hoiby, KC7LAW

On Tue, 29 Apr 1997 10:50:13, cwm3@psu.edu (Charles McMullen) wrote:

>Hi FT-51 users and other interested and knowledgeable parties.
>
>I recently acquired a Yaesu FT-51 and am acquainting myself with it features.
>I think I have most of it figured out but have been unable to make the cross
>band repeat function work as described in the manual.

3186. What is a FT 767GX worth???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Terrence R. Redding" <pba-cct@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <33754A25.237B@flinet.com>
Source record: 175680

I am about to buy my fourth FT 767GX. I have one, but have a chance to buy a second one. The problem is, I don't know what they are worth.

All of mine have been purchased new. I had two damaged by lightning, so actually the insurance company paid to replace them.

There is a ham in my town that has one for sale. It's lithium battery has to be replaced. Apparently he spoked, so there is a great deal of grime from the smoke on the knobs and face plate. He lived near the ocean in an un-aircondtioned shack and so screws and knobs seem to have suffered from the corrosion.

It is missing two of the side or end feet, but other wise seems to work okay. It has a two meter module that also appears to work okay.

So the question remains. What is it worth?

I look forward to hearing from as many as possible.

Regards, Terry

W6LMJ

3187. Re: **OVER 2700 Ham Radio WWW Links**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ramrod <Ramrod@lords_.com>
Message-ID: <33767C7F.71B4@lords_.com>
Source record: 175681

Hi Brian, Your intentions are good but your links are old. As usual by the time it takes to acquire this many links half of them are dead. Like popcomm and radio communications.

> **OVER 2700 Ham Radio WWW Links**
>
> Just added a collection of ~2740 amateur radio WWW links:
> http://www.qsl.net/k7on/index24.htm
>
> Or, "OTHER Internet Resources" from the main page:
> http://www.qsl.net/k7on
>
> Please copy them, use them, etc...
>
> 73, Brian

3188. Dayton Hamvention Weather Report

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <33768098.6AC3@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 175682

Might as well start this thread. Any reports on weather?

3189. Lighted Keypad Mic for an ICOM 3200A wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <33767FD5.4E18@utc.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 175683

Anyone had any success using a newer model ICOM handmike on an ICOM 3200A, or an ICOM 900, please email me at:
wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net

Thanks!

3190. FS:ICOM R-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: eevans@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970512032301.XAA12877@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175684

Package deal for sale:
ICOM R7100 with no gaps or modifications 25MHz to 2GHz continuous
CT-17 computer CIV interface
Discone antenna and coax with N type connectors

All in great condition. Have original boxes for R7100 and antenna and manuals for all components. Equipment has never been outside or been exposed to a smoker. Asking $1200 which includes shipping. Payment in certified cashiers check or postal money order only. Will ship UPS unless other way is needed.

Eric
eevans@aol.com

3191. Radio Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chatburn <chatburn@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <33767DBC.70C6@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 175685

Hi,
When I am my local mcdonalds drive-thru, if I set my car radio
to 92.5
fm I can hear what the employees are saying on the headsets or what the car behind me is ordering. I was wondering if there was some way I could inexpensively get hold of something so that I could chat along with these people. Or, a friend told me that you can make something which blocks out all radio signals and transmits something you say into a microphone on them. This would be good as I could then listen with my radio what people order then inform them not to because it is crap!

Thanks

DC

3192. Yaesu FT-1000D.. or is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <33768F08.5165@ntplx.net>
Source record: 175686

Differences between the FT-1000 and "D" model were always a bit unclear
when it came to filtering.
QUESTION: Did the 1000D include the SUB-RECEIVER 500 HZ Filter?
-- I bought what was said to be a "D" , but it doesn't have that
filter.... seems to have all the other goodies however.

Thanks,
Rick, N1SQJ

3193. Need Info on GLB ID2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bvkirk@kanza.net
Message-ID: <3375d5ae.15388830@news.kanza.net>
Source record: 175687

I have a GLB electronics ID2 repeater ID unit. Anyone have the printed info on this unit? Any help appreciated. email to bvkirk@kanza.net

3194. REQ: ICOM IC-H16T SOFTWARE 100Channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: vr100@rosey.com
Message-ID: <5l4f37$ne8@drn.zippo.com>
Source record: 175688

Is there anyone who has software that turns Icom H16t from 16 channel
radio to 100 channel with ample of special features.___

3195. FS: Kenwood TS 680S Full HF plus 6 meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don & Monica Casella <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <33763330.6000@ziplink.net>
Source record: 175689
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ne.forsale,ny.forsale,nj.forsale

Kenwood TS 680S HF with 6 meters.
-100 watts on all bands, 20 watts on 6 meters, all mode.
- Narrow CW filter
- SP 430 matching external speaker
- Orig. box, manual, and service manual.
$750.00 including shipping continental U.S.

The price is firm.

The only reason for selling is that I work full time and will be starting a Part-time Graduate program. I simply won't have time to operate.

3196. Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnichols@nuteknet.com
Message-ID: <5l4i1r$92e@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 175690

I have just recently (yesterday) passed my technician exam and am looking for a good, inexpensive HT with which to start. When I say inexpensive, I mean anything around $200. I live in Raleigh, NC, and have found two stores close by that carry radio equipment and who also have web sites. Here are the models I am considering (in order as listed). They all have CTCSS encode/decode, and all the other std. options needed in a HT.

1) ICOM IC-T2A, $199. I am impressed with the features of this radio for the price. It has the widest TX (140-150MHz) and RX (136-174MHz) of any radio listed here.

2) Kenwood TH-235A, $189. This is the lowest priced radio listed, but is narrow on the TX range (144-148MHz). I have talked to a couple of hams who don't care for the Kenwood equipment, but I didn't really get a good reason why.

3) Alinco DJ-190T, $218. Nice options, but again a narrow TX range (144-147.995).

4) Yaesu FT-10R/H, $259. This one is a little pricey for me, but has the most all-around features of any radio listed here. The info I have doesn't list the TX and RX ranges.

5) Radio Shack HTX-202, $199. Although less expensive than the Alinco and Yaesu, I haven't seen many of these radios in use. Several hams have told me to avoid this radio.

Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for sale, email me with the info.

Thanks!
Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.

3197. Re: HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5e65$d771d280$87af32cf@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 175691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

> > are there any possibilities to expand rx/tx range of HTX-242 mobile
> > tranceiver ?
> >
>
> That IS why the HTX-242 was pulled off the market by R/S last week.
> --
> Jonathan DeFabritis
> Amateur Radio License: KE6YZZ

Bbbzzzz! Sorry, WRONG answer. Vanna has your door prize on the way OUT THE DOOR!

(BIG grin)

You got the two items mixed up. The other gentleman was asking about the HTX-242 MOBILE 2m radio, while you were thinking of the HTX-204 HANDHELD 2m / 70cm radio. :-)

As I understand it, the BIG reason why the 204 was so rapidly removed from the market was that it was easy to modify it (how, I have NO idea) to scan up and listen to the infamous "cell phone" frequencies. Which, as we all know, is a big, Federally-mandated "no-no". (sigh)

Anyway, if there IS a mod for the 242 MOBILE radio, I also would like the information, I would love to be able to talk back to my work on the radio, instead of just LISTENING to them. (Flames cheerfully ignored on this subject.)

Your mileage may vary. :-)

Ray Brown
KB0STN

3198. Re: Radio Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <337691CE.EB4@icss.net>
Source record: 175692

Chatburn wrote:
>
> Hi,
> When I am my local mcdonalds drive-thru, if I set my car radio
> to 92.5
> fm I can hear what the employees are saying on the headsets or what the
> car behind me is ordering. I was wondering if there was some way I could
> inexpensively get hold of something so that I could chat along with
> these people. Or, a friend told me that you can make something which
> blocks out all radio signals and transmits something you say into a
> microphone on them. This would be good as I could then listen with my
> radio what people order then inform them not to because it is crap!
>
> Thanks
>
> DC
You're kidding, right? Brian

3199. Re: Yaesu FT-51R Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhoiby@azstarnet.com
Message-ID: <3376645a.17310019@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 175693

Try http://www.ocpapsych.com/ft51mod.htm. Or just search altalink for "yaesu mod" and you should find what you need.

On Tue, 29 Apr 1997 18:22:08 -0400, Jim Hong <jim@futurevision.net> wrote:

>I am looking for the 800Mhz RX mod for the Yaesu FT-51R. If you have
>any information please e-mail me at jim@futurevision.net
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>Jim Hong KA8ZGP

3200. WTD: Info for Alinco ALD-24T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmwatson@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <E9zvFA.M4p@eskimo.com>
Source record: 175721

I recently purchased a used Alinco dual-band radio, Model ALD-24T. It came with a service manual but no operating manual. I need to know what tones are which for the sub-audibles, since they are numbered from 0 - 37, and I really have no way of knowing which is which unless I experiment with 37 different repeaters in the area.

If anyone would so kindly pass this information on to me, I would appreciate it.

Thanks,

Robert/KJ7BO
rmwatson@eskimo.com

3201. F.S: S.E.Wis.Tower/Rotor/10M 6 Elem.Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: fkairshw@execpc.com
Message-ID: <5l3evk$gut@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 175722

For Sale: Tower 60 Ft. Universal (Steel), Tail-Twister Rotor ,Control, Mast, and Home-Brew 10M 6 Elem. Beam with 36 Ft. x
3"Dia. boom (Heavy-Duty). Located in S.E. Wis. Buyer must take down. Price $500.00. I am listing for W9DUB (Frank) call days
414-728-3197.

Thanks for reading,

Frank KB9NOA

3202. Re: HTX-202 opinions - summary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5l3ek4$2sui@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175723

Peter, I had three of them and the first two were problematic. The later one works fine. Only thing I can say is to try and buy one that has the name of Radio Shack on the space above the display. My older ones had Realistic in that spot.
73 Rod KB8DNS

3203. FS COBRA 146 GTL PEAKED AND TWEAKED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: hankb@ma.ultranet.com
Message-ID: <33756da6.1679936@news.ma.ultranet.com>
Source record: 175724

I have a used cobra 146gtl thats been peaked and tweaked. The rig has upper and lower side band plus extras. I am looking to get rid of this radio for $160 shipped to anywhere in the U.S. Or I will trade for a Galaxy mobile or a 2510 or an rci 2950. Email me back if you are interested in this deal.

thanks
Ben

3204. Re: HR2510 Digital Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5l3ecj$1goc@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175725

Allen, Most likely cause are the filter caps located near the power input. I have heard that these 2510s are rather underrated in the electrolytic cap area. The ratings on these are only 16 volts and convention says at least one and half times the expected voltage. I would recomend changing out any electrolytic with a better value for voltage say of 25 volts. The 16 volt ones are pretty over worked and then letting them sit dried them out.
73 Rod KB8DNS

3205. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion**@capital.net
Message-ID: <337546e0.35147455@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175726

On Mon, 05 May 1997 14:31:35 -0400, Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
wrote:

>
>Is the HTX-202 suggested for a new ham - it is on sale for C$ 230.00?
>How does it compare with other 2m handhelds?
>Any known problems, variants of the rig?
>
>Any comment on using the 2m vs. 70cm band?
>
>I realize that there are no simple answers, but I still would not mind
>some help.
>
>Thanks, Peter

It's a very good radio, Peter. I have two of them. Neither one has
ever given me a bit of trouble. They are an excellent value, IMHO.

--
73,
Butch
To send mail
delete the two
stars in my address.

3206. members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511043500.AAA09277@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175727

I am building a listing of about 100+ megs of data files of literally thousands of modes that I have collected over the years. These are for scanners, and ham radios. Right now the Bearcat and Realistic pages are almost completed and in the next weeks I hope to complete the rest of the site.
Jamie Bucher

3207. Re: Looking for Crystals - 6M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@ads.please
Message-ID: <33752af3.4139807@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 175728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

No, we still have 6M AM nets out here on the east coast too!

On Thu, 08 May 1997 10:38:51 -0600, Jim Devenport
<jd_port@concentric.net> wrote:

>Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>>
>> Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M
>> Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the
>> units.
>>
>> Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is
>> there much 6M AM activity?
>>
>> Any help would be appreciated.
>I don't know the details of the Gonset, but you might post the basic
>frequency of the crystals (8 mhz, 6 mhz, whatever) so we can peruse our
>junkboxes for you.
>6 Meter AM activity was abysmally low back in the mid to late 1970's
>when I became a 6 meter enthusiast, and 6 was the lowest DX frequency
>for Technician licensees back then, and they constituted the majority of
>the contacts I conversed with. 10 Meter SSB is now the DX band of
>choice for many if not most Techs and I think this has impacted 6 meter
>activity.
>SSB had become the dominant mode by the mid- 70's and I eventually
>succumbed to 6 Meter SSB by building a transverter for my HF rig and
>eventually converted an old SSB CB rig directly to 6 meters.
>There are probably a few 6M AM nets still in existence, especially in
>the Midwest, and when the band gets really hot there are occasionally
>some AM'ers that come out of the woodwork. But I think you'll find they
>are quite few and far between.
>--
>|---|
>|Jim Devenport W5AOX |
>|All Standard Disclaimers Disclaimed |
>|Anti-Spam: Remove the "_" from address to respond |
>|http://www.concentric.net/~jdport/ |
>|---|

To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
It is there to fool those annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising idiots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc 'DOT' com
VISIT: http://www.mnsinc"DOT"com/bry/

3208. WTB: Non-Inductive Power Resistors & PolyProp. Caps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: robertlars@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511061600.CAA14064@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175729

WTB:

1. 500 watt rated or higher, non-inductive resistors, 5% tolerance (if possible ?), 8 and 4 ohms.

2. 80mF PolyProp. Caps, 400 Volts rated.

If you have anything like this please e-mail me. Thanks.

Bob

3209. Hammerlund SP-600-JX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemaniac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511053301.BAA12219@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175730

I have an old Hammerlund SP-600-JX all band receiver in good condition.
Anybody know what it's worth? I'd trade it for something if I knew what it
was worth. Email me at lemaniac@aol.com.

Thanks
John
WB6JKQ
What did the Buddhist Monk say to the hot dog vendor?
"Make me one with everything."

3210. Kenwood Repair Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cphillips@pobox.com
Message-ID: <5l3n6j$glk@redstone.interpath.net>
Source record: 175731

I have a sick Kenwood TS-940SAT and want to get it repaired.
(It's main problem is that it is almost totally "deaf" on receive.)

Around here, most people return their gear to Kenwood West...
generally the reports are good, but there are complaints of long
turnaround times.

I see ads for Kenwood repair in QST, etc. from several private
sources. What experience does anyone have witht these firms?

I searched Deja News, and in the past year or so this question
has been asked a time or two.
The only recommendation I could find was for Milton Lord, Ham Radio
Repair, Cartersville, Ga.

Any additional input would be appreciated.

========== Opinions expressed are solely those of the author =========
Curt Phillips, CEM W4CP exKD4YU;WB4LHI| "There's so much comedy on
Engineer/Writer/Gadgeteer/Raconteur | television. Does that cause
Chairman, Tar Heel Scanner/SWL Group | comedy in the streets?"
ARRL Life; QCWA; Raleigh ARS; NRA; AEE| --Dick Cavett
==== cphillips@pobox.com ==== [Copyright 1997 All rights reserved]====

3211. SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: -=N8LDY=- <cqdxer@alliance.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5dcc$018a8ca0$21e96ec6@cqdxer>
Source record: 175732

My friend is looking for a Swan 250 Output meter.
If you can help us find one,we will be in your debt.

Thank's

Charles "Chuck"Lemar
Great Lakes Award Manager
Station N8LDY Since 1981

3212. Regency AR2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greekprince <bweese19@idt.net>
Message-ID: <33762192.75D2@idt.net>
Source record: 175733

Hello! Anyone happen to know the band a "Regency AR2 rf amp covers?"
The unit appears to be built for 50 mhz band and about 50 or so watts..
Or would anyone have a URL for regency? Or are they still in business!

Thanx for any help.... Email to bweese19@idt.net

3213. WTB: IC-551

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: C SCHIOTZ <CSCHIOTZ@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33759ED6.66CA@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175734

LOOKING FOR IC-551 (10W NOT "D")

CHRIS K2PGB
cschiotz@worldnet.att.net

3214. IC-706 Mk2 Japanese model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trond Nerlie <nerlie@online.no>
Message-ID: <3375BBD2.4DA5@online.no>
Source record: 175735

Can someone tell me if the Icom 706 Mk2 Japanese model can be modified
to cover the European 160 m band (1.810-1.850)?

3215. FT-50RD OR AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: taurus@eznet.net
Message-ID: <3375113f.3878709@news.eznet.net>
Source record: 175736

I'm looking for someone that has has both and or
information on witch of these radios is the better
one to get.

Thanks

3216. FS:Hallicrafters HT-37 transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: davek2dp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511133200.JAA19701@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175737

Hallicrafters HT-37 transmitter for sale. Performance is perfect on AM/SSB & CW, cosmetic condition very very good. On the air every week on all modes. Restored last year and PTT mod has been added. Includes professional copy of the manual and schematic (W7FG). Photo was in Electric Radio earlier this year. Asking $150, can deliver to Dayton Hamfest.

Dave, K2DP, St.Louis

3217. Looking for M57737 RF Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ea8avr@qsl.net
Message-ID: <863356472.5487@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175738

Hello ALL,

i need a M57737 hybrid RF Amplifier for my old Alinco ALR-22T.
Please, could anybody tell me where I might find it??

Tnx you very much in advance.

73s de Toni, EA8AVR - EA-QRP#350, AJUR#7
mailto:ea8avr@qsl.net
Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Canary Is., SPAIN

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3218. Re: ICOM IC-751A - Will this do what I want?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <3375CFA3.4F32@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 175739

Hi Jason,

The Icom IC-751A will receive from 100 kc to 30 Mhz, it's
a allmode AM, FM, CW, SSB. It will transmit on all Ham-Bands
and can be modifyed to transmit in other places. If you need
ant more info give me a call, I live in northern California.
I hope this helps you out.

Phone: 707-839-5228

See you later,
Boyd N6DMF

Jason Smith wrote:
>
> I would like to be able to listen to airband? traffic including ATC/Pilot
> dialogue and other aviation services in the UK.
>
> I have the opportunity to buy an ICOM IC-751A transceiver, and all the bits
> that go with it to make it work, extremely cheaply - but I need to make a
> decision quickly and I know very little about HAM radio at the moment.
>
> Is this equipment suitable to receive these transmissions?
>
> Many Thanks
>
> Jason Smith (jason@ciren.co.uk)

3219. WTB: RF Sampler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3375d47d.241718@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175740

Looking for a Bird 4273 or siimilar, so as to sample RF with with
vertical input of a scope!!

Let me know price etc!!
Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3220. WTB: Zenith 7000 series Trans-oceanic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3377d564.472842@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175741

Look for a clean to mint 7000 series Zenith Trans-Oceanic Radio!!
If you have one , please Email me, would like to know actual model
number, price and condition!!
Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

3221. FS: ICOM IC-R1 WIDEBAND RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5e16$97d5e480$42b33ece@dc2light>
Source record: 175742

* * * * * * * * AVAILABLE NOW * * * * * * * *

WIDEBAND HANDHELD RECEIVER

Manufacturer: ICOM
Model: IC-R1
Serial Number: 07246
Frequency Range: 0.1 MHZ - 1300 MHZ, Not Blocked
Modes: AM, Narrow and Wide FM
Accessories Included: Battery Pack
BP-84.....2 Each
Drop-In Charger
BC-72.....1 Each
Wall Charger
BC-74A.....1 Each
Condition: Like new, has had very gentle use.
Remarks: Receiver includes original packing and user manual. Receiver is original unmodified equipment purchased before cellular flail.
Reason For Sale: Changing Requirements
Price: $475.00

Regards, Bob Carter WA5UNR
Email: dc2light@radix.net

3222. WANTED MAN. FOR ICOM 720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dd980@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <5l4krq$g7t@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 175743

I need a man. for a Icom 720A a copy would be fine.

3223. Want: Heath manuals for AW -1, DM - 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5e1a$fed89a20$31f277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 175744
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Wanted: Manuals, or good copies of manuals for:

Heath AW-1 Audio Wattmeter

Heath DM-1 Distortion Meter

Original manuals, or copies of manuals covering the sections
on operation, circuit theory, specs, calibration, SCHEMATIC,
and the like. Don't necessarily need copies of the assembly
pages, but will be more than happy to cover ANY manual
reproduction costs, even for the assembly pages and, of
course, postage.

Thanks de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net
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3224. Aircraft Radio FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W0rw@kktv.COM
Message-ID: <199705111508.IAA15854@mailbox2.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 175745

Gonset G150 Business Communicator on aircraft band for sale.
Still type acceptable, currently licensed, 1 frequency, 10Watts AM
12VDC (no book) $100 plus shipping
Paul Signorelli V
P.O. BOX 6069, Colorado Springs, CO 80934
w0rw@kktv.com
<>< Wise Men Still Seek HIM <><
(http://shell.rmi.net/~mugele/lbo/)

3225. WTB BIRD 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511153300.LAA00815@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175746

must be mint

kh6fhx 808 982 7872 until 13 May then 520 749 9538

3226. WTB Icom ut66,sm20 and at500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511155600.LAA23076@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175747

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3227. Re: any info on new standard c510a ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobdavis@cadvantage.com
Message-ID: <863357945mnewsbobdavis@cadvantage.com>
Source record: 175748

>
>
> I am looking for any info on the new dual band HT from Standard.
> Specifically, I'd like to know if it uses a rechargeable pack or AA
> cells for power. I'd be nost interested in impressions from anyone who
> has one already.
>
I used one (not owned by me) for a short time.
I did not buy the Standard, but finally purchased a Yaesu FT-50R.
The Standard's receiver seemed not as good on UHF as the Yaesu.
I only used alkalines in the Standard, cannot comment on the
rechargeable option.
The Standard is TINY. The FT-50R is small enough to fit into my
shirtpocket. I could put two of the Standard units in the same pocket.
I *like* the SMA antenna connector, I dislike the price of
aftermarket antennas with an SMA connector.
The Standard's LCD display is easier for me to read (glasses on
middle-aged eyes) than is the display on the FT-50R.
The Yaesu instruction book is better than the Standard book.
The Standard's transmitter power output is not adequate for me.
Your mileage may vary.

Robert Davis Amateur Radio K0FPC Emporia, Kansas
bobdavis@cadvantage.com OR rdavis@nyx.net

3228. Re: Kenwood Repair Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3375e65e.4427643@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175749

I sent a TS-450-SAT to AAVid, in Irving, TX via UPS ground on 4/24, I called them on 5/2 and they said they rcvd it on 5/1. On 5/8 I got a call stating the repairs were completed and after giving them a Card number I was told it would ship the next day. I haven't gotten the rig back yet but I was told it checked to "factory specs"
AAVid advertised in QST and their phn is 800-214-5779
73, Buzz WB6GAW

On Sun, 11 May 1997 04:55:57 GMT, cphillips@pobox.com (Curt Phillips) wrote:

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>(It's main problem is that it is almost totally "deaf" on receive.)
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>Curt Phillips, CEM W4CP exKD4YU;WB4LHI| "There's so much comedy on
>Engineer/Writer/Gadgeteer/Raconteur | television. Does that cause
>Chairman, Tar Heel Scanner/SWL Group | comedy in the streets?"
>ARRL Life; QCWA; Raleigh ARS; NRA; AEE| --Dick Cavett
>==== cphillips@pobox.com ==== [Copyright 1997 All rights reserved]====
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3229. WTB: DOW ANTENNA RELAYS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rod7rg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511160800.MAA23401@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175750

Hello; PLEASE check ur junkboxes for unused antenna relays. I am
attempting to install a longwire phased array and need seven (7)
inexpensive relays. I would prefer the DOW relays, 115vac, with three
SO-239 connectors so I can easily weatherproof the relays and connections.
Thanks to all who read and to those that respond.
Rod
KL7RG/8

3230. FS: Yaesu FT-50R (freebanded), Icom IC-2GXAT 2m HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <5l4o93$i2q@dailyplanet.wam.umd.edu>
Source record: 175751

1) Selling for a friend - one Yaesu FT-50R. Xmit modded thru
hardware, freeband modded thru software. Excellent working
condition, with a few small nicks.

Receive/xmit 50-540 MHz
Receive 590-999 MHz

Comes with FNB-41 9.6v 600 mAh battery, duckie, wall charger
and manual. Yes, it receives cellular. PTT button is torn,
and a new one will be arriving from Yaesu anyday.

$300.

2) Selling for me, one Icom IC-2GXAT 7w 2m handheld. 40
memories (had advertised as 12 but this was incorrect), tone
encode and decode, tone scan (seeks CTCSS tone, displays it,
and locks on), VERY easy to use. With rubber gasket, duckie,
BP-160 700 mAh battery, wall charger and filtered cigarette
lighter adaptor CP-13. $275 new, asking $200.

Comes with photocopy of manual.
--
* Scott Rosenfeld NF3I Burtonsville, MD FM19mc QRV 80-10/6/2/440 *
*** 6m 75 grids worked on 8 watts *** HF 140 cfmd * QRP-L #147 ***
** QRP ARCI #9054 ** DXCC/WAS/WAC *** 100% dipole powered HF/6m **
* 301-549-1022 h / 301-982-1015 w *** 145.490- 147.225+ PL 156.7 *

3231. Re: Jeep Cherokee engine noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net
Message-ID: <rtm-ya02408000R1105970920200001@nntp.netgate.net>
Source record: 175752

In article <19970510203600.QAA28455@ladder02.news.aol.com>, cwowen@aol.com (Cwowen) wrote:

> I have an 1989 Jeep Cherokee 4.0 and an Alinco DX-70TH with two mag mount
> antennas. One is for the HF side and the other for 6M.
> I am getting alot of engine and computer noise into the unit through the
> antennas.

Cliff-

As Gary Coffman suggests, making sure things that *look* grounded *are*
is an important step. On my Grand Cherokee, that involved the tail pipe,
the hood, and a weird one that got rid of a surprising amount of noise,
the passenger side doors (possibly due to the computers on the passenger
side?). The tail pipe and hood I did with tinned braid. The doors just
needed a bit of paint scraping around the hardware and some contact
preservative on the screws/locking hardware.

73-

--

Bob Martin N6MZV * rtm@NOSPAM.netgate.net

3232. Re: Jeep Cherokee engine noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3375f4d2.995819@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175753

On Sat, 10 May 1997 20:07:19 -0700, "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:
[snip]
>The only puzzling thing about your report is that the noise
>gets quieter as you go lower in frequency. That is unusual,
>in my experience. I have attached some general information.
>I endorse Gary Coffman's view of suppression at the source
>as a key. I am not sure how to build a sniffer, but
>I suspect that I will need to learn someday. In your
>case, a rubber duck antenna for 6M would probably work fine
>as a sniffer.

Richard gives some good tips on tracking and fixing mobile noise.
Let me just add a note on how to build a sniffer probe. Take a piece
of coax, 20 or 30 feet long so it can reach all parts of the vehicle when
connected to the radio, skin back and expose about 3 inches of the
inner conductor, form a loop and solder the end of the exposed inner
to the braid. This is your sniffer. When you bring it close to a noise
source, you'll hear it in the radio. The small loop will only strongly
pick up signals when it is very close to them.

Of course as Richard suggests, test the radio with no antenna first.
If you have noise then, it is coming in the power wiring. Richard's
suggestion to go straight to the battery (with both leads) is a good
one for dealing with this.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3233. Re: Make RF Liner Amplifier http://www.awt.com.tw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: AWT <awt@ms2.hinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5c2e$2dae9b40$ea955fa8@awt>
Source record: 175754

We are make RF Amplifier
Please see the HomePage

http://www.awt.com.tw
E-Mail:awt@ms2.hinet.net

3234. Azmuth World Time Clock

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: murral@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <5l4s8j$s24$1@garnet.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 175755

The Moncton Amateur Radio Club has a desktop clock called Azmuth World Time. Local time on the left and universal time on the right. Each clock has two buttons for setting time. But instructions are missing. Would appreciate it it someone would send me a copy.

Bob
VE1XW

3235. Re: Kenwood Repair Suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Samuel S. Yates" <ab4n@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3375FC4E.298C@erols.com>
Source record: 175756

Curt Phillips wrote:
>
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>
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> sources. What experience does anyone have witht these firms?
>
> I searched Deja News, and in the past year or so this question
> has been asked a time or two.
> The only recommendation I could find was for Milton Lord, Ham Radio
I recommend AVVID in Texas. They can be reached at 800-214-5779. In my
dealing with them, they were fair, prompt, courteous and very
reasonable. Clif, who runs the shop, frequents this Newsgroup and often
offers "free advice" to those with Kenwood and Icom problems.
Give them a call, you won't be disappointed.

Sam AB4N Culpeper, Virginia

> ...snip... <
>
>

3236. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704118633.AA863370290@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175757

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 18:04:00 GMT
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford)
Subject: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

>>I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Great little HTs, indeed!

>>...is it possible to expand Tx range still with the newest version of
>> 600 ?

Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?

When you posed this question to ADI on their website, what was your
reply?

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

Date: 4 May 1997 21:14:49 GMT
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com (Bea and Marvin Jones)
Subject: Any Parts Source for Heathkit?

Steve Woodward (swoodwar@fix.net) wrote:
: Looking for parts to repair a weather station made by Heath. Is there
: any sources left? Thanks!

It's been reported several times in these newsgroups that HeathKit _still_
supplies/sells parts for Heath gear -- if they still have the stuff in
stock.

73
Jonesy W3DHJ

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SK

Date: 8 May 1997 01:38:26 GMT
From: "Dan" <dbarker@visioncomm.com>
Subject: avanti antenna information needed

And I always thought an Avanti was a fiberglass Studebaker.

WG4S, Atlanta

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 04:12:31 GMT
From: orion**@capital.net
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

On Mon, 05 May 1997 14:31:35 -0400, Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
wrote:

>
>Is the HTX-202 suggested for a new ham - it is on sale for C$ 230.00?
>How does it compare with other 2m handhelds?
>Any known problems, variants of the rig?

>
>Any comment on using the 2m vs. 70cm band?
>
>I realize that there are no simple answers, but I still would not mind
>some help.
>
>Thanks, Peter

It's a very good radio, Peter. I have two of them. Neither one has
ever given me a bit of trouble. They are an excellent value, IMHO.

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73,
Butch
To send mail
delete the two
stars in my address.

Date: 11 May 1997 03:38:28 GMT
From: fkairshw@execpc.com
Subject: F.S: S.E.Wis.Tower/Rotor/10M 6 Elem.Beam

For Sale: Tower 60 Ft. Universal (Steel), Tail-Twister Rotor ,Control, Mast, and
Home-Brew 10M 6 Elem. Beam with 36 Ft. x
3"Dia. boom (Heavy-Duty). Located in S.E. Wis. Buyer must take down. Price
$500.00. I am listing for W9DUB (Frank) call days
414-728-3197.

Thanks for reading,

Frank KB9NOA

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 23:10:28 GMT
From: kb2rmi@node1.frontiernet.net (robbin decker)
Subject: FS/Swap IBM laptop/printer

Have "true blue" IBM PS-2 L40 386 laptop, 8meg, 100meg HD, Dos 6.2,
Win 3.1, other software, MS mouse, mono VGA, includes Kodak Diconix
150 plus port. printer, PS, 3 batts., extra P/S, soft case for PC and
Printer, cables, etc. etc., up and running. Great packet machine, or
student setup
.
Make Offers, or swap for ham gear, or upgrade components for my
desktop 386 to a Pentium or ???? whatcha got?

Email replies please

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 17:04:48 GMT
From: cward@stimpy.acofi.edu (Curtis)
Subject: FS: Icom Z1-A Setup

All of the below for $450.00 + shipping, obo. Terms are COD
cash/money order.

The whole setup includes the manuals.

IC-Z1A Dual band handheld w/ 4.8V battery, face detachment kit,
and fixed length antenna (FA-1443B)
IC-CP12 Cigarette lighter adapter
IC-BP173 9.6V NiCad battery
IC-BC79A Desktop rapid charger w/ AC adapter
IC-AD51 Desktop rapid charge adapter for the IC-BP173 9.6V NiCad
battery
MFJ-1712 dual band extending antenna for the Z1A

Earphone for listening to the Z1A quietly

Books:

ARRL General Class License Manual for the Radio Amateur
Now You're Talking: All You Need To Get Your First Ham Radio License

Everything is in perfect condition and was only used for 3 hours
total. I'm selling it because I don't have time to study and get my
license. Instead, I'm going to take up photography.

I'll guarantee against DOA for 10 days. Warranty card included.

E-mail if interested.

Thanks,

Curtis
cward@stimpy.acofi.edu

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 06:56:53 GMT
From: hankb@ma.ultranet.com (Ben or Hank)
Subject: FS COBRA 146 GTL PEAKED AND TWEAKED!!!

I have a used cobra 146gtl thats been peaked and tweaked. The rig has
upper and lower side band plus extras. I am looking to get rid of this
radio for $160 shipped to anywhere in the U.S. Or I will trade for a
Galaxy mobile or a 2510 or an rci 2950. Email me back if you are
interested in this deal.

thanks
Ben

Date: 11 May 1997 05:33:17 GMT
From: lemaniac@aol.com (Lemaniac)

Subject: Hammerlund SP-600-JX ?

I have an old Hammerlund SP-600-JX all band receiver in good condition. Anybody know what it's worth? I'd trade it for something if I knew what it was worth. Email me at lemaniac@aol.com.

Thanks
John
WB6JKQ
What did the Buddhist Monk say to the hot dog vendor?
"Make me one with everything."

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 23:21:11 -0600
From: k4mzw@akorn.net
Subject: HF Transceiver for sale

Icom IC-756 Transceiver for sale Like New never used.
$ 1,800.00 (shipped ConUS)

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: 11 May 1997 03:28:19 GMT
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com (Rodney Wallberg)
Subject: HR2510 Digital Display

Allen, Most likely cause are the filter caps located near the power input. I have heard that these 2510s are rather underrated in the electrolytic cap area. The ratings on these are only 16 volts and convention says at least one and half times the expected voltage. I would recomend changing out any electrolytic with a better value for voltage say of 25 volts. The 16 volt ones are pretty over worked and then letting them sit dried them out.
73 Rod KB8DNS

Date: 10 May 1997 23:57:12 GMT
From: k9sqg@aol.com (K9SQG)
Subject: HRO-50T $150

HRO-50T, A and B coils, coil storage rack, speaker, $150 picked up in Dayton. Price will be reduced daily until Dayton Hamvention.

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

Date: 11 May 1997 03:32:20 GMT
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com (Rodney Wallberg)

Subject: HTX-202 opinions - summary

Peter, I had three of them and the first two were problematic. The later one works fine. Only thing I can say is to try and buy one that has the name of Radio Shack on the space above the display. My older ones had Realistic in that spot.
73 Rod KB8DNS

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 07:48:23 -0400
From: Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
Subject: HTX-202 opinions - summary

I would like to thank everyone who commented on the HTX-202.
In summary it is a robust, simple 2m handheld, with no known problems (except that recent thread on Error 2), with a tight front-end, and no possibility of extending the range.
I will keep an eye open for one.

Thanks again, Peter
--
Peter E. Orban
VE3PEY

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 03:19:29 GMT
From: Sparks@Tech-center.com (Ken Jones)
Subject: HTX-204

Clint Bradford wrote 8 lines on the subject: RE: HTX-204; here's some of it:
>
>Well, you're one of the few who can now listen to cellular telephone
>calls with a unit manufactured/sold since 1994....

One of the Very Few, it would seem. Mine won't. All the first keyboard mod does is allow out of band RX. The second keyboard mod allows out of band TX. Still no cellular, AFAIK. Jumps right over.

73,

Ken Jones, KB3JA
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mailto:sparks@tech-center.com -- Maidenhead Grid: FM19mu
PGP Fingerprint 0xFE99B25D; key avail on public servers
Personal opinions...nothing to do with Tandy corp...blah, blah

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Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 15:31:22 GMT
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net (Gary Fiber)
Subject: IC-706 MK II Pricing

On Fri, 09 May 1997 08:03:24 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>
> I have followed the Japanese radio prices as the Yen got strong and
>week. I found that the Ham Radio prices went up when the Yen was strong
>but the prices didn't go down when the Yen was weak. I guess it is a one
>way street!!!
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

Well if you made your stocking purchases on the strong Yen, likely
you could not stand the loss of dropping your selling price when the
actual value of the product was less under a weak Yen to Dollar ratio.
I suspect that is what is happening.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

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ARRL Life; QCWA; Raleigh ARS; NRA; AEE| --Dick Cavett
==== cphillips@pobox.com ==== [Copyright 1997 All rights reserved]====

Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 19:51:38 -0600
From: jmclaugh@cscc.edu
Subject: Kenwood TS-430S Question....

Thanks for all of the help with this rig. I got the advice I needed. Everything seems to be working now. I haven't made a contact on 10 M yet because of my work schedule (seems like the few openings there are now on 10 always happen when I am stuck in a computer room for 8 hours (work) Yuck!). 73, and maybe I will see some of you at Dayton next week!

Joel McLaughlin
N8VQJ

--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 02:13:45 GMT
From: no.spam@ads.please (Brian Carling)
Subject: Looking for Crystals - 6M

No, we still have 6M AM nets out here on the east coast too!

On Thu, 08 May 1997 10:38:51 -0600, Jim Devenport
<jd_port@concentric.net> wrote:

>Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>>
>> Just acquired (5) Gonset 6M Communicators, (1) 6M Amp, (1) 2M
>> Communicator. All Civil Defense Surplus. Only 3 Crystals for all the
>> units.
>>
>> Where can I purchase, beg, borrow, trade or steal more crystals? Is
>> there much 6M AM activity?
>>
>> Any help would be appreciated.
>I don't know the details of the Gonset, but you might post the basic
>frequency of the crystals (8 mhz, 6 mhz, whatever) so we can peruse our
>junkboxes for you.
>6 Meter AM activity was abysmally low back in the mid to late 1970's
>when I became a 6 meter enthusiast, and 6 was the lowest DX frequency
>for Technician licensees back then, and they constituted the majority of
>the contacts I conversed with. 10 Meter SSB is now the DX band of
>choice for many if not most Techs and I think this has impacted 6 meter
>activity.
>SSB had become the dominant mode by the mid- 70's and I eventually
>succumbed to 6 Meter SSB by building a transverter for my HF rig and
>eventually converted an old SSB CB rig directly to 6 meters.
>There are probably a few 6M AM nets still in existence, especially in
>the Midwest, and when the band gets really hot there are occasionally
>some AM'ers that come out of the woodwork. But I think you'll find they
>are quite few and far between.
>--
>|---|
>|Jim Devenport W5AOX |
>|All Standard Disclaimers Disclaimed |

>|Anti-Spam: Remove the "_" from address to respond |
>|http://www.concentric.net/~jdport/ |
>|---|

To reply to this message, you MUST IGNORE my shown address.
It is there to fool those annoying unsolicited e-mail advertising idiots!
Send replies ONLY to: bry AT mnsinc 'DOT' com
VISIT: http://www.mnsinc"DOT"com/bry/

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 23:31:20 -0700
From: Wayne Plack <plack@calweb.com>
Subject: Miniature AM Broadcast Receiver

I need a small AM radio (or AM/FM) that either fits IN the ear (like a real small hearing aid) or one that hooks over the ear (the bulk of the radio behind the ear, w/an audio tube leading to the ear canal opening - like a large hearing aid). I want to be able to wear the radio without the "headset look" (just one earphone - unobtrusive). Only the AM band (560 - 1600 KHZ) is desired though AM/FM would be OK. I've been looking all over for such a radio, and I cannot find.

Any help?

Date: 11 May 1997 05:27:31 GMT
From: "-=N8LDY=-" <cqdxer@alliance.net>
Subject: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

My friend is looking for a Swan 250 Output meter.
If you can help us find one,we will be in your debt.

Thank's

Charles "Chuck"Lemar
Great Lakes Award Manager
Station N8LDY Since 1981

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 22:10:53 -0400
From: Michael Nie <mnie@fuse.net>
Subject: Tac Tec Radios

Some of us are using old Tac Tec mobile radios. Very stable and reliable. I believe they were made by RCA. One of the guys programs the EEPROMS using Tac Tec programing software on a VIC20 computer.

Question: Does anyone know if software exists to program these radios on an IBM compatible? If so, where might we find it?

Thanks,

Mike Nie
KB8VMX

Date: 9 May 1997 21:42:06 GMT
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Subject: When to Power Down?

dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan) wrote:
>In article <3371b7a8.53758393@newshost.capecod.net>, gareth@capecod.net
>(Gareth Crispell) wrote:
>
>>There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer
>>off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone
>>know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave
>>them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down
>>everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??
>
>I have three computers that have never been turned off in three years. I
>do turn the monitors off when I QRT for the night, but the CPUs and disks
>stay powered up. I find the thermal shock of
>heating/cooling/heating/cooling much more disruptive than simply leaving
>things warm and humming along.
>
>73, Dick
>--
>Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada

I just retired as production manager of the local daily paper, where among other things I was responsible for operation/maintenance of all computer systems - consisting of about 50 PCs and about 20 Macs. We *NEVER* turned them off, but did run screen savers on many of the color monitors. These sets would typically run about 5 years between failures, and most failures were cooling fans - followed by keyboards and monitors, then hard drives - in that order.

I think the key rule for an individual user would be that if your computer is used an hour or so EVERY DAY, it would be best to just leave it on - but some sort of surge protector is recommended. In this scenario, I would also leave the monitor on, but use a screen saver to even out wear and tear on screen coatings. There are mixed recommendations on merely turning down the contrast to darken the screen.

Oh yeah, by the way, those few computers in our business that WERE turned off regularly, failed MORE OFTEN than those left on continuously...

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Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
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Liberalism: The concept that those having more of anything
than you, are "wealthy", and morally required to share
that "wealth" with the less successful (you).

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Anyone proposing to rob Peter to pay Paul can count on
the support of Paul...
==

Date: 11 May 1997 06:16:21 GMT
From: robertlars@aol.com (Robertlars)
Subject: WTB: Non-Inductive Power Resistors & PolyProp. Caps

WTB:

1. 500 watt rated or higher, non-inductive resistors, 5% tolerance (if
possible ?), 8 and 4 ohms.

2. 80mF PolyProp. Caps, 400 Volts rated.

If you have anything like this please e-mail me. Thanks.

Bob

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 02:11:33 GMT
From: rmwatson@eskimo.com (Robert Watson)
Subject: WTD: Info for Alinco ALD-24T

I recently purchased a used Alinco dual-band radio, Model ALD-24T. It came
with a service manual but no operating manual. I need to know what tones
are which for the sub-audibles, since they are numbered from 0 - 37, and I
really have no way of knowing which is which unless I experiment with 37
different repeaters in the area.

If anyone would so kindly pass this information on to me, I would
appreciate it.

Thanks,

Robert/KJ7BO
rmwatson@eskimo.com

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #515
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Sun, 11 May 97 12:54:48 EST
Return-Path: <ucsd.edu!owner-ham-equip@esseye.si.com>
Received: by esseye.si.com
via rmail with stdio
id <m0wQaR3-0009hgC@esseye.si.com>
for steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com; Sun, 11 May 1997 11:21:17 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)

Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu by relay4.UU.NET with ESMTP
(peer crosschecked as: mailbox2.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.54])
id QQcpbj00401; Sun, 11 May 1997 07:59:15 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id DAA12087 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Sun, 11 May
1997 03:22:10 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id CAA27495
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 11 May 1997 02:53:21 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id CAA27476
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 11 May 1997 02:53:17 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705110953.CAA27476@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 11 May 97 02:53:16 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #515
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3237. WTB tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: eduardo montana <emontana@aracnet.net>
Message-ID: <3375B566.4FA9@aracnet.net>
Source record: 175758

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.

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Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
****

3238. IC-706 XCVR to Computer Interface Cable, Help Please?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: seifertr@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3375f9e5.6511231@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to connect my computer to my IC-706 transceiver, but I need the cable to connect the computer to the radio. MFJ sells the MFJ-5383i cable for $49.95, but I'd rather build my own cable.

(1) Can anyone direct me toward a schematic/wiring diagram for doing so? and (2) I prefer to connect the cable to my serial port; does the MFJ cable connect to the serial port or the parallel port? If I must use the parallel port, I will.

Many thanks,
Rich, KB2ZMF
seifertr@ix.netcom.com

Best Wishes,
Rich

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seifertr@ix.netcom.com

3239. Info Needed: Mars RC-288A Convertor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: thermionic@techie.com
Message-ID: <5l4v60$8v7@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 175760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Need info on a Mars RC-288A SSB convertor.
A schematic or manual would be nice too.... :-)

Thanks
Tom KA4RKT
badger@telalink.net

3240. Re: A Nice Ham Web Page (contest related)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephen.b@virgin.net
Message-ID: <33761b8e.1993533@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 175761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Do you like contests, I have a contest calendar on my web page that
contains the dates from 'MOST' of the contests. Please let me
know of any additions - and if you find it helpful.

If you do I will write the full rules and regs for each of the
contests and of course mailing addresses.

Thanks for your time.

Steve B
(G4KIV and also ZD8SB ZC4BS ZC4BBS N5ZFR)
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========================================
= I am Borg of the Clan "Pentium Borg", =
= Division is futile, prepare to be =
= approximated. =
= =
= To suffer the Homepage visit: =
= =
= http://freespace.virgin.net/stephen.b =
= =
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3241. Re: A Nice Ham Web Page (contest related)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephen.b@virgin.net
Message-ID: <33761b9f.2010823@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 175762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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3242. Re: ICOM 706...looking for replacement mic suggestions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: seifertr@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33761a89.14868569@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175763

On Mon, 5 May 1997 20:13:54 GMT, olyellr@iglou.com wrote:
>Can someone recommend a mic to replace the straight hand mic that is
>supplied with the 706......Icom or otherwise.

Mike,
I just read from www.primenet.com/~ke7gh/index16.htm that the
"HM77 DTMF Microphone is the best choice..." if a DTMF microphone is
desired. Check out the site for yourself...

Take care...

Best Wishes,
Rich

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seifertr@ix.netcom.com

3243. Re: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Parker <parkerp@pcug.org.au>
Message-ID: <33762916.0@cheese.pcug.org.au>
Source record: 175764

barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady) wrote:
>I didn't know there was a ham band at 250 metres.
>
>Barry

That's not what he said. He wants a meter for his Swan 250 transceiver.
That has nothing to do with metres (wavelength). Get your facts straight
before posting.

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Peter Parker

E-mail: parkerp@pcug.org.au

Amateur Radio: VK1PK

Home Page: http://www.pcug.org.au/~parkerp/
The home of Novice Notes Online and the VK QRP Web Page.

3244. new website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9sbv@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33802859.250567920@praxcus>
Source record: 175765

Check out the new website on the net! N9SBV's Ham Radio Connection at Http://members.tripod.com/~n9sbv/Status.htm

This new system is oriented toward helping the new ham radio operator with resources he or she may need to get the most out of their hobby.

Lots of shareware available for download from the FTP Site. With 2 of the NEC 7 disk Changers online for starters, there is over 15 Gig online of all types of shareware software.

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This site is located in South Bend, Indiana. It's my hope that it will become a major link for Operators in the Michiana Area to keep in touch locally and worldwide.

See you on the site!

73 de N9SBV

3245. new website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9sbv@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33832879.250599273@praxcus>
Source record: 175766

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3246. FS: Test equipment for RF...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jaustin@cts.com
Message-ID: <863383885.775746@optional.cts.com>
Source record: 175767

HP 8505A 1.3 GHz network analyzer with normalizer and transmission/reflection test set, TEK 7406 500 MHz o'scope frame with 50 ohm vertical amps, timebase, and spectrum analyzer plugin, IFR A-7550 999 MHz spectrum analyzer. Best offer for any or all. Reply via e-mail.

John
jaustin@cts.com

3247. FYI: Radio Modification Links

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337639BE.3CA4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175768

Hundreds of Radio Modifications via the links at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageA.html#MODS

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3248. Re: Regency AR2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray LaRue <raylarue@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5l5dfu$1sk$1@news9.gte.net>
Source record: 175769

From the manual:
Freq 144-148 Mhz, FM
Power out @ 13.6 VDC
@ 10 w in 32 w
@ 15 w in 48 w
@ 20 w in 64 w
@ 25 w in 80 w
Max power in 25 w
Power gain 5 db (3.2X)
Eff 65 to 75 %
Current 9 amps @ 80 watts out
Finals are Two 2N6097's

It was popular in the middle 70's.
73, Ray, W4BYG

Greekprince wrote:
>
> Hello! Anyone happen to know the band a "Regency AR2 rf amp covers?"
> The unit appears to be built for 50 mhz band and about 50 or so watts..
> Or would anyone have a URL for regency? Or are they still in business!
>
> Thanx for any help.... Email to bweese19@idt.net

3249. Mint condition Items for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex MacKenzie <amac@cape.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5e52$42e58ac0$4c3cba8c@micron1>
Source record: 175770
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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I have the following items for sale. All are in mint condition and would
like to sell them ASAP, as I need the money for my college education. I am
willing to take B/O on all items. Email me if you are interested at:
amac@cape.com. Prices do not include shipping. Thank you.

Brand name Description Asking Price
Kenwood TM-742A Triband Radio (2m/220/440) $850
1.5 years old--220 module is 6 months old
Comet CX-333 2m/220/440 antenna and triplexer w/coax leads $250
Comet GP-3 2m/440 dual band antenna and duplexer-6 mos. $105
Cushcraft 13B2-13 element 2m antenna-up for one winter $100
Cushcraft A4496S-6 element 440mhz beam-up for one winter $25

Yaesu FT-51RH handheld 2m/440 transceiver with extended $450
receive range. Less than 2 yrs. old includes:
Speaker Mike with LCD display
1 lowpower small battery
2 High Power (5 watts) batteries
1 high power long life battery
leather carrying case
quick battery charger
cigarette lighter adapter

Radio Shack HTX-202 2m radio 3 years old-execellent condition $115
comes w/Radio Shack speaker mike
Radio Shack HTX-404 440mhz radio 2.5 years old-mint condition $120
extra battery

Icom IC-728 HF Transceiver-10 mos old. small burn with $1125
soldering iron on bottom of front display-comes with
Bencher BY-2 brass paddle--This rig rarely used.

Astron RS-12A 12 amp power supply (for kenwood) $40
RS-20A 20 amp-purchased new with HF radio $85

Power Station 3 amp portable lead acid battery pack $15

Kamtronics KAM plus version 8.0 (I think) with DC supply $265
7 months old

MFJ Mic switch for packet/mic on Kenwood VHF rig and $20
patch cord from Kam to HF radio (accessory port)

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dual band antenna and duplexer-6 =
mos. $105
Cushcraft 13B2-13 element 2m antenna-up for one =
winter $100
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for one winter $25

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transceiver with extended $450
receive range. =
Less than 2 yrs. old includes:

* Speaker Mike with LCD display
* 1 =
lowpower small battery
* 2 High Power (5 watts) =
batteries
* 1 high power long life =
battery
* leather carrying case
* quick =
battery charger
* cigarette lighter adapter

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and $20
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port)

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3250. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion**@capital.net
Message-ID: <33750b15.19838532@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175915

On Sun, 4 May 1997 12:04:04 GMT, wrt@eskimo.com (Bill Turner) wrote:

>
>I've been using an Astron RS-35M for about five years and it's been a
>real workhorse. However if I had it to do over again, I think I'd
>just use a car battery and a trickle charger. I used to have that
>setup and for some reason I abandoned it and got the Astron. If the
>Astron ever dies I'll go back to it. One advantage is being able to
>use it during power outages, which happen a lot here. The other
>advantage is it's a lot cheaper.
>
I can't see how it could be a great deal cheaper. Buying a good
automobile battery and a good battery charger is going to cost nearly
as much as the P/S. I will agree the battery/charger combination has
an advantage when the regular power fails.
>73, Bill W7TI
>

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73,
Butch
To send mail
delete the two
stars in my address.

3251. Re: Heathkit HW-18 (Pelase read)!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: spectra291@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970511004700.UAA26225@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175916

To the person who sent the response concerning the Heathkit HW-18: I accidently deleted your message before I was able to read it. Please resend it.

Thanks,

Brian
spectra291@aol.com

3252. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704108633.AA863316916@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175917

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FS: FV-901DM and SP-901P
FS ICOM IC901 MODULE
FT902 DM fs:
HR2510 Digital Display
ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
Jeep Cherokee engine noise (2 msgs)
Make Money With Your Computer!
Mods for Icom IC-47A Ham
T-368 Transmitter Prices (2 msgs)
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wanted ICOM IC-1275
wtb: bearcat 235xlt
WTB: EIMAC 3-500Z
WTB DRAKE R7A

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 10 May 1997 20:59:04 GMT
From: "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Subject: AIRCRAFT RADIO

Roland Stiner <Roland.Stiner@cybernet.magsystems.com> wrote in article
<1e2_9705040130@magsystems.com>...
>
>
> >Assume these would be OK for use in a Receive Only mode?
>
> It's legal to use ANY radio to receive-no license needed.

In the USA, at least...

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 21:45:49 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Any info on new Standard C510A HT

I am looking for any info on the new dual band HT from Standard.
Specifically, I'd like to know if it uses a rechargeable pack or AA
cells for power. I'd be nost interested in impressions from anyone who
has one already.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 16:51:43 -0500
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Subject: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

A BS-5 can be converted to a BS-8 oBill Fawns wrote:
>
> Mark Mansfield wrote:
> >
> > Try your local library. They can obtain it through interlibrary loan
> > if they do not have it there. There should be plenty of information
> > for them to get the article.
> > Mark
> >
> > > Great, now if I only had a copy of that magazine. Any ideas where I could
> > > get a copy? Thanks again, 73, Mike...
> > [snip]
> > > In article <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>, mmans@aeneas.net wrote:
> > > >There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
> > >
> Mark es Mike:
>
> I have BS-8 adaptor in my SM-220 and could copy the schematic from the
> service manual if you think it would help. If you can find a BS-5 and
> don't want it, I would like to purchase it.
>
> Thanks.
>
> 73 de KE6HEZ,

A BS-5 can be converted to a BS-8 or vice-versa.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 11:23:01 -0700
From: Bill Fawns <wmfawns@tdl.com>
Subject: Build or Buy BS-8 / PanAdapter

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> Try your local library. They can obtain it through interlibrary loan
> if they do not have it there. There should be plenty of information
> for them to get the article.
> Mark
>
> > Great, now if I only had a copy of that magazine. Any ideas where I could
> > get a copy? Thanks again, 73, Mike...
> [snip]
> > In article <336DD7B3.3612@aeneas.net>, mmans@aeneas.net wrote:
> > >There are plans in Ham Radio Magizane, Feb. 1983; pages 26 thru 38.
> >
Mark es Mike:

I have BS-8 adaptor in my SM-220 and could copy the schematic from the
service manual if you think it would help. If you can find a BS-5 and
don't want it, I would like to purchase it.

Thanks.

73 de KE6HEZ, Bill

Date: 10 May 1997 22:12:32 GMT
From: stevewz1u@aol.com (Steve wz1u)
Subject: FS/ FOK25 Foldover Conv Kit

I have for sale in excellent condition the FOX25 Foldover Conv kit which
will make you Rohn 25G tower fold in half and bring your antenna to you on
the ground.
The boom arm is 22 feet long and comes with a 10 foot section of 25G which
breaks in half and also the winch.
The Conversion kit is 6 years old and sells new between $1200 to $1300. I
will take $450 or Best Reasonable Offer.
This must be a pick-up only
I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma. 35 miles south of Boston

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 00:35:21 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: FV-901DM and SP-901P

YAESU 901 station accessories

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo (has up/dwn scan and 40 memory channels).
This unit is in new condition with orig box/manuals. Perfect not a

scratch. $240.00 including shipping continental USA.

Also for sale a SP-901P. This is the speaker/phone patch for the 901 series Yaesu. Comes with manual and orig box. It is also in new condition. Price is $90.00 including shipping continental USA.

73's
Bob

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 13:48:35 -0700
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Subject: FS ICOM IC901 MODULE

I have for sale a 220mhz module (UX39A) for the ICOM IC900 OR IC901 for $225.
AL

Date: 7 May 1997 15:14:51 GMT
From: w2uha@aol.com (W2uha)
Subject: FT902 DM fs:

I have a 902dm works fine all bands including warc. phone patch , dc pwr supply , ac power supply, mike an manual, prefer local sale or within 250 miles of northern vt so i can demonstrate it use. 400 .00
bud

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 17:19:55 -0400
From: Allan Koenigsberg <AE2J@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: HR2510 Digital Display

My HR2510 digital display is only showing 8's. It had been stored away for a couple of years, and rarely used before that. Just took it out, and discovered this problem. When held at an oblique angle I can make out the actual frequencies very faintly, but when viewed head-on the, all the lcd segments display. Anybody ever deal with this problem?? Does anyone have a copy the schematic or service manual? Would happily pay for one or a photocopy? I would appreciate any help I can get on this problem.

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 17:39:27 +0100
From: Gavin Stirling <gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk>
Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

In message <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>
hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:

> I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the
> Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
> I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

So how did the therapy go?

Date: 10 May 1997 16:36:39 GMT
From: cwowen@aol.com (Cwowen)
Subject: Jeep Cherokee engine noise

I have an 1989 Jeep Cherokee 4.0 and an Alinco DX-70TH with two mag mount antennas. One is for the HF side and the other for 6M.
I am getting alot of engine and computer noise into the unit through the antennas.
It is not coming in through the power, no AC whine.
On 6M I am getting about an S6 of noise on SSB and about the same on 10M.
As I work down in frequency the interference decreases, and almost completely goes away at about 75M.
I have changed the wires and plugs, have rerouted the power, have tried grounding every thing.

Anyone out have this problem or possibly have a cure? And, yes I do realize that getting rid of the old Jeep and getting something newer would probably solve the problem, however, that is not an option at this time.
So, please....

Thank you,

Cliff Owen
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Clifford W. Owen
N3YYP

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Protect "Freedom of Speech" and oppose "Censorship"!

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 22:19:19 GMT
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: Jeep Cherokee engine noise

On 10 May 1997 16:36:39 GMT, cwowen@aol.com (Cwowen) wrote:
>I have an 1989 Jeep Cherokee 4.0 and an Alinco DX-70TH with two mag mount
>antennas. One is for the HF side and the other for 6M.
>I am getting alot of engine and computer noise into the unit through the
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>completely goes away at about 75M.
>I have changed the wires and plugs, have rerouted the power, have tried
>grounding every thing.

Regrounding *everything* is always important on the Cherokee. It is painted
before assembly and many parts will not have good electrical connection.
On mine, the horn wouldn't even blow until I sanded paint from mating
surfaces.

That said, the best way to cure electrical interference is always to treat it
at the *source*. That means you need to locate the exact sources of the
noise you are experiencing and then treat them there. If the engine control
computer is a source of noise, suppress it *at the computer*. If the noise
is due to the fuel injectors, suppress it *at the injectors*. Etc. Use a small
"sniffer" loop on the end of a piece of coax to identify the noise sources
and use standard suppression techniques to deal with them right at the
source. You can chase your tail for months trying generic solutions. Be
systematic and solve the noise problems directly at their source and
you'll have a quieter vehicle, and in less time.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: Mon, 05 May 1997 19:19:26 PDT
From: inet97@ameritech.net
Subject: Make Money With Your Computer!

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Dear Friend,

We all know E-mail is here to stay. It's fun, easy and exciting! Would you be
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biggest mistake people make about marketing on-line is that they sit and wait
for people to contact them. You will never make it if this is your approach and
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seven new people logging on every minute of the day world-wide and everyone

is offering something. So how do you get a potential client or a new customer before your competition does? The answer is simply " Creative E-mailing" and it WORKS! I'll tell you why. You're taking your product, service or idea directly to the market instead of waiting for the market to come to you!

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--Charles -- California

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--Dennis -- Illinios

Hello, I'm a divorced mother of two children. I wanted to thank you for helping me out. This was my first time buying anything on the Internet. I was skeptical at first but I figured I'd take a chance. This was the best chance I've ever took! My part-time business is now a full-time home-business, thanks to your Creative E-mail System. I had to hire my two family members to help me out! This is GREAT, thanks so much! I'd recommend this for anyone!
--Ellen -- Florida

You may have seen other people offering products "E-mail Programs, E-mail Addresses, Extractors, Etc." The vast majority of these products are very over-priced and very difficult to even use. None of them even supply you with current, up-to-date, FRESH & RESPONSIVE E-mail addresses! Our Creative E-mail System puts everything into one package to make your profits soar immediately! Even if you do not have a product or service to offer, we are going to give you over 500 how-to reports that you will have full reprint rights to! What makes our course different from anything else being offered anywhere is that we're dedicated to your success! We do not succeed unless you succeed! All of our E-mail Address Databases are created in house. We do not trade our databases with anyone because people are selling extremely bad lists on the Internet. Many of other people's databases are filled with duplicate addresses and many of them are undeliverable. We keep our own database so we know exactly what we have and we keep nothing but the best. There's no other way. We believe in producing high quality products that should be priced reasonably for your success! Read on to see the special bonuses you will receive.

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Date: 10 May 1997 11:52:01 -0700
From: ddanz@primenet.com (L.W. {Dan} Danz)
Subject: Mods for Icom IC-47A Ham

Does anybody know of a modification that can be made to the Icom
IC-47A 440-450MHz Ham Transceiver that will make it also receive in
the 460 - 470 MHz range (specifically want to monitor 460.xxx
frequencies).

--
L. W. "Dan" Danz (WA5SKM) ddanz@primenet.com
Fountain Hills AZ http://www.primenet.com/~ddanz

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 15:54:38 -0400
From: Walter Dail <kt4ja@ecsu.campus.mci.net>

Subject: T-368 Transmitter Prices

Just how much is a T-368 transmitter worth if it
is in decent condition? I would like to know the
low and high end prices...

Thanks,
Walter - KT4JA

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 13:41:08 -0700
From: Arthur Garabedian <wmt@thegrid.net>
Subject: T-368 Transmitter Prices

Walter Dail wrote:
>
> Just how much is a T-368 transmitter worth if it
> is in decent condition? I would like to know the
> low and high end prices...
>
> Thanks,
> Walter - KT4JA

WALTER! I have had 3ea. T-368's and 1 spare parts radio. I paid
$600. for the 1st one about 7 years ago and another 5 years ago for
$900., and a new one in the wooden crate about the same time $1200.
I traded one, (a used one this year) for a broadcast staion radio that
is worth at least $2000. For the ones that I have seen, they go all
over the place. I have my (parts only) radio for sale at $400.
Hope this helps some, Regards, ARTHUR KC6KUK . . .

Date: 10 May 1997 23:05:45 GMT
From: jc17fl@aol.com (JC17FL)
Subject: TEKTRONIX 503 SCOPE@ $24.-LAST CHANCE !

Has anyone seen the great Tektronix oscilloscope up for bids over at
auction world? It has a high bid of only $24. so far ! Unbelieveable !

Somebody is going to walk off with a real bargain - for sure ! Why
shouldn't it be you?

see it for yourself at:

http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=fja999458

Sale ends Sunday.

Date: 10 May 1997 20:52:40 GMT
From: Patricia Pokrocos <patp@princeton.edu>
Subject: wanted ICOM IC-1275

HI,NAME IS LOU. LOOKING FOR ICOM IC-1275 1.2 GIG ALL MODE.
PLEASE CALL LOU @ 609-890-0380 N2QNX 73'S

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 17:41:43 -0400
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: wtb: bearcat 235xlt

GOOD LUCK!

Except for a few demo units, they have not been shipped to dealers yet.

Tom

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 23:29:43 GMT
From: w1ksz@juno.com (Richard W. Solomon)
Subject: WTB: EIMAC 3-500Z

Looking for a spare for an amp I just picked up. EIMAC preferrred but
will look at others. What have we ?? 73 de Dick, W1KSZ.

Date: 10 May 97 21:19:04 GMT
From: liber.fab@iol.IT (Fabio Liberatori)
Subject: WTB DRAKE R7A

Hello everybody,
I'm looking for one R7-A (or late R7) with optionals and
accessories (MS7, RV75, all are welcome....).
Working condx must be 100% OK, shape excellent without scratches on front
panel, no ruined knobs.
Owner no smoker is better, of course......
Please, send list with prices, thank you very much !

Liberatori Fabio, Italy

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #513
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Sat, 10 May 97 21:53:18 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wQNqL-0009epC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sat, 10 May 1997 21:54:33 -0400 (EDT)
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Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma020945; Sat, 10 May 97 21:54:14 -0400

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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id RAA05774 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Sat, 10 May
1997 17:22:05 -0700 (PDT)
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 10 May 1997 17:05:35 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id RAA24346
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 10 May 1997 17:05:31 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705110005.RAA24346@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sat, 10 May 97 17:05:30 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #513
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3253. Re: Yaesu Mobile Dual Banders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: niel brieger <nbrieger@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3376D259.5F06@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175571

>
> I just bought an FT-8500 and I have alternator whine..no ignition noise tho.
> Not very noticable, just a little noise in the background.
>
> Just went to Radio Shack and bought one of thier 20 amp noise filter to see if
> it'll help.
>
> Other than a little whine...the FT-8500 is a great radio.
>
> --
>
> ==================================
> Jeff Halapin
> greeby@onramp.net
> KD5ACY
> ==================================

Just out of curiosity, before you purchased the FT-8500, did you look at
the
Kenwood TM-V7A? I've been trying to decide on a good dual bander and
have
been looking at the FT-8100, FT-8500, and the Kenwood TM-V7A. I'd like
it
for mobile and like the idea of using it as a base station for 2m,
mainly
for packet at home. Anyone have any opinions on these radios?

Thanks!
Niel Brieger, KC5ZJR

3254. Re: HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <33772094.1381227@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

On Sat, 10 May 1997 21:18:49 -0700, "Jonathan (KE6YZZ)"
<jd@caprica.com.no-spam> wrote:

>That IS why the HTX-242 was pulled off the market by R/S last week.

really ? you mean HTX-204 or HTX-242 ? if HTX-242 mobile
tranceiver, how do you modify HTX-242 then ?

thanks.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

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Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3255. Re: FT-50RD OR AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <3377184B.3DF3@notify1.com>
Source record: 175622

Thomas Gasta wrote:
>The majority, I now have
> discovered, of FT50s have a problem when transmitting at the higher
> power levels on UHF. There is an RF problem that causes the radio to
> emit static sounding noise on the transmitted signal. This problem

I don't know if these problems are related, but, I couldn't use my Radio Shack speaker/mic with the FT-50 and audio adapter plug on VHF or UHF. RF was getting back into the radio (via the sp/mic cable), causing severe audio distortion -and- causing the radio to stay in the transmit mode after release of the PTT. I soldered 0.0047uF bypass capacitors on the mic/PTT audio lead and speaker lead to ground inside the audio adapter plug. That cured the problem. (Hint: I used SMD's, but you might be able to cram radial leaded ceramic caps. in there). Maybe the bypass would have been better done -inside- the radio, but I'm not -that- brave!

-Ken WB0QNA

3256. Packet Node TNC for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zamphir <Look@bottom.com>
Message-ID: <337717AC.6219@bottom.com>
Source record: 175623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.digital,alt.ham-radio.packet

Hi, I have for sale a MFJ TNC converted to a Packet Node. =

It consist of an MFJ-1274 TNC converted with the X-1J4 epprom.
I'll take $100 for it.
E-mail me at the address below if interested.

Ricky - KC4KIN

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Nothing's more Dangerous than a Liberal against violence.
-A personal observation 1994

3257. Re: When to Power Down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <33771254.324487017@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 175624

On Thu, 08 May 1997 11:28:26 GMT, gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell) wrote:

>There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer
>off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone
>know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave
>them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down
>everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??
>
>73 N1MSV

Gareth:

I had a talk with a technician here who services over 2000+ computers in this building this morning. He told me that the most common problem for him is what he called the "Morning Sickness".

He went on describing the problem to me: Hard disk failure (or not found) during power on in the morning. This is the problem with many older IDE and even some newer SCSI drives with power on/off cycles. The is caused by the hard disks won't spin up at the predetermined speed to be regconized as a valid boot device. Therefore, reported as disk failure. Also, he told me that this happens most often among the Seagate, Maxtor drives with Adaptech SCSI controllers combination. Temporary fix is to do numerous power cycle until the hard-disk spins up or take the hard disk out and spin the dirve back and forth in the same orientation which the hard-disk spins. He said that is common with many step motors with many stop and go actions. Also, by adding some silicon slick to the motor spining axle will help for the time being. Long term fix is to replace the hard-disk.

He said that computers with less frequent power cycle appear to have far less complains over this issue.

He also told me that static discharge seems to be the killer of all types of keyboards and mice; especially those Gateway 2000 "Anykey" keyboards. He said that these keyboards had 99% dead rate.

Regarding to real component issues on power cycle, he told me that the power supply is the main one. Since we now use only Compaq and HP equipments with UPS's, surge on main board problems have been zero throughout the years. Overheating is the only reason that kills the chips so far. For those overheated box are caused only by broken fan motors or dust buildup on the fan filter. Power down on these machines seems to have no long term effect as yet.

Hope this will help. Best 73!

de AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
David Ho
davidho@one.net
dho2@.att.com

3258. Kwd BS-5 to BS-8 Conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <337726C1.1E4F@onramp.net>
Source record: 175625

To convert a Kenwood BS-5 to a BS-8 or vice-versa the following components need to be changed.

Component BS-8 BS-5
C231 68pf 1000pf
C232 1000pf .01uf
C233 33pf ---
C234 22pf 100pf
C236 22pf 47pf
C237 100pf 680pf
L203 8.8307 mHz 3.395 mHz
L204 4.7uh 20uh
T201 L34-0527-05 L31-0286-05

The Kenwood part number for the xtals (L203) are:
BS-8 L77-0487-05
BS-5 L77-0123-05

Note: The coil (T201) for the BS-5 shows to be discontinued so it may not be possible to convert an BS-8 to a BS-5 but the coil for BS-8 is available so coverting from a BS-5 to a BS-8 is possible.

Hint: The discontinued coil (L31-0286-05) is coil T4 in the Noise Blanker unit of a TS520S..

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3259. HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <33772089.1370897@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."

When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!

any ideas ? help !!!!!

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3260. FS:C508A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tsutomu Yamagishi <KN961623@copernicus.or.jp>
Message-ID: <01bc5e1e$d37018a0$LocalHost@force>
Source record: 175627

For Sale: STANDARD C508A Mini Dual HT U.S.A. Virsion Expanded frequency
range. VERY little use.
$165 or 20.000yen I accect U.S.$.
Please mail to
KN961623@copernicus.or.jp
de JO1ATK in
Yokohama

3261. Re: Dayton Hamvention Weather Report

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Jaeger <"K 8 R Q"@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5ee3$ca50a080$8e7a47ce@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175628

Reports are for Thunder showers Wed. nite and Thursday early.
But it will be sunny Fri, Sat and Sunday.
Highs in low 70's.
Let's hope the Weather Man is right.
Jim, K8RQ

Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net> wrote in article
<33768098.6AC3@utc.campus.mci.net>...
> Might as well start this thread. Any reports on weather?
>

3262. TS 130 product detector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ICS.UCI.EDU
Message-ID: <14461.863331427@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 175629

Anyone have a 130 where they replaced the cheap diodes in the product detector circuit with the schottky diodes? I have a 130V where they were replaced, and the audio out of it is a bit rough. I have used the little cap on the board to try to balance the detector, but can't get in the range, it seems to want very, very small values to get the audio smoother. Any thoughts? I suppose I could just get a very, very small cap and stuff it in there in place of the variable (and may do that), but wonder if I should understand what is going on.

Clark
WA3JPG

3263. RE: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970512082721140 09@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175630

>>I am impressed with the features of this radio for the
>>price. It has the widest TX (140-150MHz)...

So your criteria for an HT is its ability to illegally transmit?

>>Radio Shack HTX-202...Several hams have told me to avoid this
>>radio.

They are morons, unfortunately. Do not ask them for advice in the future, because they don't have any idea what they're talking about.

The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.

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ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

3264. Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: killian@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <5l7ebp$o8m@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 175631

Hi all,

I am interested in purchasing this radio, however, one capability
that I need is the ability to Xmit on the marine band. Does anyone
know if this is possible with this radio.

Thanks.
Mike Killian
KC7JGC

3265. Re: HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@nospamcapital.net
Message-ID: <337745d8.15923834@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

On Mon, 12 May 1997 13:52:12 GMT, masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:

>It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."
>
>When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
>HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
>Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
>PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!
>
>any ideas ? help !!!!!
>
>
>Masataka Noda
>Masa@WriteMe-X.com
>http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
>
>Spam Security is ON:
>Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

I think the "bugs" are in your head, judging from the loony nonsense
you post here.

--
73,
Butch
To send mail
delete nospam
from my address.

3266. Servicing Manual for FT1000/D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince- ex: WV2RSX <WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net>;
Message-ID: <3377344D.A9@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175633

Hello and thanks for reading this:

I am considering buying the Servicing Manual for the FT1000/d.

Would like to hear opinions on its quality and usefulness.

Where can it be obtained and what is a reasonable price to pay ?

Tnx and 73s,
Vince

PSE reply to wa2rsx@worldnet.att.net via e-mail also.

3267. Re: Yaesu FT-747GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3377476e.87693529@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175634

On Mon, 12 May 1997 07:02:43 GMT, aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) wrote:

>On Thu, 08 May 1997 13:40:04 GMT, Gary Coffman wrote the following words
>about Re: Yaesu FT-747GX:
>
>>I don't know of a really *good* CW copy program, but Hamcom works.
>>It uses a simple opamp interface between the radio and the computer.
>>A good audio filter in front of the interface will help a lot. There's also
>>a program called FFTMorse which uses your sound card on your
>>computer to copy code.
>
>Is there a source for FFTMorse?

It's on the QRZ CDROM. Try www.qrz.com.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3268. Re: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <337747c6.87780905@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175635

On 12 May 1997 04:29:18 GMT, Gary Moore <76170.1701@CompuServe.COM> wrote:
>>>Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?
>
>How are YOU being harmed by people who transmit out of band? How is
>anyone harmed? Does the public benefit in any way by requiring a ham,
>who already owns equipment capable of sending a clean signal on his
>company's channel, to not use that equipment and get a type-accepted
>radio from his company?

Because of lawbreakers like that, we have a ban on 10m amplifiers. Because of lawbreakers like that, Radio Shack just recalled its new HT. Because of lawbreakers like that, the rest of us are being impacted by greater and greater restrictions.

In a perfect world, lawbreakers like that would be thrown in jail and the rest of us would be left alone. But this isn't a perfect world, so restrictions are placed on the inanimate objects that *we* use legitimately in response to the actions of lawbreakers like that. That's how we are harmed, and it is why we'd like to see lawbreakers like that in jail where they belong.

Gary
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Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3269. Re: Radio Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33774977.88214546@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175636

On Sun, 11 May 1997 22:17:32 -0400, Chatburn <chatburn@sympatico.ca> wrote:
>Hi,
> When I am my local mcdonalds drive-thru, if I set my car radio
>to 92.5
>fm I can hear what the employees are saying on the headsets or what the
>car behind me is ordering. I was wondering if there was some way I could
>inexpensively get hold of something so that I could chat along with
>these people. Or, a friend told me that you can make something which
>blocks out all radio signals and transmits something you say into a
>microphone on them. This would be good as I could then listen with my
>radio what people order then inform them not to because it is crap!

McDonalds has absolutely no sense of humor about that. And unlike amateurs, McDonalds has the clout to get the FCC to do something about it. Last year in Texas a man was apprehended for doing what you propose. His licenses (both commercial and amateur) were revoked, he lost his job and all hope of future employment in his industry, and he was assessed a large fine. Is making a nuisance of yourself to McDonalds employees and customers worth the risk? Your call.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3270. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970512104729140 13@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175637

>>...the only problem with [the Radio Shack HTX-202] is the error
>> message when one tries to use external power and the duck antenna.

Yes, this errormessage is well-documented.

But I bought my HTX-202 in 1994, and have NEVER run into that problem
using either the standard rubber duckie or even a Diamond RX-77CA
antenna (the 15" one) on a portable 12VDC power source (usually a
Quantum HAM Battery).

So...although a "well-documented" errormessage...has it REALLY occurred
to anyone who has purchased a *NEW* HTX-202 since, say, 1994???
Or is this a problem unique to older models only?

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3271. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <33775B69.264B@mindspring.com>
Source record: 175638

Clint Bradford wrote:
>
> >>...the only problem with [the Radio Shack HTX-202] is the error
> >> message when one tries to use external power and the duck antenna.
>
> Yes, this errormessage is well-documented.
>
> But I bought my HTX-202 in 1994, and have NEVER run into that problem
> using either the standard rubber duckie or even a Diamond RX-77CA
> antenna (the 15" one) on a portable 12VDC power source (usually a
> Quantum HAM Battery).
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> to anyone who has purchased a *NEW* HTX-202 since, say, 1994???
> Or is this a problem unique to older models only?
>
> ---
> Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
> ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
> ---

Yes it happened to a friend of mine about 2 years ago on a then
purchased HTX202. I read someplace in one of the Mod documentations that
this can be prevented by placing some beads on the red wire comming from
the battery pack plus.
--
Bill WA8INZ

3272. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33775CD7.3E1B@agcs.com>
Source record: 175639

Timothy Nicholson wrote:
>
> I have just recently (yesterday) passed my technician exam and am looking for a
> good, inexpensive HT with which to start. When I say inexpensive, I
> mean anything around $200.
>
> <<< snip list of potential HTs >>>
>
> Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a
> radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would
> be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information
> about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price
> range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for
> sale, email me with the info.
>
> Thanks!
> Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.

I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as
Standard, ADI, or ???

Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in
a good, basic HT.

---------- Insert standard disclaimer here. ----------
Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR (riecherg@agcs.com) 602-582-7332
AG Communication Systems "Expand the Power of Your Network"
2500 W. Utopia Road http://www.agcs.com
Phoenix, AZ 85027-2179

3273. Patcomm HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5l7ori$o71@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 175640

Looking for some users comment who owns and operates
this radio. PC16000? or is there anything newer than
this from Patcomm? I had a QSO with one ham using this
radio and I am interested to know more about it.
Please post here or by e-mail. Thanks in advance.
Tony, VE6CGX

3274. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Russo <russo@slug.swcp.com>
Message-ID: <y74k9l47c8u.fsf@slug.swcp.com>
Source record: 175641

aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) writes:

>
> BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?
>

I'm seeing a lot of comments about people who want to transmit "illegally" lately, and I can answer the above question for myself: because I'm authorized to but don't want to carry two (or more) sets of comm around. I am authorized to transmit on several public service bands during official SAR missions since I'm on a wilderness search and rescue team, but to carry around a ham radio, a SAR radio, a team 800MHz radio and a 40+ pound pack full of gear is asking a lot. So it is very useful to me to have a single HT which can be made to transmit on all the frequencies I need (except, of course, the 800MHz trunking radio, which is almost useless in the field anyway) --- missions typically use a few frequencies in the 155MHz range for inter-team comm, 155.160 for comm between teams and incident base, and ham bands for communication with ARES and extended-range communications through ham repeaters (it's really mountainous here, and sometimes we even set up cross-band repeaters in the field just to make sure teams don't get out of comm range with base camp). Does that make it a bad thing that I looked around for a radio which could easily be modified to transmit on the bands I have to use on missions? And were I to ask about a particular rig here and not explain myself fully, would I be asking for a flame?

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Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/
I asked my landlady how old she is and she wouldn't tell me. 'That's OK,'
I says, 'I'll just wait until you go to sleep tonight then I'll cut you
in half and count the rings.'... The cops didn't think it was funny,
neither. -- Bug-Eyed Earl

3275. Re: DX-70TH First Impressions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <qlgFUzA0c1dzEwKL@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175642

In article <5l0t6l$ab3@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>, Rick
<res@cmprime.att.com> writes
>Just got a new DX70 delivered from HRO in Delaware to my home in NNJ, 20
>hours from phone call to delivery.
>
>First thing I did was sit it down beside a 706 belonging to George, KC2MF
>and compare some receiver performance using a signal generator. The
>sensitivity of both rigs are the same. At high signal levels the Alinco
>has some tweets and whistles as you bring the strong signal in towards the
>tuned in signal. The 706 has none. I should mention that this is with a
>strong (-30 dBm) signal and the tweets were near the noise level so from a
>practical standpoint it is no big deal. Phase noise appeard to be similar
>but again, slightly lower on the 706. I do an IM test by injecting 2
>signals of -10 dBm through an attenuator into the receiver and measuring
>the amount of attenuation I need to insert to get 3rd order IM level of -90
>dBm (about S5 or so). The Alinco is better than the Icom here ....
>The AM filter is a bit broad, seems to be around 10 KHz, and there is a
>narrow AM filter included which does the job but is a little restricted, as
>you would expect. For listening to AM broadcast you will probably leave it
>broad. On FM the book says it selects a narrow filter for 10 M FM and a
>wide filter for 6 m. I heard a local 10 m FM repeater and it sounded
>normal to me. As far as I know, though, 10 m repeaters in the US use +/- 5
>KHz deviation just like 6 m and 2 m repeaters do so I do not know what
>Alinco has in mind here or if they really do what they say.
>
>Overall the DX70 sounds great on receive. The internal speaker is about
>what you'd expect in a miniture rig and on an external speaker it sounds as
>good as any big rig. The ssb filter is great, the built in cw filter is
>adequate for everyday cw operation. I ran it on 40 cw and checked out the
>cw full break-in which I was not impressed with as it keys a relay that is
>too noisy for me. On semi-break, of course, it isn't as noticable because
>it doesn't open and close as often. There are 7 values of tx delay that
>are settable from a menu and one that is "automatic". It changes values
>based on your keying speed - the faster you send the shorter the tx delay.
>If the rig detects a hot heat sink a rather noisy but effective fan comes
>on for a few seconds and then goes off.
>I looked for 2nd harmonics on a spectrum analyzer and there are NONE, I
>mean NOTHING was visible at all, and I can see over 60 db down. So don't
>expect too much TVI while mobiling down the interstate !
>
>The vfo dial is smooth as silk, not detented. It is a little smaller than
>the 706. The multi-funtion dial on the left side is used to QSY quickly up
>the band in fixed increments which are settable from a menu. i.e. you set
>it for 5 kHz and it jumps up the band in 5 KHz steps. There are other ways

>to qsy quickly, as well. By hitting a small button the multi-function dial
>can tune in 1MHz steps or advance one band at a time.
>
>Size is nearly the same as a 706 or a Radio Shack 10 meter rig..
>The display is great, very readable and the brightness can be set to 4
>levels.
>A mobile mount comes with it, but no remote kit. That is an accessory.
>
>All in all a great little rig - amazing what engineers can produce if you
>keep the refrig stocked with enough Mountain Dew.
>
>73
>Rick K2XT
>
Hi Rick,
Enjoyed your post, but I'm still gonna save for the 570. Just wish
Kenwood had offered a detachable front panel as the radio's a little
large for our euro mobiles!

73

Phil
Unit 148 on 11m
G4ZOW most everywhere else.
--
philip de cadenet

3276. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5l7rqm$ri7$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 175643

I certainly wouldn't want a car battery in MY house. Sealed batteries
aren't. Battery fumes are corrosive and can be explosive.

The Astron is certainly easier to live with inside!

Steve
WB7PSD

orion**@capital.net wrote:

>On Sun, 4 May 1997 12:04:04 GMT, wrt@eskimo.com (Bill Turner) wrote:

>>
>>I've been using an Astron RS-35M for about five years and it's been a
>>real workhorse. However if I had it to do over again, I think I'd
>>just use a car battery and a trickle charger. I used to have that
>>setup and for some reason I abandoned it and got the Astron. If the
>>Astron ever dies I'll go back to it. One advantage is being able to
>>use it during power outages, which happen a lot here. The other
>>advantage is it's a lot cheaper.
>>
>I can't see how it could be a great deal cheaper. Buying a good
>automobile battery and a good battery charger is going to cost nearly
>as much as the P/S. I will agree the battery/charger combination has
>an advantage when the regular power fails.
>>73, Bill W7TI
>>

>--
>73,
>Butch
>To send mail
>delete the two
>stars in my address.

3277. Kenwood 732 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Blumenfeld <blumenfeldj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <337785B0.61C7@earthlink.net>
Source record: 175644

Just bought a used 732, and I'm missing both covers from the manual. Unfortunately, there are specs and other info on the inside of the front and back covers.

If anyone can send me copies of the four pages (inside and outside of front and back covers), I'd be happy to pay for copying and shipping.

73,
Jeff KB3DX

3278. WTB tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: eduardo montana <emontana@aracnet.net>
Message-ID: <337738B5.4F9E@aracnet.net>
Source record: 175645

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.
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****
Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
****

3279. F.S. Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: lorenaudio@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <863471579.15357@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

I still have for sale:
The TS-430S with fm and ssb narrow and MC-48 dtmf mike
Compaq Contura notebook computer with internal modem and 8Mb ram
Pyramid 20 Amp metered power supply
Baycom TNC
Sell all for 900$ o.b.o., I ship.
or trade for tube audio equipment.
This is a good price, I know.
Thanks for reading, I appreciate it.
Loren
lorenaudio@hotmail.com

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3280. FREE ASR-33 Teletype Machines (2)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marvin Moss <mmoss@gelac.mar.lmco.com>
Message-ID: <3377273D.4B1C@gelac.mar.lmco.com>
Source record: 175647

I have two ASR-33 (sometimes called KSR-33) teletype machines available
for FREE pickup in Marietta, GA. They are in excellent condition and
have keyboards, power supplies, stands, paper tape readers, etc.

I will not ship them.

Marv

P.S. And, no, I will not pay you to pick them up.......

3281. TH-78 /question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@wonet.buu.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5f08$9857cfc0$e77d74c0@default>
Source record: 175648

Hi,

I bought a KWD TH-78E about 3 years ago in England.
It had only 144-145 Mhz and 430-440 Mhz range but the
salesman gave me a combination of keys which enlarges
the recieve range. Now I just can't remember this combination.
If anybody knows please send me an E-mail.

Tnx a lot,

Yonatan.

3282. EIMAC 3-500Z QUESTION PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3377A780.5DBF@erols.com>
Source record: 175649

I recently purchased two brand new Eimac 3-500Z tubes. Great price, however, the tubes have been boxed and sitting on the shelf for a long time. I suspect, based on the tube serial numbers, since 1970. Physcially they look great and new.

Three respected local engineers and technicians suggested that I install the tubes and run them on filiment only for a minimum of 1 to a maximum of 6 hours before applying plate voltage. One suggested without the caps; the other said it did not matter. Filiment glows should be evenly matched.

It has been suggested that there is a possibility of vacuum leak by virtue of the tubes sitting for so long, although it is a remote possibility.

Was curious if any of you have had experiences with tubes of this nature that were new, but sitting around for long long periods. Any other suggestion you might add would be appreciated. Thanks.

PS The tubes will be used in the Kenwood Tl-922A linear. 73 MG

3283. SWEEP TUBES FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Magee <cmagee1@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Message-ID: <33777124.3065@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Source record: 175650

SWEEP TUBES FOR SALE:

1 NOS RCA 6JE6C
3 NOS GE 6JB6
6 NOS GE 6JS6C

All are new in the original mint boxes. Total value is $300.00; will
sell all for $200.00
Thanks for reading,
Christian Magee

3284. KENWOOD 733 PROBLEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5lcl <kc5lcl@deadhorse.ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <33779D70.6E45@deadhorse.ricochet.net>
Source record: 175651

Hello all,
I have just noticed a problem with my TM733, and I was hoping that someone might have the solution. Last weekend I took a drive to Dallas and noticed that when I keyed various repeaters, the signal strength and audio quality of the squelch tail was about 2 s units stronger than when others were transmitting. I eventually learned that if I momintarily keyed the radio, the "improved receive sensitivity" would last for about 8 seconds. To complete a qso when I was some distance from a repeater, I ended up keying my radio every 10 seconds or so to here the other parties. I know it sounds strange but it is true. Any thoughts or comments are appreciated.

73
kc5lcl
stephen

3285. Re: HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Purdon <purdon@citenet.net>
Message-ID: <337751AB.7E57@citenet.net>
Source record: 175652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

Masa wrote:
> =

> It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."
> =

> When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
> HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
> Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
> PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!
> =

> any ideas ? help !!!!!

Don't use your CB anymore.

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=A9Marc Purdon
http://w3.citenet.net/users/ctmx0718

3286. FS - Various Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Bryan <Bryan@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <33777792.3734@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Source record: 175653

I have a number of Ham items for sale:

Kenwood TS440S (With AT) Like new, in boxes, with manuals.
PS50
SP430

ICOM 144 MHz FM TS - Hand held (IC-2AT)

CB Radio - Midland 77-861

Bencher Keyer - "Iambic Paddle BY-1"

MFJ-422BX Pace Setter keyer for above Bencher model.

Jana HJ-8017A Standing wave bridge & field strength indicator.

MFJ-900 200W Econo tuner

Advanced Electronics Applications Inc. Computer Patch interface Model
CP-1 with Vic 20 and software.

30' Antenna with rotor and control.

Please contact me if interested in any of this.

Greg Bryan
Brandon, Manitoba, Canada
(204) 763-8869
Bryan@Accnet.Assiniboinec.Mb.Ca

3287. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: badger@vbe.com
Message-ID: <5l84pv$qoi@news.vbe.com>
Source record: 175654

tnichols@nuteknet.com (Timothy Nicholson) wrote:

>I have just recently (yesterday) passed my technician exam and am looking for a
>good, inexpensive HT with which to start. When I say inexpensive, I
>mean anything around $200. I live in Raleigh, NC, and have found two stores
>close by that carry radio equipment and who also have web sites. Here are the
>models I am considering (in order as listed). They all have CTCSS
>encode/decode, and all the other std. options needed in a HT.

>1) ICOM IC-T2A, $199. I am impressed with the features of this radio for the
>price. It has the widest TX (140-150MHz) and RX (136-174MHz) of any radio
>listed here.

>2) Kenwood TH-235A, $189. This is the lowest priced radio listed, but is
>narrow on the TX range (144-148MHz). I have talked to a couple of hams who
>don't care for the Kenwood equipment, but I didn't really get a good reason
>why.

>3) Alinco DJ-190T, $218. Nice options, but again a narrow TX range
>(144-147.995).

>4) Yaesu FT-10R/H, $259. This one is a little pricey for me, but has the most
>all-around features of any radio listed here. The info I have doesn't list the
>TX and RX ranges.

>5) Radio Shack HTX-202, $199. Although less expensive than the Alinco and
>Yaesu, I haven't seen many of these radios in use. Several hams have told me
>to avoid this radio.

>Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a
>radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would
>be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information
>about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price
>range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for
>sale, email me with the info.

>Thanks!
>Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.

Tim:

I was very recently in the same boat as you are and faced with the
same question. I ended up purchasing an ADI Model AT-201H 2m radio
and am very much impressed with it (especially it's price 189.95
from AES). It has all the needed features and a few extras and was
highly recommended by my peers.

73 de Mike KB9QHU

3288. Re: HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <3377a9cc.1025876@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

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>>HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
>>Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
>>PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!
>>
>>any ideas ? help !!!!!

>I think the "bugs" are in your head, judging from the loony nonsense
>you post here.
>
>--
>73,
>Butch

this really happens. any doubts ? test your HTX-242. remember...
your CB must be very near to the HTX-242.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3289. Re: Yaesu FT-920 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgmhurd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970513004200.UAA15944@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175656

Does anyone know if there will be a voice synthesizer for the visually impared for this radio? My wife and I are both partially blind and other than Kenwood who has the option for ALL of it's hf and larger radios Icom and Yaesu can't make up their minds which radios they want to have it and which ones they do not. Thanks for any help.

sgmhurd@aol.com
Gary Hurd WR1U
tnx es 73 de ._ _ ._. ._ _ _ _ .._

3290. SOUTH DAKOTA TOWER PACKAGE FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dialta@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970513013000.VAA17981@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175657

A 45 foot Rohn tower, (three straight sections, and one top section),
plus a CDE "Tail Twister"
Heavy Duty rotor and Control Station. HyGain "Thunderbird" TH-3,
3-element, 1-KW 10-15-20 Meter Beam. Also included, Cuscraft 2-meter Beam
Antenna, and "Ringo Ranger" 2-meter Vertical. Bargain priced at $700.00.
Pick up only in Rapid City, SD.

Contact: Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street
Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605) 343-6127
Email = dialta@aol.com

3291. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704128634.AA863445810@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175658

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Today's Topics:
FS:ICOM R-7100

Send Replies or notes for publication to: <Ham-Equip@UCSD.Edu>
Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

Archives of past issues of the Ham-Equip Digest are available
(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 11 May 1997 23:23:10 GMT
From: eevans@aol.com (Eevans)
Subject: FS:ICOM R-7100

Package deal for sale:
ICOM R7100 with no gaps or modifications 25MHz to 2GHz continuous
CT-17 computer CIV interface
Discone antenna and coax with N type connectors

All in great condition. Have original boxes for R7100 and antenna and
manuals for all components. Equipment has never been outside or been
exposed to a smoker. Asking $1200 which includes shipping. Payment in
certified cashiers check or postal money order only. Will ship UPS unless
other way is needed.

Eric
eevans@aol.com

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Mon, 12 May 97 09:07:09 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wQubG-0009hxC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Mon, 12 May 1997 08:53:10 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)

Received: by challenger.si.com; id IAA01905; Mon, 12 May 1997 08:53:09 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma001896; Mon, 12 May 97 08:52:56 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA24914 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 12 May
1997 04:52:05 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA29381
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 12 May 1997 04:30:44 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA29362
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 12 May 1997 04:30:41 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705121130.EAA29362@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 12 May 97 04:30:41 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #521
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3292. FS: "Dual Bander"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <3377D70D.4C8D@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 175659

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For Sale:
Yaesu FT-5200 Dual Bander 2m/70cm Mobile Transceiver.
Good Cond, with book, hand mic, shipping box & mounting
bracket.

$300.00 includes shipping.

Boyd
N6DMF

Reply to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228
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3293. Re: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <9705121516401 4024@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175660

CLINT>>Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?

GARY>>Because of lawbreakers like that...

Eloquent response, Gary!

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

3294. FS: 4000) 27 ohm / 1/2 watt metal film resistors on tape reel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Magee <cmagee1@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Message-ID: <3377D14E.270E@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Source record: 175661

Please take the time to see this item I have up at eBay Auction Web.
approx. 4000) 27 ohm / 1/2 watt metal film resistors on tape reel. Just
follow the link.

http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=egc249417

Thanks for reading,
Christian

3295. IC-701, 440 HT For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Denis P. Cote" <denis_c@edgenet.net>
Message-ID: <3377D037.7124@edgenet.net>
Source record: 175662

I have FOR SALE the following items:

1) Icom IC-701 with IC-701PS, 20A matching power supply.
Radio is in absolute tip top working condition and in excellent
physical appearance. Rig covers 160-10 meters (minus WARC bands)
SSB/CW/CW-N/FSK, 100 watt output. Included with this package is
the SM-2 desk mic, hand mic, extension terminal and manuals.
Radio was bought used at a local hamfest in 1988.

Will sell complete for $450.00

2) Realistic HTX-404 440 UHF HT w/ manual, Icom drop in charger,
battery assortment and speaker mic. Radio has about 10 hours of
on air time. Frequency coverage 440 - 450MHz, no extended receive.

Selling package for $200.00

Inquiries rgarding the above items can be forwarded to Denis, W1WV
via telephone at (508)324-6481 before 5:00PM EST or (508)674-0954
after 6:00PM EST.
or
Internet e-mail: denis_c@edgenet.net, dcote@mmt.com or packet reply.

Thank You!

3296. FS UHF Repeater & Duplexers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <3376F8F0.2C50@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 175663

I have a GE MVP repeater for sale 438 t0 470 mhz and 6 cavity Celwav
duplexers.
$400.00 Shipped
73 Roger, KO4O

3297. Telephone Patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: f fuentes <mrvalidatr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3377E852.4684@earthlink.net>
Source record: 175664

Interested in setting up a personal phone patch from my home base.

Does anyone have any experience with the different phone patches out there. Comments on remote programmability, neat features welcome, opinions on simplex, half-duplex, and full-duplex welcom. Any opinions on make and model for these phone patches would be appreciated.

Thanks, Jon

3298. Re: Yaesu FT-920 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3377DFE3.52A8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175665

Sgmhurd wrote:
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> Does anyone know if there will be a voice synthesizer for the visually
> impared for this radio? My wife and I are both partially blind and other
> than Kenwood who has the option for ALL of it's hf and larger radios Icom
> and Yaesu can't make up their minds which radios they want to have it and
> which ones they do not. Thanks for any help.
>
> sgmhurd@aol.com
> Gary Hurd WR1U
> tnx es 73 de ._ _ ._. ._ _ _ _ .._

The Yaesu FT-920 does not have the voice synthesizer option.(I just
read the brochure. However the ICOM 756 has the option and now the
prices have dropped to $1920 for the Icom ate several Dealers!!!!

73's , NS1R Steven Hershman

3299. FS: Kenwood YK-455C-1 500Hz Filter , Lower priced.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: grainone@caserta.peoples.it
Message-ID: <337a7f4c.438975@news.interbusiness.it>
Source record: 175666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Specially dedicated to TS-140/680, but VG also for lot of others KW
rtx.I sell it tested OK, like new for $ 70 shipped to your door.
e-mail me to:
grainone@caserta.peoples.it

73 de Vanni - I8JJB
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Vanni R.
Caserta,Italy

3300. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aco@almworks.com
Message-ID: <337753fa.55329221@news.erols.com>
Source record: 175667

On 11 May 1997 13:36:58 GMT, Timothy Nicholson wrote the following words about Which HT to start with?:

>
>5) Radio Shack HTX-202, $199. Although less expensive than the Alinco and
>Yaesu, I haven't seen many of these radios in use. Several hams have told me
>to avoid this radio.
>

I personally own one of these and have never had a problem with it. I'm not sure why people have told you to avoid it. There are only two issues I have with this radio. 1) Error-2. If you run external power (i.e. car lighter plug, power supply) you can not use the rubber duck antenna. RF leaks into the PLL and you get an Error-2. The solution is to use an external antenna. RS tech support comes through again!
2) There are absolutley NO mods around for this radio. I'd like to get extended recieve on my HT, because my local fire department is on 154MHz. But alas, there is no way to do this on a HTX-202.

I think it's a feature packed, inexpensive radio that's great for a beginner or old timer without a lot of money. It looks like a brick (and feels like one too!) which is why many people prefer other radios, but technically it's very sound.

BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?

>Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a
>radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would
>be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information
>about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price
>range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for
>sale, email me with the info.
>
>Thanks!
>Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.
>

=-=Andrew
Andrew Ohnstad,
Operations Manager, ALM AudioWorks
aco@almworks.com / http://www.almworks.com
Personal Home Page (Info on my car!) / http://andysaudio.base.org
IASCA - RF Team America
"Satan forced him to do it. Beelzebub. Alcohol ... in every bottle of liquor, the devil lurks."
-Carol Teeter

3301. TS-520S Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pete La Count <placount@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <33775C77.57FC@mitre.org>
Source record: 175668

Our club station TS-520S is not tracking properly (frequency wise) between transmit and receive with the RIT turned off. (Currently they use the RIT as a work-around, but this is not a proper fix.) The operators manual does not provide any procedure for correcting this problem, it only explains how to calibrate the RIT control. Examination of the schematic gives some possibilities but do not want to start twisting controls until we are sure. Would appreaciate any help in identifing which control can correct this receive/transmit frequency offset.

Pete (W8UXD)

3302. Re:HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <3377aa83.1209293@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175669
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

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>you post here.
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>73,
>Butch

this really happens. any doubts ? test your HTX-242. remember...
your CB must be very near to the HTX-242.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3303. Radio Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: megaman@cupid.com
Message-ID: <5l86r3$e93@websites.campbell.pvt.k12.ca.us>
Source record: 175670

I am posting this article for my friend KD4YPW as he doesn't have access to the internet. He is looking for an Icom IC-2GAT. He didn't give a price range but was very specific in that the radio must be in very good to excellent shape. Anyone with one of these radios please send e-mail to me.

John
megaman@cupid.com
KE4PAU

3304. Re: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3376ab7a.21926695@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175694

I didn't know there was a ham band at 250 metres.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

3305. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704118633.AA863395987@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175695

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Today's Topics:
A Nice Ham Web Page (contest related) (2 msgs)
Azmuth World Time Clock
FS/Swap IBM laptop/printer
FS: Test equipment for RF...
FT-50RD OR AT-600
FYI: Radio Modification Links
HELP! CES *T.T. Mike...
IC-706 XCVR to Computer Interface Cable, Help Please?
ICOM 706...looking for replacement mic suggestions
Info Needed: Mars RC-288A Convertor
Jeep Cherokee engine noise
Kenwood Repair Suggestions
Make RF Liner Amplifier http://www.awt.com.tw
members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Need help for Selsyn (Selsing ?)
new website (2 msgs)
new web site...address correction
Repeater Controller for Sale
SWAN 250 METER NEEDED (2 msgs)
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Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 19:18:58 GMT
From: stephen.b@virgin.net (Steve)
Subject: A Nice Ham Web Page (contest related)

Do you like contests, I have a contest calendar on my web page that
contains the dates from 'MOST' of the contests. Please let me
know of any additions - and if you find it helpful.

If you do I will write the full rules and regs for each of the
contests and of course mailing addresses.

Thanks for your time.

Steve B
(G4KIV and also ZD8SB ZC4BS ZC4BBS N5ZFR)
==
= I am Borg of the Clan "Pentium Borg", =
= Division is futile, prepare to be =
= approximated. =
= =
= To suffer the Homepage visit: =
= =
= http://freespace.virgin.net/stephen.b =
= =
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Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 19:18:50 GMT
From: stephen.b@virgin.net (Steve)
Subject: A Nice Ham Web Page (contest related)

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Date: Sun, 11 May 97 16:31:23 GMT
From: murral@nbnet.nb.ca (Alan M)
Subject: Azmuth World Time Clock

The Moncton Amateur Radio Club has a desktop clock called Azmuth World Time.
Local time on the left and universal time on the right. Each clock has two
buttons for setting time. But instructions are missing. Would appreciate it

it someone would send me a copy.

Bob
VE1XW

Date: 11 May 1997 21:55:52 GMT
From: Rick McGaver <mcgaver@earth.execpc.com>
Subject: FS/Swap IBM laptop/printer

So how much are you asking... looking at a cash deal
tnx Rick

Date: Sun, 11 May 97 20:56:24 GMT
From: jaustin@cts.com
Subject: FS: Test equipment for RF...

HP 8505A 1.3 GHz network analyzer with normalizer and transmission/reflection test set, TEK 7406 500 MHz o'scope frame with 50 ohm vertical amps, timebase, and spectrum analyzer plugin, IFR A-7550 999 MHz spectrum analyzer. Best offer for any or all. Reply via e-mail.

John
jaustin@cts.com

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 17:20:49 -0400
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FT-50RD OR AT-600

I don't know anything about the "AT600" but do have an FT50. Although the FT50 seemed like a radio packed with abilities, I have found Yaesu service and the RF section (UHF) of the FT50 to be poor. I had an FT40 (UHF only version) and had the same problems. The majority, I now have discovered, of FT50s have a problem when transmitting at the higher power levels on UHF. There is an RF problem that causes the radio to emit static sounding noise on the transmitted signal. This problem does not normally happen at the lower power levels, nor does it happen when transmitting into a dummy load or external antenna. After buying my radio on February 17th of this year, I have just received it back from Yaesu last monday from it's second trip to them for repair of this annoying problem. And, just like my first FT40, it still has the problem.
The real problem is that Yaesu is VERY MUCH AWARE of this design problem, they even have a service bulletin to "reduce the problem", note, not remove the problem, but, REDUCE the proble.

This repair is nothing more than a piece of copper tape placed over the UHF Power module and a mini spring (thats right, a mechanical spring) wedged between the outer case and a shield cover. This repair may work

on some, but not all FT50Rs. This combined with not having a radio more than 6 days over three months ownership leaves a bad taste in my mouth for Yaesu. My radio sat in a "black hole" for three weeks waiting for a Quality Control check by the service manager as it was a "second return".

The service manager was on vacation, later defined as sick leave (after 5th phone call), and when he returned and signed it off, it came back as bad or worse than when it left. Then when I call to complain to the service manager, seems he died! Seems nobody else can now make a decision. I suspect that with Radio in hand and a personnal visit to the Yaesu booth at Dayton, and a loud voice, I might get some satisfaction, if not a new replacement.

Now, before all the FT50 lovers get really pissed off, the radio if it worked, a very nice, greatly modifiable unit, and I truly looked forward to having one. The programming software for the unit makes it "easier" to program than by keypad, but is full of flaws and it's design can never be accused of copying someone like Motorola software. And, as I have now found, in 9 out of 11 FT50s in the area, the UHF noise problem was there but the owners had never noticed as they are normally talking on repeaters that are somewhat noisy anyway. The main selling point for me was the ability of the radio to do Digital Coded Squelch, and the noise problem sometimes causes a problem when using this system.

All I would suggest is that you immediately test the unit, before purchase if able, for this problem. If you can get one from the start without the problem, you would be very happy with it.

Tom

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 14:27:26 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: FYI: Radio Modification Links

Hundreds of Radio Modifications via the links at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageA.html#MODS

73
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: Tue, 06 May 1997 15:52:23 GMT
From: 5doc@dxnet.com (Please remove 5 from my Email address!)

Subject: HELP! CES *T.T. Mike...

Can you help??

I have a CES (Winter Park, FL.) 700L *Touch-Tone Microphone.

**Do you have the Color Code for this Mike??

The Mike now has a connector for a GE-MVS series radio.

I contacted the company but they want $25 for a photocopy of the manual! At present the mike has a 8-pin Molex connector for GE~MVS. I would like to convert the Mike it to work on a KENWOOD UHF Radio. The Kenwood has a connector that looks like a modular telephone connector (only more pins)... I plan to build a junction box.

I HAVE data for the Kenwood Mike Connector, but I need data for the CES Mike!... While I would like to convert to a official CES Mike Cable for Kenwood, the cost is another $25! Plus, CES advised that the Mike would require modifications.

Any help with this project will be greatly appreciated! Any help with the switch on the back of the Mike, "AUTO" / "MANUAL"?

Many thanks!
Tony
WA6IGJ

5doc@dxnet.com ***Please REMOVE '5' from my email address for replies!

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 18:48:22 GMT
From: seifertr@ix.netcom.com (Rich Seifert)
Subject: IC-706 XCVR to Computer Interface Cable, Help Please?

I would like to connect my computer to my IC-706 transceiver, but I need the cable to connect the computer to the radio. MFJ sells the MFJ-5383i cable for $49.95, but I'd rather build my own cable.

(1) Can anyone direct me toward a schematic/wiring diagram for doing so? and (2) I prefer to connect the cable to my serial port; does the MFJ cable connect to the serial port or the parallel port? If I must use the parallel port, I will.

Many thanks,
Rich, KB2ZMF
seifertr@ix.netcom.com

Best Wishes,
Rich

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seifertr@ix.netcom.com

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 19:16:52 GMT
From: seifertr@ix.netcom.com (Rich Seifert)
Subject: ICOM 706...looking for replacement mic suggestions

On Mon, 5 May 1997 20:13:54 GMT, olyellr@iglou.com wrote:
>Can someone recommend a mic to replace the straight hand mic that is
>supplied with the 706......Icom or otherwise.

Mike,
I just read from www.primenet.com/~ke7gh/index16.htm that the
"HM77 DTMF Microphone is the best choice..." if a DTMF microphone is
desired. Check out the site for yourself...

Take care...

Best Wishes,
Rich

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seifertr@ix.netcom.com

Date: 11 May 1997 17:21:04 GMT
From: thermionic@techie.com (Solomon Fernblatt)
Subject: Info Needed: Mars RC-288A Convertor

Need info on a Mars RC-288A SSB convertor.
A schematic or manual would be nice too.... :-)

Thanks
Tom KA4RKT
badger@telalink.net

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 16:42:17 GMT
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: Jeep Cherokee engine noise

On Sat, 10 May 1997 20:07:19 -0700, "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:
[snip]
>The only puzzling thing about your report is that the noise
>gets quieter as you go lower in frequency. That is unusual,
>in my experience. I have attached some general information.
>I endorse Gary Coffman's view of suppression at the source
>as a key. I am not sure how to build a sniffer, but
>I suspect that I will need to learn someday. In your
>case, a rubber duck antenna for 6M would probably work fine
>as a sniffer.

Richard gives some good tips on tracking and fixing mobile noise.
Let me just add a note on how to build a sniffer probe. Take a piece

of coax, 20 or 30 feet long so it can reach all parts of the vehicle when connected to the radio, skin back and expose about 3 inches of the inner conductor, form a loop and solder the end of the exposed inner to the braid. This is your sniffer. When you bring it close to a noise source, you'll hear it in the radio. The small loop will only strongly pick up signals when it is very close to them.

Of course as Richard suggests, test the radio with no antenna first. If you have noise then, it is coming in the power wiring. Richard's suggestion to go straight to the battery (with both leads) is a good one for dealing with this.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 13:05:18 -0400
From: "Samuel S. Yates" <ab4n@erols.com>
Subject: Kenwood Repair Suggestions

Curt Phillips wrote:
>
> I have a sick Kenwood TS-940SAT and want to get it repaired.
> (It's main problem is that it is almost totally "deaf" on receive.)
>
> Around here, most people return their gear to Kenwood West...
> generally the reports are good, but there are complaints of long
> turnaround times.
>
> I see ads for Kenwood repair in QST, etc. from several private
> sources. What experience does anyone have witht these firms?
>
> I searched Deja News, and in the past year or so this question
> has been asked a time or two.
> The only recommendation I could find was for Milton Lord, Ham Radio
I recommend AVVID in Texas. They can be reached at 800-214-5779. In my dealing with them, they were fair, prompt, courteous and very reasonable. Clif, who runs the shop, frequents this Newsgroup and often offers "free advice" to those with Kenwood and Icom problems.
Give them a call, you won't be disappointed.

Sam AB4N Culpeper, Virginia

> ...snip... <
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Date: 11 May 1997 16:37:31 GMT
From: "AWT" <awt@ms2.hinet.net>
Subject: Make RF Liner Amplifier http://www.awt.com.tw

We are make RF Amplifier
Please see the HomePage

http://www.awt.com.tw
E-Mail:awt@ms2.hinet.net

Date: 11 May 1997 04:35:43 GMT
From: bucherj@aol.com (BucherJ)
Subject: members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

I am building a listing of about 100+ megs of data files of literally thousands of modes that I have collected over the years. These are for scanners, and ham radios. Right now the Bearcat and Realistic pages are almost completed and in the next weeks I hope to complete the rest of the site.
Jamie Bucher

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 07:21:03 -0600
From: w6jxw@bellatlantic.net
Subject: Need help for Selsyn (Selsing ?)

Alessandro Bondoli" <bondoli&campese@sira.it> wrote:
> I need help to find the way to feed a couple of synchro
> transmitter-receiver called Selsyn (or Selsing, I don't know).

Alessandro In the "ARRL Antenna Book," from pages 19-3 to 19-7, it shows how such Selsyns can be connected. Hope this will be helpful to you?

de W6JXW Ray

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 20:14:30 GMT
From: n9sbv@worldnet.att.net (bob stephenson)
Subject: new website

Check out the new website on the net! N9SBV's Ham Radio Connection at
Http://members.tripod.com/~n9sbv/Status.htm

This new system is oriented toward helping the new ham radio operator with resources he or she may need to get the most out of their hobby.

Lots of shareware available for download from the FTP Site. With 2 of the NEC 7 disk Changers online for starters, there is over 15 Gig online of all types of shareware software.

The WebServer is focused on Amateur Radio Related Areas. Homebrewing, Weather, RACES, FCC Rules and Regs, general Ham Radio Aids, and the like. And if you would like to put up a home page at the site....well I may even be able to accomadate a few users for that purpose. The site will be maintaining a Ham Radio focus however.

This site is located in South Bend, Indiana. It's my hope that it will become a major link for Operators in the Michiana Area to keep in touch locally and worldwide.

See you on the site!

73 de N9SBV

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 20:14:26 GMT
From: n9sbv@worldnet.att.net (bob stephenson)
Subject: new website

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Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 21:50:54 GMT
From: n9sbv@worldnet.att.net (bob stephenson)
Subject: new web site...address correction

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> at
> Http://members.tripod.com/~n9sbv/status.htm
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> touch locally and worldwide.
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> See you on the site!
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> 73 de N9SBV

Date: 11 May 1997 21:35:48 GMT
From: "Alex MacKenzie" <amac@cape.com>
Subject: Repeater Controller for Sale

I have an RLC-Club Repeater Controller that I had bought last August with an Audio Delay Module, metal rack cabinet, and Interface software to input to your computer. I had hoped to put up a repeater, but I decided against it. The controller has been only TESTED on the air, for about 5 hours total. It is sitting in its original box and everything.
This controller has voice synthesizer, autopatch, and every other feature you can imagine. I am selling the unit with the original manual (with a few notes written in it) and an AC power supply. Contact me via email at: amac@cape.com. I am asking $625 and you pay for shipping. Thank you.

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 05:33:17 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

I didn't know there was a ham band at 250 metres.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 11 May 97 20:16:22 GMT
From: Peter Parker <parkerp@pcug.org.au>
Subject: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady) wrote:
>I didn't know there was a ham band at 250 metres.
>
>Barry

That's not what he said. He wants a meter for his Swan 250 transceiver.
That has nothing to do with metres (wavelength). Get your facts straight
before posting.

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Peter Parker

E-mail: parkerp@pcug.org.au

Amateur Radio: VK1PK

Home Page: http://www.pcug.org.au/~parkerp/
The home of Novice Notes Online and the VK QRP Web Page.

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Date: 11 May 1997 12:08:20 GMT
From: rod7rg@aol.com (ROD7RG)
Subject: WTB: DOW ANTENNA RELAYS

Hello; PLEASE check ur junkboxes for unused antenna relays. I am
attempting to install a longwire phased array and need seven (7)
inexpensive relays. I would prefer the DOW relays, 115vac, with three
SO-239 connectors so I can easily weatherproof the relays and connections.
Thanks to all who read and to those that respond.
Rod
KL7RG/8

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 13:02:46 +0100
From: eduardo montana <emontana@widow.aracnet.net>
Subject: WTB tower

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.

Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.

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Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
****

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Sun, 11 May 97 20:04:23 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wQicU-0009epC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sun, 11 May 1997 20:05:38 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id UAA26983; Sun, 11 May 1997 20:05:37 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.54) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma026981; Sun, 11 May 97 20:05:32 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id PAA26731 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Sun, 11 May
1997 15:52:04 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id PAA14211
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 11 May 1997 15:47:26 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id PAA14181
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 11 May 1997 15:47:16 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705112247.PAA14181@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 11 May 97 15:47:14 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #517
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3306. FS:Icom FL-44 1.9Khz Narrow SSB Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970512002200.UAA29295@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175696

$55.00 shipped. Contact Van, WB0NZV at:

wb0nzv@aol.com

Tnx, Van

3307. Icom IC-901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: amccol3035@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970512004800.UAA00802@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175697

Al I would like more information about the IC-901. My name is Asa McCollum, phone number is (610) 692-7785.
Tnx, 73's
Asa, AB3O

3308. Re: IC-706 XCVR to Computer Interface Cable, Help Please?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: seifertr@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33766ad6.470988@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 12 May 1997 00:16:40 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:
>> [SNIP]
>>(1) Can anyone direct me toward a schematic/wiring diagram for doing
>>so? and (2) I prefer to connect the cable to my serial port; does the
>>MFJ cable connect to the serial port or the parallel port? If I must
>>use the parallel port, I will.
>
>The radio uses Icom's CI-V buss architecture. This is a party line buss
>driven by OC drivers at TTL levels, IE it's sort of like ethernet. Icom sells
>an interface which can break that out to RS232 serial, but it isn't cheap.
>For controlling a single radio (the buss can control several, all daisy chained),
>you can build a circuit to convert to RS232 levels and split Txd and Rxd for the
>serial link. This circuit is a couple of transistors and a diode. MFJ builds this
>into the cable. You can wire it up on a piece of perf board tucked inside the
>DB connector of a homemade cable.
>
>The circuit is included in the documentation for several of the shareware and
>freeware programs you can use to control the radio.
>
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:

Gary,

Thanks for the reply, but I'm still unable to find any useful info.
I've downloaded John Hansen's (WA0PTV) radio control program, but
there are no plans to build the cable...he only recommends purchasing
the MFJ cable. Subsequently, I found a small circuit which converts
the RS-232 voltages to TTL levels and back; however, the circuit is
somewhat illegible and the broader context for its use is not
described (i.e. how does it get inserted in the cable between the comm
port and the XCVR port?) BTW, I found this at
http://www.synapse.net/~kentrol/ under the "PC Interfaces" menu,
"Level Translators" paragraph, "schematics" hypertext keyword in
paragraph.

I also noticed that the program I have will not work with Win 3.11,
which is what I have loaded on my notebook computer.

So at this point, I still need a circuit schematic, wiring diagram,
and additionally, the names/sources of some additional
shareware/freeware control programs (for both Win 3.1 and Win 95).
Sorry to pester...but please help...

Many thanks...

Best Wishes,
Rich

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seifertr@ix.netcom.com

3309. Extended receive mod for Yeasu FT-26

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: fritter@NOSPAMgeko.net.au
Message-ID: <5l5ob5$j07@news.geko.net.au>
Source record: 175699

Hi All..
I was mucking around with my ft-26 hand held radio last night when
I stumbled across a way to get it to recieve from 130MHz to 174MHz.
It's simple:

1. Turn the radio off.
2. Turn it back on again while holding down BOTH the up and down arrow keys.

That's it! The set will now tune from 130 to 174MHz on receive!
If you try and transmit outside the ham band the disply say's "err", so
there's no worries about out of band tranmitions.

Good luck!

Graeme.....
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Please remove NOSPAM from my Reply-To address when replying
Graeme Frith VK2GDF
E-MAIL:fritter@geko.net.au snookie@geocities.com
HTTP://www.qsl.net/vk2gdf
HTTP://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/2004/index.html
PACKET:VK2GDF@VK2XY.NSW.AUS.OC
PHONE:02 94565786 MOBILE:014616584
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3310. WTB:Kenwood SP-940 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970512012500.VAA02870@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175700

Contact Van at:

wb0nzv@aol.com

Tnx, Van...WB0NZV

3311. RE: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JohnWoolner@auslig.GOV.AU
Message-ID: <c=AU%a=_%p=AUSLIG%l=AUSLIG.CANBERRA.00035506@ras-server.auslig.gov.au>
Source record: 175701

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->Date: 11 May 97 20:16:22 GMT
->From: Peter Parker <parkerp@pcug.org.au>
->Subject: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED
->
->barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady) wrote:
->>I didn't know there was a ham band at 250 metres.
->>
->>Barry
->
->That's not what he said. He wants a meter for his Swan 250
transceiver.
->That has nothing to do with metres (wavelength). Get your facts
straight
->before posting.
->
-> --
->_____________________________________________________
->Peter Parker
->
->E-mail: parkerp@pcug.org.au
->
->Amateur Radio: VK1PK
->
->Home Page: http://www.pcug.org.au/~parkerp/
->The home of Novice Notes Online and the VK QRP Web Page.
->_____________________________________________________

Well said Peter,

It it not quite nice to know the difference between METRE (length) and
METER instrument !!

cheers

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John Woolner Email: JohnWoolner@auslig.gov.au
vk1et PG44ms Packet: vk1et@vk1bbs.act.aus.oc
Canberra, ACT, Australia Amprnet: vk1et@vk1et.ampr.org
Phone +61-6-254-3140 (h) Snail: PO Box 118
Phone +61-6-201-4122 (w) Kippax 2615
AUSTRALIA
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3312. Need Dayton Room & Space

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbolt@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5l5qsu$7vg@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175702

Does anyone have a swap space and a hotel room their not going to use.
PLEASE write or call.. I Thank You; Rich Ph. 315-673-9652 OR E-Mail
tbolt@ix.netcom.com

3313. Re: ADI AT-600 MARS/CAP Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <3375f940.2921009@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175703

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I purchased AT-600 and it is on the way to home.
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3314. Re: HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <33768267.10562039@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

On Sat, 10 May 1997 21:18:49 -0700, "Jonathan (KE6YZZ)"
<jd@caprica.com.no-spam> wrote:

>That IS why the HTX-242 was pulled off the market by R/S last week.

really ? you mean HTX-204 or HTX-242 ? if HTX-242 mobile
tranceiver, how do you modify HTX-242 then ?

thanks.

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Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

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3315. Re: IC-706 XCVR to Computer Interface Cable, Help Please?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33765d94.27818081@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3316. Re: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Moore <76170.1701@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5l66au$lv1$1@mhafn.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 175706

>>Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?

How are YOU being harmed by people who transmit out of band? How is anyone harmed? Does the public benefit in any way by requiring a ham, who already owns equipment capable of sending a clean signal on his company's channel, to not use that equipment and get a type-accepted radio from his company?

A person who is concerned about WRONGDOERS is doing his civic duty, a person who is concerned about RULEBREAKERS is a busybody, and a detriment to society.

This attitude reminds me of those people who go screaming to the homeowners association the minute they spot an antenna.

3317. AR1500, hints, kinks, hacks, opinions,etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: forensi1@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5l616v$cdd@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175707

My dad just gave me his old AR1500, my AR800 was stolen, and I was wondering if anyone knows of means of rs232 access, or any other tips etc. I don't realy care about cell freqs, which it already has, just not into listening to them. Opinions & tips would be grealtly appreciated.
thanks, KB5YOK, Scott.

3318. Re: FT-50R WFM & AM quality ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bgudgel@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <EA1utE.Cqx@eskimo.com>
Source record: 175708

Mark Pettigrew (m.w.pettigrew@shu.ac.uk) wrote:
: zs6awk wrote:
: >
: > I am interested in the ft50r. Could somebody tell me what the 88-108MHz FM quality
: > is ? What is the deviation it wants ? ie +-150kHz
: >
: > How is the airband rx quality ?
: >
: > Can it be made to tx on 141-142MHz ?

Yes, the FM bandwidth is not good for broadcast, BUT it's just
fine for the stuff you can't get with a FM BC RX'r, like,
TV audio, NOAA (136 MHz) signals, cell (if you're into that)
and, some other data stuff.

It can be modified (mars/cap) to xmit on 140-142 MHz.
Bob K7IQ Seattle

3319. ICOM IC-T22A Tips/Trics/Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aco@almworks.com
Message-ID: <3376ba7c.16028853@news.erols.com>
Source record: 175709

Hello everyone. I just got an Icom T-22A. As the subject header indicates
I'm looking for any "undocumented features" about this rig. If anyone has
any info I'd appreciate it. If anyone want's a review of this spiffy
little 2M HT let me know.

THX DE N3OCQ.

=-=Andrew
Andrew Ohnstad,
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3320. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aco@almworks.com
Message-ID: <3376b967.15751904@news.erols.com>
Source record: 175710

On Sun, 11 May 1997 04:12:31 GMT, orion**@capital.net wrote the following
words about Re: Comments on HTX-202:

>On Mon, 05 May 1997 14:31:35 -0400, Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
>wrote:
>
>>
>>Is the HTX-202 suggested for a new ham - it is on sale for C$ 230.00?
>>How does it compare with other 2m handhelds?
>>Any known problems, variants of the rig?
>>
>>Any comment on using the 2m vs. 70cm band?
>>
>>I realize that there are no simple answers, but I still would not mind
>>some help.
>>
>>Thanks, Peter
>
>It's a very good radio, Peter. I have two of them. Neither one has
>ever given me a bit of trouble. They are an excellent value, IMHO.
>

I also own one, the only problem with it is the error message when one
tries to use external power and the duck antenna. If you plan to use it
plugged into the car, for example, also plan on getting an external
antenna. Otherwise you'll get a PLL unlock error (Error-2, I believe, it's
a well documented problem.)

I think it's a feature rich HT at a great price.

=-=Andrew
Andrew Ohnstad,
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3321. Re: New Alinco Micro Slim HT's additional info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Shintani <shintani@tv.sony.co.jp>
Message-ID: <5l6bii$sv@oskgw.osk.sony.co.jp>
Source record: 175711

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no internal speaker
battery is li-ion, internal, not swappable
the picture is from a Japanese ad
thus the Japanese domestic restrictions apply
-430~440 MHz operation
and NOT modifiable for expanded tx !
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3322. Re: Yaesu FT-747GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aco@almworks.com
Message-ID: <3376c076.17558703@news.erols.com>
Source record: 175712

On Thu, 08 May 1997 13:40:04 GMT, Gary Coffman wrote the following words
about Re: Yaesu FT-747GX:

>I don't know of a really *good* CW copy program, but Hamcom works.
>It uses a simple opamp interface between the radio and the computer.
>A good audio filter in front of the interface will help a lot. There's also
>a program called FFTMorse which uses your sound card on your
>computer to copy code.

Is there a source for FFTMorse?

THX DE N3OCQ.

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3323. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704128634.AA863427629@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175713

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 19:12:15 -0700
From: Ramrod <Ramrod@lords_.com>
Subject: **OVER 2700 Ham Radio WWW Links**

Hi Brian, Your intentions are good but your links are old. As usual by
the time it takes to acquire this many links half of them are dead. Like
popcomm and radio communications.

> **OVER 2700 Ham Radio WWW Links**
>
> Just added a collection of ~2740 amateur radio WWW links:
> http://www.qsl.net/k7on/index24.htm
>
> Or, "OTHER Internet Resources" from the main page:
> http://www.qsl.net/k7on
>
> Please copy them, use them, etc...
>
> 73, Brian

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From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
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appreciated.
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Date: 12 May 1997 00:30:29 GMT
From: fritter@NOSPAMgeko.net.au (Graeme Frith)
Subject: Extended receive mod for Yeasu FT-26

Hi All..
I was mucking around with my ft-26 hand held radio last night when
I stumbled across a way to get it to recieve from 130MHz to 174MHz.
It's simple:

1. Turn the radio off.
2. Turn it back on again while holding down BOTH the up and down arrow keys.

That's it! The set will now tune from 130 to 174MHz on receive!
If you try and transmit outside the ham band the disply say's "err", so
there's no worries about out of band tranmitions.

Good luck!

Graeme.....
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Please remove NOSPAM from my Reply-To address when replying
Graeme Frith VK2GDF
E-MAIL:fritter@geko.net.au snookie@geocities.com
HTTP://www.qsl.net/vk2gdf
HTTP://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/2004/index.html
PACKET:VK2GDF@VK2XY.NSW.AUS.OC
PHONE:02 94565786 MOBILE:014616584
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Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 14:50:10 GMT
From: SEREIKAS@worldnet.att.net (George Sereikas)
Subject: FS: HENRY 2K-3 Amplifier

I have a Henry 2K-3 amplifier for sale. I am the second owner and it
is truly in excellent condition. It is a console type amp, 80-10
meters, runs 2 Eimac 3-500Z tubes. It puts out the legal limit with
100-110 W input and truly looks and works great. I have the original
manual for it.

I am asking $925, pick-up only....I will be taking it to Dayton, so
could deliver there (see it at Space 1941-1942). If interested, drop
me an email.
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George
KC2MF

Date: 12 May 1997 00:22:49 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Icom FL-44 1.9Khz Narrow SSB Filter

$55.00 shipped. Contact Van, WB0NZV at:

wb0nzv@aol.com

Tnx, Van

Date: 8 May 97 14:29:12 GMT
From: "James Brude" <jbrude@isoc.net>
Subject: FS: YAESU FT-726R

2 meter & 70 cm SSB/CW/FM Transciever , setup to run full duplex on satellites. This unit is just back from Yaesu service dept. and comes with a 30 day warranty. All 9 relays where replaced , the radio was checked to meet factory specifications. I am the original owner. Yaesu YM-48A touch tone pad microphone included. $900 firm + shipping - Can deliver to Dayton Hamvention.
James Brude, WB0SCD, 31 Quail Brace Court, Amelia, Ohio USA 45102, phone:513-753-5183, Email:jbrude@isoc.net -

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Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:34:12 -0400
From: KA8EXA <spoilme@clover.net>
Subject: FS Heatkit SB-634 -SB-604

I have for sale in mint condition with org. manual. SB-634 Clock,2000 watt meter, phone patch. $85.00
Also matching speaker SB-604 $40.00 mint. Both for $120.00 shipped.

Fred
Mingo Jct Ohio

Date: 11 May 1997 17:28:00 -0700
From: jhoiby@azstarnet.com (James Hoiby)
Subject: FT-51 cross band repeat?

I had an FT-51 last year and everything worked great as far as I could tell, including the cross-band repeat. I'm sorry I can't help you any more, but I no longer have the radio...

-James Hoiby, KC7LAW

On Tue, 29 Apr 1997 10:50:13, cwm3@psu.edu (Charles McMullen) wrote:

>Hi FT-51 users and other interested and knowledgeable parties.
>
>I recently acquired a Yaesu FT-51 and am acquainting myself with it features.
>I think I have most of it figured out but have been unable to make the cross
>band repeat function work as described in the manual.

Date: Sat, 10 May 1997 14:02:30 GMT
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net (Gary Fiber)
Subject: IC-706 MK II Pricing

On Fri, 09 May 1997 08:03:24 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>
> I have followed the Japanese radio prices as the Yen got strong and
>week. I found that the Ham Radio prices went up when the Yen was strong
>but the prices didn't go down when the Yen was weak. I guess it is a one
>way street!!!
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

Well if you made your stocking purchases on the strong Yen, likely
you could not stand the loss of dropping your selling price when the
actual value of the product was less under a weak Yen to dollar ratio.
I suspect that is what is happening.
I am sure most Amateur companies do not particapte in price protection
programs.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

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From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
Subject: IC-706 XCVR to Computer Interface Cable, Help Please?

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>freeware programs you can use to control the radio.
>
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:

Gary,

Thanks for the reply, but I'm still unable to find any useful info.
I've downloaded John Hansen's (WA0PTV) radio control program, but
there are no plans to build the cable...he only recommends purchasing
the MFJ cable. Subsequently, I found a small circuit which converts
the RS-232 voltages to TTL levels and back; however, the circuit is
somewhat illegible and the broader context for its use is not
described (i.e. how does it get inserted in the cable between the comm
port and the XCVR port?) BTW, I found this at
http://www.synapse.net/~kentrol/ under the "PC Interfaces" menu,

"Level Translators" paragraph, "schematics" hypertext keyword in paragraph.

I also noticed that the program I have will not work with Win 3.11, which is what I have loaded on my notebook computer.

So at this point, I still need a circuit schematic, wiring diagram, and additionally, the names/sources of some additional shareware/freeware control programs (for both Win 3.1 and Win 95). Sorry to pester...but please help...

Many thanks...

Best Wishes,
Rich

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seifertr@ix.netcom.com

Date: 12 May 1997 00:48:51 GMT
From: amccol3035@aol.com (AMccol3035)
Subject: Icom IC-901

Al I would like more information about the IC-901. My name is Asa McCollum, phone number is (610) 692-7785.
Tnx, 73's
Asa, AB3O

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 22:26:29 -0400
From: Andy Zorca <wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net>
Subject: Lighted Keypad Mic for an ICOM 3200A wanted

Anyone had any success using a newer model ICOM handmike on an ICOM 3200A, or an ICOM 900, please email me at:
wj9jrg@utc.campus.mci.net

Thanks!

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 02:07:27 GMT
From: botkin@jorsm.com (Larry Botkin)
Subject: Mods for MLA-2500

I'm looking for references to some mods on a MLA-2500 Linear Amp. The author of the articles was J. Fred Riley... I think they may have been in either CQ or Ham Radio magazines. I know this is a tough one but its my last resort...

Larry N9PC
botkin@jorsm.com

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Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 14:21:40 GMT
From: bvkirk@kanza.net
Subject: Need Info on GLB ID2

I have a GLB electronics ID2 repeater ID unit. Anyone have the
printed info on this unit? Any help appreciated. email to
bvkirk@kanza.net

Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 23:15:34 -0500
From: Phil Clements <philk5pc@connect.net>
Subject: RE.: NEED ALPHA 77DX Panels

Richard Gillani wrote:
>
> Approximately one month ago someone posted that they were going to have
> the Alpha 77 Dx and Sx panels reproduced. Would that individual PLEASE
> contact me.)or anyone who can help me.) I have interest in ordering
> two panels. Please e-mail me at tbolt@ix.netcom.com Thanks;Rich

That is Paul Kluwe, W8ZO. I just installed my new panels from him, and they
are beautiful. Pkluwe@aol.com $150 for all three panels, shipped.

(((73)))
Phil, K5PC

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 12:44:19 -0700
From: Greekprince <bweese19@idt.net>
Subject: Regency AR2

Hello! Anyone happen to know the band a "Regency AR2 rf amp covers?"
The unit appears to be built for 50 mhz band and about 50 or so watts..
Or would anyone have a URL for regency? Or are they still in business!

Thanx for any help.... Email to bweese19@idt.net

Date: 5 May 1997 07:06:23 GMT
From: "Paul Nicolay" <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Subject: Rode & Shawrtz BN15075 Receiver

Hi,

Is there somebody who has the pin assignments of plug 14 of this old (at least more than 10 years) R&S receiver. The plug is normally attached to the power-supply, which I'm missing, and has two rows of pins (labeled 1-8A & B). Any description on what comes out and goes in would be great. This would help me in building my own power-supply.

73s, ON1DJU

Please Email me as well as it is hard to keep up for me.

The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

Date: 12 May 97 01:31:00 GMT
From: JohnWoolner@auslig.GOV.AU (Woolner, John)
Subject: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED

->
->Date: 11 May 97 20:16:22 GMT
->From: Peter Parker <parkerp@pcug.org.au>
->Subject: SWAN 250 METER NEEDED
->
->barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady) wrote:
->>I didn't know there was a ham band at 250 metres.
->>
->>Barry
->
->That's not what he said. He wants a meter for his Swan 250
transceiver.
->That has nothing to do with metres (wavelength). Get your facts
straight
->before posting.
->
-> --
->_____
->Peter Parker
->
->E-mail: parkerp@pcug.org.au
->
->Amateur Radio: VK1PK
->
->Home Page: http://www.pcug.org.au/~parkerp/
->The home of Novice Notes Online and the VK QRP Web Page.
->_____

Well said Peter,

It it not quite nice to know the difference between METRE (length) and
METER instrument !!

cheers

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John Woolner Email: JohnWoolner@auslig.gov.au
vk1et PG44ms Packet: vk1et@vk1bbs.act.aus.oc
Canberra, ACT, Australia Amprnet: vk1et@vk1et.ampr.org
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AUSTRALIA

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Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 00:25:09 -0400
From: "Terrence R. Redding" <pba-cct@flinet.com>
Subject: What is a FT 767GX worth???

I am about to buy my fourth FT 767GX. I have one, but have a chance to
buy a second one. The problem is, I don't know what they are worth.

All of mine have been purchased new. I had two damaged by lightning, so
actually the insurance company paid to replace them.

There is a ham in my town that has one for sale. It's lithium battery
has to be replaced. Apparently he spoked, so there is a great deal of
grime from the smoke on the knobs and face plate. He lived near the
ocean in an un-aircondtioned shack and so screws and knobs seem to have
suffered from the corrosion.

It is missing two of the side or end feet, but other wise seems to work
okay. It has a two meter module that also appears to work okay.

So the question remains. What is it worth?

I look forward to hearing from as many as possible.

Regards, Terry

W6LMJ

Date: 11 May 1997 13:36:58 GMT
From: tnichols@nuteknet.com (Timothy Nicholson)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

I have just recently (yesterday) passed my technician exam and am looking for a
good, inexpensive HT with which to start. When I say inexpensive, I
mean anything around $200. I live in Raleigh, NC, and have found two stores
close by that carry radio equipment and who also have web sites. Here are the
models I am considering (in order as listed). They all have CTCSS

encode/decode, and all the other std. options needed in a HT.

1) ICOM IC-T2A, $199. I am impressed with the features of this radio for the price. It has the widest TX (140-150MHz) and RX (136-174MHz) of any radio listed here.

2) Kenwood TH-235A, $189. This is the lowest priced radio listed, but is narrow on the TX range (144-148MHz). I have talked to a couple of hams who don't care for the Kenwood equipment, but I didn't really get a good reason why.

3) Alinco DJ-190T, $218. Nice options, but again a narrow TX range (144-147.995).

4) Yaesu FT-10R/H, $259. This one is a little pricey for me, but has the most all-around features of any radio listed here. The info I have doesn't list the TX and RX ranges.

5) Radio Shack HTX-202, $199. Although less expensive than the Alinco and Yaesu, I haven't seen many of these radios in use. Several hams have told me to avoid this radio.

Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for sale, email me with the info.

Thanks!
Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.

Date: 12 May 1997 01:26:24 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: WTB:Kenwood SP-940 Speaker

Contact Van at:

wb0nzv@aol.com

Tnx, Van...WB0NZV

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #519
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Mon, 12 May 97 04:38:54 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wQqeQ-0009epC@esseye.si.com>

for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Mon, 12 May 1997 04:40:10 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id EAA29668; Mon, 12 May 1997 04:40:08 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.54) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma029666; Mon, 12 May 97 04:39:57 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id XAA11256 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Sun, 11 May
1997 23:52:05 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id WAA01249
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 11 May 1997 22:21:31 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id WAA01228
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 11 May 1997 22:21:26 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705120521.WAA01228@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 11 May 97 22:21:25 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #519
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: small@children
Message-ID: <3376b30e.0@lagoon.idirect.com>
Source record: 175714

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3325. Re: Dayton Hamvention Weather Report

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337708BE.4666@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175715

The weather here in Ohio has been terrible so far this month. Yesterday would have been nice. Although you may not need a winter coat, be sure and bring rain gear. In fact, maybe someone could by 4000 panchos to sell in the flea market, that would just about insure nice sunny days!

Tom

3326. EQUIPMENT FOR SALE, UPDATED - equip.doc (1/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com
Message-ID: <33770bc9.213877@news.cpu.net>
Source record: 175716
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: equip.doc

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[Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: equip.doc]
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3327. FS: Timewave 59+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgrandmaison@comdt.uscg.mil
Message-ID: <5l73fu$6iu@news.dot.gov>
Source record: 175717

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Time Wave 59+ with latest software/hardware versions......$199
send e-mail to: rgrandmaison@comdt.uscg.mil

W4VR
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3328. Mods TH27A, TH28E and

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Message-ID: <33771C82.6E05@4u.net>
Source record: 175718

HI

I'm interested in some informations of those radios (TH27A, TH28E and TH22E) that were not included in the Manuals.

Modifications are very welcome!!!

Thankx

73's

email: calcada@porto.telecel.mailpac.pt

3329. TH27A, TH28E and TH22E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Message-ID: <33771B9F.61B1@4u.net>
Source record: 175719

HI

I'm interested in some informations of those radios (TH27A, TH28E and TH22E) that were not included in the Manuals.

Modifications are very welcome!!!

Thankx

73's

3330. Re: ADI AT-600 MARS/CAP Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <337720a7.1400701@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175720

On 9 May 1997 06:25:47 GMT, jclark97@aol.com (JClark97) wrote:

>I've been doing much research on the AT-600 radio. From what I've read,
>it can be rather easily modified to trasmit from 100-199 Mhz and 400-499
>Mhz.

yeah, it seems true. that's why Radio Shack recalled HTX-204 which
is the co-version of AT-600 (I heard same thing from many rumors + it
is actually on ADI home page).

> This seems almost too good to be true, and it probably is. My
>question to anyone out there who might know is what the performance of the
>radio is while transmitting out of the ham bands.
> I know that using a ham
>antenna will decrease performance while transmitting on non-ham
>frequencies.

use RS's scanner antenna.(metal version) It supports transmitting
for VHF and UHF bands also.

I purchased AT-600 and it is on the way to home.
I will let you know as soon as I get the tranceiver in my hand.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3331. Re: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3378D862.106@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175521

W6SFG wrote:
>
> Steve,
> FYI, I just finished the promotional video that will be shown at Dayton on
> the
> FT- 920 for Yaesu. I've been a ham since 1959 (W6SFG) and kinda do these
> things as a hobby. I also do work for a number of the other Ham Radio
> manfactures. My real job is Producing major TV projects like the Titanic
> Expedition, Arnold Schwarzenegger and other network stuff etc.
> I'm personally very impressed with the 920's features, operation and
> price...street cost around $1600.
> Good luck on your decision!
> Bruce
> Bruce Braun
> President: Creative Teleproductions, Inc.
> Web site:http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html

Both Radios havew some unique features so it is a hard decision.
The Yaesu has "Dual Out of Band Watch" and the Icom has only duel watch
inside the same band. The Icom has the famous spectrum scope. etc
It is tough. I may wait till QST Magazine does a review of the radio.
73's , NS1R Steven Hershman

3332. Attention Cushman collectors (Unit Available)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5fdf$d4394500$1af277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 175522
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

CUSHMAN COLLECTORS ONLY - -

Pristine MCM-5 about to be orphaned. 1972 vintage;
original factory cal and inspection paper tag still
tied to carrying handle, front cover with original
cal sheet dated Dec 7, 1972 STILL IN PLACE,
has 0.0001% high accuracy factory mod built in,
has the "newer" nice rectangular plastic-faced
Weston meter, single owner unit, high 8 on the
venerable one-to-ten scale as far as physical
condition goes. About forty factory crystals
installed for various commercial bands.

NO MANUAL. Operational condition unknown,
but was in service when replaced with newer
equipment.

DROP DEAD DATE to make an acceptable offer
is Wednesday, 05-21. (Broad hint: the first
offer I get that covers the shipping will probably
get it, so I'd hurry if I were you...)

This unit cries out to be in your shack!! Don't
wait! Someone else is probably composing
an offer as you read this!

The unit is currently located in the People's Republic
of California.

PS - I'm still actively looking for plug-ins, internal circuit
boards and/or a spare CE-6 (or CE-6A). Especially want
an EXTENDER BOARD for servicing the plug-ins...
Will pay cash!! Please contact me!!

John
occupant@ns.net
--

3333. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rev. John A. Ryding" <zionluth@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <3378A044.53E3@southwind.net>
Source record: 175523

In reference to being authorized on certain frequencies:

It has been posted here more than once that having authorization to transmit does not carry with it the authorization to use a non-type accepted radio. I am in a similar position as ARRL EC for ARES and EMS Captain (155.340 Mhz). I have a radio that will transmit out of band. However, it is not type accepted and to use it out of band is gambling my hard-earned license. True, the FCC most likely does not have the time to track me down, but is it worth it to you? And if your license is revoked, they also have the proof to fine you up to $5,000 per offense, which can be interpreted every time you key the radio. $5,000 buys a lot of radios!

Be careful. Also remember, in life and death situations, the rules go out the window in order to help those in need.

John - WW0H

3334. INFO NEEDED Mars Electronics RC-288 SSB Convertor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: thermionic@techie.com
Message-ID: <5laodp$1ff@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 175524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Still looking for info on this unit. Well built, a bit larger than
a CV591 or so. Seems to be complete except for the tubes
(only about 40!!!!) anyone seen one of these?

Anyone have any info on this beast??? IF in freq, etc???

Anyone have a manual copy for it???

Thanks

Tom Norris
KA4RKT
badger@telalink.net

3335. Manuals needed: IT-28, DX100B, Super6, Eico 625

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerry & Robin Lempicki <lempicki@psych.umass.edu>
Message-ID: <33791A2E.4D3F@psych.umass.edu>
Source record: 175525

Hi! I got carried away at a hamfest by buying some peoples junk to make it my treasure...I need manuals/operating instructions for these things though. Can anyone supply me with a copy? (of course I will pay for copies and shipping).
Here's the list:
Heathkit IT-28 capacitor checker
Heathkit DX100b
Gonset Super 6 BC to HF converter (also need wiring diagram)
Eico Model 625 tube tester

Please email with info...
--
Gerry KA1STZ Robin KA1YJR
1948 PA-15 Vagabond
http://www-vms.oit.umass.edu/~lempicki/index.htm

3336. EZ Clone for the TM-V7A available now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3378EB40.648A@wco.com>
Source record: 175526

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------34F62EFE4DA0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Forwarded from email. Haven't tried it out yet,

Rick

--------------34F62EFE4DA0
Content-Type: message/rfc822
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline

Received: from usa.acsys.com (usa.acsys.com [192.92.123.51]) by shell.wco.com
(8.8.5/8.6.12) with SMTP id XAA26757 for <rbates@wco.com>; Thu, 8 May 1997 23:17:09 -0700
(PDT)
Received: from ppanther (ppanther.acsys.com) by usa.acsys.com (4.1/SMI-4.1)
id AA10881; Fri, 9 May 97 00:17:07 MDT
Sender: pening@acsys.com
Message-Id: <3372B4F4.544DF537@acsys.com>
Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:24:04 -0600
From: "Cary R. Penington" <pening@acsys.com>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0 (X11; I; Linux 1.2.13 i586)
Mime-Version: 1.0
To: rbates@wco.com
Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Hi Rick,
EZ Clone support for the Kenwood TM-V7A is now available
for $45.00, including cable and software. This notification
is being sent as a result of your previous inquiries and
interest in EZ Clone. Thanks, we are looking forward to
hearing from you.

73
Cary Penington, KC5KPS
pening@acsys.com

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3337. Yaesu rotator controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul A. DeFelice" <k9nu@prairienet.com>
Message-ID: <33791629.4271@prairienet.com>
Source record: 175527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap

I have a control unit for a Yaesu G-1000/SDX rotator.
$200.00

Paul k9nu@prairienet.com

3338. Re: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A available now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3378EBCF.6506@wco.com>
Source record: 175528

Rick Bates wrote:
>
> Forwarded from email. Haven't tried it out yet,
>
> Rick
>
> ---
>
> Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A
> Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:24:04 -0600
> From: "Cary R. Penington" <pening@acsys.com>
> To: rbates@wco.com
>
> Hi Rick,
> EZ Clone support for the Kenwood TM-V7A is now available
> for $45.00, including cable and software. This notification
> is being sent as a result of your previous inquiries and
> interest in EZ Clone. Thanks, we are looking forward to
> hearing from you.
>
> 73
> Cary Penington, KC5KPS
> pening@acsys.com

Forgot to add: Http://www.acsys.com

3339. EIMAC 3-500Z "THANKS"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33790880.6FEA@erols.com>
Source record: 175529

Thanks to all for taking the time to reply to my 3-500Z tube query. 73
Murray.

3340. RE: DRAKE TR-4CW, need info!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970513020700.WAA03865@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175530

Hi All! Can anyone tell me what a Drake TR-4CW w/AC-4 ps is worth
w/manual?
Any help will be appreachiated, 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@aol.com

3341. Re: FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: 8uhz@concentric.net
Message-ID: <863566711.21430@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175531

In article <19970505015200.VAA28520@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1) wrote:
>
> I HAVE A VERY CLEAN NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER WITH MANUAL FOR $350. STEVE
> W1SN

wow wow wow ... the prices keep on going up and up and up and
the radios just don't seem any different than the NC183D thats
worth $80.00 to $125.00 ...max...
to each his own.. if your really in need of this one empty
the bank, take the milk from your kids mouths and go for it!!
tim

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3342. WTB 2M All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: io70310@maine.maine.edu
Message-ID: <5l8rqv$10g8$2@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 175532

I am looking for deals on a Icom or Kenwood 2 meter all mode, let me know if you have one that you are dying to get rid of..

Chuck McMahan
KB1CDA

3343. Icom Z1A intermod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Mueller <dmuel19@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <3379279E.F4F518E1@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 175533

I just recently picked up a reconditioned Icom Z1A and like the radio. I am just concerned about an interference issue. I drive in/out of metro Chicago and when I get in the heart of the city, around alot of trucks, businesses etc. I sometimes hear alot of intermod noise. I can tell that it is not coming from the repeter I am monitoring. It will sometimes overpower the repeater signal. Its attached to my Cushcraft CS270M dual band antenna. SWR is 1.1 across both bands.

The question is is it the radio not being slective enough or something else?

Anyone have any things to try to isolate.

Dave..KB9POU

3344. Re: FT-50R and VX-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <337855CB.560C@notify1.com>
Source record: 175534

Tim wrote:
>
> Does anyone know if the antennas for the Yaesu VX-10 will fit the
>
> FT-50R?. Basically do they have the same type of antenna connector?

It's a nice thought, but I expect not. I have both the FT10 and FT50, and, in Yaesu's infinite wisdom which I never question, they used opposite connectors on the two radios. If you look at a good accessory list (like AES), that's why Yaesu offers two different SMA-to-BNC adapters for the series. I can't honestly say I've seen a VX10, but my guess is it is the same as the FT10.
-Ken

3345. 3-500Z Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: km1h@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970513.161316.9671.6.km1h@juno.com>
Source record: 175535

The first question I would ask is how were the tubes stored? If they were stored horizontally for many years you may have a problem with a filament to grid short.; the only cure there is to either store them the opposite way for a few years or run them in a centrifuge. Too many hams do not understand proper storage procedures. Get out the Ohm meter and test first.

Another old wives tale is to run the tube with filaments only for several hours or days in order to remove gas. That is pure GAS. Residual gas is removed at the time of manufacture thru a gettering process and yes, over time the tube may become contaminated.

One way to tell is to operate the tube with plate and filament voltage in a cut-off condition and look for the tell-tale purple glow. Viewing in a room with all lights turned off will help a lot. I recommend using a plate voltage under 2KV for this initial test. A good 3-500Z will hi-pot well over 12KV; if it arcs over at 2KV it is probably beyond saving. If all is OK then try drawing a bit of static plate current; no more than 50ma per tube.....NO RF drive. Check for the purples again. If OK run at full idle current and then slowly inject RF as mentioned a few paragraphs below. Keep watching for gas.

The gettering agent in an Eimac or any other Tantalum plate tube is Zirconium and is the grey powdery substance coating the plate. In order for it to function it must be run at very high temperatures and in the case of a long stored tube it depends a lot upon the amount and type of gas.

De-gassing a 3-500Z in a ham amplifier can be accomplished but requires a bit of care since the tube will be running with a LOT of dissapation. I only recommend this if you have a chimney style air system with lots of air.
The tube must be run under DC conditions ONLY; not RF. This will require bias changes so that the idling current approaches the tube ratings, you want it to run bright red. Run the tube(s) for about 10 minutes this way and then let it cool down.
Re-bias and prepare for RF drive. Use the lowest plate voltage available and bring the drive up very slowly while maintaining reasonance....keep watching for a purple glow. Watch the grid current meter for any flickering or other instability.
You can repeat the gettering process 3 or 4 more times if necessary; after that the tube is either good or junk.

I have bought many new tubes back to life this way, over the past 40+ years. Lost a bunch also. The above procedure is only for Tungsten filament and Tantalum plate tubes. The procedure is a bit different for

Graphite plates and totally different for indirectly heated tubes.

On a slightly different note, tired tungsten filament tubes can often be restored by operating the filament only for about 10 minutes at about 1.5 times normal voltage. This will boil off the oxide contamination. Just remember to keep PLENTY of air on the tube pin seals.

73 and good luck......Carl KM1H

3346. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704138635.AA863528287@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175536

Ham-Equip Digest Tue, 13 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 527

Today's Topics:
FS: Kenwood TK-330 UHF HT.
TMV7 remotecontrol & voice awnserback?

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 13 May 1997 10:55:27 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (Dave KE4YDY (dgsholar@gte.net))
Subject: FS: Kenwood TK-330 UHF HT.

What Frequencies does this radio operate on?

On 29 Apr 1997 22:49:57 GMT, spectra291@aol.com (Spectra291) wrote:

>
>For sale: Kenwood TK-330 10 channel UHF commercial handi-talkie. Radio
>is programmable and comes with speaker/mic, drop-in charger, metal porta
>clip, high capacity battery pack, and antenna. Radio recently checked and
>aligned by Kenwood technician. Used very little and in great
>condition.....$225.
>
>Brian
>spectra291@aol.com

Date: 13 May 1997 08:41:48 GMT
From: "Flasheart" <flashear@euronet.nl>
Subject: TMV7 remotecontrol & voice awnserback?

Dear TMV7 users,

Playing around with the Kenw. TMV7 I was paticulary fond of the remote
control option of the rig.

You can change a lot of things from VFO freq. to CTCSS from your HT and
there is an option for the rig to
give a confermation beep on the control freq.

It's nice but when changing things you lose tarck of the changed functions
when you are not in the shack.

So the question is:

Does anyone know the TMV7 with the voice unit installed has the option to
awnserback or give
the status of the rig in voice on the control freqency ?

Thanks for the response via email or in the newsgroop

Hugo de PA3ELV

email: FLASHEAR@EURONET.NL

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via sendmail with smtp
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for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Tue, 13 May 1997 08:48:58 -0400 (EDT)
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 13 May 1997 04:30:51 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Tue, 13 May 97 04:30:50 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #527
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3347. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gabe Nemeth <gabe@bnr.ca>
Message-ID: <33785E71.587D@bnr.ca>
Source record: 175537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael wrote:
>
> > Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !
>
> Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
> Which distribution and where is it available.
> I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
> ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
> UNIX guru to get working.
>
> Am I asking for too much?
>
> michael N6CHV

Try the Debian CRDOM is is available for around $40.00 CDN. Yhey have a
web site at:
http://www.debian.org

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Gabe Nemeth (VE3SLJ) The information above, that may appear as
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Ontario, CANADA

3348. Re: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <33792F9F.120E@chatlink.com>
Source record: 175538

Randy,

DON'T TURN UP THE MODULATION CONTROL!!!

This is the only audio level control on the radio. Turning it up will
increase the audio, but the first time you press a DTMF tone, you will
damage the final driver, and this gets expensive (I know).

The right answer is to open the microhpone, and look at the rear of the
electret element. Soldered accross it is a limiting zener diode. The
factory value of this diode is 4.7V, and the sometimes fail (Icom used
the cheapest diode here they could find). First with Key down, measure
the voltage accross the diode, if it is lower than 4 volts, replace it
with the 4.7V diode and try again. If the voltage is close, but you are
still not getting the gain you want, replace the diode with a 9.1V
diode. Normally this will solve the problem (It did mine).

73's

Ron, N7TAW

hams@nwlink.com wrote:
>
> I purchased a used ICOM 229H and found that it had been turned down (audio)
> for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to
> the danger zone.
>
> Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???
>
> Thanks.
>
> Randy KI7ZD
> http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams

3349. Re: IC-701, 440 HT For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rusty Haddock <rusty@NOSPAMti.com>
Message-ID: <3378BCF5.5ED6@NOSPAMti.com>
Source record: 175539

Denis P. Cote wrote:
>
> I have FOR SALE the following items:
>...
> 2) Realistic HTX-404 440 UHF HT w/ manual, Icom drop in charger,
> battery assortment and speaker mic. Radio has about 10 hours of
> on air time. Frequency coverage 440 - 450MHz, no extended receive.

FYI & FWIW... The manual gives a "keyboard mod" to extend the
transmit and receive down to 430-MHz but that's also in the ham
band. Would that still be extended receive? :-)

-Rusty-

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Rusty Haddock, KD4WLZ Internet: rusty@ti.com ___
Texas Instruments MSG ID: MWH2 |\/ o\ O
POB 869305 MS 8515 Phone: (972) 575-6838 | (-< o O
Plano, Texas 75086 Fax: (972) 575-4351 |/_V_/

3350. ICOM FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5lain5clf1@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale:

New in box FL52A CW filter for various Icom rigs, $100

New in box FL102 AM filter for various rigs, $40

These prices are shipped cont. u.s.

Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

3351. Kenwood DSP10 for sale, for TS950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5lajc1cob2@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175541
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Make your Kenwood TS950S an SD

for sale, kenwood DSP10, in box, used for service bench to check
radios, hardley used, low hours.
$250 shipped cont u.s.

Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

3352. Ameritron QSK-5PC for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5lajm5cob4@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale Ameritron QSK5-PC qsk kit for most Ameritron amps.
Brand new in box, never installed, looks to challengeing for me to
install. Sells for $289, asking $200 shipped to cont. u.s.
Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

3353. ICOM 706 Difference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEdmunds <JEdmunds@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <3378D7A4.D8@prodigy.net>
Source record: 175543

What is the difference between the current IC 706 and the new IC 706MKII?

3354. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Nicholson <timn@renewal-iis.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5fe2$17549cc0$9d95cdd0@W95-21.RENEWAL-IIS.COM>
Source record: 175544

Or better yet, look up their callsign to ensure they have a valid license.
Most stores have computers, and all they would need is an Internet link.

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote in article
<3375093F.56C6@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>...
> cigarettes. And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
> possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license before
> they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ham
> bands may slow down?
>
> What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.

3355. ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hams@nwlink.com
Message-ID: <5l9b4r$21o$1@texas.nwlink.com>
Source record: 175545

I purchased a used ICOM 229H and found that it had been turned down (audio) for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to the danger zone.

Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???

Thanks.

Randy KI7ZD
http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams

3356. Re: TM-V7A Software Coming from Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <3378F0DD.E5C@wco.com>
Source record: 175546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Jan Marius Evang wrote:
>
> >> Rick Bates writes:
>
> RB> Major hint. The control head is just that, a control head. Four
> RB> wires (ground, power, data in and data out) are all that will be
> RB> used. Someone want to figure out how to interface it? Or make
> RB> new software other than the cloning software?
>
> This has been discussed for the TM733 as well, but nobody has done
> it... It seems like all restrictions as to out-of-band operation,
> xband repeater, 1750Hz tone etc. Is only present in the "control head"
>
> MArius (LC1MAT/LB4PE/9H3WF)

So if you can replace the control head with a computer, the limits
should only be in the software... <:

Rick

3357. FS ICOM IC900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <337902B2.410A@pacbell.net>
Source record: 175547

I have for sale 1 ICOM IC900 it has the 2 meter and 70 cm modules and is compleate,plug and play.$600
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3358. FS Icom 900 modules

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd6aea <kd6aea@radioscan.com>
Message-ID: <33792463.209F7B3F@radioscan.com>
Source record: 175548

FS Icom 2m,220,440 modules all for $500.excellent shape,,, in San Diego

kd6aea@radioscan.com

3359. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru
Message-ID: <5ld2o6$3do$1@news.e-burg.ru>
Source record: 175549

KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com> wrote:

>> The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
>> performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
>> receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
>> channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
>> HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.

>Oh yes! The HTX 202 is a WONDERFUL radio - I espeically love the
>"feature" that causes it to key up and transmit an anoying buzzing
>noise when the battery dies! - How can anyone promote a radio that
>is known to perform such illegal operations (unidentified
>transmissions)?

>--
>Mark <KB9KHM>
Yes that is true, but that is the only problem with it and frankly,
not very seriouse. Then there is hardly another one with everything
build in (DTMF code/decode, CTCSS code/decode) and you cannot beat the
price. I have got 2 HTX-202 three years ago and they never let me down
so far. Very reliable and useful for every environment. It gives you
over 10 watts output with external power supply (13.8 V) and is
excellent for mobile and stationary operation as well.

3360. Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com>
Message-ID: <33795666.50A4@rfeoxx.com>
Source record: 175550

Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio... What's your opinion?

Send Email to jlgo@best.com.

KE6IZS
Mobile Radio Tech

3361. DR1200 CTCSS Tone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ray S. Linton" <linton@mhv.net>
Message-ID: <3379104F.5487@mhv.net>
Source record: 175551

I have an Alinco DR1200 Data Radio. Is it supposed to have tone encode/decode? The manual implies yes, and the display indicates ENC or ENC/DEC but no tone is emitted.

I have tried it on several known CTCSS repeaters plus my HT which has decode. No luck. Do I need an additional board or does my radio have a problem?

Thanks and 73
Ray, N2SPF

3362. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: aco@almworks.com
Message-ID: <3377b729.80723844@news.erols.com>
Source record: 175572

On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo wrote the following words about
Re: Which HT to start with?:

>aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) writes:
>
>>
>> BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?
>>
>
>I'm seeing a lot of comments about people who want to transmit "illegally"
>lately, and I can answer the above question for myself: because I'm authorized
>to but don't want to carry two (or more) sets of comm around. I am authorized
>to transmit on several public service bands during official SAR missions since
>I'm on a wilderness search and rescue team, but to carry around a ham radio, a

[Snippage]

Understandable, but this guy was a "beginning ham". I wonder if he was
authorized, as you are...

=-=Andrew
Andrew Ohnstad,
Operations Manager, ALM AudioWorks
aco@almworks.com / http://www.almworks.com
Personal Home Page (Info on my car!) / http://andysaudio.base.org
IASCA - RF Team America
"Satan forced him to do it. Beelzebub. Alcohol ... in every bottle of liquor,
the devil lurks."
-Carol Teeter

3363. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: aco@almworks.com
Message-ID: <3377b79d.80839191@news.erols.com>
Source record: 175573

On Mon, 12 May 1997 11:09:27 -0700, Jerry Riechert wrote the following
words about Re: Which HT to start with?:

>
>I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
>feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as
>Standard, ADI, or ???
>
>Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in
>a good, basic HT.
>

Oh, and by the way... I just reciently purchaced an Icom T22A, to rid
myself of the HTX-202's Brick like shape, size, and weight. But the Icom
is actually missing a few things the HTX has, like CTCSS Decode. But it
recieves from 10.0 Mhz to 999.900 Mhz, so it oblitherates my need for a
portable scanner. :)

=-=Andrew
Andrew Ohnstad,
Operations Manager, ALM AudioWorks
aco@almworks.com / http://www.almworks.com
Personal Home Page (Info on my car!) / http://andysaudio.base.org
IASCA - RF Team America
"Satan forced him to do it. Beelzebub. Alcohol ... in every bottle of liquor,
the devil lurks."
-Carol Teeter

3364. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3377c4bb.7454039@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175574

On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo <russo@slug.swcp.com> wrote:
>aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) writes:
>>
>> BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?
>>
>
>I'm seeing a lot of comments about people who want to transmit "illegally"
>lately, and I can answer the above question for myself: because I'm authorized
>to but don't want to carry two (or more) sets of comm around. I am authorized
>to transmit on several public service bands during official SAR missions since
>I'm on a wilderness search and rescue team, but to carry around a ham radio, a
>SAR radio, a team 800MHz radio and a 40+ pound pack full of gear is asking a
>lot. So it is very useful to me to have a single HT which can be made to
>transmit on all the frequencies I need (except, of course, the 800MHz trunking
>radio, which is almost useless in the field anyway) --- missions typically use
>a few frequencies in the 155MHz range for inter-team comm, 155.160 for comm
>between teams and incident base, and ham bands for communication with ARES and
>extended-range communications through ham repeaters (it's really mountainous
>here, and sometimes we even set up cross-band repeaters in the field just to
>make sure teams don't get out of comm range with base camp). Does that make
>it a bad thing that I looked around for a radio which could easily be modified
>to transmit on the bands I have to use on missions? And were I to ask about a
>particular rig here and not explain myself fully, would I be asking for a
>flame?

Yes, you probably would. And that's because, to my knowledge, no currently
sold amateur HT is Type Accepted for other services. It doesn't matter that
you have a license or authorization to operate on the frequencies of other
services, the *radio* isn't authorized for use in that other service (MARS
and CAPare exceptions of course because they fall under military jurisdiction,
and the military doesn't have to follow FCC regulations, but other public safety
services *do*). So you'd still be asking for advice on how to break the law, and
incidentally putting your department's license in jeopardy. That would draw flames,
as it should.

I find it quite disturbing that police, fire, and rescue workers would be so willing
to disregard the law for their convienence. Now grant you it may be a *stupid*
law, but it is the law, and until it is changed you should abide by it. If you want
to lobby the FCC to eliminate Type Acceptance, I could be convinced to sign
on to that effort. But I won't support people who intend to just flaunt the law.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or

Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

3365. Fw: al80b mod 4 10m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahmd@netrover.com
Message-ID: <N.051297.224208.03@LOCALNAME>
Source record: 175575

to save a call to ameritron can anyone tell me the mod for the al80b to activate 10m ? thx in advance...

graham va3gjb

3366. Re: Fw: al80b mod 4 10m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: STAN <KB8JLV@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337865CE.4874@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175576

grahmd@netrover.com wrote:
>
> to save a call to ameritron can anyone tell me the mod for the al80b to
> activate 10m ? thx in advance...
>
> graham va3gjb
SENT U AN EMAIL CONCERNING THIS.

3367. Passive VHF Repeater?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. A. La Varre" <alavarre@amaranth.com>
Message-ID: <5l8h5l$75d@news.amaranth.com>
Source record: 175577

Is there such a critter for VHF?

I have one for my cellphone, which clips on the window and allegedly gives me something like 3 dB gain over the HT. It has a coil which provides some sort of autoresonance to "boost" the signal for an HT being used inside the car.

My problem is really marine VHF, but 144MHz gear would prolly work... The marina wants to be able to receive calls from a long distance, so they have a base station with a whip on a telephone pole. But then they have to put it on a loudspeaker for the marina personnel to hear it when they're out of the office. The loudspeaker is driving the tenants and neighbors rabid.

It would be nice is there were some sort of passive repeater, e.g., a glorified corner reflector, which you could put on the top of the pole and have it reflect the signals down to the docks; then the personnel could use HTs to hear and respond, and the neighbors would be pacified...

If there isn't I guess I'll do some pro bono experimentation...:-(

TIA, and 73,
Andy La Varre
WA6VCT
Boat for sale: http://www.alteng.com/marine/newday/warrior.htm

3368. Help with Swan 350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: io70310@maine.maine.edu
Message-ID: <5l8rju$10g8$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 175578

I just purchased a Swan 350 rig, unfortunately while the rig is immaculate, there was no manual.

If someone has a manual and other any other experience with the rig they could pass on it would be greatly appreciated. I will be more then glad to reimburse you for photocopy and postage expense.

Thanks in advance
Chuck McMahan
KB1CDA

3369. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <3377f466.20126513@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

On Mon, 12 May 1997 06:33:53 GMT, aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad)
wrote:

>>On Mon, 05 May 1997 14:31:35 -0400, Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
>>wrote:

>>>Is the HTX-202 suggested for a new ham - it is on sale for C$ 230.00?
>>>How does it compare with other 2m handhelds?
>>>Any known problems, variants of the rig?
>>>
>>>Any comment on using the 2m vs. 70cm band?
>>>
>>It's a very good radio, Peter. I have two of them. Neither one has
>>ever given me a bit of trouble. They are an excellent value, IMHO.
>>
>
>I also own one, the only problem with it is the error message when one
>tries to use external power and the duck antenna. If you plan to use it
>plugged into the car, for example, also plan on getting an external
>antenna. Otherwise you'll get a PLL unlock error (Error-2, I believe, it's
>a well documented problem.)
>
>I think it's a feature rich HT at a great price.

I have one too..... it is good as long as you do not try to modify
it. you will never be (?) possible to extend rx/tx from 144-148.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3370. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@nospamcapital.net
Message-ID: <3377f462.1734836@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175580

On Tue, 13 May 1997 03:32:33 GMT, wrt@eskimo.com (Bill Turner) wrote:

>orion**@capital.net wrote:

>>I can't see how it could be a great deal cheaper. Buying a good
>>automobile battery and a good battery charger is going to cost nearly
>>as much as the P/S. I will agree the battery/charger combination has
>>an advantage when the regular power fails.
><><>

3371. Motorola two way radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kelvin Luo <tceemail@mbox2.singnet.com.sg>
Message-ID: <01bc5f5a$7e0feec0$1eb615a5@tceemail>
Source record: 175581
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.pirate,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

If any requirement for the Motorola two way radio in bulk, please inquire
at fax 0065 - 7781245.

3372. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrt@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <3377df37.3273803@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 175582

orion**@capital.net wrote:

>On Sun, 4 May 1997 12:04:04 GMT, wrt@eskimo.com (Bill Turner) wrote:
>
>>
>>I've been using an Astron RS-35A for about five years and it's been a
>>real workhorse. However if I had it to do over again, I think I'd
>>just use a car battery and a trickle charger. I used to have that
>>setup and for some reason I abandoned it and got the Astron. If the
>>Astron ever dies I'll go back to it. One advantage is being able to
>>use it during power outages, which happen a lot here. The other
>>advantage is it's a lot cheaper.
>>
>I can't see how it could be a great deal cheaper. Buying a good
>automobile battery and a good battery charger is going to cost nearly
>as much as the P/S. I will agree the battery/charger combination has
>an advantage when the regular power fails.
<><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><><>
A car battery can be had for what - $40-$50 or so? Even less for a
used one. Remember you don't need a huge battery with a high cold
cranking amps rating. A trickle charger can be built from junkbox
materials. On the other hand, the RS-35A goes for about $145 plus
shipping. Your call.

73, Bill W7TI

3373. MANY TUBES FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com
Message-ID: <3377c5a9.1283267@news.cpu.net>
Source record: 175583

I have 82 vacuum tubes that I would like to sell. About 50%
of them
are new, 25% probably new, and 25% used. All 82 tubes for $50.00,
plus
$10.00 UPS shipping.

TUBE NUMBER QUANTITY
6AB4 2
6AK6 4
6AQ5 1
6AZ8 3
6BA6 2
6BC4 4
6BH6 3
6BM8 1
6BN8 2
6BQ7A/6BZ7 5
6CB6/6CF6 7
6CM6 4
6DC6 1
6LQ6/6JE6/6MJ6 1
6U8A 1
12AT7 4
12AU7 4
12AY7 4
12AX7 5
12BY7 7
OA2 1
6146 3
6146B 7
6939 2
5879 2
5763 2

Continental Electric Company CEQ-72 Antique Tube. Functionality
unknown.

73...Thanks....Dick, K0VKH

S. Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street
Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605) 343-6127
Email = k0vkh@juno.com

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EMail = k0vkh@rushmore.com

3374. FT-50R and VX-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim@uncle.net
Message-ID: <3377f9be.1395725@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175584

Does anyone know if the antennas for the Yaesu VX-10 will fit the

FT-50R?. Basically do they have the same type of antenna connector?

3375. Re: EIMAC 3-500Z QUESTION PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbclark@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <5l9174$s7f$1@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 175585

In article <3377A780.5DBF@erols.com>, mgreen@erols.com says...
> I recently purchased two brand new Eimac 3-500Z tubes. Great price,
> however, the tubes have been boxed and sitting on the shelf for a long
> time. I suspect, based on the tube serial numbers, since 1970.
> Physcially they look great and new.
>
> Three respected local engineers and technicians suggested that I install
> the tubes and run them on filiment only for a minimum of 1 to a maximum
> of 6 hours before applying plate voltage. One suggested without the
> caps; the other said it did not matter. Filiment glows should be evenly
> matched.
>
> It has been suggested that there is a possibility of vacuum leak by
> virtue of the tubes sitting for so long, although it is a remote
> possibility.
>
> Was curious if any of you have had experiences with tubes of this nature
> that were new, but sitting around for long long periods. Any other
> suggestion you might add would be appreciated. Thanks.
>
> PS The tubes will be used in the Kenwood Tl-922A linear. 73 MG
>
>
MG,
Having had tons of experience with this particular tube in
Henry Amps., I would follow the advice of running them for at least 6
hours, with caps on, then after low power (Vp) operation, leaving them
on, resting the tubes, for at least 30 min., rexmitting again for a
period of intermittent (SSB) xmissions, after resting them again for
thirty (30) mins., bring up the (Vp) to Full Power Output and continue to
use them in your normal fashion, or operating cycle. I do however suggest
you not turn off, your TL-922 for at least 8 hours following this break-
in period. Although instant on, give your tubes the benefit if the doubt
at start-up.

73, KD6UN

3376. Re: HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5l8jb1$brr@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 175586

masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:
>>>When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
>>>HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
>>>Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
>>>PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!

This is definitely possible. It sounds to me like the microphone
circuit on the HTX-242 is picking up the CB RF and rectifying it.
(much like your average cheap telephone<g>)

I forget whether a HTX-242 is a HT or a mobile. If a mobile, (or a HT
with a speaker/mike) try one of Radio Shack's toroid choke cores on
the microphone cable, as close to the radio as possible. If you're
using an external power supply, the power cable may also need one. If
it's a HT but no speaker/mike - then there really isn't much you can
do, other than make sure the HTX-242 is off when you transmit on CB!

73 Doug

3377. FS: Icom R1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Cox <i2567@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <3377B94C.23DD@netnitco.net>
Source record: 175587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale a Icom R1. It has full coverage (including cellular)
It was hardly used, Like new in box with wall charger, leather case,
manual, rubber duck antenna, and blank warranty reg. card. Must sell as
I have to many radios now.

$300 including Shipping & COD.

Ed

3378. Re: Yaesu FT-1000D.. or is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <33780F34.2740@ntplx.net>
Source record: 175588

Richard Valentine wrote:
>
> Differences between the FT-1000 and "D" model were always a bit unclear
> when it came to filtering.
> QUESTION: Did the 1000D include the SUB-RECEIVER 500 HZ Filter?
> -- I bought what was said to be a "D" , but it doesn't have that
> filter.... seems to have all the other goodies however.
>
> Thanks,
> Rick, N1SQJ
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THANKS TO ALL THAT EMAILED REPLIES. APRRECIATE IT!

-- Rick, N1SQJ

3379. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704138635.AA863507475@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175589

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 17:01:00 GMT
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford)
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

>>...the only problem with [the Radio Shack HTX-202] is the error
>> message when one tries to use external power and the duck antenna.

Yes, this errormessage is well-documented.

But I bought my HTX-202 in 1994, and have NEVER run into that problem
using either the standard rubber duckie or even a Diamond RX-77CA
antenna (the 15" one) on a portable 12VDC power source (usually a
Quantum HAM Battery).

So...although a "well-documented" errormessage...has it REALLY occurred
to anyone who has purchased a *NEW* HTX-202 since, say, 1994???

Or is this a problem unique to older models only?

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 18:28:00 -0500
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Subject: EIMAC 3-500Z QUESTION PLEASE

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PS The tubes will be used in the Kenwood Tl-922A linear. 73 MG

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 12:23:49 GMT
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com (Dick Uhrmacher)
Subject: EQUIPMENT FOR SALE, UPDATED - equip.doc (1/1)

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 09:21:19 -0500
From: Marvin Moss <mmoss@gelac.mar.lmco.com>
Subject: FREE ASR-33 Teletype Machines (2)

I have two ASR-33 (sometimes called KSR-33) teletype machines available for FREE pickup in Marietta, GA. They are in excellent condition and have keyboards, power supplies, stands, paper tape readers, etc.

I will not ship them.

Marv

P.S. And, no, I will not pay you to pick them up.....

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 15:03:30 -0500
From: Greg Bryan <Bryan@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Subject: FS - Various Equip

I have a number of Ham items for sale:

Kenwood TS440S (With AT) Like new, in boxes, with manuals.
PS50
SP430

ICOM 144 MHz FM TS - Hand held (IC-2AT)

CB Radio - Midland 77-861

Bencher Keyer - "Iambic Paddle BY-1"

MFJ-422BX Pace Setter keyer for above Bencher model.

Jana HJ-8017A Standing wave bridge & field strength indicator.

MFJ-900 200W Econo tuner

Advanced Electronics Applications Inc. Computer Patch interface Model
CP-1 with Vic 20 and software.

30' Antenna with rotor and control.

Please contact me if interested in any of this.

Greg Bryan
Brandon, Manitoba, Canada
(204) 763-8869
Bryan@Accnet.Assiniboinec.Mb.Ca

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 16:32:56 GMT
From: orion@nospamcapital.net
Subject: HTX-242 Bug

On Mon, 12 May 1997 13:52:12 GMT, masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:

>It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."
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>When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
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>any ideas ? help !!!!!
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>Masataka Noda
>Masa@WriteMe-X.com
>http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

>
>Spam Security is ON:
>Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

I think the "bugs" are in your head, judging from the loony nonsense
you post here.

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73,
Butch
To send mail
delete nospam
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Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 23:40:58 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: HTX-242 Bug

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>>
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>you post here.
>

>--
>73,
>Butch

this really happens. any doubts ? test your HTX-242. remember...
your CB must be very near to the HTX-242.

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Date: 12 May 1997 15:52:25 GMT
From: killian@aztec.asu.edu (MICHAEL KILLIAN)
Subject: Kenwood TM-V7A

Hi all,

I am interested in purchasing this radio, however, one capability
that I need is the ability to Xmit on the marine band. Does anyone
know if this is possible with this radio.

Thanks.
Mike Killian
KC7JGC

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 09:18:41 -0500
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Subject: Kwd BS-5 to BS-8 Conversion

To convert a Kenwood BS-5 to a BS-8 or vice-versa the following
components need to be changed.

Component BS-8 BS-5
C231 68pf 1000pf
C232 1000pf .01uf
C233 33pf ---
C234 22pf 100pf
C236 22pf 47pf
C237 100pf 680pf
L203 8.8307 mHz 3.395 mHz
L204 4.7uh 20uh
T201 L34-0527-05 L31-0286-05

The Kenwood part number for the xtals (L203) are:
BS-8 L77-0487-05
BS-5 L77-0123-05

Note: The coil (T201) for the BS-5 shows to be discontinued so it may
not be possible to convert an BS-8 to a BS-5 but the coil for BS-8 is
available so coverting from a BS-5 to a BS-8 is possible.

Hint: The discontinued coil (L31-0286-05) is coil T4 in the Noise
Blanker unit of a TS520S..

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Date: Sun, 11 May 1997 22:43:10 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Subject: Radio Question

Chatburn wrote:
>
> Hi,
> When I am my local mcdonalds drive-thru, if I set my car radio
> to 92.5
> fm I can hear what the employees are saying on the headsets or what the
> car behind me is ordering. I was wondering if there was some way I could
> inexpensively get hold of something so that I could chat along with
> these people. Or, a friend told me that you can make something which
> blocks out all radio signals and transmits something you say into a
> microphone on them. This would be good as I could then listen with my
> radio what people order then inform them not to because it is crap!
>
> Thanks
>
> DC
You're kidding, right? Brian

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 14:36:04 -0500
From: Christian Magee <cmagee1@ua1vm.ua.edu>
Subject: SWEEP TUBES FOR SALE

SWEEP TUBES FOR SALE:

1 NOS RCA 6JE6C
3 NOS GE 6JB6
6 NOS GE 6JS6C

All are new in the original mint boxes. Total value is $300.00; will
sell all for $200.00
Thanks for reading,
Christian Magee

Date: 12 May 1997 22:40:36 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@wonet.buu.net>
Subject: TH-78 /question

Hi,

I bought a KWD TH-78E about 3 years ago in England.
It had only 144-145 Mhz and 430-440 Mhz range but the
salesman gave me a combination of keys which enlarges
the recieve range. Now I just can't remember this combination.
If anybody knows please send me an E-mail.

Tnx a lot,

Yonatan.

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 14:31:11 +0100
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Subject: TH27A, TH28E and TH22E

HI

I'm interested in some informations of those radios (TH27A, TH28E and
TH22E) that were not included in the Manuals.

Modifications are very welcome!!!

Thankx

73's

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 16:03:00 GMT
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

>>I am impressed with the features of this radio for the
>>price. It has the widest TX (140-150MHz)...

So your criteria for an HT is its ability to illegally transmit?

>>Radio Shack HTX-202...Several hams have told me to avoid this
>>radio.

They are morons, unfortunately. Do not ask them for advice in the
future, because they don't have any idea what they're talking about.

The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.

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Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 17:57:56 GMT
From: aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

On 11 May 1997 13:36:58 GMT, Timothy Nicholson wrote the following words
about Which HT to start with?:

>
>5) Radio Shack HTX-202, $199. Although less expensive than the Alinco and
>Yaesu, I haven't seen many of these radios in use. Several hams have told me
>to avoid this radio.
>

I personally own one of these and have never had a problem with it. I'm
not sure why people have told you to avoid it. There are only two issues I
have with this radio. 1) Error-2. If you run external power (i.e. car
lighter plug, power supply) you can not use the rubber duck antenna. RF
leaks into the PLL and you get an Error-2. The solution is to use an
external antenna. RS tech support comes through again!
2) There are absolutley NO mods around for this radio. I'd like to get
extended recieve on my HT, because my local fire department is on 154MHz.
But alas, there is no way to do this on a HTX-202.

I think it's a feature packed, inexpensive radio that's great for a
beginner or old timer without a lot of money. It looks like a brick (and
feels like one too!) which is why many people prefer other radios, but
technically it's very sound.

BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?

>Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a
>radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would
>be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information
>about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price
>range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for
>sale, email me with the info.
>
>Thanks!
>Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.
>

=-=Andrew
Andrew Ohnstad,
Operations Manager, ALM AudioWorks
aco@almworks.com / http://www.almworks.com
Personal Home Page (Info on my car!) / http://andysaudio.base.org
IASCA - RF Team America

"Satan forced him to do it. Beelzebub. Alcohol ... in every bottle of liquor, the devil lurks."
-Carol Teeter

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 22:18:42 GMT
From: badger@vbe.com (Michael Melland)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

tnichols@nuteknet.com (Timothy Nicholson) wrote:

>I have just recently (yesterday) passed my technician exam and am looking for a

>good, inexpensive HT with which to start. When I say inexpensive, I
>mean anything around $200. I live in Raleigh, NC, and have found two stores
>close by that carry radio equipment and who also have web sites. Here are the
>models I am considering (in order as listed). They all have CTCSS
>encode/decode, and all the other std. options needed in a HT.

>1) ICOM IC-T2A, $199. I am impressed with the features of this radio for the
>price. It has the widest TX (140-150MHz) and RX (136-174MHz) of any radio
>listed here.

>2) Kenwood TH-235A, $189. This is the lowest priced radio listed, but is
>narrow on the TX range (144-148MHz). I have talked to a couple of hams who
>don't care for the Kenwood equipment, but I didn't really get a good reason
>why.

>3) Alinco DJ-190T, $218. Nice options, but again a narrow TX range
>(144-147.995).

>4) Yaesu FT-10R/H, $259. This one is a little pricey for me, but has the most
>all-around features of any radio listed here. The info I have doesn't list the

>TX and RX ranges.

>5) Radio Shack HTX-202, $199. Although less expensive than the Alinco and
>Yaesu, I haven't seen many of these radios in use. Several hams have told me
>to avoid this radio.

>Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a
>radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would
>be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information
>about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price
>range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for
>sale, email me with the info.

>Thanks!
>Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.

Tim:

I was very recently in the same boat as you are and faced with the same question. I ended up purchasing an ADI Model AT-201H 2m radio

and am very much impressed with it (especially it's price 189.95
from AES). It has all the needed features and a few extras and was
highly recommended by my peers.

73 de Mike KB9QHU

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 16:35:17 +0100
From: eduardo montana <emontana@widow.aracnet.net>
Subject: WTB tower

I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.
I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
States and Canada wide.
If in Ontario will consider taking down.
Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
73's from
VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.
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Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
****

Date: 11 May 1997 17:30:02 -0700
From: jhoiby@azstarnet.com (James Hoiby)
Subject: Yaesu FT-51R Mods

Try http://www.ocpapsych.com/ft51mod.htm. Or just search altalink for
"yaesu mod" and you should find what you need.

On Tue, 29 Apr 1997 18:22:08 -0400, Jim Hong <jim@futurevision.net>
wrote:

>I am looking for the 800Mhz RX mod for the Yaesu FT-51R. If you have
>any information please e-mail me at jim@futurevision.net
>
>Thanks in advance.
>
>Jim Hong KA8ZGP

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #523
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Following is a list of Ham gear I'm parting with. The
prices are negotiable, and I'm mainly interested in
selling everything on this list, so there will be some bargains.

Manuals and documentation furnished where available. Here's the list:

1. CDR Rotor Control Box. Series 4516, for use with HAM-M rotators. $20.00, plus $5.00 UPS freight.

2. Complete RTTY, CW and ASCII digital station. INFO-TECH M-300C Keyboard. Transmits RTTY, CW and ASCII at all normal speeds and shifts. INFO-TECH M-200F, RTTY/CW/ASCII Demodulator. Copies all standard speeds and shifts, and has video output, printer support, etc. Taxan 14" Amber Video Monitor. Complete system $200.00, plus $25.00 UPS freight.

3. "Digi-Designer" Work Station. Complete digital IC test and construction aid, with internal clock, (1 to 100K speeds), four logic switches, two pulsers, IC test and assembly block. Built in 110VAC power supply, (TTL voltages output). $25.00, and $5.00 UPS freight.

4. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic "Memory Keyer". $20.00, $5.00 UPS freight.

5. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic Keyer, with built in clock and 10 minute timer. $20.00, $5.00 UPS freight.

6. 5-Volt, 1 Amp, "Calectro" Regulated TTL Power Supply. $10.00, $3.00 UPS freight.

7. Six element 450 MHz Beam Antenna. $20.00, $5.00 UPS freight.

8. "Hustler" MO-2 Folding Mobile Antenna Mast. $10.00, $3.00 UPS Freight.

9. New Kenwood PG-2 DC Power Cable. Fits TM201, TM211, TM401, TM411, TM2530/2550/2570, TR8400/9500, TR751, TS670, R600/1000/2000. $5.00, plus $3.00 UPS freight.

10. Sold.

11. Drake 7073DM Hand Held Microphone. $10.00, $4.00 UPS freight.

12. New Radio Shack Dynamic Hand Held Microphone, with 5-pin DIN type connector. $5.00, and $3.00 UPS freight.

13. Kenwood Dynamic Microphone, 500 Ohm, 4-pin connector. $10.00, $4.00 UPS freight.

14. "CALRAD" D-350 Dynamic Desk Microphone, 50K impedance. $10.00, $4.00 UPS freight.

15. New Yaesu YM-23 Condenser Hand Microphone, with 4-pin connector. $10.00, plus $4.00 UPS freight.

16. "Swan" SWR-1Aa Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS freight.

17. "Siltronix" SWR-2, Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS freight.

18. Forty-foot Rohn 25 Ham tower, with a HyGain TH-3 "Thunderbird" 10-15-20 Meter Beam antenna. Telex "Tail Twister" Heavy Duty Rotor, and Control Station. Three element two-meter

beam, and Ringo Ranger two-meter vertical antenna, installed on
tower. Pick up only in Rapid City, SD. Bargain priced at $700.00 firm.

19. HAL Communications PCI-3000 PC Computer Board. Excellent
digital communications, (RTTY, CW, ASCII and AMTOR). Complete documentation.
Bargain priced at $175.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

20. "Bencher" ZA-1A Balun. $5.00, plus $3.00 UPS shipping.

21. Heathkit IT-741D Logic Probe. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS shipping.

22. Heathkit "Cantenna", 1KW Dummy Load. $20.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

23. Epson MX80F/T Tractor Feed Dot Matrix Printer, with roll
paper adapter. $50.00, plus $10.00 UPS shipping.

24. New "Pro-AM" Two-Meter Mobile Antenna, (surface mount). $15.00, plus
$5.00 UPS shipping.

25. Sencore Digital Volt Meter. $10.00, plus $5.00 UPS shipping.

26. "QST" Magazines. January 1974 to March 1997, complete, 288
issues! $50.00, plus $20.00 UPS shipping.

27. "Ham Radio" magazines. Bound editions for years 1976 and
1977. $10.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

28. CY-1300 Oscilloscope. Military surplus and makes a good RTTY,
AMTOR, Clover, monitor. $10.00, $10.00 UPS shipping.

73.....and thanks.....Dick, K0VKH

Best Regards!
S. Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street, Rapid City, SD 57702
(605) 343-6127
Email = k0vkh@juno.com

Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Mon, 12 May 97 23:23:38 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wR8Cu-0009erC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Mon, 12 May 1997 23:24:56 -0400 (EDT)
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id xma015903; Mon, 12 May 97 23:24:33 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id SAA20662 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 12 May
1997 18:52:06 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id SAA04584
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

Mon, 12 May 1997 18:45:11 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id SAA04466
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 12 May 1997 18:44:56 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705130144.SAA04466@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 12 May 97 18:44:54 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #523
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3380. Build good credit in 90 days

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Interested Party <don't@replyhere.com>
Message-ID: <5l8p9r$13e@gnu.95net.com>
Source record: 175590

You too can build good credit in 90 days!

Check this out...you can do it...anyone can!

http://www.tiberias.com

Click on the right box and you'll be there!

Thanks for reading

3381. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Yarbrough <medic@net-master.net>
Message-ID: <337829AD.19AB@net-master.net>
Source record: 175591

Jerry Riechert wrote:
>
> Timothy Nicholson wrote:
> >
> > I have just recently (yesterday) passed my technician exam and am looking for a
> > good, inexpensive HT with which to start. When I say inexpensive, I
> > mean anything around $200.
> >
> > <<< snip list of potential HTs >>>
> >
> > Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a
> > radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would
> > be appreciated. Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information
> > about the above radios, or possibly another model I haven't listed in my price
> > range. Also, if anyone in the Raleigh area reads this and has a used HT for
> > sale, email me with the info.
> >
> > Thanks!
> > Tim Nicholson, callsign un-issued at this time.
>
> I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
> feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as
> Standard, ADI, or ???
>
> Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in
> a good, basic HT.
>
> ----------------- Insert standard disclaimer here. --------------
> Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR (riecherg@agcs.com) 602-582-7332
> AG Communication Systems "Expand the Power of Your Network"
> 2500 W. Utopia Road http://www.agcs.com
> Phoenix, AZ 85027-2179I have a Yeasu FT50R and love it It is small and very strong. 105
memories and a dual bander. It TX and RX out of band on 2mtr and 440. It
also RX aircraft band, it switches between AM and FW automaticly

3382. G5RV to a Yaesu 101..Ideas??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: nolanke@tcd.ie
Message-ID: <nolanke-1305970801090001@mac03.hamlab4.pclab.tcd.ie>
Source record: 175592

I am considering erecting a G5RV using trees. I intend using the Inverted Vee idea with the apex on top of a 60-70 foot tree and the angle between the wires at 120 degrees. What I would like to know is:
1. What impedance cable should I use to connect the S0239 on the ribbon feeder of the G5RV to my proposed rig (Yaesu FT 101ZD Mk.3) via an A.T.U.?
2. Will the presence of the tree lower the electrical field of the antenna as I believe a high field will develop at the apex and if so, what can I do about it?

Many thanks for your time and help. I will have my A-licence in about a fortnight so I look forward to working you.

Keith Nolan.
Trinity College, Dublin 2, Rep. of Ireland

3383. TMV7 remotecontrol & voice awnserback?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flasheart <flashear@euronet.nl>
Message-ID: <01bc5f78$b12c0e60$0100007f@showroom>
Source record: 175593

Dear TMV7 users,

Playing around with the Kenw. TMV7 I was paticulary fond of the remote
control option of the rig.

You can change a lot of things from VFO freq. to CTCSS from your HT and
there is an option for the rig to
give a confermation beep on the control freq.

It's nice but when changing things you lose tarck of the changed functions
when you are not in the shack.

So the question is:

Does anyone know the TMV7 with the voice unit installed has the option to
awnserback or give
the status of the rig in voice on the control freqency ?

Thanks for the response via email or in the newsgroop

Hugo de PA3ELV

email: FLASHEAR@EURONET.NL

3384. RE: SALE RF Liner Amplifier http://www.awt.com.tw

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: AWT <awt@ms2.hinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5d6e$1b1862e0$b7955fa8@awt>
Source record: 175594

See the web page
http://www.awt.com.tw

thank!

3385. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kiss_n@cuz_n.net
Message-ID: <kiss_n-1305970119020001@ags-5200-1-p29.groupz.net>
Source record: 175595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

In article <3377f466.20126513@news.bctel.ca>, masa@writeme-x.com wrote:

> On Mon, 12 May 1997 06:33:53 GMT, aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad)
> wrote:
>
> >On Mon, 05 May 1997 14:31:35 -0400, Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
> >wrote:
>
> >>>Is the HTX-202 suggested for a new ham - it is on sale for C$ 230.00?
> >>>How does it compare with other 2m handhelds?
> >>>Any known problems, variants of the rig?
> >>>
> >>>Any comment on using the 2m vs. 70cm band?
> >>>
> >>It's a very good radio, Peter. I have two of them. Neither one has
> >>ever given me a bit of trouble. They are an excellent value, IMHO.
> >>
> >>
> >I also own one, the only problem with it is the error message when one
> >tries to use external power and the duck antenna. If you plan to use it
> >plugged into the car, for example, also plan on getting an external
> >antenna. Otherwise you'll get a PLL unlock error (Error-2, I believe, it's
> >a well documented problem.)
> >
> >I think it's a feature rich HT at a great price.
>
> I have one too..... it is good as long as you do not try to modify
> it. you will never be (?) possible to extend rx/tx from 144-148.
>
>
>
> Masataka Noda
> Masa@WriteMe-X.com
> http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
>
> Spam Security is ON:
> Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Personally, I would save up a little more cash and get a *much* better
HT. I have had over amateur HT's, and the best yet is the Yaesu FT-50RD.
I bought it last month for only $349 from Ham Radio Outlet in Atlanta
(comes with two battery packs). And no, I don't work for any electronics
supplier.

The HTX-202 & -404 are both good rigs, and I think their major strength is the fact that they are designed for operation only in their respective bands (2m & 440). This provides a much better front end on the rigs and I have to say from experience that mine seem to be immune to intermod.

I don't know exactly what you are looking for, but I choose HT's based on performance, not just features. Later....

3386. FS: Kenwood TS-140S $575 Shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekugrad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5l9d12$7oa@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwood TS-140S HF Rig
Excellent condition with Box, Manual, cable, and Hand Mic.
Price: $575 shipped

73's
David
KA4IKH

3387. Vecor Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: warren@giraffe.dolir.state.mo.US
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.91.970513041913.10362C-100000@giraffe.dolir.state.mo.us>
Source record: 175597

Hi all,

Anyone know where I might find a schematic for a Vecor 758c (a 13.8V DC regulated power supply)?

thanks,

warren / KB0VGO

3388. Tempo One

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Braithwaite <keithb@miworld.net>
Message-ID: <337802B3.6F43@miworld.net>
Source record: 175598

Need Tempo One HF Rig For Parts. E-Mail Me If You Have One.

Thanks In Advance
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3389. Test Equipment FS - Can Deliver to Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Hatcher <chatcher@ramlink.net>
Message-ID: <5l9qrg$4dj$2@news.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 175599

I need to liquidate the following equipment:

CT Systems (Wavetek) 3000B Service Monitor, unused, $2000
HP 204C Oscillators, $65 - $125, depending on cosmetics.
HP 8640B Opt 323 Signal Generator, $850
Millivac MV-823B-S1 RF Millivoltmeter, $225
Tektronix 7623A 100MHz Storage Mainframe, $300
Tektronix 7854 400MHZ Digital Storage Mainframe with Keyboard, $650
Tektronix 466 Portable Storage Scope, $375

I trade for General Coverage Receivers & Ham Gear.

I will be at Dayton on Saturday only and can deliver there.
A few other items listed at http://www.chaos1.com/elex .

Chuck Hatcher
Ashland, KY

3390. Re: Servicing Manual for FT1000/D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James C. Garland" <4CX250B@MIAVX1.MUOHIO.EDU>
Message-ID: <337868D7.6858@MIAVX1.MUOHIO.EDU>
Source record: 175600

Vince- ex:WV2RSX wrote:
>
> Hello and thanks for reading this:
>
> I am considering buying the Servicing Manual for the FT1000/d.
>
> Would like to hear opinions on its quality and usefulness.
>
> Where can it be obtained and what is a reasonable price to pay ?
>
> Tnx and 73s,
> Vince
>
> PSE reply to wa2rsx@worldnet.att.net via e-mail also.

Hi Vince,
In my opinion, the service manual is very disappointing. It
has no comprehensive circuit description of the radio.
Nearly all of the manal is devoted to diagrams of circuit
board layouts, with no explanation. There are no
troubleshooting tips. About the only useful content is a
brief set of alignment instructions -- which really aren't
very helpful because the set's alignment is very stable.It's
the worst service manual I've seen.

73,

Jim W8ZR

3391. SBE SB-36

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikec@cd.COM
Message-ID: <WORKQUEUE-101.970513100723.352@nova.cd.com>
Source record: 175601

Hi All
I was wondering if anybody would have a manual on my sideband
engineers sb-36, or if they know where I could find some info on it.
There are three posistions on the band switch marked A,B, and C what
are these used for? Thanks for any help

Michael (N9RIK)

3392. Re: Passive VHF Repeater?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <337b8599.11688303@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175602

On 13 May 1997 01:46:29 GMT, C. A. La Varre <alavarre@amaranth.com>
wrote:

[snip]>
>It would be nice is there were some sort of passive repeater, e.g., a
>glorified corner reflector, which you could put on the top of the pole and
>have it reflect the signals down to the docks; then the personnel could use
>HTs to hear and respond, and the neighbors would be pacified...
>
sounds like a good application for a cross-band repeater. VHF into
the base which repeats to the HTs on UHF. The personnel on the dock
could then also respond via the HT and not have to return to the
office for every call.

Hope this helps...

73 de Ron/N3ZDS

3393. Best 2M/70cm HT for under $200?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5fb8$b514ed40$2908aacf@viking.add-inc.com>
Source record: 175603

The subject says it all. I am interested in both new in this price range and in a better HT that I might get used in this price range. 73 de Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com

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"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.
Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is construed as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.

3394. FS: Kantronics KPC-3 (the right URL)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Message-ID: <3378BE4D.19A7@unh.edu>
Source record: 175604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

sorry, the correct URL is:
http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=wfg2173
Thanks again
--
************************************************************
* Craig T. Bailey *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* *
***********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

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Content-Disposition: inline; filename="KPC3.GIF"

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3395. Help with 2meter preamp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <5la02l$1src$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 175605

Greetings all,
I just picked up a Microwave Modules LTD.
"low Noise RF switched preamplifier"
for 2 meters ssb.

it is encased in a 5 x2x1 black box with so-239 connectors for the
antenna in and out, as well as a 5 / (6?) pin plug to power it.

Any idea on the following?

- Noise Figures
- Amount of RF that pass through the preamp
- A manual??

Any help or direction to help would be great....

Jason N1RWY
n1rwy@amsat.org
"...awaiting the June VHF party..."

3396. Re: Yaesu FT-1000D.. or is it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <337887f7.176802146@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175606

Hi Rick:

Im sorry that those that gave you answers, did not post to the
NewsGroup. I have similiar inquiries about the FT1000/d.

It is my understanding that there is a 600 Hertz filter available as
an add-on to the 1000/d. Im not clear if a second 250Hertz at the 3rd
I.F. is included in the 1000/d.

I have this thread marked to watch with Free Agent, but I think I have
missed the info.

73s,
Vince

On Tue, 13 May 1997 02:50:28 -0400, Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
wrote:

>Richard Valentine wrote:
>>
>> Differences between the FT-1000 and "D" model were always a bit unclear
>> when it came to filtering.
>> QUESTION: Did the 1000D include the SUB-RECEIVER 500 HZ Filter?
>> -- I bought what was said to be a "D" , but it doesn't have that
>> filter.... seems to have all the other goodies however.
>>
>> Thanks,
>> Rick, N1SQJ
>************
>
> THANKS TO ALL THAT EMAILED REPLIES. APRRECIATE IT!
>
> -- Rick, N1SQJ

3397. 7 disk CD ROM changer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <01bc5f8c$1fee43a0$4101e8cc@pw>
Source record: 175607
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I wish to swap a seven disk CD ROM changer with all software and cards, in the box for amateur gear or the video professor series of learning tapes for comptuers.

N5PW

pw@i2020.net

3398. Re: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6sfg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970513154900.LAA10998@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175608

Steve,
FYI, I just finished the promotional video that will be shown at Dayton on the
FT- 920 for Yaesu. I've been a ham since 1959 (W6SFG) and kinda do these things as a hobby. I also do work for a number of the other Ham Radio manfactures. My real job is Producing major TV projects like the Titanic Expedition, Arnold Schwarzenegger and other network stuff etc.
I'm personally very impressed with the 920's features, operation and price...street cost around $1600.
Good luck on your decision!
Bruce
Bruce Braun
President: Creative Teleproductions, Inc.
Web site:http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html

3399. Re: HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonathan <jd@caprica.com.no-spam>
Message-ID: <337883C8.47135243@caprica.com.no-spam>
Source record: 175609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Ray Brown wrote:
>
> > > are there any possibilities to expand rx/tx range of HTX-242 mobile
> > > tranceiver ?
> > >
> >
> > That IS why the HTX-242 was pulled off the market by R/S last week.
>
> Bbbzzzz! Sorry, WRONG answer. Vanna has your door prize on the way OUT
> THE DOOR!
>
> (BIG grin)
>
> You got the two items mixed up. The other gentleman was asking about the
> HTX-242 MOBILE 2m radio, while you were thinking of the HTX-204 HANDHELD 2m
> / 70cm radio. :-)

(In my best Ed MacMahn voice) You are correct sir!

> As I understand it, the BIG reason why the 204 was so rapidly removed
> from the market was that it was easy to modify it (how, I have NO idea) to
> scan up and listen to the infamous "cell phone" frequencies. Which, as we
> all know, is a big, Federally-mandated "no-no". (sigh)

It was also able to be made to do what I said, except it was the 204,
not the
242, that I was thinking of.

> Anyway, if there IS a mod for the 242 MOBILE radio, I also would like the
> information, I would love to be able to talk back to my work on the radio,
> instead of just LISTENING to them. (Flames cheerfully ignored on this
> subject.)

It is still illegal even if you are the licensee for both bands.

Reason: Although a ham needs no type acceptance to convert a radio for a
non-ham
band to a ham band he may use, type acceptance IS required for any rig
used on a
non-ham band.

This I know, having been the station licensee in 4 different radio
services and a
1st Class RTL course,(which I completed, but was too young & too broke
to become

a full 1st Class RTL'ee), and am now studying for my own SW broadcasting license,
which is the only other radio service in the US that type acceptance on the rigs,
(it must only pass a specs inspection, according to Uncle Spam... er I mean Sam).

73

Jonathan DeFabritis
Amateur Radio License: KE6YZZ
Mailto:jd@caprica.com
My Homepage: http://www.caprica.com/~jd/
My Hampage: http://www.caprica.com/~jd/ke6yzz.html
Taral Hicks Webpage: http://www.caprica.com/~jd/taralfan.html
---
To reply to me you must change the "To" header to say jd@caprica.com or I won't get your reply. I've altered the address to defeat junk-mail robots that scan newsgroups and websites! And it works like a charm!
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* ALAN KEYES for PRESIDENT in 2000! http://www.declaration.net

3400. Re: TH-78 /question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Message-ID: <33788F42.36E1@4u.net>
Source record: 175610

John Doe wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I bought a KWD TH-78E about 3 years ago in England.
> It had only 144-145 Mhz and 430-440 Mhz range but the
> salesman gave me a combination of keys which enlarges
> the recieve range. Now I just can't remember this combination.
> If anybody knows please send me an E-mail.
>
> Tnx a lot,
>
> Yonatan.

I'm not sure but try: F (for 2 secs - see the F flashing on the display)
and then LOW.

If you succed please let me know. If you have any information on TH-27A
please tell me.

Thankx,

73

email: calcada@porto.telecel.mailpac.pt

3401. FS: Icom W2A 2 M / 70 Cm Dualband Handheld +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33788FFB.5B6D@whidbey.net>
Source record: 175611

I find that I am no longer using my Icom W2a Radio. It is in excellent condition, and comes with the following:

1 The W2a Radio
2 The BP-84 (Standard issue Battery Pack) Charged maybe 3 or 4 times.
3 The Periphex 12 Volt Battery
4 The Icom FA-1443B Dual Band Rubber Duck Antenna
5 The Diamond RH77B Dual Band Rubber Duck Antenna (Longer Antenna)
6 The Icom BC-80 Desktop Rapid Smart Charger with Wall Wart (AC Power Supply)
7 The Icom BC-77A (Standard Issue) Battery Charger
8 The Manual and Boxs
9 A Shoulder/Chest Holster

All this and I am only asking $350.00 or best offer plus shipping costs.

John W7JCS Stilson
jstilson@whidbey.net

PS The SPAM tool is on so to use the reply function remove the * from the address.

3402. HAL PCI-3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: katkey007@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970513160000.MAA11383@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175612

PCI-300 with spectra tune console and both books.
$200.00
Bob,
katkey007@aol.com

3403. FS: Kantronics KPC-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Message-ID: <3378BBE7.5748@unh.edu>
Source record: 175613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------1B9C202B3AD6
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Please come and look at the wicked good deal you can get for my KPC-3,
by bidding on it auction style at:

http:www.ebay.com/aw/item.cg1?item=wfg2173

Thank you very much, and good luck!
--
************************************************************
* Craig T. Bailey *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* *
***********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

--------------1B9C202B3AD6
Content-Type: image/gif; name="KPC3.GIF"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="KPC3.GIF"

<encoded_portion_removed>
534QLuiGruiOLumWrume7nAEBAA7
--------------1B9C202B3AD6--
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3404. FS: Kantronics KPC-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Message-ID: <3378BD86.54AA@unh.edu>
Source record: 175614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------16A63E2C5E4E
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

look at the great deal you can get when you buy my KPC-3 auction style!
http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cg1?item=wfg2173
Thank you and good luck!
PS - I attached a picture of the KPC-3
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************************************************************
* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* *
***********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

--------------16A63E2C5E4E
Content-Type: image/gif; name="KPC3.GIF"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="KPC3.GIF"

<encoded_portion_removed>
534QLuiGruiOLumWrume7nAEBAA7
--------------16A63E2C5E4E--
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3405. Re: G5RV to a Yaesu 101..Ideas??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5fca$62db4120$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 175615

> I am considering erecting a G5RV using trees.
> 1. What impedance cable should I use to connect the S0239 on the ribbon
> feeder of the G5RV to my proposed rig (Yaesu FT 101ZD Mk.3) via an
A.T.U.?

Use ordinary 50 ohm cable, with *no* matching device. RG-8X is a good all-around choice, or RG-58 will work fine. An ATU is probably a must. The G5RV is very reactive on most bands, with SWRs of 6:1 or more. You FT-101 is not especially sensitive to high SWR, because of its vacuum tube (sorry... 'valve' :-) finals. Still, you'll be a lot happier with an ATU than without one.

> 2. Will the presence of the tree lower the electrical field of the
antenna
> as I believe a high field will develop at the apex and if so, what can I
> do about it?

Yes. Nothing. Just string it up, load it up, and go. The flatter you can make the flat-top portion, the better it will work.

I've been using a G5RV for years, and I'm very happy with it. I've worked 150 countries in 100 watts with it, and have no plans to replace it. Cheers...

Mike, N4PDY

3406. March Issue 1991 of CQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Message-ID: <33789862.528@4u.net>
Source record: 175616

Hi

Anyone can send me copies of the March Issue 1991 of CQ?

It's urgent, plez

Thankx

73

email: calcada@porto.telecel.mailpac.pt

3407. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-50R (freebanded), Icom IC-2GXAT 2m HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: yaesutom@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970513193800.PAA19990@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175617

Will it xmit in the 88-108Mhz FM broadcast band???
yaesutom@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/yaesutom

3408. Was Re: LINUX for hams??? Now: cheap CAD packages for Mac?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jupiter@europa.com
Message-ID: <jupiter-ya023580001305971204540001@news.europa.com>
Source record: 175618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <33738AB5.6D25@cycat.com>, MichaelN@cycat.com wrote:

:> Don't depend on M$, use Linux for your HAM software AMATEURS FOR AMATEURS !
:
:Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
:Which distribution and where is it available.
:I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
:ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
:UNIX guru to get working.
:
:Am I asking for too much?
:
:michael N6CHV

I'm running Mac OS on PPC now, but am thinking about adding extra hard drive and install MkLinux for Mac.

Get this- local bookstore sells 7 CD set of MkLinux including gigabytes of extra stuff for $50.

On that basis alone, it may be hard to resist.

One big factor is that I am using Microsim 7.1 CAD suite and have come up against limits on eval version for designing variable BW constant CF crystal filters.

I have MacSpice, but has no nice GUI or schematic capture. The last time I used Spice on Unix was at Berkeley Evans hall basement using punch cards :) Does it now have nice GUI like Microsim??

Rob.

3409. YAESU FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5laj5rcob1@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175619

For sale:

XF30C CW filter for FT101 series, new $60
XF32A ssb filter for FT101 series, used $25
XF8.9GA for many yaesu radios $50
XF8.2HCN narrow cw for FTft102 new $60
XF8.2HC cw for FT102, new $60
XF8.2GA am for FT102, new $60
XF30D fm filter for various radios, new $60

these prices include shipping to cont. u.s.
Thanks, Jim , bigjim@voicenet.com

3410. Re: QST Hams with Macs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: measures@mail.vcnet.com
Message-ID: <measures-ya02408000R1305970740370001@news.vcnet.com>
Source record: 175620
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <scott-0405972024590001@allnet.pr.mcs.net>, scott@allnetinc.com (Scottso) wrote:

> Thank you, Thank You, THANK YOU!!!
> It is about time!!!
>
> Scott
>
I agree, Scott.
-editorial-
Dollar Bill's clunky OS has a bit too much in common with a quagmire for me.
I see that the world's fastest laptop is currently an Apple Power Macintosh. CISC technology is old hat. RISC is where it's at.
>
> In article <john-0105970655410001@wd1v.mv.com>, john@wd1v.mv.com (John D.
> Seney) wrote:
>
> > Announcing New WWW Site for Macintosh Ham Radio Enthusiasts
> >
> >
> > http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
> >
> >
> > Mac Ham Software including:
> >
> > Macnet Roster:
> > a database of all hams in the world using Mac computers
> >
> > WD1V's Ham Radio EXAM Simulators:
> > the fast path for upgrading your ham license with a Mac
> >
> > Plus more Mac information - come see!
> >
> > 73,
> >
> >
> > John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
> > 144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
> > Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
> > Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | | Fax 603.627.1623
> >
> > http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

--
--Rich-- ---805-386-3734, ag6k

3411. Philip Lin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515004100.UAA23726@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175421

Please e-mail me.

Thanx.

KK4TL@AOL.COM

3412. FS: Hobbyist's tube stock...over 800 types!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: *locoprom@adan.kingston.net
Message-ID: <5ldnmg$15u$1@gollum.kingston.net>
Source record: 175422
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

We're clearing out the garage!

This garage, however, contains an extensive stockpile of NOS and used vacuum tubes which has been growing since the mid-1930's.

The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all at fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio Equipment, etc. please email:

locoprom@adan.kingston.net

Thanks for your interest!

3413. FT-8000R Experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Message-ID: <337A1C61.C48@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Source record: 175423

For anyone who's interested, here's my experience with my new Yaesu FT-8000R. In short, it's great!

Ordered it and FTS-22 CTCSS decode module on Saturday, May 3 from HRO, Delaware. HRO's price, BTW, was between $30 and $100 less than anyone else. CTCSS module arrived Wednesday the 7th, the rig arrived a day later. CTCSS module was a snap to install, except the instructions did not mention the plastic insulator you must stick on to prevent the module connector pins from shorting the surface mount chips below.

Spent most of Thursday evening not doing my chores and playing with the radio instead. :) Easy to program and blindingly fast scanning.

Installed rig on Saturday. The included power cable was plenty long enough to reach the battery (well, in my VW at least). Rig fits like a glove in the center console, but still has plenty of room behind for air circulation.

Signal reports are great, especially the "clear, natural sounding audio." Intermod rejection is also excellent, even driving within 100 yds. of a triplet of paging towers on my way to and from work every day. No ignition noise, no alternator whine, good clean receive audio, and none of the "slow-squelch" problems mentioned here earlier. Cooling fan is audible but not obtrusive. The S-meter squelch is neat, too.

About the only thing I miss that my FT-530 has that the 8000R doesn't is CTCSS decode scanning and direct frequency entry---I have to twiddle the knob to find an unknown tone or enter a new freq.

The user manual mentions that mods for transmitting in other services are in the service manual, which I did not buy. Then again, I have no interest in transimitting out of band or listening to cell phones, either, although x-mit on 220 band would be fun.

Anyone who's looking for a compact, reasonably priced, extended receive dual band rig would do well to consider this one. Great radio!

73 de KE6PHU/9

Please remove "nospam. for e-mail replies.

Dave Keyser | The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily
Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

3414. Re: New ham radio web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <337A14E0.191A@flash.net>
Source record: 175424

Try this next time http://www.qsl.net/kc5cxu

3415. Re: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <337A78B7.104@chatlink.com>
Source record: 175425

There is no audio gain on the IC-229, there is a modulation control, I think it is R29, but BE CAREFUL!!! before adjusting this pot, check the audio level of a DTMF tone. Most of the time, the mic's that came with the 229 are not very voice responsive, and require a small mod to get good audio.

If you turn the modulation pot too far, you will damage the driver!!!!!!! (this get very expensive... I know). If the audio level of a DTMF tone is correct, open the mic case and look at the rear of the electret element. There is a zener diode soldered across the terminals. The factory value of this diode is 4.7V, but they fail often. Measure the voltage across this diode (with the key down) and check it. If the voltage is between 4 and 6 volts, but the audio level is not satisfactory, replace this diode with a 9.1V zener. This usually solves the problem.

Hope it helps,

Ron, N7TAW

hams@nwlink.com wrote:
>
> I purchased a used ICOM 229H and found that it had been turned down (audio)
> for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to
> the danger zone.
>
> Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???
>
> Thanks.
>
> Randy KI7ZD
> http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams

3416. Re: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <337A7A1C.64A0@chatlink.com>
Source record: 175426

Randy

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> Randy KI7ZD
> http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams
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> Randy KI7ZD
> http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams

3417. TV502 & TV506

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Scaraglino <fas@rtp.ericsson.se>
Message-ID: <337A0545.13E7@rtp.ericsson.se>
Source record: 175427

I am looking for Kenwood TV502 & TV506 transverters working or not.
They should be in a repairable condition (not smashed)

Thanks
Frank KA2FWC

3418. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <3379A83C.5D59@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Source record: 175428

Peter Gottlieb wrote:
>
> Tim Nicholson <timn@renewal-iis.com> wrote in article
> <01bc5fe2$17549cc0$9d95cdd0@W95-21.RENEWAL-IIS.COM>...
> > Or better yet, look up their callsign to ensure they have a valid
> license.
> > Most stores have computers, and all they would need is an Internet link.
> >
>
> My father bought me my first 2m HT. If what you are proposing goes into
> effect, that kind of thing will never happen again.

This is indeed a very touchy subject. What does someone do in the case of a gift? Should the salesman ask to see a copy of the son's license? Should the father be required to at least sign something stating that his son is a licensed Ham? Is it enough that the father knows "My son just passed his General License yesterday, and is now studying for his Advanced?" (after all, how many "illegals" know what "General" and "Advanced" are?) I don't know. My point is this: A lot of people invest a lot of time and energy in all aspects of Ham Radio. And it would be a shame if we didn't at least try something. Ideally, Ham transmitters should only be sold to someone with a valid license, the way drugs are only sold to someone with a valid prescription. (I can get medicine for my wife, but I do need her valid presription.).

In my opinion, this is the best solution: The ARRL push for two pieces of FCC legislation:

1) Only licensed Hams can sell Ham Radio transmitters. Along with a penalty to any individual or business who violates this. (It's a lot easier to fine a business or individual, than it is to stop an illegal from broadcasting).

2) All licensed Hams must see a valid Ham license before selling any Ham Transmitter to anyone. (This might be redundant. All Hams I know would ask to see a valid license, anyway).

What about out-of-state sales using credit card?
According to 2), buyer would have to FAX or mail a photocopy of his valid license.

What about selling used equipment over the internet?
Same answer.

73,
Jimmy

3419. Re: TS50S wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim scheer <jim.scheer@gtri.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <33799C9B.58E0@gtri.gatech.edu>
Source record: 175471

G0l0ga wrote:
>
> In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)
> 236-3677. Thanks.
>
> Jose Luiz
There's one listed in the "swap" corner today.

3420. RCI 2950 PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael Hernandez <wp4leq@prtc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6050$2767de60$a24492cc@ankara.prtc.net>
Source record: 175472

Where can I buy RCI parts.

Any help appreciatted.

3421. F/S Yaesu rotator controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul A. DeFelice" <k9nu@prairienet.com>
Message-ID: <3379BE7B.4B2E@prairienet.com>
Source record: 175473

I have a control unit for a Yaesu G-1000/SDX rotator.
$200.00

Paul k9nu@prairienet.com

3422. need TS-520s AC cord connector.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hal Rosser W4PMJ <hmrosser@csranet.com>
Message-ID: <3379C828.5A5F@csranet.com>
Source record: 175474

I just bought a used TS520s Kenwood and discovered after I got home
that the AC plug and cord was missing. (The main thing I need is
the part that plugs into the back of the rig).
Can someone steer me to a source, please?
thanks et 73 de
--
HAL W4PMJ
hmrosser@csranet.com

3423. Re: G5RV to a Yaesu 101..Ideas??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William D. Redfearn, Jr." <cmwdr01@nt.com>
Message-ID: <5lc9t7$nu6@bcarh8ab.bnr.ca>
Source record: 175475

"Mike white" <m_white@juno.com> wrote:
>> I am considering erecting a G5RV using trees.
>> 1. What impedance cable should I use to connect the S0239 on the ribbon
>> feeder of the G5RV to my proposed rig (Yaesu FT 101ZD Mk.3) via an
>A.T.U.?
>
>Use ordinary 50 ohm cable, with *no* matching device. RG-8X is a good
>all-around choice, or RG-58 will work fine. An ATU is probably a must. ☐
If you are going to use an antenna tuner anyway, use a balanced output tuner and run the twinlead all the way from the antenna to th=
e tuner without using the coax.
There should be less loss in the direct length of twinlead as opposed to the minimum 60 ft. of coax used in the standard G5RV. This =
is also better mechanically since the SO-239/twinlead connection is prone to breaking.

73 - Dave, N4ELM.☐

3424. Re: ICOM 706 Difference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3379b409.2217042@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 175476

On Tue, 13 May 1997 16:05:40 -0500, JEdmunds <JEdmunds@prodigy.net>
wrote:

>What is the difference between the current IC 706 and the new IC
>706MKII?
Check out www.icomamerica.com There is a listing of the improvements
the 706 MK II has.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

3425. FS: MIRAGE MP1 WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514124600.IAA29820@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175477

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN,PERFECT OPERATING MIRAGE MP1 WATTMETER FOR SALE-
PRICE- $85- THE PRICE INCLUDE SHIPPING STEVE W1SN

3426. Re: DRAKE TR-4CW, need info!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5lb4vccan1@mhadf.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 175478

Hi Rich,

Anywhere from $150 with Noise Blanker for a club station beater to
$700 for one thats perfect and has rarely or never been used. If
you cannot see it, its near impossible to know what to offer.

73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6

3427. Re: Wanted info on European CE testing of electronic products

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdykstra@juno.com
Message-ID: <5lccti$d52@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175479

drkfs@aol.com (DrKFS) wrote:

>I am looking for information about CE testing of battery operated
>equipment to satisfy the European EMC Directive as it applies in the UK.
>What tests are required? Is there standardised equipment used for these
>tests? Are CE testers licensed? Can you do it yourself?
>Any help advice or experience, gratefully received.
>Many thanks
>Kevin Scott GM7WJL e-mail: DrKFS@AOL.com

Check out this gourp. You should be able to find most of the
information you need..... http://www.rcic.com/

Rick

3428. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <3379A79D.E44@sprynet.com>
Source record: 175480

Clint Bradford wrote:

> They are morons, unfortunately. Do not ask them for advice in the
> future, because they don't have any idea what they're talking about.
>
> The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
> performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
> receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
> channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
> HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.

Oh yes! The HTX 202 is a WONDERFUL radio - I espeically love the
"feature" that causes it to key up and transmit an anoying buzzing
noise when the battery dies! - How can anyone promote a radio that
is known to perform such illegal operations (unidentified
transmissions)?

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Mark <KB9KHM>

Home Page:
http://expert.cc.purdue.edu/~kb9khm

3429. Best coax for HF opinion...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <3379EC7C.ABE@vbe.com>
Source record: 175481

After a discussion among other hams I thought I'd post a question to start a discussion of the "best" coax for HF operation.

The opinion should be based on cost, ease of use, signal loss, etc...

The situation involves a run of no more than 100 feet, HF operation only up to full legal power, possible bury but not necessary.

examples: RG8, RG58, RG213, 9913 etc....

Thanks in advance for your opinions.

73 Mike Melland KB9QHU
badger@vbe.com

3430. Re: Best coax for HF opinion...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Potter <dpotter@bbn.com>
Message-ID: <3379D812.43EA@bbn.com>
Source record: 175482

Michael Melland wrote:
>
> After a discussion among other hams I thought I'd post a question to
> start a discussion of the "best" coax for HF operation.
>
> The opinion should be based on cost, ease of use, signal loss, etc...
>
> The situation involves a run of no more than 100 feet, HF operation only
> up to full legal power, possible bury but not necessary.
>
> examples: RG8, RG58, RG213, 9913 etc....
>
> Thanks in advance for your opinions.
>
> 73 Mike Melland KB9QHU
> badger@vbe.com

Best is relative to your goals, I imagine:-) For the conditions you specified, I would use RG-213 as being the best compromise between cost and loss. Avoid the foam dielectric coaxes unless you intend to be fanatical about sealing the connectors to avoid moisture penetration. The very low loss Belden 9913 is overkill for HF, less than 100 feet, and is very susceptable to water penetration. Good stuff on 432, not needed on 20 Meters.

I feed my 80 meter inverted L with RG-8X from Radio Shack. I had a roll handy and the ground losses swamp the cable losses, so I used it. If I had a roll of RG-213 from a good manufacturer (Belden comes to mind), I would have used it. At the end of the day, you won't be able to tell the difference on HF between -8X and -213. Pick one that will last in your installation, meaning UV resistant jacket, non-migrating, and use quality connectors.

73

Dave
K1MBO

3431. Re: Yaesu Mobile Dual Banders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greeby@onramp.net
Message-ID: <5lckid$2eq@newnews.onramp.net>
Source record: 175483

In article <5lb0rn$s1u@bubba.NMSU.Edu>, asimonin@murdrum.nmsu.edu (asimonin) wrote:
\I am interested in comments about the various 2M/70CM Yaesu dual banders.
\Recently, someone in this news group seemed to have receiver ignition
\noise problems with the FT-8500 series when used in their Toyota truck. I
\have a Nissan which has noise problems on the standard AM band so this
\ignition noise issue could affect my mobile use. I have a FT-51R which
\picks us some noise when used in the Nissan. What are the differences
\between the FT-5200 series and FT-8500 radios? Comments are appreciated!

I just bought an FT-8500 and I have alternator whine..no ignition noise tho.
Not very noticable, just a little noise in the background.

Just went to Radio Shack and bought one of thier 20 amp noise filter to see if
it'll help.

Other than a little whine...the FT-8500 is a great radio.

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Jeff Halapin
greeby@onramp.net
KD5ACY
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3432. Re: Morse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5lcnu0$jb5@camel2.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175484
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.morse,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Dale" <rug@edison.dialix.com.au> wrote:

>Can someone pls (nicely:) direct me to a reference in relation to the
>basics of Morse code equipment. Specifically as to the design and
>construction of the old style of electr mechanical sounders.
>I have an understanding of general electronics, but i do not understand the
>relevance of the resistance of the sounders used in the Morse system. As i
>have been asked to rewind an old sounder, i need to ensure the resistance
>as well as the magnetising force (gauss?)...is there a basic formula or
>software tools to assist in the winding of such coils

>Any help would be greatly appreciated....

>Regards,
>Dale

As a one-time motor/transformer.coil rewinder for pay, let me ask you,
is the original lwire still on the solenoid you are to rewind?

If so, you might be well served to do what we used to if we had not
the original specs: We counted turns. Put it on a spindle with a
counter attached, and start pulling the wire off. Not too fast, since

if the wire is burned or breaks, you don't want the monentum to give
you a false reading.

The wire size and the turns count will give you an exact report.

However, if you take the outer diameter of the solenoid, the O.D. of
the spool, the size of the wire, and the thickness of the insulating
paper (if any), then you can use 8th-grade schol math to see the
number of turns.

That will put you well in the ball park.

Correct Resistance will follow as the day follows the day before.

Gud Luk es 73

WB0NRU Lou.
aruder@pipeline.com
don't use the reply address, it's bollixed.

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

3433. Re: Attention Cushman collectors - UNIT GONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6080$61eaf600$2ff277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 175485
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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The unit has been sold.

Thanks de John

A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net> wrote in article
<01bc5fdf$d4394500$1af277cc@packard-bell>...
>
> CUSHMAN COLLECTORS ONLY - -
>
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3434. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970514080801141114@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175486

>>...stores required customers to show a Ham license...
>>...mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license...

NEITHER case above - the showing of an Amateur License - actually verifies that the License has not been rescinded or revoked.

Jimmy - I have no stats to back me up, but I'd be willing to wager that many (if not most) illegal abusers DO NOT purchase their equipment new from dealers' shelves.

From what I have experienced, experienced Amateurs and repeater owners keep things pretty darned "clean" on the 40 or so repeaters I frequent here in Southern California.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

3435. Info Please: Dual-band Repeater Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dfravel@frontiernet.net
Message-ID: <5lcp7p$o9c@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 175487

Looking for info on an good dual-band repeater antenna.
i have a repeater on 2 meter and 440 and would like to
run them off one antenna.
what is the best dual-band repeater antenna?
what are the good and bad things?
what make and model of antenna?
what duplexer/splitting do you run?

Any help would be great....

Thanks
Dale N2LWY
dfravel@frontiernet.net
or
dlf@rfc.comm.harris.com

3436. Motorola HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.95.970514091952.24896C-100000@garcia.efn.org>
Source record: 175488

My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and one HT 600 model.

Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use) without interfering with commerical folks?
What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them legally?

I posed theese basic questions to FCC 4-6 weeks ago and received no response.

Tnx,

john (N7RVW)

3437. Defense Electronics TR-711 plug-ins?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: parise@gelato.gsfc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <5lcl55$ku4@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 175489

Anyone know where to find tuning units/if filters/ demods/ etc
for a DEI TR-711 telemetry receiver?

Thanks,
Ron, WA4SIR

3438. Problems RX TM-255E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ea4eob@nos.ea4rct.ampr.ORG
Message-ID: <189911@nos.ea4rct.ampr.org>
Source record: 175490

Hello om's

I've got a problem with the TM-255e Kenwood all-mode VHF transceiver, and
It is a full saturation of the receiver when I transmit in all HF bands,
also with very low powers.
Both antennas are separately about 10 meters, and the feed lines are
coaxials.

This is a great problem when you want to work some satellites modes.

I have solved the problem added a previous amplifier, but the QRM
inserted by this element in a big city like Madrid is no good.

If someone have the same problem or know something to solve it better, pse
tell me.

Thanks for read it.

Rafael Alonso Utrilla
e-mail: ea4eob@ea4rct.ampr.org

3439. Solar Data: Past, Present, Future

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3379EED5.5D98@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175491

Someone asked for a place to find present and past Solar Flux Indices,
and the A and K Indices.
Paul WN6K sent me the following information:

For Solar flux summaries by calendar quarter --1994 to 1997 -- Go to:
ftp://proton.sec.noaa.gov/pub/indices/old_indices/

For Current Months Solar data - Go to:
ftp://proton.sec.noaa.gov/pub/indices/
See -- quar_DGD.txt quar_DPD.txt quar_DSD.txt

There is a Mail List for Solar Data which gives 27 day outlook
forecasts, current HF Propagation Reports Data much more:
<<< subscribe/unsubscribe requests to prop-request@digimark.net >>>

Paul WN6K maintains Solar Graphs at URL:
http://idt.net/~wngk19/

This information will be added to the AC6V Ham and DX Reference Guide
under Propagation -- see URL's
below.

73
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3440. FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mtippin@swbell.net
Message-ID: <337a0098.8341424@news.alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 175492

I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig - my current one is an old Icom IC-25H which works great but has very limited capabilities (5 memories, no CTCSS tone, etc.) - I've narrowed my choices to these three models and would like to solicit opinions (good and bad) on each:

Yeasu FT2500M
Icom IC-2000
Kenwood TM-261A

Budget constraints require that I stay under $325 so some of the more capable and exotic models are out of reach. I've read the literature on each of these and they seem pretty fairly matched, the main differences being the number of memories available.

Of these three, which one would you consider to be the "best" for general mobile and/or base station operation for repeaters and occasionally packet radio?

73,

-Marty Tippin KC0AKA
mtippin@swbell.net

3441. tower antenna sale Atlanta, GA area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve McElroy <smcelroy@america.net>
Message-ID: <01bc608e$23c273e0$7f1299ce@rbaker.america.net>
Source record: 175493

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410' rohn 25......$ 25 per section
25' aluim mast....$ 100

message here or call home number 770-942-6226
steve
steve@broadcast.net
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3442. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Russo <russo@llama.swcp.com>
Message-ID: <y74iv0lkimn.fsf@llama.swcp.com>
Source record: 175494

"Rev. John A. Ryding" <zionluth@southwind.net> writes:
>
> Be careful. Also remember, in life and death situations, the rules go out
> the window in order to help those in need.

Yes, indeedie. And since the authorization for those of us on the team to use those frequencies happens to be tied directly and exclusively to the activation of a SAR mission there's quite a grey area for us --- if I'm only authorized to use the frequency during an emergency, and all I have is a non-type accepted rig, isn't the issue of illegal/legal transmission somewhat muddled?

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Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/
I asked my landlady how old she is and she wouldn't tell me. 'That's OK,'
I says, 'I'll just wait until you go to sleep tonight then I'll cut you
in half and count the rings.'... The cops didn't think it was funny,
neither. -- Bug-Eyed Earl

3443. HELP! HW-8 mods needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: john williams <ac6ts@n2.net>
Message-ID: <5lcr0g$pri@jsbach.n2.net>
Source record: 175495

i own a heathkit hw-8 and would like to know where i can find the mods
for it. especially adding a RIT. any help would be appreciated.

tnx
john williams

3444. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Russo <russo@llama.swcp.com>
Message-ID: <y74k9l2j9vj.fsf@llama.swcp.com>
Source record: 175496

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:

>
> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo <russo@slug.swcp.com> wrote:
> >aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) writes:
> >>
> >> BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?
> >>
> >[why]
> > Does that make
> >it a bad thing that I looked around for a radio which could easily be modified
> >to transmit on the bands I have to use on missions? And were I to ask about a
> >particular rig here and not explain myself fully, would I be asking for a
> >flame?
>
> Yes, you probably would. And that's because, to my knowledge, no currently

A question: Do you consider your response a "flame" or an intelligent explanation? I consider it the latter, and therefore exactly what I would hope my question would get, as opposed to a quick, nasty, somewhat uncalled for snipe as I've seen others offer.

There's flames and there's "you can't do that because..." I feel that there should be a bit more of the latter and a touch less of the former here. Of course, with folks running around asking "How can I modify my radio so I can say hi to cops as I pass them?" I suppose I'm asking a bit much to suggest that responders assume a functioning neuron or two on the part of the questioner.

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Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/
I asked my landlady how old she is and she wouldn't tell me. 'That's OK,'
I says, 'I'll just wait until you go to sleep tonight then I'll cut you
in half and count the rings.'... The cops didn't think it was funny,
neither. -- Bug-Eyed Earl

3445. Mods for C510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Manley <bman@webmart.net>
Message-ID: <337A1319.73B2@webmart.net>
Source record: 175497

Anybody know of the mods for the new Standard C510. Its the new little
radio like the 508 but this one has 1 watt output.
Thank to all that reply.

3446. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Soderback <ss@t.net>
Message-ID: <01bc609e$e90a5900$a37993cf@pop3>
Source record: 175498

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Note: Actual e-mail address Cliff-s@.worldnet.att.net
the indicated address is bogus to foil the
Spambots.

David Price <PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu> wrote in article
<5lc9o2$r8h@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>...
> In article <19970506042200.AAA08098@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
jpasquini@aol.com
> says...
> >
> >I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
> >noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering
and
> >seems to be dimmer than before.
> >Joe, N2NOU

Joe:
This is normal for a neon lamp, it will go out
eventually, but it won't effect the operation of the
power supply.

Cliff, W7VVA
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3447. Re: Astron RS-20M problem?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <5lc9o2$r8h@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 175499

In article <19970506042200.AAA08098@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jpasquini@aol.com says...
>
>I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
>noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
>seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
>sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
>situation (bad pun intended)? <g>
>
>This thing is just too heavy to send back to get repaired, and I'd like to
>do the repair myself if anyone else has any thoughts or suggestions.
>Perhaps this problem has already occurred to someone else?
>
>Thanks in advance, and 73 de
>
>Joe, N2NOU

Sounds like the filter caps are not doing there job, they maybe leaky or open, Also check the noload current on the primary on the tramsformer with the secondary open. You might have a bad transformer. AS for the switch, live with it or by a new one for RS.

Ke4zqz

3448. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704148636.AA863630142@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175500

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DC power supplies
EIMAC 3-500Z "THANKS"
EZ Clone for the TM-V7A available now (2 msgs)
FS: Kantronics KPC-3 (the right URL)
FS ICOM IC900
ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
Kenwood DSP10 for sale, for TS950
NEED: Radio Shack Pro 2036 mods

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 14 May 97 02:36:40
From: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com (Charles Mccurdy)
Subject: DC power supplies

Hi dose them car batteries work ok with a ups i had to have 2 gel sel batts
last fall thay cost is 35$ for both now thay want stay charged i dont know
whats wrong with this ups i use it for my ham radios if the power gose out.

73s kc5cxu

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|Internet: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 19:34:08 -0500
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Subject: EIMAC 3-500Z "THANKS"

Thanks to all for taking the time to reply to my 3-500Z tube query. 73
Murray.

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Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 23:31:43 +0000
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A available now

Rick Bates wrote:
>
> Forwarded from email. Haven't tried it out yet,
>
> Rick
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> ---------------------------------------------------------------
>
> Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A
> Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:24:04 -0600
> From: "Cary R. Penington" <pening@acsys.com>
> To: rbates@wco.com
>
> Hi Rick,
> EZ Clone support for the Kenwood TM-V7A is now available
> for $45.00, including cable and software. This notification
> is being sent as a result of your previous inquiries and
> interest in EZ Clone. Thanks, we are looking forward to
> hearing from you.
>
> 73
> Cary Penington, KC5KPS
> pening@acsys.com

Forgot to add: Http://www.acsys.com

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Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 23:29:20 +0000
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A available now

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Forwarded from email. Haven't tried it out yet,

Rick

--------------34F62EFE4DA0
Content-Type: message/rfc822
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline

Received: from usa.acsys.com (usa.acsys.com [192.92.123.51]) by shell.wco.com
(8.8.5/8.6.12) with SMTP id XAA26757 for <rbates@wco.com>; Thu, 8 May 1997 23:17:09 -0700
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(PDT)
Received: from ppanther (ppanther.acsys.com) by usa.acsys.com (4.1/SMI-4.1)
id AA10881; Fri, 9 May 97 00:17:07 MDT
Sender: pening@acsys.com
Message-Id: <3372B4F4.544DF537@acsys.com>
Date: Thu, 08 May 1997 23:24:04 -0600
From: "Cary R. Penington" <pening@acsys.com>
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0 (X11; I; Linux 1.2.13 i586)
Mime-Version: 1.0
To: rbates@wco.com
Subject: EZ Clone for the TM-V7A
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

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for $45.00, including cable and software. This notification
is being sent as a result of your previous inquiries and
interest in EZ Clone. Thanks, we are looking forward to
hearing from you.

73
Cary Penington, KC5KPS
pening@acsys.com

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Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 12:17:33 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Subject: FS: Kantronics KPC-3 (the right URL)

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

sorry, the correct URL is:
http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=wfg2173
Thanks again
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****
* Craig T. Bailey *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* *
***********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

--------------7EF316B44D47
Content-Type: image/gif; name="KPC3.GIF"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="KPC3.GIF"

<encoded_portion_removed>
534QLuiGruiOLumWrume7nAEBAA7
--------------7EF316B44D47--

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 17:09:22 -0700
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Subject: FS ICOM IC900

I have for sale 1 ICOM IC900 it has the 2 meter and 70 cm modules and is
compleate,plug and play.$600
AL

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 17:08:50 -0400
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

W6SFG wrote:
>
> Steve,
> FYI, I just finished the promotional video that will be shown at Dayton on
> the
> FT- 920 for Yaesu. I've been a ham since 1959 (W6SFG) and kinda do these
> things as a hobby. I also do work for a number of the other Ham Radio
> manfactures. My real job is Producing major TV projects like the Titanic
> Expedition, Arnold Schwarzenegger and other network stuff etc.
> I'm personally very impressed with the 920's features, operation and
> price...street cost around $1600.
> Good luck on your decision!
> Bruce
> Bruce Braun
> President: Creative Teleproductions, Inc.
> Web site:http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html

Both Radios havew some unique features so it is a hard decision.
The Yaesu has "Dual Out of Band Watch" and the Icom has only duel watch
inside the same band. The Icom has the famous spectrum scope. etc
It is tough. I may wait till QST Magazine does a review of the radio.
73's , NS1R Steven Hershman

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 19:29:21 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: Kenwood DSP10 for sale, for TS950

Make your Kenwood TS950S an SD

for sale, kenwood DSP10, in box, used for service bench to check
radios, hardley used, low hours.
$250 shipped cont u.s.

Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 04:43:37 -0600
From: eb5agv@ctv.es
Subject: NEED: Radio Shack Pro 2036 mods

Thanks for reading this message!

As title says, I'm looking for mods for the RS-2036 Pro.

Any information welcomed!

Thanks and best regards.

73 JOSE V.GAVILA (EB5AGV/EC5AAU)
Benetusser - Valencia
SPAIN

--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #531
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Wed, 14 May 97 12:56:41 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wRhMa-0009erC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Wed, 14 May 1997 12:57:16 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id MAA12976; Wed, 14 May 1997 12:57:10 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma012970; Wed, 14 May 97 12:56:21 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id CAA04279 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 14 May
1997 02:52:06 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id CAA25004
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 14 May 1997 02:46:55 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id CAA24958
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

Wed, 14 May 1997 02:46:47 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705140946.CAA24958@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 14 May 97 02:46:44 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #531
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3449. Astatis D-104 Impedence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net
Message-ID: <337991db.20476149@news.lightspeed.net>
Source record: 175501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

3450. California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "downconverters" - microwave reception components for applications world-wide in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: esther@otn.com
Message-ID: <esther-ya023180001405971338320001@news.alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 175502
Cross-posted to: rec.video.satellite.dbs,rec.video.satellite.tvro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest line of satellite television products in the world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite operators, distributors and dealers around the world.

The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they were voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The high performance Ku-Band product line is also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and DBS digital Ku-Band satellite systems.

With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, Inc. is ready to serve your satellite television system needs.

You can visit california Amplifier's Web Site at http://www.calamp.com

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Esther Goodman
Over TheNet

3451. FS-3KW ANT. TUNER, HF AMP.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Rosenthall <rosenthallr@claven.fanshawec.on.ca>
Message-ID: <337A201C.74A2@claven.fanshawec.on.ca>
Source record: 175503

NYE VIKING MB-V-A 3 Kw. ant. tuner in mint condition for sale. $500 U.S. O.B.O.

DENTRON GLA 1000B HF Amp. in excellent condition for sale. New set of finals installed. $350 U.S. O.B.O.

Richard VE3IAD

3452. Parts Wanted: (CP640)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: soldan@ksu.edu
Message-ID: <5ld98m$71n@cbs.ksu.ksu.edu>
Source record: 175504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Need CP640 FET made by Teledyne/Crystallonics. For Repair of Signal
One CX-11A. Please email responses to: soldan@ksu.edu. Any info on
equivalents also appreciated.

N0IN
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David L. Soldan, Ph.D., Professor and Head, Electrical and Computer Engineering
Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas 66506. (913) 532-5600
INTERNET: soldan@eece.ksu.edu BITNET: soldan@ksuvm.bitnet

3453. Kenwood TM-V7E vs Icom IC-207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerhard@ats.xs4all.nl
Message-ID: <5ldacm$da0@ats.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 175505

Hi amateurs,

I'm doubing between buying a Kenwood TM-V7E or a Icom IC-207H.

How does 9600 bps perform ?

Which one has the best performance ?

Any good/bad things ?

73,

Gerhard (PE1RLZ)

3454. Re: 9600 bps with IC-207H?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerhard@ats.xs4all.nl
Message-ID: <5ld505$d1e@ats.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 175506

poseidon@ziplink.net (Benedict P. Barszcz) writes:
>Hi everybody,
>does anyone know how well icom-207h performs at 9600 bps packet radio?

>So many manufacturers announce that their radios are "9600 ready" but
>life shows that many of them are NOT.

>Does it apply to IC-207H?

I'm also planning to buy one...

How does is perform compared with the Kenwood TM-V7 E/A ?

Is it also possible to do packet on 70cm and normal QSO on 2m at the same
time ?

Thanks in advance,

Gerhard.

(PE1RLZ)

3455. Any info on FRS Alinco DJ-S46T? (Twin to DJ-S41T)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dvhunt@es.com
Message-ID: <5ld349$7u9@esnews.corp.es.com>
Source record: 175507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I recently saw an advertisement for the new Alinco DJ-S46T FRS (Family Radio Service) handheld radio. Does anyone have further information on this?!

It appears to be practically identical to the DJ-S41T and the new DJ-S11T, but works on the new FRS band. The ad that I saw said that it hadn't yet been approved by the FCC and didn't include a price. Anyone know when this might be available and how much it might cost?!

Thanks,
Darvell (N7LN)

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Darvell D. Hunt (N7LN) n7ln@qsl.net
See info about my QSL clip art CD at: http://www.qsl.net/n7ln

3456. Electronic Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Linda Braspenning <linda.braspenning@skynet.be>
Message-ID: <337A9100.2A31@skynet.be>
Source record: 175508

I study Product Development and am developing a device for pilots on ships.
This device will be a combination of a portophone and a data-receiver, both working on the marine VHF-frequencies (150-170 MHz). (Range: 50 km)
I will need 2 antenna's, since the speach-channel must be open on all times and can't be shut down when data (in the form of a telegram) is being received.

To be able to give this device a decent ~ ergonomic acceptable ~ form, I need some info on some electronic parts. I've tried the Internet and 've written to multiple companies, without any result.

Since I'm a real layman on the topic of radio-communication, I also need some answers on basic questions.

First of all: what are basic dimensions (if possible also prize and weight) for transceivers and receivers?

2. Does such a transceiver include a modulator/demodulator (~ receiver - demodulator)

3. How much battery-power is needed?

4. Can I use a fully integrated antenna on this? (I mean integrated within the body of the device, whithout any ducky antenna's sticking out)

Thanks very,very much for all the info you guys out there can give me.

Linda

linda.braspenning@skynet.be

3457. Re: Best coax for HF opinion...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: netking@dircon.co.uk
Message-ID: <5ld8kh$3lm$1@newsserver.dircon.co.uk>
Source record: 175509

In article <3379EC7C.ABE@vbe.com>, Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com> wrote:
>After a discussion among other hams I thought I'd post a question to
>start a discussion of the "best" coax for HF operation.
>
>The opinion should be based on cost, ease of use, signal loss, etc...
>
>The situation involves a run of no more than 100 feet, HF operation only
>up to full legal power, possible bury but not necessary.
>
>examples: RG8, RG58, RG213, 9913 etc....
>
>Thanks in advance for your opinions.
>
>
>73 Mike Melland KB9QHU
>badger@vbe.com
At 50 MHz, 100 feet of RG58U (poly) has a loss of 3.1dB, which isn't a big
deal at HF (loss will be lower at lower frequency), but if that worries you
100 feet of RG213U goes down to 1.6 dB which is pretty good, and RG8U
is 1.2dB. I have run an antenna system on about 30-40m of RG58U
which is thin enough to be very conveniently handled, and used
up to 400W PEP with good results. Burying is an excellent idea for
reducing RF fields on the outside of the coax travelling back to the shack
or house. Open-wire feeder is the best as far as loss is concerned, but much
more awkward to install, susceptible to influence of nearby objects, requires
balanced high-Z feed at the input, requires care to avoid loss increases when
rain gets on the spreaders, requires protection against inadvertent contact.

Colin Seymour G4NNA
1Mb/s 2.45 GHz spread spectrum radio modems & digital video:
http://www.he.net/~netking/index.html
http://www.users.dircon.co.uk/~netking/

3458. Re: HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark White <markw@Iconnect>
Message-ID: <5ldqur$lu5$1@connect3.iconnect.net>
Source record: 175510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

orion@nospamcapital.net wrote:
>
> On Mon, 12 May 1997 13:52:12 GMT, masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:
>
> >It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."
> >
> >When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
> >HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
> >Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
> >PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!
> >
> >any ideas ? help !!!!!
> >
> >
> >Masataka Noda
> >Masa@WriteMe-X.com
> >http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
> >
> >Spam Security is ON:
> >Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.
>
> I think the "bugs" are in your head, judging from the loony nonsense
> you post here.
>
> --
> 73,
> Butch
> To send mail
> delete nospam
> from my address.

Why do you have a 2m in your car when your name does not show up in any
callsign databases? 73's de N9OHS

3459. Standard C168A Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ERNIE TIMLIN <ERNIETIMLIN@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <337A88F8.6A5B@prodigy.net>
Source record: 175511

Does anyone know if the C168A can be modified to transmit on the aircraft band? It is already capable of receiving FM and AM on the aircraft band.

3460. WTB: 2m or 2m/70cm All Mode Xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cvoid@netcom.com
Message-ID: <cvoid-1405971448190001@axolotl.macromedia.com>
Source record: 175512

Am looking to purchase a 2m All Mode transceiver, or a 2m/70cm All Mode transceiver.

Please e-mail if you have on for sale. Thanks in advance.

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Christian Void /T71 | "I don't like it, and I'm sorry I | V/M/Research, Inc.
cvoid@netcom.com | ever had anything to do with it." | P.O. Box 170213
Tel. 1+415-998-0774 | -Erwin Schrodinger (1887-1961) | SF, CA 94117-0213
* PGP v2.3a Public Key Available Via Finger *
WWW: http://www.morphine.com/cvoid/

3461. WA6FHI and WinHdg 2.0 Homepage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Jearos <jearosj@hughes.net>
Message-ID: <01bc60e5$b25abe80$0a2a61ce@jearosj>
Source record: 175513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio

Hi,

I just reworked my homepage, so come on down and check it out. I also have the latest 30-day evaluation version of WinHdg 2.0 (Windows Heading & Country Finder) available for downloading.
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John -WA6FHI-
74562.37@compuserve.com
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/john_jearos

3462. Kachina Communications Inc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lester Earnshaw <lester@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <5lde2e$ch8$1@news3.texas.net>
Source record: 175514

Visit Kachina Communication's Home Page at www.kachina-az.com for the latest in HF communications

Les

KB7FA

3463. New ham radio web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com
Message-ID: <c66_9705150039@conchbbs.com>
Source record: 175515

hears my ham radio web site www.qsl.net/kc5cxu

73s kc5cxu

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|Fidonet: Charles Mccurdy 1:106/1492
|Internet: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

3464. IC-775DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@anytime.at.all
Message-ID: <MPG.de41e3738e3db2b989683@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 175516

I am just getting back active after a 10 year absence. I am looking at the IC-775DSP transceiver and would be interested in any comments, one way or the other. Specifically,

1. What is the difference between serial numbers less than 1900 and over 2000?

2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire, that can accommodate 200w?

3. Any other comments on Icon, especially vs. the FT-1000D?

Thanks for any comments and opinions.

73,

--
John Smith, AA1SE
For replies, please send to smith77 at ibm dot net

3465. Need docs for HA2 2m transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>
Message-ID: <337A7836.79CC@mnsinc.com>
Source record: 175517

Can any one help me with hook up information etc for Hallicrafters HA 2
two meter transverter. There is a P/S (no cover) with octal plugs at the
back and so on. What are the drive requirements? What is the output?
How is the unit tuned. How are the octal plugs hooked up/positioned, etc.

Any one able to help? Thanks, Neil AB4YK.

3466. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>
Message-ID: <337A6C9A.4B56@mnsinc.com>
Source record: 175518

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency and training nets. Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as experienced ones. It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS repeater freqs. Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this feature were more generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area, consider radios that can be modified for out of band legitimate usage.
Neil AB4YK.
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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to start with:There were various other replies.

3467. icom handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: randalll@apollo.ruralnet.net.au
Message-ID: <337af6df.0@ren2.netconnect.com.au>
Source record: 175519

Hi There

I have an icom IC-W21E fm dual band transceiver, does anyone know if this radio can be made to transmitt out of band (yes I know) any other mods for this set would be appreciated.

Randall VK2EFA@VK2DPG-1.ampr.org

email randalll@apollo.ruralnet.net.au

3468. Wanted Schematic diagram ICOM 751-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerardo Guerra <siroco@arrakis.es>
Message-ID: <337b1f9b.0@news.arrakis.es>
Source record: 175520
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

If anyone can help me, please send a copy of the schematic diagram for ICOM
751A
Thanks in advanced
Gerardo, EA8IJ
Tenerife - Canary Islands

siroco@arrakis.es

3469. wtd: receive coils for G>E> mvp repeater.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Frovik <n0mnb@minn.net>
Message-ID: <01bc600d$1fe3dec0$31c99dcc@default>
Source record: 175552

hello
i need the three tunig coils for the receive section on my mvp repeater. i
have them
all the way to the top and need the one s for 420-450 mhz .g.e. mvp
repeater.i'll
give ya the ones for 406-420 if wanted.

thanks
n0mnb@minn.net

612-280-0591

3470. FS: Motorola HT90 UHF HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5lb7tn$sui@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 175553

Hello, I have a Motorola HT90 UHF HT for sale with rapid charger and two good batteries. Freq range is 450-470, 4 watt, 2 freq. Currently on 443.1 my uhf repeater. $100 shipped
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

3471. Re: Telephone Patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514031100.XAA29976@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175554

The one I have for sale is the best thing going. Not because I have it for sale, but that is the truth. CSI makes the patch you want because it covers all the things you will run into. The CS-900 is a VOX Simplex patch. But, that doesn't mean it can't work with/on a (duplex) Repeater. See the following.

CSI CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect). Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed at base. 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Built in programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if someone is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile across circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with nice base antenna, more height or an amplifier. Ever more range through a repeater. Just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (A club could run this patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a LOW COST spare 2m (220 or whatever). Easy volume adjustments and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, YOU are the control operator. Plus, a long list of other professional features. With a cross-banding rig in your car, you can go all over town making AND RECIEVING calls on simplex with your HT on low power 440! Set it to ringout, send DTMF (touch tone) code or use a silent PL tone, sent to your HT. Imaculate $299

So, this is a computer system working as your patch not just a complicated curcuit. The is the deluxe, everything has been thought out kind of patch. It's made into a small box about the size of a mobile rig. I know you will LOVE it.

I also have the following for sale by the way......

$149 - Mother board, INTEL PENTIUM 90 mhz,*PCI* & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade your computer today. Takes 72 pin memory. (see PCI card below). Like new with intel manual.

$59 - Card - SVGA *PCI* high quality video. **$39** with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem with manuals **$10** with MB & Video card.

3472. Re: FT-50R and VX-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514031400.XAA00217@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175555

Watch out. The connection for the FT-10/40 is the opposite of the one on the FT-50. So, the VX-10 may be the same.

3473. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6014$faa8a520$3b0f2399@peter->
Source record: 175556

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote in article
<3375093F.56C6@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>...
> Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys
> cigarettes. And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
> possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license before
> they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ham
> bands may slow down?

But it is frequently dealers wishing to make extra sales that account for
much
of this equipment...

3474. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6015$383c8000$3b0f2399@peter->
Source record: 175557

Tim Nicholson <timn@renewal-iis.com> wrote in article
<01bc5fe2$17549cc0$9d95cdd0@W95-21.RENEWAL-IIS.COM>...
> Or better yet, look up their callsign to ensure they have a valid
license.
> Most stores have computers, and all they would need is an Internet link.
>

My father bought me my first 2m HT. If what you are proposing goes into
effect, that kind of thing will never happen again.

3475. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6014$b32fd4c0$3b0f2399@peter->
Source record: 175558

orion@nospamcapital.net wrote in article
<3377f462.1734836@news.capital.net>...
> >
> Maybe so, but I also wouldn't want one in the house. Corrosive acid,
> explosive fumes, etc.

Most batteries these days are sealed/maintenance free.

I worked for a UPS company and we used tons of lead acid sealed batteries.
They are quite safe as long as you don't:

Open them up
Overcharge them for a long time, esp. at high current
Short them out

Opening them up means don't put them where they can fall
Regulate your charger, crowbar is nice (make sure to fuse the charging
line!!)
ALWAYS fuse the thing!

I have a couple of BIG auto batteries on a 1200 VA UPS backing up my gas
hot water boiler and a few lights. Good for a couple of days when it's
very cold.

3476. Updates to subminiature vacuum tube data web page, done

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wa2iseEA5M3B.DI7@netcom.com>
Source record: 175559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I just finished adding additional sub-miniature vacuum tubes to
my web page of data on sub-mini's.

http://www.netcom.com/~wa2ise/radios/penciltubes.html

3477. Mods!!!! members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514042101.AAA14948@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175560

members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

Jamie Bucher

3478. MODS members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514042100.AAA14976@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175561

members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher

3479. Want info on Kenwood Mic connector.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gcouger@tacoma.ceatlabs.okstate.edu
Message-ID: <5lbjlm$8b7@news.cis.okstate.edu>
Source record: 175562

I have a Kenwood 8400. I need some mic plugs and jacks for it. The plug is a six pin screw on DIN plug. I want several of both the plug and the jack. An Alied(sp?) or other vendor part number would be very welcome.

Thanks
Gordon

Gordon Couger W5RED
624 Cheyenne
Stillwater, OK 74075
405.624.2855 home

3480. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704148635.AA863594613@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175563

Ham-Equip Digest Tue, 13 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 529

Today's Topics:
FS: Icom W2A 2 M / 70 Cm Dualband Handheld +
FS: Kantronics KPC-3
HAL PCI-3000
Heathkit Repair
ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
Manuals needed: IT-28, DX100B, Super6, Eico 625
Test Equipment FS - Can Deliver to Dayton
Yaesu FT-1000D.. or is it?
Yaesu rotator controller

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 08:59:55 -0700
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Subject: FS: Icom W2A 2 M / 70 Cm Dualband Handheld +

I find that I am no longer using my Icom W2a Radio. It is in excellent
condition, and comes with the following:

1 The W2a Radio
2 The BP-84 (Standard issue Battery Pack) Charged maybe 3 or 4 times.
3 The Periphex 12 Volt Battery
4 The Icom FA-1443B Dual Band Rubber Duck Antenna
5 The Diamond RH77B Dual Band Rubber Duck Antenna (Longer Antenna)
6 The Icom BC-80 Desktop Rapid Smart Charger with Wall Wart (AC Power
Supply)
7 The Icom BC-77A (Standard Issue) Battery Charger
8 The Manual and Boxs
9 A Shoulder/Chest Holster

All this and I am only asking $350.00 or best offer plus shipping costs.

John W7JCS Stilson
jstilson@whidbey.net

PS The SPAM tool is on so to use the reply function remove the * from
the address.

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 12:14:14 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Subject: FS: Kantronics KPC-3

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------16A63E2C5E4E
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

look at the great deal you can get when you buy my KPC-3 auction style!
http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cg1?item=wfg2173
Thank you and good luck!
PS - I attached a picture of the KPC-3
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****
* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* *
***********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

--------------16A63E2C5E4E
Content-Type: image/gif; name="KPC3.GIF"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="KPC3.GIF"

<encoded_portion_removed>
534QLuiGruiOLumWrume7nAEBAA7
--------------16A63E2C5E4E--

Date: 13 May 1997 12:00:10 GMT
From: katkey007@aol.com (Katkey007)
Subject: HAL PCI-3000

PCI-300 with spectra tune console and both books.
$200.00
Bob,
katkey007@aol.com

Date: 13 May 1997 20:33:26 GMT
From: oxyura@aol.com (Oxyura)

Subject: Heathkit Repair

Hi,

I have a Heathkit digital frequency counter IM-2410 that does not work any more. The digits light, the decimal point is correct, and the 3.5 Mc. oscillator is running but the unit will not count. I have used the unit for years and I just hate to toss it. (Who or) where could I get it repaired?

Please E-mail any suggestions.

Thanks,

William Lund
oxyura@aol.com

Date: 13 May 1997 11:49:40 GMT
From: w6sfg@aol.com (W6SFG)
Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Steve,
FYI, I just finished the promotional video that will be shown at Dayton on the
FT- 920 for Yaesu. I've been a ham since 1959 (W6SFG) and kinda do these things as a hobby. I also do work for a number of the other Ham Radio manfactures. My real job is Producing major TV projects like the Titanic Expedition, Arnold Schwarzenegger and other network stuff etc.
I'm personally very impressed with the 920's features, operation and price...street cost around $1600.
Good luck on your decision!
Bruce
Bruce Braun
President: Creative Teleproductions, Inc.
Web site:http://members.aol.com/w6sfg/bbraun.html

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:49:34 -0700
From: Gerry & Robin Lempicki <lempicki@psych.umass.edu>
Subject: Manuals needed: IT-28, DX100B, Super6, Eico 625

Hi! I got carried away at a hamfest by buying some peoples junk to make it my treasure...I need manuals/operating instructions for these things though. Can anyone supply me with a copy? (of course I will pay for copies and shipping).
Here's the list:
Heathkit IT-28 capacitor checker
Heathkit DX100b
Gonset Super 6 BC to HF converter (also need wiring diagram)
Eico Model 625 tube tester

Please email with info...
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Gerry KA1STZ Robin KA1YJR
1948 PA-15 Vagabond
http://www-vms.oit.umass.edu/~lempicki/index.htm

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 09:36:56 -0400
From: "Chuck Hatcher" <chatcher@ramlink.net>
Subject: Test Equipment FS - Can Deliver to Dayton

I need to liquidate the following equipment:

CT Systems (Wavetek) 3000B Service Monitor, unused, $2000
HP 204C Oscillators, $65 - $125, depending on cosmetics.
HP 8640B Opt 323 Signal Generator, $850
Millivac MV-823B-S1 RF Millivoltmeter, $225
Tektronix 7623A 100MHz Storage Mainframe, $300
Tektronix 7854 400MHZ Digital Storage Mainframe with Keyboard, $650
Tektronix 466 Portable Storage Scope, $375

I trade for General Coverage Receivers & Ham Gear.

I will be at Dayton on Saturday only and can deliver there.
A few other items listed at http://www.chaos1.com/elex .

Chuck Hatcher
Ashland, KY

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 15:32:47 GMT
From: WA2RSX@worldnet.att.net (Vince- ex:WV2RSX)
Subject: Yaesu FT-1000D.. or is it?

Hi Rick:

Im sorry that those that gave you answers, did not post to the
NewsGroup. I have similiar inquiries about the FT1000/d.

It is my understanding that there is a 600 Hertz filter available as
an add-on to the 1000/d. Im not clear if a second 250Hertz at the 3rd
I.F. is included in the 1000/d.

I have this thread marked to watch with Free Agent, but I think I have
missed the info.

73s,
Vince

On Tue, 13 May 1997 02:50:28 -0400, Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
wrote:

>Richard Valentine wrote:
>>

>> Differences between the FT-1000 and "D" model were always a bit unclear
>> when it came to filtering.
>> QUESTION: Did the 1000D include the SUB-RECEIVER 500 HZ Filter?
>> -- I bought what was said to be a "D" , but it doesn't have that
>> filter.... seems to have all the other goodies however.
>>
>> Thanks,
>> Rick, N1SQJ
>**********
>
> THANKS TO ALL THAT EMAILED REPLIES. APRRECIATE IT!
>
> -- Rick, N1SQJ

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:32:25 -0700
From: "Paul A. DeFelice" <k9nu@prairienet.com>
Subject: Yaesu rotator controller

I have a control unit for a Yaesu G-1000/SDX rotator.
$200.00

Paul k9nu@prairienet.com

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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Wed, 14 May 97 02:40:21 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wRXkn-0009erC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Wed, 14 May 1997 02:41:37 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id CAA04986; Wed, 14 May 1997 02:41:36 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.54) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma004984; Wed, 14 May 97 02:41:05 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id VAA20972 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 13 May
1997 21:22:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id VAA27701
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 13 May 1997 21:16:29 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id RAA27240

sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 13 May 1997 17:40:46 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705140040.RAA27240@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 13 May 97 17:40:45 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #529
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3481. Re: IC-706 XCVR to Computer Interface Cable, Help Please?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5gh@flash.net
Message-ID: <5lb9gnoov1@excalibur.flash.net>
Source record: 175564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The best thing to do is buy a JBI universal radio interface kit.
The JBI kit is reviewed in Dec 96 issue of 73 magazine. I bought
two just as the author of article did and they work great.
There are 3 articles in QST magazine relating to computer interfaces
all good reading. July 92 "A Low-Cost PC Interface for ICOM Radios"
Feb 93 "Everything You Always Wanted to Know about Hardware for
Computer-Controlling Modern Radios" and Sept 91 "An Inexpensive
Computer/Radio Interface". Hope this helps. 73, George K5GH

3482. Scout 555 wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: g0l0ga@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514074901.DAA22008@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175565

In search of a mint Ten-Tec Scout 555. Please, e-mail details or fax some info to (510) 236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

3483. TS50S wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: g0l0ga@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514075200.DAA22068@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175566

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)
236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

3484. Re: DC power supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com
Message-ID: <a86_9705140312@conchbbs.com>
Source record: 175567

Hi dose them car batteries work ok with a ups i had to have 2 gel sel batts
last fall thay cost is 35$ for both now thay want stay charged i dont know
whats wrong with this ups i use it for my ham radios if the power gose out.

73s kc5cxu

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|Fidonet: Charles Mccurdy 1:106/1492
|Internet: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

3485. Yaesu Mobile Dual Banders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: asimonin@murdrum.nmsu.edu
Message-ID: <5lb0rn$s1u@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 175568

I am interested in comments about the various 2M/70CM Yaesu dual banders. Recently, someone in this news group seemed to have receiver ignition noise problems with the FT-8500 series when used in their Toyota truck. I have a Nissan which has noise problems on the standard AM band so this ignition noise issue could affect my mobile use. I have a FT-51R which picks us some noise when used in the Nissan. What are the differences between the FT-5200 series and FT-8500 radios? Comments are appreciated!

Thanks....
asimonin@acca.nmsu.edu
---Las Cruces, NM---
Engineering, converting science into technology

3486. Wanted info on European CE testing of electronic products

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: drkfs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970514094100.FAA23389@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175569

I am looking for information about CE testing of battery operated
equipment to satisfy the European EMC Directive as it applies in the UK.
What tests are required? Is there standardised equipment used for these
tests? Are CE testers licensed? Can you do it yourself?
Any help advice or experience, gratefully received.
Many thanks
Kevin Scott GM7WJL e-mail: DrKFS@AOL.com

3487. NEED: Radio Shack Pro 2036 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: eb5agv@ctv.es
Message-ID: <863602680.14090@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for reading this message!

As title says, I'm looking for mods for the RS-2036 Pro.

Any information welcomed!

Thanks and best regards.

73 JOSE V.GAVILA (EB5AGV/EC5AAU)
Benetusser - Valencia
SPAIN

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3488. FS: Kenwood TM-441A 440 rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevewz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515213300.RAA16695@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175321

I have for sale in excellent condition a Kenwood TM-441a 440 mobile rig. I have the box, manual, touchtone mic, mobile bracket and also has the tone board installed. I will take $300 plus shipping and can be reached at (508)-821-2993
or e-mail. WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma.

3489. Re: Mods for MLA-2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rh3333@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515214100.RAA17491@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175322

I have a couple of different articles on the '2500' including two articles about retubing the unit with a different tube other than the 8875 that has become very expensive and difficult to find.

This information consist of about 30 pages so I would have to as $15 for the set + $3 postage.

If interested please let me know

Richard Hale

3490. Re: Bragg lens

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Ingebretsen <aeronaut@aquila.wanet.com>
Message-ID: <337B8E9D.39D9@aquila.wanet.com>
Source record: 175323

Ba Jackson wrote:
>
> Does any one know what a Bragg lens is???
> --
> Ba Jackson
> jackson@esun1.las.lockheed.com
> Disclaimer: Any opinions stated above are mine and not
> those of my employer.
> Disclaimer: If I say something and you do it, it isn't
> my fault.

I believe what you are refering to is an electro-optical device called a "Bragg Cell" which uses a principal in physics called the bragg angle (refering to refraction in a crystal lattice structure). One use of a brag cell is to deflect a laser beam at different angles depending on the frequency of an audio voltage applied across the cell. They are not an everyday item, unless you work with research lasers.

Hope this helps a little.

Dennis N6TUQ (Ex- Lockheed employee)

3491. FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: whowell@ici.net
Message-ID: <5lg3r2$a9k$1@bashir.ici.net>
Source record: 175324

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

3492. Re: spc anc-4 noise canx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: nuview@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <337c96ba.2018500@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175325

Have had a ANC 4 now for two years....works extremely well, the secret
is to put a good receiving ant on it so the ANC4 will receive the
noise on the same or at the same level as the HF receiver, then its
easy to move it(noise) out of phase and cancel the interfering
signal!!! I use a 6' diamond hung off the tower about 40' up!!!! Have
canceled noise signals as high as 10 over 9 down to 0!!!
Good Luck
Bill

3493. Kam v8.0e Firmware and Front Panel?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <337BD10D.40A5@primenet.com>
Source record: 175326

Kam v8.0e Firmware and Front Panel?

I'm Spring Cleaning and undergoing other major shack changes.
As a result, I recently purchased a used Kantronics KAM all mode:
S/N 11K01-02340

Looks like a very nice unit, but the previous owner drilled a
small hole in the *front panel* for a reset switch and it has
the version 7 firmware (on a daughter card inside).

Anyway 4 questions:
1) Have info below, but is there an 800 number?
2) Where can I get the ver 8.0e firmware to upgrade?
3) Where can I get a new front panel?
4) I guess the daughter card makes it a Kam+ ?

Kantronics
1202 E. 23rd St
Lawrence, Kansas 66046-5099
913-842-7745
Fax 913-842-2031
Technical Service 913-842-4476, hours: 9-12, 2-5

ke7gh@primenet.com

3494. Re: HTX-202 won't transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: teacherjh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970516035600.XAA22290@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175327

>> just exchange your old one with a new one at RS.

Thanks.. but the unit is several years old. (it had been exchanged three times for other problems, and the last time was for a completely new unit..but that was several years ago)

Jose
KD1SB

3495. Comm. Equip. For SALE :

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: josh <jlgo@best.com>
Message-ID: <337AB82A.39DF@best.com>
Source record: 175328

Hello, the following is available for sale or trade. It is 'commercial' but with some skill, most is definitely HAM Adaptable.

** All Equipment is in Good condition,working & recently pulled from service.

($175) 1- GE VOTER w/ 4 CARDS & AUDIO & POWER CARDS.

($300) 1- RCA '500 SERIES' continuos duty Commercial 75w REPEATER on 464/469.575 w/ PL REEDs of 5B (Motorola TYpe), complete in short Rack Cabinet w/ Doors, Channel Elements & Service/User Manuals- New Channel Elements available from ICM at $41.25 each, may need a tune-up but at last check it worked excellently.

($120) 1- GE Master II UHF Mobile w/ Control Head,Cable & 12 Channel Elements (460Mhz Range), just waiting to be turned nto a Repeater, I will include repeater mods I have .

($50 for both) 2- DATA SIGNAL,INC. CW-ID 70 Morse Code Station/Repeater Identifiers, w/ Service manual, programmable via Eprom (tricky but definitely do-able) , tested & working.

($100 for both) 2- ICOM U12 12 channel UHF 460-470 Mhz 4W Portable Handheld's UHF w/ Nicads. & antennas (they work & look good, but the batteries need rebuiling, which is easily done.).These are Sytnthesized, and programmable via Diode Matrix, I don't know if these can be brought down to 440, but they are definitelky an experimenters delight.

($190) 1- Motorola MTX8000 B3 800Mhz Portable w/ Std. Chgr & 2 Batteries.

($45) 1- Connect Systems (CSI) Model CS-950 Simplex Interconnect.
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Prefer to sell all as Package (*Make Offer*), or individually as marked...

Equipment I am looking for (for trading or maybe buying):

IBM Laptop (i.e. 701C, or similair small Notebook type)
OptoElectronics Equipment.
Misc. RF/Test/Bench Equipment.
Good quality Scanning Recievers (Icom,AOR,Etc... Prefer Base)
2M or 440 (Or Dual Banders) Base.
Other Amateur Equipment in Base or mobile Configurations.
Base Antenna
2M or 440 Duplexor.

I am in Northern California (San Jose/ Fremont Area) & prefer locals to avoid shipping hassles, but if you'd like I will ship for additional shipping costs.

If you are interested feel free to Email me at jlgo@best.com

73's

3496. WTB: Icom R1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>
Message-ID: <337BAAAE.7D3F@csufresno.edu>
Source record: 175329

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto
hs036@csufresno.edu

3497. Collins MP-1 Mobile Poweer Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5lfep7$ncf@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 175330

Operate your Collins KWM2/2A from your motorhome, car or any 12V source with this Collins MP-1 power supply. Asking $100.00.

3498. Re: HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Opitz <opie@flash.net>
Message-ID: <337B9692.5216@flash.net>
Source record: 175331

1. Press VF.

2. Press F+M-SET to access the menu.

3. Press ^ or v to select tc (for transmit tone) or rc (for receive tone).

4. Rotate TUNE to select the desired tone.

5. Press PTT to save and exit the menu.

To activate tone, press F+T-SQL.

Also, check out http://support.tandy.com for additional excerpts from the manual, or call 1-800-THE-SHACK to order a manual (actually, the manual for the HTX-404 is better, and both radios work the same except for the frequency coverage).

Paul Opitz

3499. HELP!!! FT-736 vs TS-790 vs IC-821

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Juha Rantanen <rantjuh@jytol.fi>
Message-ID: <337B5651.14E2@jytol.fi>
Source record: 175332

I'm about to purchase a new rig and I would like to get some comments about these three rigs FT-736, TS-790 and IC-821. I have working experiments only of ft-736 and it was on a terrestial contest. I have no kind of experiments of satellite working so if you would so kind and reply to me on this newsgroup. The rigs are about the same price so that makes no difference between them. I'm about to use rig mostly on tropo, ES and aurora working, maybe in the future via satellite, that should also be considered.

73's de OH6KSR Juha Rantanen

3500. Re: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trevor <corky@sunline.net>
Message-ID: <337BBC5A.383D@sunline.net>
Source record: 175333
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>
> http://www.3doptics.com
The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a
link which you may find helpful
http://www.ocbsa.org/troop319/319jota.htm

3501. Re: Packet Node TNC for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4iaj@gate.net
Message-ID: <337a7673.977467324@news.gate.net>
Source record: 175429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.digital,alt.ham-radio.packet

Me too...

On Mon, 12 May 1997 10:14:20 -0400, Zamphir <Look@bottom.com> wrote:

>Hi, I have for sale a MFJ TNC converted to a Packet Node. =
>
>It consist of an MFJ-1274 TNC converted with the X-1J4 epprom.
>I'll take $100 for it.
>E-mail me at the address below if interested.
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>Ricky - KC4KIN
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> -A personal observation 1994

3502. WTB: KLM 661 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ldvjp$g8v@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175430

HELP!! I am STILL looking for a clean KLM 661 xcvr. Have one?? Please contact me. Thanks and 73,
Tim

3503. Re: Packet Node TNC for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4iaj@gate.net
Message-ID: <337a847a.981012623@news.gate.net>
Source record: 175431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.digital,alt.ham-radio.packet

just testing, sorry

On Mon, 12 May 1997 10:14:20 -0400, Zamphir <Look@bottom.com> wrote:

>Hi, I have for sale a MFJ TNC converted to a Packet Node. =
>
>It consist of an MFJ-1274 TNC converted with the X-1J4 epprom.
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> Nothing's more Dangerous than a Liberal against violence.
> -A personal observation 1994

3504. WTB: CW Filter for IC-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <337a7c62.15914101@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 175432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a CW filter for the Icom IC-735. I would like the 400hz
filter that International radio used to sell. Would consider a 250
icom filter. please email with info
thanks
Tim
NZ8J

3505. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <337a8dac.57749087@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175433

On Wed, 14 May 1997 07:53:01 -0400, KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com> wrote:

>> The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
>> performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
>> receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
>> channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
>> HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.
>
>Oh yes! The HTX 202 is a WONDERFUL radio - I espeically love the
>"feature" that causes it to key up and transmit an anoying buzzing
>noise when the battery dies! - How can anyone promote a radio that
>is known to perform such illegal operations (unidentified
>transmissions)?
>
>--
>Mark <KB9KHM>

Must be something wrong with yours, Mark. Never heard of any HTX-202
doing what you describe. I have two of these rigs, and they perform
flawlessly.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

3506. Re: Defense Electronics TR-711 plug-ins?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcowey@cyberia.com
Message-ID: <5le3l4$f5$2@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 175434

In article <5lcl55$ku4@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>, parise@gelato.gsfc.nasa.gov says...
>
>
>Anyone know where to find tuning units/if filters/ demods/ etc
>for a DEI TR-711 telemetry receiver?
>
>Thanks,
>Ron, WA4SIR
>
>
I know of a guy named Fred Burt of Tunho Electronics in skillman N.J. who may be able to help you. I do not have the number handy so try information. DEI had some relatives in the telemetry business all located in and around Silver Spring Md. Vitro Electronics was one of them, and Nems Clark also. Nems Clark was bought by Potomac Instrument who is still in business. I think some years ago I saw modules listed in the Tucker Electronics catalog. Best luck KD3SH

3507. Re: HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970514215323141145@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175435

>>That IS why the HTX-242 was pulled off the market by R/S last week.

It certainly was NOT.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

3508. Need RD5108 chip for RC-85 repeater controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rliles@thor.mlb.semi.harris.com
Message-ID: <5le096$pt8@hearye.mlb.semi.harris.com>
Source record: 175436

I need to find 2 RD5108 chips used in the audio delay line for a RC-85 controller.

The semiconductor manufacturer, EG&G Reticon no longer makes the part.

Link Communications, who acquired parts and pieces of ACC did not have the part.

Please email responses to me at rliles@harris.com
Thanks,

Ray

\ \ \ | Harris Semiconductor
\--\--\ | Mail Stop 58-032
\ |\ \ | P.O. Box 883
| WA4VME | Melbourne, Florida 32902
| Ray H. Liles | 407-729-4640 (Office)
| rliles@harris.com | 407-729-4029 (FAX)

3509. Re: HTX-242 Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <337aa7f5.26741257@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175437
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

On Wed, 14 May 1997 19:58:42 -0700, Mark White
<"markw"@Iconnect[REMOVE!!].net> wrote:

>Why do you have a 2m in your car when your name does not show up in any
>callsign databases? 73's de N9OHS

because I am not in the states.

3510. Harrison Laboratories DC Supply 520A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdnaumann@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515040601.AAA12159@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175438

Does anyone know where I can get the schematic for a Harrison Laboratories
DC power supply Model 520A. Maybe an address or phone number. At one
time they were in Berkeley Heights, N.J. but I can't seem to find a thing.
Any suggestions would be appreciated. e-mail me at PDNAUMANN@AOL.COM
Thanks, Paul KD0X.

3511. Wanted, MFJ Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: shooter <shooter2@northernnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc60fb$6910d5a0$0c3e18ce@shooter2.northernnet.com>
Source record: 175439

I need help! I have an MFJ 1270b packet modem and need software to run it.
Im new to packet and would like to get started in it, if you can help me
leave me a message or write me at shooter2@northernnet.com.
Thank you.
Carl, N0WQT.

3512. Worth of TH-75A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Allen <daniel@gil.net>
Message-ID: <337A9A29.54D7@gil.net>
Source record: 175440

How much should I pay for a Kenwood TH-75A? Thank you.

3513. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <5let13$nvm@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 175441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

Last changed: March 31, 1997

Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150
148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is
offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal
Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. You
can also get Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone
(800)972-3226.

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

3514. *****help modem baycom*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: nada <narda@sunrise.it>
Message-ID: <01bc60f6$b8c0ddc0$a9a26397@151.99.162.8.151.99.162.1>
Source record: 175442

Hello
thank for reading this message.
i have bay a modem Baycom, i have truoble with packet in HF
I use the program baycom that i get with the modem and also the TSTHOST.
TSTHOST IN VHF works, but in hf not.
Tnaks in advance
73
Walter

3515. Re: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6130$dc8724a0$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 175443

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig
>
> Yeasu FT2500M
> Icom IC-2000
> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I can tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice features, plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any rig I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one ham's opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

3516. Rhode & Shwartz Receiver BN15075

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6108$b7e4f780$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 175444

Hi,

Is there somebody who has the pin assignments of plug 14 of this old (at least more than 10 years) R&S receiver. The plug is normally attached to the power-supply, which I'm missing, and has two rows of pins (labeled 1-8A & B). Any description on what comes out and goes in would be great. This would help me in building my own power-supply.

73s, ON1DJU

Please Email me as well as it is hard to keep up for me.

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my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
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sender.

3517. GB0RDA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Marshall <brian.marshall@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19970515100559704 69@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 175445

There will be a special event Station on the 1st of June from the Riding School for the Disabled , Sauchieburn , Stirling , Scotland.The station will coincide with the Schools fund raising open day. The bands we will be on is 80m 40m 20m 6m 2m and 70cm. Hope to make a lot of contacts on the day and pass on some greeting messages.

73's
Brian
GM7OIZ

3518. Belgian HAM Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc610d$9769e560$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 175446

Take a look at

http://www.as400.realsoftware.be/Org/HAMRadio

This site contains the first Belgium Online Callbook.

Due to some problems on the WEB-server, it still gives some problems from time to time (especially with Netscape browsers ???) but these will be solved as soon as possible.

Coming soon: Your personal photo in the online Callbook !!!

Enjoy,
ON1DJU

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3519. Advice on HF Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: flytyer105@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515132600.JAA08893@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175447

I am close to getting my General, and am looking at used HF equipment
for my first station. I have a few questions I need answered from the
'old time Hams' in radio. How would you answer/recommend the following:
. Digital or analog radio?
. What is the oldest (19XX) rig I should look at for purchase?
. What features should I look for in a quality HF radio?
. What should (if any) I avoid? Brand/features/age?
. Are repair parts avaiable to fix older used tube radios?

I am looking at all the gear, and am confused on where to put my money
the first time out on HF. I have a G5RV outside now, and am excited about
my pending upgrade to get on the HF bands. I have been listening for
about 2 years to you folks talking and working DX. I have a borrowed
Collins 73 S line here but have to return it soon.

Thanks for your time/73
Charlie KB7PYF
Charlie Riddle

3520. Re: HR2510 Digital Display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skeating@NeOrSoPlAsM.com
Message-ID: <337b0e27.2749101@news.erols.com>
Source record: 175448

On Sat, 10 May 1997 17:19:55 -0400, Allan Koenigsberg <AE2J@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>and discovered this problem. When held at an oblique angle I can make
>out the actual frequencies very faintly, but when viewed head-on the,
>all the lcd segments display. Anybody ever deal with this problem??

Allan:

I had a similar problem with two Hr2510s bought at the same time, but these
are almost completely dead. Display light comes on, have white noise and the
mode-selector switch appears to work correctly, but I get no XMIT, and no
frequency display. Does yours transmit or appears to change freq? thanks -
Scott

3521. Address for Herdbach and Rademan in PA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970515063022.14466A-100000@homer05.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 175449

Anyone have the address or phone # for Herdbach and Rademan of PA? I need their catalogue. Many thanks, John, K7JY, Seattle.

3522. Amateur Radio shops in Denver ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Cowburn <100553.1214@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <01bc5c8f$92c51700$47d7afce@compuserve>
Source record: 175450

Can anyone let me know of any good shack shops in the Denver area

thanx

Jim G7NKS

3523. NEW WEBSITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marty (Smiley)" <martyrip@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <337AF93D.1C47@ptd.net>
Source record: 175451

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-- Check out the new website on the net

http://home.ptd.net/~cakunk/
*================================================================*
*| @ @ e-mail amateur radio patcket
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*| ^ martyrip@ptd.net n3ptu-3 my 145.73Mhz BBS |*
*| \___/ n3ptu@wb3fyl.#epa.pa.usa.na |*
*| Smiley On the 29.640, 53.310 & 444.950 Link System W3SC |*
*================================================================*
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3524. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704158636.AA863690405@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175452

Ham-Equip Digest Thu, 15 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 533

Today's Topics:
7 disk CD ROM changer
9600 bps with IC-207H?
Any info on FRS Alinco DJ-S46T? (Twin to DJ-S41T)
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INFO NEEDED Mars Electronics RC-288 SSB Convertor
Info Please: Dual-band Repeater Antenna
MODS members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Need docs for HA2 2m transverter
Philip Lin
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TS50S wanted
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WTB: 2m or 2m/70cm All Mode Xcvr

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 13 May 1997 10:55:12 GMT
From: "Pat Wilson" <pw@i2020.net>
Subject: 7 disk CD ROM changer

I wish to swap a seven disk CD ROM changer with all software and cards, in
the box for amateur gear or the video professor series of learning tapes

for comptuers.

N5PW

pw@i2020.net

Date: 14 May 1997 21:49:25 +0200
From: gerhard@ats.xs4all.nl (Gerhard Ahuis)
Subject: 9600 bps with IC-207H?

poseidon@ziplink.net (Benedict P. Barszcz) writes:
>Hi everybody,
>does anyone know how well icom-207h performs at 9600 bps packet radio?

>So many manufacturers announce that their radios are "9600 ready" but
>life shows that many of them are NOT.

>Does it apply to IC-207H?

I'm also planning to buy one...

How does is perform compared with the Kenwood TM-V7 E/A ?

Is it also possible to do packet on 70cm and normal QSO on 2m at the same
time ?

Thanks in advance,

Gerhard.

(PE1RLZ)

Date: 14 May 1997 19:17:29 GMT
From: dvhunt@es.com (Darvell D. Hunt)
Subject: Any info on FRS Alinco DJ-S46T? (Twin to DJ-S41T)

I recently saw an advertisement for the new Alinco DJ-S46T FRS
(Family Radio Service) handheld radio. Does anyone have further
information on this?!

It appears to be practically identical to the DJ-S41T and the
new DJ-S11T, but works on the new FRS band. The ad that I saw
said that it hadn't yet been approved by the FCC and didn't
include a price. Anyone know when this might be available and
how much it might cost?!

Thanks,
Darvell (N7LN)

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Darvell D. Hunt (N7LN) n7ln@qsl.net
See info about my QSL clip art CD at: http://www.qsl.net/n7ln

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Date: 14 May 1997 19:41:00 GMT
From: "Cliff Soderback" <ss@t.net>
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

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Note: Actual e-mail address Cliff-s@.worldnet.att.net
the indicated address is bogus to foil the
Spambots.

David Price <PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu> wrote in article
<5lc9o2$r8h@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>...
> In article <19970506042200.AAA08098@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
jpasquini@aol.com
> says...
> >
> >I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
> >noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering
and
> >seems to be dimmer than before.
> >Joe, N2NOU

Joe:
This is normal for a neon lamp, it will go out
eventually, but it won't effect the operation of the
power supply.

Cliff, W7VVA

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 09:46:52 -0700
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Subject: Best coax for HF opinion...

After a discussion among other hams I thought I'd post a question to
start a discussion of the "best" coax for HF operation.

The opinion should be based on cost, ease of use, signal loss, etc...

The situation involves a run of no more than 100 feet, HF operation only
up to full legal power, possible bury but not necessary.

examples: RG8, RG58, RG213, 9913 etc....

Thanks in advance for your opinions.

73 Mike Melland KB9QHU
badger@vbe.com

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 11:19:46 -0400
From: Dave Potter <dpotter@bbn.com>
Subject: Best coax for HF opinion...

Michael Melland wrote:
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>
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>
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>
> Thanks in advance for your opinions.
>
> 73 Mike Melland KB9QHU
> badger@vbe.com

Best is relative to your goals, I imagine:-) For the conditions you specified, I would use RG-213 as being the best compromise between cost and loss. Avoid the foam dielectric coaxes unless you intend to be fanatical about sealing the connectors to avoid moisture penetration. The very low loss Belden 9913 is overkill for HF, less than 100 feet, and is very susceptable to water penetration. Good stuff on 432, not needed on 20 Meters.

I feed my 80 meter inverted L with RG-8X from Radio Shack. I had a roll handy and the ground losses swamp the cable losses, so I used it. If I had a roll of RG-213 from a good manufacturer (Belden comes to mind), I would have used it. At the end of the day, you won't be able to tell the difference on HF between -8X and -213. Pick one that will last in your installation, meaning UV resistant jacket, non-migrating, and use quality connectors.

73

Dave
K1MBO

Date: Wed, 14 May 97 21:53:26 GMT
From: netking@dircon.co.uk (Colin Seymour)
Subject: Best coax for HF opinion...

In article <3379EC7C.ABE@vbe.com>, Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com> wrote:
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>

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>
>Thanks in advance for your opinions.
>
>
>73 Mike Melland KB9QHU
>badger@vbe.com
At 50 MHz, 100 feet of RG58U (poly) has a loss of 3.1dB, which isn't a big
deal at HF (loss will be lower at lower frequency), but if that worries you
100 feet of RG213U goes down to 1.6 dB which is pretty good, and RG8U
is 1.2dB. I have run an antenna system on about 30-40m of RG58U
which is thin enough to be very conveniently handled, and used
up to 400W PEP with good results. Burying is an excellent idea for
reducing RF fields on the outside of the coax travelling back to the shack
or house. Open-wire feeder is the best as far as loss is concerned, but much
more awkward to install, susceptible to influence of nearby objects, requires
balanced high-Z feed at the input, requires care to avoid loss increases when
rain gets on the spreaders, requires protection against inadvertent contact.

Colin Seymour G4NNA
1Mb/s 2.45 GHz spread spectrum radio modems & digital video:
http://www.he.net/~netking/index.html
http://www.users.dircon.co.uk/~netking/

Date: 14 May 1997 15:19:01 GMT
From: parise@gelato.gsfc.nasa.gov (Ron Parise)
Subject: Defense Electronics TR-711 plug-ins?

Anyone know where to find tuning units/if filters/ demods/ etc
for a DEI TR-711 telemetry receiver?

Thanks,
Ron, WA4SIR

Date: 14 May 1997 01:36:44 GMT
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Subject: DRAKE TR-4CW, need info!

Hi Rich,

Anywhere from $150 with Noise Blanker for a club station beater to
$700 for one thats perfect and has rarely or never been used. If
you cannot see it, its near impossible to know what to offer.

73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 16:27:08 -0400
From: Richard Rosenthall <rosenthallr@claven.fanshawec.on.ca>
Subject: FS-3KW ANT. TUNER, HF AMP.

NYE VIKING MB-V-A 3 Kw. ant. tuner in mint condition for sale. $500 U.S. O.B.O.

DENTRON GLA 1000B HF Amp. in excellent condition for sale. New set of finals installed. $350 U.S. O.B.O.

Richard VE3IAD

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 19:33:08 -0700
From: kd6aea <kd6aea@radioscan.com>
Subject: FS Icom 900 modules

FS Icom 2m,220,440 modules all for $500.excellent shape,,, in San Diego

kd6aea@radioscan.com

Date: 14 May 1997 03:14:46 GMT
From: kc4srn@aol.com (KC4SRN)
Subject: FT-50R and VX-10

Watch out. The connection for the FT-10/40 is the opposite of the one on the FT-50. So, the VX-10 may be the same.

Date: 14 May 1997 16:58:55 GMT
From: john williams <ac6ts@n2.net>
Subject: HELP! HW-8 mods needed

i own a heathkit hw-8 and would like to know where i can find the mods for it. especially adding a RIT. any help would be appreciated.

tnx
john williams

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 06:07:25 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: HTX-242 Bug

On Wed, 14 May 1997 19:58:42 -0700, Mark White
<"markw"@Iconnect[REMOVE!!].net> wrote:

>Why do you have a 2m in your car when your name does not show up in any
>callsign databases? 73's de N9OHS

because I am not in the states.

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 05:04:00 GMT
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford)
Subject: HTX-242 Modification

>>That IS why the HTX-242 was pulled off the market by R/S last week.

It certainly was NOT.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 09:12:30 GMT
From: hams@nwlink.com
Subject: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

I purchased a used ICOM 229H and found that it had been turned down (audio)
for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to
the danger zone.

Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???

Thanks.

Randy KI7ZD
http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams

Date: 14 May 1997 03:19:49 GMT
From: "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Subject: Illegal Transmission

Tim Nicholson <timn@renewal-iis.com> wrote in article
<01bc5fe2$17549cc0$9d95cdd0@W95-21.RENEWAL-IIS.COM>...
> Or better yet, look up their callsign to ensure they have a valid
license.
> Most stores have computers, and all they would need is an Internet link.
>

My father bought me my first 2m HT. If what you are proposing goes into
effect, that kind of thing will never happen again.

Date: 13 May 1997 22:02:33 GMT
From: thermionic@techie.com (Solomon Fernblatt)
Subject: INFO NEEDED Mars Electronics RC-288 SSB Convertor

Still looking for info on this unit. Well built, a bit larger than
a CV591 or so. Seems to be complete except for the tubes
(only about 40!!!!) anyone seen one of these?

Anyone have any info on this beast??? IF in freq, etc???

Anyone have a manual copy for it???

Thanks

Tom Norris
KA4RKT
badger@telalink.net

Date: Wed, 14 May 97 16:27:54 GMT
From: dfravel@frontiernet.net (Dale Fravel N2LWY)
Subject: Info Please: Dual-band Repeater Antenna

Looking for info on an good dual-band repeater antenna.
i have a repeater on 2 meter and 440 and would like to
run them off one antenna.
what is the best dual-band repeater antenna?
what are the good and bad things?
what make and model of antenna?
what duplexer/splitting do you run?

Any help would be great....

Thanks
Dale N2LWY
dfravel@frontiernet.net
or
dlf@rfc.comm.harris.com

Date: 14 May 1997 00:21:48 GMT
From: bucherj@aol.com (BucherJ)
Subject: MODS members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 19:43:02 -0700
From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>
Subject: Need docs for HA2 2m transverter

Can any one help me with hook up information etc for Hallicrafters HA 2
two meter transverter. There is a P/S (no cover) with octal plugs at the
back and so on. What are the drive requirements? What is the output?
How is the unit tuned. How are the octal plugs hooked up/positioned, etc.

Any one able to help? Thanks, Neil AB4YK.

Date: 14 May 1997 20:41:29 GMT
From: kk4tl@aol.com (KK4TL)
Subject: Philip Lin

Please e-mail me.

Thanx.

KK4TL@AOL.COM

Date: 14 May 1997 12:18:12 GMT
From: "Rafael Hernandez" <wp4leq@prtc.net>
Subject: RCI 2950 PARTS

Where can I buy RCI parts.

Any help appreciatted.

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 07:06:03 -0400
From: jim scheer <jim.scheer@gtri.gatech.edu>
Subject: TS50S wanted

G0l0ga wrote:
>
> In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)
> 236-3677. Thanks.
>
> Jose Luiz
There's one listed in the "swap" corner today.

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 20:10:32 GMT
From: ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru (Igor S Sokolov)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com> wrote:

>> The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
>> performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
>> receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
>> channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
>> HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.

>Oh yes! The HTX 202 is a WONDERFUL radio - I espeically love the
>"feature" that causes it to key up and transmit an anoying buzzing
>noise when the battery dies! - How can anyone promote a radio that
>is known to perform such illegal operations (unidentified
>transmissions)?

>--
>Mark <KB9KHM>

Yes that is true, but that is the only problem with it and frankly,
not very seriouse. Then there is hardly another one with everything
build in (DTMF code/decode, CTCSS code/decode) and you cannot beat the
price. I have got 2 HTX-202 three years ago and they never let me down
so far. Very reliable and useful for every environment. It gives you
over 10 watts output with external power supply (13.8 V) and is
excellent for mobile and stationary operation as well.

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 07:53:01 -0400
From: KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com>
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Clint Bradford wrote:

> They are morons, unfortunately. Do not ask them for advice in the
> future, because they don't have any idea what they're talking about.
>
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transmissions)?

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Mark <KB9KHM>

Home Page:
http://expert.cc.purdue.edu/~kb9khm

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 01:19:46 GMT
From: aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo wrote the following words about
Re: Which HT to start with?:

>aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) writes:
>
>>
>> BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?
>>
>
>I'm seeing a lot of comments about people who want to transmit "illegally"
>lately, and I can answer the above question for myself: because I'm authorized

>to but don't want to carry two (or more) sets of comm around. I am authorized
>to transmit on several public service bands during official SAR missions since
>I'm on a wilderness search and rescue team, but to carry around a ham radio, a

[Snippage]

Understandable, but this guy was a "beginning ham". I wonder if he was
authorized, as you are...

=-=Andrew
Andrew Ohnstad,
Operations Manager, ALM AudioWorks
aco@almworks.com / http://www.almworks.com
Personal Home Page (Info on my car!) / http://andysaudio.base.org
IASCA - RF Team America
"Satan forced him to do it. Beelzebub. Alcohol ... in every bottle of liquor,
the devil lurks."
-Carol Teeter

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 14:48:19 -0700
From: cvoid@netcom.com (Christian Void)
Subject: WTB: 2m or 2m/70cm All Mode Xcvr

Am looking to purchase a 2m All Mode transceiver, or a 2m/70cm All Mode
transceiver.

Please e-mail if you have on for sale. Thanks in advance.

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Christian Void /T71 | "I don't like it, and I'm sorry I | V/M/Research, Inc.
cvoid@netcom.com | ever had anything to do with it." | P.O. Box 170213
Tel. 1+415-998-0774 | -Erwin Schrodinger (1887-1961) | SF, CA 94117-0213
* PGP v2.3a Public Key Available Via Finger *
WWW: http://www.morphine.com/cvoid/

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for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Thu, 15 May 1997 05:43:42 -0400 (EDT)
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Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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Date: Thu, 15 May 97 00:21:32 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #533
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3525. For Sale: KPC-4 TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art <ka3fmo@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <5lf69d$jii@world1.bawave.com>
Source record: 175453

Hello,
I am no longer in Packet Radio. I have a Kantronics KPC-4 for sale.
Excellent condition, boxes, books and think receipt around somewhere.
Its the dual port TNC.

Asking $175.

Please E-mail me with any questions: ka3fmo@bellatlantic.net

Thanks....Art

3526. WTB: 500Hz CW Filter for KW TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <337e214e.9429010@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175454

Subject says it all.

73 de Ron/N3ZDS

3527. Wanted: Icom 575H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jebrock@deltanet.com
Message-ID: <337b2138.522093@news.deltanet.com>
Source record: 175455

Wanted:
Looking for a Icom 575H, buyer does not have e-mail, please submit
prices with your telephone number and I will forward them to him.
e-mail kn6jk@dxer.com

Thanks
Jerry-KN6JK

3528. Re: FT-50RD OR AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515151801.LAA16274@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175456

I have the ADi radio, and will comment on it as you need, but what exactly are you looking for ? The radios have some very different and very similar features....what exactly are you seeking in a radio...please be more specific, and I can help you out

3529. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "green spleen..." <gnome@nwu.edu>
Message-ID: <trd892.863709986@merle>
Source record: 175457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

bboone@mindspring.com writes:

>I hear that Redhat is easy to set up, I am running Slackware now. You
>can get the distributions from www.cheapbytes.com. -- Bobby kr4bu

RedHat is pathetically easy to set up; however, I would not advocate
dumping a perfectly good Slackware distribution to run the RedHat.
Slackware's rc files, bootup scripts, and config files are much better
kept than RedHat's, which, in my opinion, are needlessly scattered
into too many subdirectories.

/lw
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Reverend Thomas Robert Lars Mary Lunarwolf Dobrowolsky Jr. XXIII
31 Kresge Hall
Multi Media Learning Center (847) 491-3360 http://www.mmlc.nwu.edu
Northwestern University gnome@nwu.edu

3530. Microwave Gear at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Dail-KT4JA <dail@jlab.org>
Message-ID: <337B30D5.2F15@jlab.org>
Source record: 175458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.pirate,comp.robotics.misc,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Dayton Hamvention in booth #2675-76

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RG52/U 8-12 GHz Waveguide (aka WR 90)
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N to RG51/U =

N to RG52/U
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=B7 Cables =

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Great companion system to Struthers, Bird, etc.
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We are in booth #2675-76

3531. WTD: Regency WT-1 shortwave radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: we2m@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515161400.MAA20050@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175459

I am looking for a Regency WT-1 World Traveler shortwave radio.
It is a tube radio with AM and 4 shortwave bands.
If you have one could you please contact me.

thanks

Paul WE2M
port orange, fl

we2m@aol.com

3532. HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33813c25.16301091@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175460

A friend of mine (a brand new ham) inherited an HTX-202 with no manual from a relative. I am trying to help him figure out some of the functions. Does this thing have CTCSS Encode? If it does, I can't find out how to set the tone freq. Apparently, it has PL Decode, because I see where you can turn on/off the Tone Squelch. On my HT (obviously, not a Radio Shack) Tone Squelch indicates PL Decode is active. On the HTX-202, I don't see where you turn on The PL Encode function nor do see where to select the tone to be used. Is there a menu system? How do you get into it??

Tnx es 73 de Ron/N3ZDS

3533. spc anc-4 noise canx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: STAN <"KB8JLV>NOSPAM"@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337BD97E.1F80@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175461

anyone out there using one of these with success? would like to hear
what type of noise recv antenna you use. i have s9+ power line noise
nightly and unit as set up now lowers this to about s6. stan in hawaii
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remove >nospam to reach me via email

3534. Bragg lens

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ba Jackson <baman@esun1.las.lockheed.com>
Message-ID: <337B42A5.1D1A@esun1.las.lockheed.com>
Source record: 175462

Does any one know what a Bragg lens is???
--
Ba Jackson
jackson@esun1.las.lockheed.com
Disclaimer: Any opinions stated above are mine and not
those of my employer.
Disclaimer: If I say something and you do it, it isn't
my fault.

3535. FS: ITC Cart Machines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jasensteve@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515185800.OAA03498@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175463

For Sale: one of the the most reliable pieces of equipment
ever made for radio...

ITC MONO CART player/recorder

mono machines, with manual, service records
new heads were installed during pre-storage overhaul
outstanding condition

four machines are available

$150 each + shipping. firm. US Funds.

Also available: tapecaster 150 player/recorder
reel to reel circa late 50's early 60's
panasonic personal 4track circa 1970's?

e-mail serious inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

3536. HTX-202 won't transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: teacherjh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515192200.PAA05428@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175464

I have an HTX-202 and it has developed a problem where it won't transmit. (Yes, transmit is enabled. :) I push the PTT button, and the display changes appropriately for transmitting, but nothing comes out the antenna, and the "power bars" on the display don't light. The problem has been intermittant, but has gotten worse. When I open it up, nose around, and close it up again, sometimes it works.. sometimes not. Suspecting a cold solder joint at the power transistor, I resoldered those, but the problem remains.

Any other ideas as to what to look for? I don't want to have to send it back to RS (though I think if I do I'll get their ESP, as they even pay for breakage due to accident or abuse).

Jose
KD1SB

3537. Re: Kenwood TM-V7E vs Icom IC-207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5leqof$1gu$1@news10.gte.net>
Source record: 175465

One of the major differences is the Kenwood is a true DUAL BANDER and the Icom is either/or. It only displays one band at a time, and I believe it can only operate i.e. receive one band at a time.

The Kenwood can Cross Band Repeat and it can operate VHF UHF UHF UHF or VHF VHF.

I had the same questions, but went with the Kenwood because of the true Dual Band capability.

OH - I'm not sure if a V7E can Cross Band Repeat, I know the V7A can, it's USA model.

Dave

On 14 May 1997 23:21:26 +0200, gerhard@ats.xs4all.nl (Gerhard Ahuis) wrote:

>
>Hi amateurs,
>
>
>I'm doubing between buying a Kenwood TM-V7E or a Icom IC-207H.
>
>How does 9600 bps perform ?
>
>Which one has the best performance ?
>
>Any good/bad things ?
>
>73,
>
>Gerhard (PE1RLZ)

3538. Re: HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlmott@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970515194401.PAA07217@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175466

To activate ctcss, I think you have to choose the frequency that you have in memory, then hold down the Function button and press M-Set. Press # (SC up) until the letters tc are on the left. Off is probably displayed on the right. Rotate the tuning knob until you get to the tone you want.

73

KF4OKL
JLMott@aol.com

3539. FT107M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: prosistel@mailbox.media.IT
Message-ID: <337B6972.6529@mailbox.media.it>
Source record: 175467

Hello everybody,
i need following components for Yaesu FT107M:
- CW filter XF8,9HC
- IC MSLM5920RS

Please send availability and prices to my E-mail

Thank you in advance

73 de I7PHH Gianni
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3540. Help with Kenwood TS-830S fuse ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <337B6EB0.3BEE@vbe.com>
Source record: 175468

I need to know the proper fuse to replace in the Kenwood TS-830S. The service manual lists a Kenwood part number (F05-6021-05)and simply "Fuse 6 amp". Would that be slow blow/fast blow/medium blow and 125V or 250 V ... AGC or what - Does it really matter ??? East Coast Parts won't tell or doesn't know the actual fuse and they want $1.14 for the replacement Kenwood part numbered fuse and $6.00 to ship it <egad!> The fuse inside was improper one (8 amp)so I have nothing to compare to.

73 de Mike Melland KB9QHU
badger@vbe.com

3541. Ameco TX-62 - HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu
Message-ID: <5lfu95$21t@uwm.edu>
Source record: 175469

Ok all you old timers:

I picked up an Ameco TX-62 transmitter for 6 and 2 meters along
with the matching VF0-621 (only $5.00! for both). The thing does
xmit on 6 meters but I am not able to 'key' it...it's keyed all the
time, makes no diff. if I plug in my straight key or not.
I do get a full 10 watts out though and I'm a good S9 across town too. Ideas?

The guy didn't have any manuals or info on it. He was just happy to
get rid of it. Heck for $5.00, I can at least burn a couple of hours
playing with it...such a deal! Plus I already made one contact with
it!

Any takers?

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John C. Wilke, BA, BSN, GN (jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu)
WB9UAI EN-62aw
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3542. Re: Microwave Gear at Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: keng@techlock.com
Message-ID: <337b803e.37061643@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 175470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.pirate,comp.robotics.misc,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I look forward to seeing you there. I've got some SP6T and SP8T
SMA switches if you're interested. Let me know. I'm in Dayton.

Excellent weather will be had by all -- for a change !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

On Thu, 15 May 1997 11:50:45 -0400, Walter Dail-KT4JA <dail@jlab.org>
wrote:

>ATTENTION MICROWAVE ENGINEERS
>Dayton Hamvention in booth #2675-76
>
>1.8- 18 GHz Microwave Laboratory
>

Ken Gunton WB6QWF Microwave & RF Components
http://www.techlock.com Techlock Distributing
Phone 937-434-5078, Fax 937-434-5079

3543. Aircraft Radio FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: W0rw@kktv.COM
Message-ID: <199705152300.QAA18310@mailbox1.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 175334

Gonset G150 Business Communicator on aircraft band for sale.
Still type acceptable, currently licensed, 1 frequency, 10Watts AM
12VDC (no book) $100 plus shipping
Paul Signorelli V
P.O. BOX 6069, Colorado Springs, CO 80934
w0rw@kktv.com
<>< Wise Men Still Seek HIM <><
(http://shell.rmi.net/~mugele/lbo/)

3544. Re: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <337bcb96.11540786@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 175335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>Radio Shack sells a TV antenna rotor (page 135 of 1997 catalog) for $65.
>This is WAY cheeper than the cheapest rotor I could find anywhere elese at
>any price.
>
>Can I use that for a 2m/440 Cushcraft A270-10S Yagi?
>The Yagi (5 elements per band claims a wind surface area of .073 square
>feet. The Boom is 6'2". It weighs about 5 lbs.
>
>Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
>not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
>smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Anyone doing this or care to comment on this setup? Feel free to vent your
>splean.
>
>Thanks
>TNIC@IDT.NET
>
I have used the Radio Shack rotator for over two years spinning a
Cushcraft 10 e 144 mhz yagi on a 10 ft. boom. It has survived mean
winds and is still working.

N1MSV

3545. Kenwood filyers for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gustavo Esparza <esparza@icanect.net>
Message-ID: <01bc61ad$a0551be0$93ae8ece@pbcustomer>
Source record: 175336

I have some Kenwood filters for sale, YK88CN, YK88C, and YG455C, they are new, the price is 70,00$ each.
esparza@icanect.net

3546. Test only, do not read!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5lgk0q$eah1@peach.america.net>
Source record: 175337

This is only a test!!

3547. WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5lgk48$eah2@peach.america.net>
Source record: 175338

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WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me
at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve
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3548. TS-520 CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbritt@visi.net
Message-ID: <337ede05.3024395@news.visi.net>
Source record: 175339

I am looking for a used TS-520 CW filter. I am also interested in a VFO and spkr if the price is right. Thanks. Also if anyone has any advice on Fox Tango filters vs Kenwood filters I would apprecieate it. Thanks.....

73

W4MCD

3549. 1000's of Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970516054300.BAA00891@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175340

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1000's of Mods
members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher
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3550. Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net
Message-ID: <Doug-1605970151480001@ags-r1-p15.groupz.net>
Source record: 175341

I have an Astron RS-20M supply that stopped working. It has been in continuous service for 14 months at my repeater site.

One day the supply stopped working. The only visible symptom was a blown 5A fuse. The repeater was fine (indicating no catastrophic line surge had occured to both) as a backup power supply I put in line returned it to service. I have PolyPhaser line & coaxial surge protection installed.

When I got the P/S home, I did not see any visual signs of a major failure. No smoke trails, etc. Each time I installed a new fuse (with the supply both loaded and unloaded) and powered up, the fuses blew.

I looked inside with a multimeter while referencing the schematic and did not readily see anything that had failed to ground. All internal connections are good and there does not seem to be anything irregular with the PC board.

I replaced the voltage regulater IC on the PC board, but no dice. What could be failed? What kind of systemtic approach would anyone recommend (short of desoldering diodes, power transistors, etc.) to pinpoint the problem?

I have seen this same model (but not this same supply) go into the crobar state due to RF interference. The RS-20 would be energized, but there was only 2-3v DC output at the terminals. The problem would clear up when the power switch was cycled off and then back on. The fix for that was to replace three caps on the board with ones of different values. So, I would have to rule out any RF interference on this one.

Anyone have any helpful suggestions?

3551. DC connectors for ICOM radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5lgvueqt1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 175342

I just received the connectors I ordered from the ad in the back of QST. These are the connectors for most Yaesu, Kenwood, and ICOM radios. The connectors fit just fine, but they do not stay put. The standard connector that ICOM supplied has a narrow tab on top with a piece of plastic going down and in at a 45 degree angle. The ones I received from R. Langston have a flat tab with no angled plastic. A slight pull on the cable and it will pop out. Has anyone delt with this problem. I guess it was too good to be true to think that I would not have to buy the connectors from ICOM for their outrageous prices. If I cannot find a solution, I will simply call the supplier and arrange to send them back.

-- Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

3552. Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Administrator_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.COM
Message-ID: <9704168637.AA863767261@smtpgwy.si.com>
Source record: 175343

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Date: 15 May 1997 06:10:02 GMT
From: "nada" <narda@sunrise.it>
Subject: *****help modem baycom*****

Hello
thank for reading this message.
i have bay a modem Baycom, i have truoble with packet in HF
I use the program baycom that i get with the modem and also the TSTHOST.
TSTHOST IN VHF works, but in hf not.
Tnaks in advance
73
Walter

Date: 16 May 97 00:16:00 GMT
From: W0rw@kktv.COM
Subject: Aircraft Radio FS

Gonset G150 Business Communicator on aircraft band for sale.
Still type acceptable, currently licensed, 1 frequency, 10Watts AM
12VDC (no book) $100 plus shipping
Paul Signorelli V
P.O. BOX 6069, Colorado Springs, CO 80934
w0rw@kktv.com
<>< Wise Men Still Seek HIM <><
(http://shell.rmi.net/~mugele/lbo/)

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 09:45:44 -0400
From: "Jim Cowburn" <100553.1214@compuserve.com>
Subject: Amateur Radio shops in Denver ??

Can anyone let me know of any good shack shops in the Denver area

thanx

Jim G7NKS

Date: 15 May 1997 04:32:36 GMT
From: dcowey@cyberia.com (gudmundur)
Subject: Defense Electronics TR-711 plug-ins?

In article <5lcl55$ku4@post.gsfc.nasa.gov>, parise@gelato.gsfc.nasa.gov
says...
>
>
>Anyone know where to find tuning units/if filters/ demods/ etc
>for a DEI TR-711 telemetry receiver?
>
>Thanks,
>Ron, WA4SIR
>
>
I know of a guy named Fred Burt of Tunho Electronics in skillman
N.J. who may be able to help you. I do not have the number handy so

try information. DEI had some relatives in the telemetry business
all located in and around Silver Spring Md. Vitro Electronics was
one of them, and Nems Clark also. Nems Clark was bought by Potomac
Instrument who is still in business. I think some years ago I saw
modules listed in the Tucker Electronics catalog. Best luck KD3SH

Date: 13 May 1997 02:08:27 GMT
From: rlucch2098@aol.com (RLucch2098)
Subject: DRAKE TR-4CW, need info!

Hi All! Can anyone tell me what a Drake TR-4CW w/AC-4 ps is worth
w/manual?
Any help will be appreachiated, 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@aol.com

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Date: 15 May 1997 14:58:36 GMT
From: jasensteve@aol.com (JasenSteve)
Subject: FS: ITC Cart Machines

For Sale: one of the the most reliable pieces of equipment
ever made for radio...

ITC MONO CART player/recorder

mono machines, with manual, service records
new heads were installed during pre-storage overhaul
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four machines are available

$150 each + shipping. firm. US Funds.

Also available: tapecaster 150 player/recorder
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panasonic personal 4track circa 1970's?

e-mail serious inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

Date: 15 May 1997 17:33:45 GMT
From: stevewz1u@aol.com (Steve wz1u)
Subject: FS: Kenwood TM-441A 440 rig

I have for sale in excellent condition a Kenwood TM-441a 440 mobile rig. I
have the box, manual, touchtone mic, mobile bracket and also has the tone
board installed. I will take $300 plus shipping and can be reached at
(508)-821-2993
or e-mail. WZ1U Steve/Lakeville, Ma.

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:18:00 GMT
From: mtippin@swbell.net (Marty Tippin)
Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig - my current one is an old Icom IC-25H which works great but has very limited capabilities (5 memories, no CTCSS tone, etc.) - I've narrowed my choices to these three models and would like to solicit opinions (good and bad) on each:

Yeasu FT2500M
Icom IC-2000
Kenwood TM-261A

Budget constraints require that I stay under $325 so some of the more capable and exotic models are out of reach. I've read the literature on each of these and they seem pretty fairly matched, the main differences being the number of memories available.

Of these three, which one would you consider to be the "best" for general mobile and/or base station operation for repeaters and occasionally packet radio?

73,

-Marty Tippin KC0AKA
mtippin@swbell.net

Date: Mon, 12 May 1997 08:16:59 -0500
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Subject: FT-50RD OR AT-600

Thomas Gasta wrote:
>The majority, I now have
> discovered, of FT50s have a problem when transmitting at the higher
> power levels on UHF. There is an RF problem that causes the radio to
> emit static sounding noise on the transmitted signal. This problem

I don't know if these problems are related, but, I couldn't use my Radio Shack speaker/mic with the FT-50 and audio adapter plug on VHF or UHF. RF was getting back into the radio (via the sp/mic cable), causing severe audio distortion -and- causing the radio to stay in the transmit mode after release of the PTT. I soldered 0.0047uF bypass capacitors on the mic/PTT audio lead and speaker lead to ground inside the audio adapter plug. That cured the problem. (Hint: I used SMD's, but you might be able to cram radial leaded ceramic caps. in there). Maybe the bypass would have been better done -inside- the radio, but I'm not -that- brave!

-Ken WB0QNA

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 15:11:14 -0500
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Subject: FT-8000R Experience

For anyone who's interested, here's my experience with my new Yaesu FT-8000R. In short, it's great!

Ordered it and FTS-22 CTCSS decode module on Saturday, May 3 from HRO, Delaware. HRO's price, BTW, was between $30 and $100 less than anyone else. CTCSS module arrived Wednesday the 7th, the rig arrived a day later. CTCSS module was a snap to install, except the instructions did not mention the plastic insulator you must stick on to prevent the module connector pins from shorting the surface mount chips below.

Spent most of Thursday evening not doing my chores and playing with the radio instead. :) Easy to program and blindingly fast scanning.

Installed rig on Saturday. The included power cable was plenty long enough to reach the battery (well, in my VW at least). Rig fits like a glove in the center console, but still has plenty of room behind for air circulation.

Signal reports are great, especially the "clear, natural sounding audio." Intermod rejection is also excellent, even driving within 100 yds. of a triplet of paging towers on my way to and from work every day. No ignition noise, no alternator whine, good clean receive audio, and none of the "slow-squelch" problems mentioned here earlier. Cooling fan is audible but not obtrusive. The S-meter squelch is neat, too.

About the only thing I miss that my FT-530 has that the 8000R doesn't is CTCSS decode scanning and direct frequency entry---I have to twiddle the knob to find an unknown tone or enter a new freq.

The user manual mentions that mods for transmitting in other services are in the service manual, which I did not buy. Then again, I have no interest in transimitting out of band or listening to cell phones, either, although x-mit on 220 band would be fun.

Anyone who's looking for a compact, reasonably priced, extended receive dual band rig would do well to consider this one. Great radio!

73 de KE6PHU/9

Please remove "nospam. for e-mail replies.

Dave Keyser | The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily
Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

Date: 15 May 97 19:52:18 GMT
From: prosistel@mailbox.media.IT (Annamaria FIUME)
Subject: FT107M

Hello everybody,
i need following components for Yaesu FT107M:
- CW filter XF8,9HC
- IC MSLM5920RS

Please send availability and prices to my E-mail

Thank you in advance

73 de I7PHH Gianni
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 16:50:10 GMT
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net (Ron Lister/N3ZDS)
Subject: HTX-202 CTCSS??

A friend of mine (a brand new ham) inherited an HTX-202 with no manual
from a relative. I am trying to help him figure out some of the
functions. Does this thing have CTCSS Encode? If it does, I can't find
out how to set the tone freq. Apparently, it has PL Decode, because
I see where you can turn on/off the Tone Squelch. On my HT
(obviously, not a Radio Shack) Tone Squelch indicates PL Decode is
active. On the HTX-202, I don't see where you turn on The PL Encode
function nor do see where to select the tone to be used. Is there a
menu system? How do you get into it??

Tnx es 73 de Ron/N3ZDS

Date: 15 May 1997 15:44:21 GMT
From: jlmott@aol.com (JLMott)
Subject: HTX-202 CTCSS??

To activate ctcss, I think you have to choose the frequency that you have
in memory, then hold down the Function button and press M-Set. Press #
(SC up) until the letters tc are on the left. Off is probably displayed
on the right. Rotate the tuning knob until you get to the tone you want.

73

KF4OKL
JLMott@aol.com

Date: 15 May 1997 15:22:28 GMT
From: teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

I have an HTX-202 and it has developed a problem where it won't transmit. (Yes, transmit is enabled. :) I push the PTT button, and the display changes appropriately for transmitting, but nothing comes out the antenna, and the "power bars" on the display don't light. The problem has been intermittant, but has gotten worse. When I open it up, nose around, and close it up again, sometimes it works.. sometimes not. Suspecting a cold solder joint at the power transistor, I resoldered those, but the problem remains.

Any other ideas as to what to look for? I don't want to have to send it back to RS (though I think if I do I'll get their ESP, as they even pay for breakage due to accident or abuse).

Jose
KD1SB

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 01:00:22 GMT
From: randalll@apollo.ruralnet.net.au (Randall Lawrence)
Subject: icom handheld

Hi There

I have an icom IC-W21E fm dual band transceiver, does anyone know if this radio can be made to transmitt out of band (yes I know) any other mods for this set would be appreciated.

Randall VK2EFA@VK2DPG-1.ampr.org

email randalll@apollo.ruralnet.net.au

Date: 10 May 1997 22:10:04 GMT
From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>
Subject: ICOM RADIOS - S.K.

Selling for widow of silent key, I now have the radios at my qth and have looked them over, thanks to several of you the radios are offered at the following prices.
IC271A near new condition with manual and original box, no internal P.S. $450.00

IC471A very good condition with minor scraches top and side comes with the internal P.S., manual and original box. $500.00

Both prices include shipping, money back if not in good working order.

Jim K0KM
1 573 774 2800
jbales@iland.net

Date: 15 May 1997 03:35:02 GMT
From: rliles@thor.mlb.semi.harris.com (Ray Liles)
Subject: Need RD5108 chip for RC-85 repeater controller

I need to find 2 RD5108 chips used in the audio delay line for a RC-85
controller.

The semiconductor manufacturer, EG&G Reticon no longer makes the part.

Link Communications, who acquired parts and pieces of ACC did not have
the part.

Please email responses to me at rliles@harris.com
Thanks,

Ray

\ \ \ | Harris Semiconductor
\--\--\ | Mail Stop 58-032
\ |\ \ | P.O. Box 883
| WA4VME | Melbourne, Florida 32902
| Ray H. Liles | 407-729-4640 (Office)
| rliles@harris.com | 407-729-4029 (FAX)

Date: 14 May 1997 03:49:43 GMT
From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)
Subject: Scout 555 wanted

In search of a mint Ten-Tec Scout 555. Please, e-mail details or fax some
info to (510) 236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: 14 May 1997 17:48:16 GMT
From: "Steve McElroy" <smcelroy@america.net>
Subject: tower antenna sale Atlanta, GA area

410' rohn 25......$ 25 per section
25' aluim mast....$ 100

message here or call home number 770-942-6226
steve
steve@broadcast.net

Date: 15 May 1997 04:39:56 GMT
From: "shooter" <shooter2@northernnet.com>
Subject: Wanted, MFJ Software

I need help! I have an MFJ 1270b packet modem and need software to run it.
Im new to packet and would like to get started in it, if you can help me
leave me a message or write me at shooter2@northernnet.com.
Thank you.
Carl, N0WQT.

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 22:18:42 -0000
From: "Gerardo Guerra" <siroco@arrakis.es>
Subject: Wanted Schematic diagram ICOM 751-A

If anyone can help me, please send a copy of the schematic diagram for ICOM
751A
Thanks in advanced
Gerardo, EA8IJ
Tenerife - Canary Islands

siroco@arrakis.es

Date: 14 May 1997 12:34:24 -0600
From: Thomas Russo <russo@llama.swcp.com>
Subject: Which HT to start with?

"Rev. John A. Ryding" <zionluth@southwind.net> writes:
>
> Be careful. Also remember, in life and death situations, the rules go out
> the window in order to help those in need.

Yes, indeedie. And since the authorization for those of us on the team to use
those frequencies happens to be tied directly and exclusively to the
activation of a SAR mission there's quite a grey area for us --- if I'm only
authorized to use the frequency during an emergency, and all I have is a
non-type accepted rig, isn't the issue of illegal/legal transmission somewhat
muddled?

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Tom Russo KC5ZYC WWW:http://www.swcp.com/~russo/
I asked my landlady how old she is and she wouldn't tell me. 'That's OK,'
I says, 'I'll just wait until you go to sleep tonight then I'll cut you
in half and count the rings.'... The cops didn't think it was funny,
neither. -- Bug-Eyed Earl

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 01:07:53 -0400
From: Daniel Allen <daniel@gil.net>
Subject: Worth of TH-75A?

How much should I pay for a Kenwood TH-75A? Thank you.

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 14:53:18 GMT
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net (Ron Lister/N3ZDS)
Subject: WTB: 500Hz CW Filter for KW TS-520

Subject says it all.

73 de Ron/N3ZDS

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 03:02:33 GMT
From: timcook@erinet.com (NZ8J)
Subject: WTB: CW Filter for IC-735

Looking for a CW filter for the Icom IC-735. I would like the 400hz
filter that International radio used to sell. Would consider a 250
icom filter. please email with info
thanks
Tim
NZ8J

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 22:16:21 -0700
From: Steve Rimsa <srimsa@eclipse.net>
Subject: WTB: HW-16 & VFO

I am looking for a Heathkit HW-16 and matching HG-10B VFO in good physical and
electrical condition with manuals and no "mods". Please let me know what you
have.
State condition and price. I will pay UPS. Thanks for reading this posting.

73's

Steve
WA1KBE
srimsa@eclipse.net

Date: 15 May 1997 12:14:09 GMT
From: we2m@aol.com (WE2M)
Subject: WTD: Regency WT-1 shortwave radio

I am looking for a Regency WT-1 World Traveler shortwave radio.
It is a tube radio with AM and 4 shortwave bands.
If you have one could you please contact me.

thanks

Paul WE2M
port orange, fl

we2m@aol.com

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #535
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Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
; Fri, 16 May 97 01:21:15 EST
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wSFTN-0009eoC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Fri, 16 May 1997 01:22:33 -0400 (EDT)
(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
Received: by challenger.si.com; id BAA06900; Fri, 16 May 1997 01:22:33 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via smap (3.2)
id xma006898; Fri, 16 May 97 01:22:09 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id UAA04929 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Thu, 15 May
1997 20:22:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id SAA00586
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Thu, 15 May 1997 18:33:25 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id SAA28499
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Thu, 15 May 1997 18:24:35 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705160124.SAA28499@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Thu, 15 May 97 18:24:29 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #535
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

3553. TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net
Message-ID: <Doug-1605970217380001@ags-r1-p15.groupz.net>
Source record: 175344

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

3554. TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net
Message-ID: <Doug-1605970218140001@ags-r1-p15.groupz.net>
Source record: 175345

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73 de AC4WW

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net
Message-ID: <Doug-1605970207340001@ags-r1-p15.groupz.net>
Source record: 175346

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

3556. TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net
Message-ID: <Doug-1605970216030001@ags-r1-p15.groupz.net>
Source record: 175347

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

--
73 de AC4WW

3557. Spy people on the Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: benh@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <337b9d3a.5351452@bang-olufsen.dk>
Source record: 175348

I present here my two most recent software which I hope they interest you.
they are progammed by Turbo C++ and run under Windows(3.11 and 95).
here is a short description of these two software.

1-Robot Spy 1.0
at my knowledge, this software is the first and the unique of its kind.
This software allow you to spy your friends who are on the net at the same time
of you, it permits to see exactly what they do on their screen, pixel by pixel,
anywhere, in the world, at the condition they are connected to the internet.
how does-it work?
it's simple, you send a file to the person you want to spy telling to him it's a
game or everythings else, the objectif is this person run the file. from this time,
a batch file is installed on his computor, and everytime this person use internet,
this batch connects him secretly on our server.
on your side, you , after the installation of the other part of the software every time
you want, you can connect on our server with your password and have the list of all the
persons who received your batch and who are connected at this time.
the only thing you have to do is to click on the name of the person you want to spy.
a window opens containing exactly the screen of the person spied, you can have
ten pictures per second with 256 colors, if you switch to balck and white mode you can
onbtain a real time sequence, approximatly 30 pictures by second.

Robot Mailer 1.1
The message you are reading presently is sent to more then 20,000 newsgroups with
this software. This program automates FreeAgent, and reach with a connection of 28,8 Kbauds
5,000 news per hours. It can also find a maximum of 50,000 e-mail adresses from internet
and
send a message in 4 or 5 hours. You can obtain with this sofware the most powerful tool of
mass transmittion on the internet.

Robot Spy 1.0.................20 US$
Robot Mailer 1.1.............20 US$
Both.............................30 US$

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Montreal, PQ, H2L-2H9
Canada

Don't forget to include your e-mail on a paper, you receice the software ordered in your
e-mail the day we receive the money order.

3558. Help Kenwood TH-215A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tkenny@qsun.ho.att.com
Message-ID: <337e46fd.261679226@newsb.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 175349

I'm having trouble with my Kenwood TH-215A HT. I'm trying to determine if it is worth fixing. If so where!? The PTT switch isn't working. Also for some reason the external hand mike doesn't work. HOWEVER my headset VOX mike does work! The other problem I have is that the buttons on the keypad are sluggish. Sometimes the buttons work, sometimes not and sometimes I get double presses even though I only pressed once. I have taken the over off to see what I can do but it doesn't look promising.

Any hints, clues or suggestions would be appreciated.

73, Tom Kenny KB2GLO

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Tom Kenny KB2GLO Voice: 908-949-9704
PO Box 1222, Toms River, NJ 08754
EMail: tek@webspan.net URL: http://webspan.net/~tek
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3559. Re: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970516120900.IAA13546@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175350

Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Comm's
in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
Good luck !

3560. Wanted: FT-ONE "Local Unit" board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Crothers <vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bc61f5$06bf1880$93f3868b@default>
Source record: 175351

Hello my friends,
I have a problem with my Yaesu FT-ONE. The symptoms are that folks can hear my USB transmissions clear on LSB and poorly on USB.
I have traced the problem to the 24.5Mhz carrier oscillator not being on the correct frequency.
I am unable to adjust it to the specs, even after replacing the Xtal and varactor. Parts for this rig are difficult to source.
I'm now at the end of my patience and would like to purchase from someone, the "Local Unit" board, new or used. The manual indicates it's symbol number as PB-2253 (Early Model)
(The S/N of the FT-ONE is 020019)
Looking forward to any replies.
Terry Crothers (vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au) on Groote Eylandt (OC141)

3561. Heathkit TT-1 tube tester survey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffa@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5lhknm$ec2@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've finished (I hope) repairing and recalibrating my Heathkit TT-1 according to the manual's instructions. However, while making a seperate transconductance measurement I've found that the TT-1's meter reading is off by (roughly) 30 percent.

I don't know if this inaccuracy is unique to my unit, or if it is common to others. And because, as a kit, each TT-1 is custom, so to speak, there could be quite a bit of variation from unit to unit. I'd like to gather additional information from other users to check on the meter's accuracy, and thus propose the following:

I'll supply a small number of tubes (6, say). These will be my 'reference' tubes, and I'd like to send them to TT-1 owners for measurement on their units. Once the measurements are made, return the tubes to me along with the transconductance reading for each tube. I'll then correlate these readings and publish the results.

I'll try to include return postage with the tubes, but this could become expensive if there is much interest - perhaps the return postage might be handled by the other end (don't forget, this is in the interests of science!)? Or, perhaps we can do this as a "round robin" mailing, with each participant paying the postage to the next person on the list...

Anyone interested?

Thanks,

- Jeff, WA6AHL

3562. Re: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Griffiths <richg@one.net>
Message-ID: <337C586D.675E@one.net>
Source record: 175353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

tnic wrote:
>
> Radio Shack sells a TV antenna rotor (page 135 of 1997 catalog) for $65.
> This is WAY cheeper than the cheapest rotor I could find anywhere elese at
> any price.
>
> Can I use that for a 2m/440 Cushcraft A270-10S Yagi?
> The Yagi (5 elements per band claims a wind surface area of .073 square
> feet. The Boom is 6'2". It weighs about 5 lbs.
>
> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Anyone doing this or care to comment on this setup? Feel free to vent your
> splean.
>
> Thanks
> TNIC@IDT.NET

I've been using an RS rotator to turn a 4-element, 2-meter Cushcraft beam
for many years now. This beam is a bit smaller and lighter than yours,
but it's mounted to the mast at the very end, so the wind torque may even
be greater than yours. I also used an RS TV rotator for a while to turn
a 20-meter X-beam antenna. It turned the antenna fine, and the only problem
was that it occasionally lost sync between the control box and the antenna
in 45+ mph winds. But the sync is easily re-established.

As you say, they're cheap. And they do work better than some folks might
have you believe.

Rich W2RG

3563. Re: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <337c63c7.1934740@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 175354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Comm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days ago.

Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? same
thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too much... I am sure
we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

3564. Re: Advice on HF Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6202$8f08b360$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 175355

> I am close to getting my General...

Congrats!

>... and am looking at used HF equipment for my first station. I have a
few questions I need answered from the
> 'old time Hams' in radio
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Well, I *certainly* qualify in that department :-)

> . Digital or analog radio?

I guess you're talking about the frequency display. You'll be lots happier
with a digital display.

> . What is the oldest (19XX) rig I should look at for purchase?

Probably around 1985. There are lots of older rigs around, but it gets
harder and harder to find parts for them. May early solid state radios had
custom ICs, which are no longer available. If you get one of those, and the
IC dies, your radio becomes a tasteful but expensive paperweight.

> . What features should I look for in a quality HF radio?

Good filtering, good dynamic range, coverage of "WARC" bands (an issue on
some older radios). Some earlier radios had a limited number of memory
channels; that may be an issue if you care about that sort of thing.
Earlier radios generally lacked a keypad, which allows you to directly
punch in a frequency. Nice to have but you can live without it if you have
to. Also, general coverage receivers are less common in older rigs. Many
recent rigs have digital signal processing of one kind or another; a nice
feature, missing on older rigs.

Some radios have a built-in power supply, others require an external 12
volt supply. This is a good news / bad news situation. An AC rig is nice
in that you don't have to buy a power supply (usually another $150 or so),
but you can't easily use it mobile or portable. The DC rigs are easy to
use portable, but you have to pop for the DC supply.

> Are repair parts avaiable to fix older used tube radios?

It's getting harder and harder to find tubes, and the price is going up.
I'd avoid all-tube rigs if I were you.

> I have a G5RV outside now

Your G5RV will work just fine, but you will need an antenna tuner for
transmitting. Many modern rigs have them built in.

> I have a borrowed Collins 73 S line here but have to return it soon.

The S-Line is legendary, but still highly regarded. However, it lacks many of the modern features, and owners are engaged in a more-or-less endless search for tubes.

It all comes down to how much you want to spend. If you're trying to do this on the cheap, try to find a clean Yaesu FT-101ZD. This was the last of the -101 line, and is a very fine radio. It has tubes in the final power stages, but is mostly solid state, and the tubes are of a common type that's relatively easy to find. The Kenwood TS-830 is also a very nice radio. You should be able to get these in good condition for around $500 or so. If you can go higher, the best deal on a used radio right now is probably the Yaesu FT-990. This rig just went out of production; it was replaced by the FT-920.

The 990 is a fine performer with lots and lots of nice features, including a very effective built-in antenna tuner. There is an AC version with built-in supply, a DC version, and some that have both an AC supply and a DC power input jack; best of both worlds. I have one of those, and I like it a lot. These were recently going for around $1500, but with the 920 just introduced at $1800 new, it seems to me that the price of used 990s will have to edge down a bit. With a little shrewd shopping at hamfests and surfing around the net (try rec.radio.swap), you should be able to find a nice one for $1200 or so. Best of luck, and 73...

Mike, N4PDY

3565. Re: WTB. SM-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: GCLL54A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5lhqo8$4tte@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175356

Check out: http://www.dxer.com/hamstore/sunnyvale I think they have
one for sale there. Gary N7GJ

3566. Re: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffv@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <337c656c.350222057@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 175357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On 16 May 1997 00:52:08 GMT, tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>Radio Shack sells a TV antenna rotor (page 135 of 1997 catalog) for $65.
>This is WAY cheeper than the cheapest rotor I could find anywhere elese at
>any price.
>
>Can I use that for a 2m/440 Cushcraft A270-10S Yagi?
>The Yagi (5 elements per band claims a wind surface area of .073 square
>feet. The Boom is 6'2". It weighs about 5 lbs.
>
>Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
>not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
>smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Anyone doing this or care to comment on this setup? Feel free to vent your
>splean.
>
>Thanks
>TNIC@IDT.NET
>
>
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>
Yes its strong enough to handle what you want to put on it. Before I
put up my tower, I had a 45ft pushup with a Cushcraft 13B2 and a
Diamond 200 dualband vertical on one. Worked fine for me for
two years, and is still working fine for the fellow I gave it to.
Note,
It does not have a brake on it, so expect to recalibrate often. That
is accomplished rather easily by turning the array north to south
a couple of times, good luck with it...KS4KO

3567. Looking for manual for Heathkit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mansfield <mmans@aeneas.net>
Message-ID: <337C7180.5616@aeneas.net>
Source record: 175358

I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
appriciated!
Thanks,
Mark

3568. FS: Radio Shack HTX 404

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: we2m@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970516150900.LAA23739@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175359

I have for sale a Radio Shack HTX 404 440HT
it is brand new in the box and NEVER USED......
asking $150.00

if interested please contact me
thanks

Paul WE2M
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

3569. FT50R beltclip and mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5lhtbk$d8e@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 175360

I have some questions about the Yaesu FT50R.

1) Is the beltclip off the VX-10 better then the regular one and is
it spring loaded?

2) How much for it and where can I get one (belt clip)?

3) Is there any way I can enter blocked out frequencies by the
Yaesu software (freq's between 200 & 300 MHz)? I heard older
versions of the software would.

4) Any other software out for it?

5) Is there a mod to let me use 5kHz steps above 590MHz?

6) Is there or will there be any fix for the Wide FM problem?
I heard of a software fix, is this true?

3570. FS: Icom 230 2 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: we2m@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970516151400.LAA24145@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175361

i have for sale an older Icom 230.....it is a 10 watt output radio that
covers
the 146-148MHZ band..it has been adapted to recieve and transmit
on the common packet freqs around 145.050....

asking $100.00

paul we2m
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

3571. Re: spc anc-4 noise canx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Newman <pauln@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <9075651A4B44AD41.B0FDEB36376A4D7C.860B22B106E33154@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 175362

STAN wrote:
>
> anyone out there using one of these with success? would like to hear
> what type of noise recv antenna you use. i have s9+ power line noise
> nightly and unit as set up now lowers this to about s6. stan in hawaii
> --
> remove >nospam to reach me via email
i live in a high rise hotel with all manner of electrical noises - anc4
wipes 99% of them - be prepared to play with the noise antenna tho for
the best results
paul vk8pn
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3572. Re: Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <337C7B8C.3746@onramp.net>
Source record: 175363

Mr. Doug wrote:
SNIP
> Anyone have any helpful suggestions?

The pass transistors are probably shorted and each time you power it up the crowbar triggers and blows the fuse (exactly as designed) The short will not show up with an ohm-meter because it is not there until the crowbar triggers. The only 2 things that go wrong with Astron supplies is the regulator (ua723) and the pass transistors (90% of the time).

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3573. Re: Advice on HF Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmay@iguana.ruralnet.net
Message-ID: <337c78f0.4871463@news.ruralnet.net>
Source record: 175364

On Thu, 15 May 1997 23:46:38 GMT, badger@vbe.com (Michael Melland)
wrote:

>flytyer105@aol.com (FlyTyer105) wrote:
>
>> I am close to getting my General, and am looking at used HF equipment

>Charlie:

>
>You'll get lots of opinions I'm sure <grin> .... sort of like asking
>whats a better truck Ford, Chevy, or Dodge.
>
>
>73 de Mike KB9QHU
>

I absolutely agree with Mike, and anything that probably is going to
go wrong with a 15 year old radio has already been fixed. I like the
TS-830. Very good receiver and tremendous transmit audio. The Kenwood
TS-430 ($500-$550) doesnt have quite as good as a receiver, but is
solid state, general coverage receiver, and in the same price range.
Icom 730 is a good radio also, solid state and quite small.
($400-$450)

Lower price range would include Kenwood TS-520(S,SE), Yaesu FT-101E
Both are tube finals and in $275-$325 range but built like tanks.

I myself am partial to Drake radios (TR-7, C-Line) but they are
getting hard to find.

Don't make yourself crazy trying to decide Charlie, but have fun.

73' Rick KC0HH

3574. Re: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337C8489.2B6C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175365

Mark Mansfield wrote:
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> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark

Good morning Mark -- Goto INDEX below -- click on MANUALS -- several
on-line vendors with Heath Manuals there.

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3575. WTB: TenTec Paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: knoxr@cc.tacom.ARmy.MIL
Message-ID: <37c88a40@cc.tacom.army.mil>
Source record: 175366

Good Day to Members of the Group!

I am looking for a TenTec Model KR1B paddle to match
my Corsair II station. If anyone has one of these they'd like
to sell, please contact me at: knoxr@cc.tacom.army.mil

Thanks and 73! de KD4BRL Dick Knox

3576. ALINCO EC10 / LPD radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jochen Ziegler <jochenzi@hpbbn.bbn.hp.com>
Message-ID: <337C5FF6.647@hpbbn.bbn.hp.com>
Source record: 175367

I have bought a LPD radio from ALINCO. The name is EC10.
The low power device has 10mW output power.

Let me know, how to change to change the output power from 10mW to 50 or 400mW.
Is the frequency after the change the same?

Jochen

3577. FS OLIVETTI P75 LAPTOP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant <grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <B5P30OAtHJfzEw$k@phogrant.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175368

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Olivetti Echoes P75 Laptop PC
LCD Colour dual scan screen
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graphics and stereo sound card
running WIN 95
carry case

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for further information/details contact by email
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Grant Birmingham, England.

Email: grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk
WWW: http://www.phogrant.demon.co.uk

What is one thing that all wise men,
regardless of their religion or politics,
agree is between heaven and earth ?
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3578. Re: Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Potter <dpotter@bbn.com>
Message-ID: <337C9606.3CCA@bbn.com>
Source record: 175369

Clif wrote:
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> Mr. Doug wrote:
> SNIP
> > Anyone have any helpful suggestions?
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> The pass transistors are probably shorted and each time you power it up
> the crowbar triggers and blows the fuse (exactly as designed) The short
> will not show up with an ohm-meter because it is not there until the
> crowbar triggers. The only 2 things that go wrong with Astron supplies
> is the regulator (ua723) and the pass transistors (90% of the time).
>
> Clif @ AVVid
> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

...almost... the only thing. you might have a shorted rectifier diode.

3579. Re: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cliff Soderback <ss@t.net>
Message-ID: <01bc621e$46142ec0$547893cf@pop3>
Source record: 175370

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Note: Actual e-mail address Cliff-s@.worldnet.att.net
the indicated address is bogus to foil the
Spambots.

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>
> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing.

> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was
> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal
> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire which
> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is that
> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current,
> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If every
> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the
> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded
> "cracklies
>
> George
>
> gworth@ibm.net

George:
What is happening is that when you touch any piece
of metal
to any part of the system which has RF current flowing in it you generate
a small arc. This is the scratching you hear in the repeater. The problem
is that you have some piece of metal on the pole that is loose and moving
in the wind. I would suggest climbing the pole with a plastic(not metal)
hammer and start tapping on the various metal mountings with your repeater
keyed. You will soon find the culprit. It could be ANY piece of metal, be
sure
to try them all. Don't add anything to the pole until you find the loose
part.
Also try nudging the pole with your hip to see if you can make it act up.

Cliff, W7VVA

3580. [=== Looking for OLD HP CATALOGS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <863803303.28845@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175371
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I am looking for old catalogs from
HP before 1980 and
Tektronics before 1970.

I will gladly pay for shipping and handeling.

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3581. WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: d.smith3@ukonline.co.uk
Message-ID: <337b69f2.4159976@news>
Source record: 175372

can anyone please help me
I am looking for some mods for my radio
preferably an FM board and a squelch circuit
also any other hard hacks that may be around
thanks in advance
Dave

3582. Icom T22 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stein H. Hansen" <shansen@online.no>
Message-ID: <337CB29B.6A6F@online.no>
Source record: 175373

Does anyone know how to modify a Icom T22A or E?

--
- Stein H. Hansen

3583. FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <5lic44$g7n@surf.com>
Source record: 175374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

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computer at home or at work with a wireless connection
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I sold my IBM ThinkPad recently ...so don't need
this anymore. The Access Point is brand-new, tested
but never used. I had a minor problem with my original
unit and Netwave replaced the entire unit just before
I sold my laptop..,so you get a brand-new unit.

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3584. Re: Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5li7b9$nes@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 175375

Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug) wrote:
>One day the supply stopped working. The only visible symptom was a blown
>5A fuse. The repeater was fine (indicating no catastrophic line surge had
>occured to both) as a backup power supply I put in line returned it to
>service. I have PolyPhaser line & coaxial surge protection installed.

My first bet would be on a shorted rectifier diode. If it's easy, you
might disconnect everything from the positive lead of the bridge and
see if the fuse still blows; that'd eliminate a bunch of other
possibilities.

If it's not easy, I'd just take an ohmmeter to the diodes.

73 Doug

3585. junk sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Marshall <brian.marshall@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19970516214123704 69@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 175376

The Stirling & District Amateur Radio Society are having a junk sale
on the 25th of May at the Scout hall, Menstrie, Clackmannan,Scotland
more info at
http://www.users.zetnet.co.uk/bmarshall

3586. Re: FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jangus@netcom.com
Message-ID: <jangusEAAppE.6MJ@netcom.com>
Source record: 175377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,

sandy@sandy.com (Sandy Meltzer) writes:

>FOR SALE - Netwave Wireless Networking For Your Laptop!
> Consists of two items:

Must got awful small tubes in it to fit in one of them there
pcmcia slots.

Nice .sig, think you could cut it down a bit?

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Amateur: WA6FWI@WA6FWI.#SOCA.CA.USA.NA | "It is difficult to imagine our
Internet: jangus@skyld.grendel.com | universe run by a single omni-
US Mail: PO Box 4425 Carson, CA 90749 | potent god. I see it more as a
Phone: 1 (310) 887-8545 | badly run corporation."

3587. Re: HTX-242 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wgf@geocities.com
Message-ID: <5lionv$gt5$2@news.inc.net>
Source record: 175378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

In article <337883C8.47135243@caprica.com.no-spam>, Jonathan <jd@caprica.com.no-spam>
wrote:
>
>Reason: Although a ham needs no type acceptance to convert a radio for a
>non-ham
>band to a ham band he may use, type acceptance IS required for any rig
>used on a
>non-ham band.
>
>This I know, having been the station licensee in 4 different radio
>services and a
>1st Class RTL course,(which I completed, but was too young & too broke
>to become
>a full 1st Class RTL'ee), and am now studying for my own SW broadcasting
>license,
>which is the only other radio service in the US that type acceptance on
>the rigs,
>(it must only pass a specs inspection, according to Uncle Spam... er I
>mean Sam).
>
>

I'm sorry, sir, but your information is in error. Type acceptance is not
required for radios used on bands controlled by the National
Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA). I know this because
in addition to being a ham, having a GROL, etc., I am a user of several
NTIA-controlled bands, where modified ham radio usage is permitted. In fact,
tommorow I'm going to be at Sheboygan, Wisconsin legally transmitting on
non-ham frequencies with a modified Kenwood TH-78A, and my doing so will not
violate any regulations nor violate any laws.

-Will Flor wgf@geocities.com
KB9JTT -- PG-GB-010796 -- BLUE MOUND 323

3588. Re: *****help modem baycom*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <337CE901.664AFA28@primenet.com>
Source record: 175379

nada wrote:
>
> Hello
> thank for reading this message.
> i have bay a modem Baycom, i have truoble with packet in HF
> I use the program baycom that i get with the modem and also the TSTHOST.
> TSTHOST IN VHF works, but in hf not.
>

I think that your problem might be caused by noise at HF. With VHF FM, your receiver's squelch circuit keeps the DCD in the 3105 chip from falsing, but with HF SSB receivers, there normally isn't any squelch. Also other signals will probably affect DCD. The Baycom modem probably isn't really good enough for the demands of HF operation, although possibly you could modify the circuit to add state-machine DCD, which would help this situation. See www.tapr.org for a simple state-machine DCD kit which could be added to the modem. A TNC designed for HF operation, such as the MFJ 1278 would probably be a better solution, however.

Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

3589. F.S. Standard C468A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuart underwood <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <337CF6E1.3A98@harborcom.net>
Source record: 175380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap

I have for sale a Standard C468A. Brand new condition. I had it for two months when my wife bought for my bd a yaesu FT50R. I no longer need this radio. I have the box and manual. I also have the leather case for this radio. Asking $275.00 OBO. I will ship FedEx or UPS Blue 2nd day air. If interested, stu@harborcom.net or 216-352-7787 73, Stuart KB8VIY

3590. FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517020201.WAA15500@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175381

Kenwood TS-440/SAT HF Transceiver $750
Kenwood SP-430 Matching Speaker $ 60
Kenwood IF-232C Computer interface $ 75
Kenwood MC-80 Electret Desk mic up/down$ 65
Astron RS-35A P.S. 25Amp/35Amp surge $105

This station has had limited use and is in the best condition you will ever see and not be new. They look and operate "as new". They are Flawless. The above prices are plus shipping. You will not be disappointed in this one owner equipment. Contact Van:

wb0nzv@aol.com

3591. Vibroplex Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no spam>"@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <337D1884.2932@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175382

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=dqw401949

3592. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com>
Message-ID: <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>
Source record: 175383
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently hand
> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse to
> die.

I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this Extra
class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and 3.700
to 3.725. I'll see you Novice class operators there, and I hope to see
you in the General, Advanced and Extra portions of the bands soon.
--
Best regards,

Mark Saunders -- KJ7BS
Glendale, Arizona

http://www.dancris.com/~tracker
tracker@dancris.com

KJ7BS@KC7Y.AZ.USA.NOAM

FISTS # 2972 QRP-L # 1028

3593. Re: Astatis D-104 Impedence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Dennis <Realtor@RayDennis.com>
Message-ID: <337D2D67.1547@RayDennis.com>
Source record: 175384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

John B. Lawrence wrote:
>
> I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
> to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
> the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
> input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).
>
> John KE6TGN

Here's what I did:

The crystal element was bad anyway, so I put a Heil element in its
place. The impedance of the Heil is about 2,000 ohms it it works great
with the solid state rigs.

Ray W0DQ

3594. SRI ABT MULT POSTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <337D1D19.5B58@chatlink.com>
Source record: 175385

Ron, N7TAW wrote:
>
> Randy
>
> There is no audio gain on the IC-229, there is a modulation control, I
> think it is R29, but BE CAREFUL!!! before adjusting this pot, check the
> audio level of a DTMF tone. Most of the time, the mic's that came with
> the 229 are not very voice responsive, and require a small mod to get
> good audio.
>
> If you turn the modulation pot too far, you will damage the
> driver!!!!!!! (this get very expensive... I know). If the audio level
> of a DTMF tone is correct, open the mic case and look at the rear of the
> electret element. There is a zener diode soldered across the
> terminals. The factory value of this diode is 4.7V, but they fail
> often. Measure the voltage across this diode (with the key down) and
> check it. If the voltage is between 4 and 6 volts, but the audio level
> is not satisfactory, replace this diode with a 9.1V zener. This usually
> solves the problem.
>
> Hope it helps,
>
> Ron, N7TAWhams@nwlink.com wrote:
> >
> > I purchased a used ICOM 229H and found that it had been turned down (audio)
> > for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to
> > the danger zone.
> >
> > Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???
> >
> > Thanks.
> >
> > Randy KI7ZD
> > http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams
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> > for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to
> > the danger zone.
> >
> > Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???
> >
> > Thanks.
Sorry about the multiple posts, my server was telling me they were not

being found, and then when I came back on today, they were all here.

Ron, N7TAW

3595. F.S. atlas 210x

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <337D043D.1E36@mc.net>
Source record: 175386

i have for sale a atlas 210x h.f. rig with external power supply.
works really well with shure desk mic.....asking $200.00 plus
shipping.thanks jack n9iif

3596. Re: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <337CCB0A.62FB@icss.net>
Source record: 175387

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark
I saw an advertisement in the classified ads of QST where the Heath
manuals can be obtained. They claimed to be the only authorized source
of the manuals, but I kind of doubt if the copyright could be valid
anymore. Brian

3597. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <337C98C1.6DB6@flash.net>
Source record: 175388

In my experince with them (only on the phone) they have been very informative. Maybe you should look elswhere for the problem?

Lee H.

3598. Simplex Phone Patch???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <337C9FAA.7E7D@flash.net>
Source record: 175389

Are the Simplex phone patches worth the money? Do the have any range? What about quality of sound. Any experiences that you've had would be helpful.

Thanks in advance.

Lee H
KC5ZRR

3599. Svetlana Tubes in a 2100B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffdg@intergate.bc.ca
Message-ID: <337be5d6.45752468@news.intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 175390

I would really like to hear from any of you
who have put the Svetlana 572B tubes into a
2100B Yaesu amplifier. RF Parts told me I have to
put this "bias" kit in the amp to prevent
oscillation . Thanks !

Jeff VE7 GMX

3600. Re: Help Kenwood TH-215A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <337C7C82.733B@onramp.net>
Source record: 175391

Thomas E. Kenny wrote:
>
> I'm having trouble with my Kenwood TH-215A HT. I'm trying to determine if it
> is worth fixing. If so where!? The PTT switch isn't working. Also for some
> reason the external hand mike doesn't work. HOWEVER my headset VOX mike does
> work! The other problem I have is that the buttons on the keypad are
> sluggish. Sometimes the buttons work, sometimes not and sometimes I get
> double presses even though I only pressed once. I have taken the over off to
> see what I can do but it doesn't look promising.
>
> Any hints, clues or suggestions would be appreciated.
>
> 73, Tom Kenny KB2GLO
>
> vvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvv
> Tom Kenny KB2GLO Voice: 908-949-9704
> PO Box 1222, Toms River, NJ 08754
> EMail: tek@webspan.net URL: http://webspan.net/~tek
> ^^

If the PTT button is plastic then the inner piece is broken. It can be
replaced with a rubber version without taking the radio apart. The
handmike jack has probably broken loose from the PC board and need to be
resoldered or replaced. On the keypad it needs to be disassembled and
cleaned using only alcohol and q-tips. Should takr care of all the
problems..

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3601. TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net
Message-ID: <Doug-1605970216420001@ags-r1-p15.groupz.net>
Source record: 175392

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

--
73 de AC4WW

3602. TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net
Message-ID: <Doug-1605970224040001@ags-r1-p15.groupz.net>
Source record: 175393

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Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

3603. Re: Ameco TX-62 - HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: a313@Lehigh.EDU
Message-ID: <5lhi15$13vi@ns5-1.CC.Lehigh.EDU>
Source record: 175394

Couldn't resist the post... My old rig ran with a Dow Key relay off an octal socket plug. Sounds like it may be to obvious to think the relay coil has a dirct path to ground. I used to use a foot switch with mine to trigger the Dow Key.

10 watts sure sounds like a soft final. I used to get 35 out with the VFO-621. By the way... Later versions of the VFO-621 were a beautiful hetrodyne mixed scheme. Really top drawer when it came to stability. I used to run the rig with an attenuator to work thru the OSCAR satelites when the down link was to 10 meters. The final days of my 62 were use as a six meter beacon. The rig was rugged enough to run 24 hours a day on cw.

73's Dick K8WHA

In article <5lfu95$21t@uwm.edu>, jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu (John Clifford Wilke) wri
tes:
>Ok all you old timers:
>
>I picked up an Ameco TX-62 transmitter for 6 and 2 meters along
>with the matching VF0-621 (only $5.00! for both). The thing does
>xmit on 6 meters but I am not able to 'key' it...it's keyed all the
>time, makes no diff. if I plug in my straight key or not.
>I do get a full 10 watts out though and I'm a good S9 across town too. Ideas?
>
>The guy didn't have any manuals or info on it. He was just happy to
>get rid of it. Heck for $5.00, I can at least burn a couple of hours
>playing with it...such a deal! Plus I already made one contact with
>it!
>
>Any takers?
>
>--
>===
>John C. Wilke, BA, BSN, GN (jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu)
>WB9UAI EN-62aw
>===
>
>
>
>

3604. Radio Equipment WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: patrick.emrich@hcol.humberc.on.ca
Message-ID: <tcpnntpd.17.5.16.17.27.22.2443217854.5328820@hcol.humberc.on.ca>
Source record: 175395

If anyone has information or parts please email nitehawk@ican.net.

TA-12G
AR-2 Northern Electric
RA-10DB
CRR-74028

Information would be greatly appreciated....or call 416-675-6622 EXT
7090..

3605. WTB:SX-117 parts and HX-20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: msix@news.rt66.com
Message-ID: <5li5bt$60m$1@mack.rt66.com>
Source record: 175396

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SX-117 any condx or parts:
s-meter/s-meter bracket/xtals/top&bottom cover
any or all!!!
Heathkit HX-20 mobile transmitter

email phone - will call for details.

--
73 - John W7ZFB at msix@rt66.com
Snail -
Fone -
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3606. Patcomm HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5li5it$7ii@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 175397

I am still looking for some users comments on
HF rigs made by Patcomm. Anyone owns/uses one
out there?
TIA
Tony, VE6CGX

3607. FOR SALE: WESTERN UNION SOUNDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dialta@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970516181400.OAA07730@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175398

I have an excellent condition Western Union Sounder, Model "Mainline Sounder 15-C", for sale. It is mechanically perfect. Some small scratches on the arch supporting the sounder arm. Circa early 1920's. Has stamp for "New York Repair Facility" in 1927. All bids welcome and answered.

Contact:

Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street
Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605) 343-6127
Email = dialta@aol.com

3608. Re: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjmay@iguana.ruralnet.net
Message-ID: <337c9d95.918181@news.ruralnet.net>
Source record: 175399

On 16 May 1997 06:19:54 GMT, Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug) wrote:

>Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one
>from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?
>
>What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?
>
>Thanks for the input.
>
>--
>73 de AC4WW

I have used International Filters for years. Theyt started life out as
Fox -Tango and then International Filter and Computer and now they
have moved to Oregon. They have better shape factor, better ultimate
rejection and are cheaper than Kenwood,Icom or Yaesu filters. Bottom
line is they work better. I just got off the phone and ordered a Drop
in 1ST IF filter for my Drake R4C. They are running a 10% off Dayton
Special by the way.

International Filter
13620 Tyee Rd.
Umpqua, OR. 97486

Ph# (541)459-5623
E-Mail - inrad@rosenet.net

73' Rick KC0HH

3609. Re: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <337CE6E2.4D65@onramp.net>
Source record: 175400

Ron, N7TAW wrote:
SNIP
>
> If you turn the modulation pot too far, you will damage the
> driver!!!!!!! (this get very expensive... I know). If the audio level
> o
>
> Ron, N7TAWhams@nwlink.com wrote:
> >

How does overmodulation damage the driver????

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

3610. Re: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337CF1D7.2BAA@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Mike Pfeiffer wrote:
>
> > Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> > not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> > smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
> light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
> your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

I've been moveing a logperiodic for 2 years with it. The only real
problem I see is there is much to much play in the thing! It wiggles a
bit much! Now its turning a 4 element 6 meter quad. I'd say thats its
limit! Gotta get a tower anr real rotor! SOON!

3611. Cuscraft 22El Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <337E6CB8.106@erols.com>
Source record: 175221

A friend of mine wants to sell his 22 element (2 11 element) Cushcraft 2 meter yagis. It is about 15 years old and does not have matching harnesses. It comes with an alliance control box and rotator. What is a reasonble sale price? Please be gentle. Thanks. 73 Murray K3BEQ.

3612. Yaesu FL2500 HF amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph
Message-ID: <9705181710251330@livewire.com.ph>
Source record: 175222

Does anyone have the working manual for the Yaesu FL2500 HF linear amp?
I got mine from a garage sale of a ham who cant seem to find the manual.
Having no past experience in operating one, I thought I'd ask around if
anyone out there has a copy. Would be glad to pay for copying and
shipping. 73.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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* OLXWin 1.00b * Cookie pieces contain NO calories, breakage leaks calories.

3613. Antenna for condo with re

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph
Message-ID: <9705181710261331@livewire.com.ph>
Source record: 175223

I recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I would like to know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? I've heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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3614. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705178638.AA863874859@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 175271

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Date: 14 May 1997 12:04:18 GMT
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu (David Price)
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

In article <19970506042200.AAA08098@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jpasquini@aol.com
says...
>
>I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
>noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
>seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
>sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
>situation (bad pun intended)? <g>
>
>This thing is just too heavy to send back to get repaired, and I'd like to
>do the repair myself if anyone else has any thoughts or suggestions.
>Perhaps this problem has already occurred to someone else?
>
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>Thanks in advance, and 73 de
>
>Joe, N2NOU

Sounds like the filter caps are not doing there job, they maybe leaky or open,
Also check the noload current on the primary on the tramsformer with the
secondary open. You might have a bad transformer. AS for the switch, live with
it or by a new one for RS.

Ke4zqz

Date: 17 May 97 00:26:33 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:05:01 -0300
From: Scott McNutt <sjmcnutt@ns.sympatico.ca>
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

John B. Lawrence wrote:
>
> I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
> to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
> the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
> input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).
>
> John KE6TGN
HI John, I have an Amplified D-104 (model T-UG8-D104) The output impedance is 5000 ohm or less. Not sure if this will help you out or not.
73's de VE1CHL.
Scott

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 21:28:48 -0700
From: Linda Braspenning <linda.braspenning@skynet.be>
Subject: Electronic Parts

I study Product Development and am developing a device for pilots on ships.
This device will be a combination of a portophone and a data-receiver, both working on the marine VHF-frequencies (150-170 MHz). (Range: 50 km) I will need 2 antenna's, since the speach-channel must be open on all times and can't be shut down when data (in the form of a telegram) is being received.

To be able to give this device a decent ~ ergonomic acceptable ~ form, I need some info on some electronic parts. I've tried the Internet and 've written to multiple companies, without any result.

Since I'm a real layman on the topic of radio-communication, I also need some answers on basic questions.

First of all: what are basic dimensions (if possible also prize and weight) for transceivers and receivers?

2. Does such a transceiver include a modulator/demodulator (~ receiver - demodulator)

3. How much battery-power is needed?

4. Can I use a fully integrated antenna on this? (I mean integrated within the body of the device, whithout any ducky antenna's sticking out)

Thanks very,very much for all the info you guys out there can give me.

Linda

linda.braspenning@skynet.be

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:41:20 -0600
From: 8uhz@concentric.net
Subject: FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350

In article <19970505015200.VAA28520@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1) wrote:
>
> I HAVE A VERY CLEAN NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER WITH MANUAL FOR $350. STEVE
> W1SN

wow wow wow ... the prices keep on going up and up and up and
the radios just don't seem any different than the NC183D thats
worth $80.00 to $125.00 ...max...
to each his own.. if your really in need of this one empty
the bank, take the milk from your kids mouths and go for it!!
tim

--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Fri, 16 May 97 19:23:19 GMT
From: sandy@sandy.com (Sandy Meltzer)
Subject: FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

How would you like to stay connected to your desktop
computer at home or at work with a wireless connection
to your laptop computer? Move from room to room or
relax in your backyard while you surf the Internet,
receive email, or run ANY applications!

Well, you can do this and more with the Netwave
wireless link.

FOR SALE - Netwave Wireless Networking For Your Laptop!
Consists of two items:

(1) Netwave AirSurfer Wireless LAN PC Card
Tiny card plugs directly into any PC Card
slot on your laptop computer.

(1) Netwave AirSurfer Access Point
Small 2GHz transceiver with another PC
Card which attaches to your desktop
computer.

** As New..in the box with all manuals, asking
$750.00 or Best offer...(I paid over $1600.00 new).
Will consider trade for various Ham gear...especially
Collins, Drake, vhf/uhf amps (10w in - 100w out),
let me know what you have...will consider all offers.

You can contact me via email at sandy@sandy.com
or call (408) 257-5383.

To find out more about this great product, checkout
Netwave's Web site. All product info and free software
updates are available at:

http://www.netwave-wireless.com/products.htm

I sold my IBM ThinkPad recently ...so don't need
this anymore. The Access Point is brand-new, tested
but never used. I had a minor problem with my original
unit and Netwave replaced the entire unit just before
I sold my laptop..,so you get a brand-new unit.

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--Sandy / _ _ \
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CactusNET Communications	Reflections By Design
Internet Service Provider	Web Design & Production
San Jose, California	Cupertino, California
408-261-4676	408-257-2800
http://www.cactusnet.com	http://www.by-design.com
"An Oasis In The CyberDesert"	"We Give You The World"
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Date: 16 May 1997 11:09:09 GMT
From: we2m@aol.com (WE2M)
Subject: FS: Radio Shack HTX 404

I have for sale a Radio Shack HTX 404 440HT
it is brand new in the box and NEVER USED......
asking $150.00

if interested please contact me
thanks

Paul WE2M
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:57:17 +0100
From: Grant <grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk>
Subject: FS OLIVETTI P75 LAPTOP

Olivetti Echoes P75 Laptop PC
LCD Colour dual scan screen
8MB RAM
540MB Hard drive
quad speed CD Rom
1.44 floppy
graphics and stereo sound card
running WIN 95
carry case

850 UKP

for further information/details contact by email
--
Grant Birmingham, England.

Email: grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk
WWW: http://www.phogrant.demon.co.uk

What is one thing that all wise men,
regardless of their religion or politics,
agree is between heaven and earth ?

Date: 15 May 1997 20:30:54 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: FT-8000R MODIFICATIONS

Does any one know of any modifications other than wide band transmit 4 the
FT-8000R? preferably the cell phone mod. I think it has 2 do with
e-prom?

thx,

jimmy
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 11:44:24 GMT
From: tkenny@qsun.ho.att.com (Thomas E. Kenny)
Subject: Help Kenwood TH-215A HT

I'm having trouble with my Kenwood TH-215A HT. I'm trying to determine if it
is worth fixing. If so where!? The PTT switch isn't working. Also for some
reason the external hand mike doesn't work. HOWEVER my headset VOX mike does
work! The other problem I have is that the buttons on the keypad are
sluggish. Sometimes the buttons work, sometimes not and sometimes I get
double presses even though I only pressed once. I have taken the over off to
see what I can do but it doesn't look promising.

Any hints, clues or suggestions would be appreciated.

73, Tom Kenny KB2GLO

vvvv

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: 15 May 1997 23:56:27 GMT
From: teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

>> just exchange your old one with a new one at RS.

Thanks.. but the unit is several years old. (it had been exchanged three
times for other problems, and the last time was for a completely new
unit..but that was several years ago)

Jose
KD1SB

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 20:09:12 -0400
From: no.spam@anytime.at.all (John C. Smith)
Subject: IC-775DSP

I am just getting back active after a 10 year absence. I am looking at
the IC-775DSP transceiver and would be interested in any comments, one
way or the other. Specifically,

1. What is the difference between serial numbers less than 1900 and over
2000?

2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire,
that can accommodate 200w?

3. Any other comments on Icon, especially vs. the FT-1000D?

Thanks for any comments and opinions.

73,

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John Smith, AA1SE
For replies, please send to smith77 at ibm dot net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:08:42 -0700
From: Jim <jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air

> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>
> http://www.3doptics.com
Ron,

JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.

It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, you
can plan your JOTA activities for any year

I hope that you have a good time on it.

73,

Jim, ZL2APE,
New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 09:00:09 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark

Good morning Mark -- Goto INDEX below -- click on MANUALS -- several
on-line vendors with Heath Manuals there.

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 17:35:46 +0100
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Subject: March Issue 1991 of CQ

Hi

Anyone can send me copies of the March Issue 1991 of CQ?

It's urgent, plez

Thankx

73

email: calcada@porto.telecel.mailpac.pt

Date: 15 May 1997 17:41:33 GMT
From: rh3333@aol.com (RH3333)
Subject: Mods for MLA-2500

I have a couple of different articles on the '2500' including two articles
about retubing the unit with a different tube other than the 8875 that has
become very expensive and difficult to find.

This information consist of about 30 pages so I would have to as $15 for
the set + $3 postage.

If interested please let me know

Richard Hale

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 11:06:03 +0930
From: Paul Newman <pauln@ozemail.com.au>
Subject: spc anc-4 noise canx

STAN wrote:
>
> anyone out there using one of these with success? would like to hear
> what type of noise recv antenna you use. i have s9+ power line noise
> nightly and unit as set up now lowers this to about s6. stan in hawaii
> --
> remove >nospam to reach me via email
i live in a high rise hotel with all manner of electrical noises - anc4
wipes 99% of them - be prepared to play with the noise antenna tho for
the best results
paul vk8pn
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Date: 16 May 1997 06:17:43 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one
from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

Date: 16 May 1997 06:25:44 GMT
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73 de AC4WW

Date: 16 May 1997 06:19:18 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
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Date: 16 May 1997 06:19:54 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
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What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 08:51:57 -0400
From: Rich Griffiths <richg@one.net>
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

tnic wrote:
>
> Radio Shack sells a TV antenna rotor (page 135 of 1997 catalog) for $65.
> This is WAY cheeper than the cheapest rotor I could find anywhere elese at
> any price.
>
> Can I use that for a 2m/440 Cushcraft A270-10S Yagi?
> The Yagi (5 elements per band claims a wind surface area of .073 square
> feet. The Boom is 6'2". It weighs about 5 lbs.
>
> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Anyone doing this or care to comment on this setup? Feel free to vent your
> splean.
>
> Thanks
> TNIC@IDT.NET

I've been using an RS rotator to turn a 4-element, 2-meter Cushcraft beam for many years now. This beam is a bit smaller and lighter than yours, but it's mounted to the mast at the very end, so the wind torque may even be greater than yours. I also used an RS TV rotator for a while to turn a 20-meter X-beam antenna. It turned the antenna fine, and the only problem was that it occasionally lost sync between the control box and the antenna in 45+ mph winds. But the sync is easily re-established.

As you say, they're cheap. And they do work better than some folks might have you believe.

Rich W2RG

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Date: 16 May 97 16:18:57 GMT
From: knoxr@cc.tacom.ARmy.MIL
Subject: WTB: TenTec Paddle

Good Day to Members of the Group!

I am looking for a TenTec Model KR1B paddle to match
my Corsair II station. If anyone has one of these they'd like
to sell, please contact me at: knoxr@cc.tacom.army.mil

Thanks and 73! de KD4BRL Dick Knox

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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:42:16 GMT
From: d.smith3@ukonline.co.uk (Dave Smith)
Subject: WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

can anyone please help me
I am looking for some mods for my radio
preferably an FM board and a squelch circuit
also any other hard hacks that may be around
thanks in advance
Dave

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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
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Date: Fri, 16 May 97 13:43:50 PDT
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Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #538
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 16 May 1997 12:42:30 GMT
From: jeffa@ix.netcom.com (Jeff Anderson)
Subject: Heathkit TT-1 tube tester survey

I've finished (I hope) repairing and recalibrating my Heathkit TT-1
according to the manual's instructions. However, while making a
seperate transconductance measurement I've found that the TT-1's meter
reading is off by (roughly) 30 percent.

I don't know if this inaccuracy is unique to my unit, or if it is
common to others. And because, as a kit, each TT-1 is custom, so to
speak, there could be quite a bit of variation from unit to unit. I'd
like to gather additional information from other users to check on the
meter's accuracy, and thus propose the following:

I'll supply a small number of tubes (6, say). These will be my
'reference' tubes, and I'd like to send them to TT-1 owners for
measurement on their units. Once the measurements are made, return the
tubes to me along with the transconductance reading for each tube.
I'll then correlate these readings and publish the results.

I'll try to include return postage with the tubes, but this could
become expensive if there is much interest - perhaps the return postage
might be handled by the other end (don't forget, this is in the
interests of science!)? Or, perhaps we can do this as a "round robin"
mailing, with each participant paying the postage to the next person on
the list...

Anyone interested?

Thanks,

- Jeff, WA6AHL

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 19:58:42 -0700
From: Mark White <"markw"@Iconnect[REMOVE!!].net>
Subject: HTX-242 Bug

orion@nospamcapital.net wrote:
>
> On Mon, 12 May 1997 13:52:12 GMT, masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:
>
> >It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."
> >
> >When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
> >HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
> >Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
> >PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!
> >
> >any ideas ? help !!!!!
> >
> >
> >Masataka Noda
> >Masa@WriteMe-X.com
> >http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
> >
> >Spam Security is ON:
> >Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.
>
> I think the "bugs" are in your head, judging from the loony nonsense
> you post here.
>
> --
> 73,
> Butch
> To send mail
> delete nospam
> from my address.

Why do you have a 2m in your car when your name does not show up in any
callsign databases? 73's de N9OHS

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:59:46 -0500
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Subject: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Ron, N7TAW wrote:
SNIP
>
> If you turn the modulation pot too far, you will damage the
> driver!!!!!!! (this get very expensive... I know). If the audio level
> o
>
> Ron, N7TAWhams@nwlink.com wrote:
> >

How does overmodulation damage the driver????

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 21:41:23 +0100
From: Brian Marshall <brian.marshall@zetnet.co.uk>
Subject: junk sale

The Stirling & District Amateur Radio Society are having a junk sale
on the 25th of May at the Scout hall, Menstrie, Clackmannan,Scotland
more info at
http://www.users.zetnet.co.uk/bmarshall

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:52:19 GMT
From: rjmay@iguana.ruralnet.net (R/J MAY)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

On 16 May 1997 06:19:54 GMT, Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug) wrote:

>Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one
>from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?
>
>What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?
>
>Thanks for the input.
>
>--
>73 de AC4WW

I have used International Filters for years. Theyt started life out as
Fox -Tango and then International Filter and Computer and now they
have moved to Oregon. They have better shape factor, better ultimate
rejection and are cheaper than Kenwood,Icom or Yaesu filters. Bottom
line is they work better. I just got off the phone and ordered a Drop
in 1ST IF filter for my Drake R4C. They are running a 10% off Dayton
Special by the way.

International Filter
13620 Tyee Rd.
Umpqua, OR. 97486

Ph# (541)459-5623
E-Mail - inrad@rosenet.net

73' Rick KC0HH

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 04:16:59 GMT
From: orion@xyzcapital.net

Subject: Which HT to start with?

On Wed, 14 May 1997 07:53:01 -0400, KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com> wrote:

>> The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
>> performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
>> receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
>> channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
>> HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.
>
>Oh yes! The HTX 202 is a WONDERFUL radio - I espeically love the
>"feature" that causes it to key up and transmit an anoying buzzing
>noise when the battery dies! - How can anyone promote a radio that
>is known to perform such illegal operations (unidentified
>transmissions)?
>
>--
>Mark <KB9KHM>

Must be something wrong with yours, Mark. Never heard of any HTX-202
doing what you describe. I have two of these rigs, and they perform
flawlessly.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id RAA24250
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
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Message-Id: <199705170041.RAA24250@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Fri, 16 May 97 17:41:40 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3615. FT-990 computer control for Windows95

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: medcalf@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <337db848.180139@news.lakes.com>
Source record: 175272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you're looking for a Windows 95/WindowsNT program to control your Yaesu FT-990 radio, I've decided to offer my MasterControl 990 as shareware. The features are noted on my MasterControl 990 home page at http://prairie.lakes.com/~medcalf/

You'll need an RS-232 to TTL adapter to talk to the FT-990, and one available COM port on your computer (the program supports COM 1 through COM 9). The shareware registration is only $25.00 and I'll be happy to consider all suggestions for improvements from registered users.

73, Karl - WK5M
<medcalf@prairie.lakes.com>

3616. TR7 repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim And Pam Walsh <JIMPAMWALSH@woldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337DB768.10A7@woldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175273

Does anyone know of a technician who has done extensive work on Older drake stuff. My club has a TR-7 that has a problem with the Final RF amp. thanks and 73
DE jim KI4PR jimpamwalsh@woldnet.att.net

3617. Need help for my IC R71E...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: vica@lunet.IT
Message-ID: <9705171417.AA08304@tex.lunet.it>
Source record: 175274

The battery backup of my IC R71E was go down and with her the data of the RAM UNIT. :-(

Someone can say to me if there is a ROM substitute and where I can buy it?

A reply will be very valued by my ICOM :)

Bye Vincenzo.

VINCENZO CALANDRA
Via Pisana 370 I-55100 - LUCCA (Italy)
E-Mail: vica@lunet.it Fidonet: 2:332/617.9

3618. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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Advice on HF Equipment
Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!
F.S. atlas 210x
F.S. Standard C468A
For Sale HF Rig and Accesories
HR2510 Digital Display
Radio Shack Digital Power/SW
Test only, do not read!!
Wanted: FT-ONE "Local Unit" board
WTB ALPHA89,HENRY 3/4K,IC2KL

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Date: 16 May 1997 16:09:02 -0700
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
Subject: *****help modem baycom*****

nada wrote:
>
> Hello
> thank for reading this message.
> i have bay a modem Baycom, i have truoble with packet in HF
> I use the program baycom that i get with the modem and also the TSTHOST.
> TSTHOST IN VHF works, but in hf not.
>

I think that your problem might be caused by noise at HF. With VHF FM,
your receiver's squelch circuit keeps the DCD in the 3105 chip from
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falsing, but with HF SSB receivers, there normally isn't any squelch. Also other signals will probably affect DCD. The Baycom modem probably isn't really good enough for the demands of HF operation, although possibly you could modify the circuit to add state-machine DCD, which would help this situation. See www.tapr.org for a simple state-machine DCD kit which could be added to the modem. A TNC designed for HF operation, such as the MFJ 1278 would probably be a better solution, however.

Bob

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http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

Date: 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT
From: n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Comm's in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
Good luck !

Date: 15 May 1997 09:26:26 GMT
From: flytyer105@aol.com (FlyTyer105)
Subject: Advice on HF Equipment

I am close to getting my General, and am looking at used HF equipment for my first station. I have a few questions I need answered from the 'old time Hams' in radio. How would you answer/recommend the following:
. Digital or analog radio?
. What is the oldest (19XX) rig I should look at for purchase?
. What features should I look for in a quality HF radio?
. What should (if any) I avoid? Brand/features/age?
. Are repair parts avaiable to fix older used tube radios?

I am looking at all the gear, and am confused on where to put my money the first time out on HF. I have a G5RV outside now, and am excited about my pending upgrade to get on the HF bands. I have been listening for about 2 years to you folks talking and working DX. I have a borrowed Collins 73 S line here but have to return it soon.

Thanks for your time/73
Charlie KB7PYF
Charlie Riddle

Date: 16 May 1997 05:53:28 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
Subject: Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

I have an Astron RS-20M supply that stopped working. It has been in continuous service for 14 months at my repeater site.

One day the supply stopped working. The only visible symptom was a blown 5A fuse. The repeater was fine (indicating no catastrophic line surge had occured to both) as a backup power supply I put in line returned it to service. I have PolyPhaser line & coaxial surge protection installed.

When I got the P/S home, I did not see any visual signs of a major failure. No smoke trails, etc. Each time I installed a new fuse (with the supply both loaded and unloaded) and powered up, the fuses blew.

I looked inside with a multimeter while referencing the schematic and did not readily see anything that had failed to ground. All internal connections are good and there does not seem to be anything irregular with the PC board.

I replaced the voltage regulater IC on the PC board, but no dice. What could be failed? What kind of systemtic approach would anyone recommend (short of desoldering diodes, power transistors, etc.) to pinpoint the problem?

I have seen this same model (but not this same supply) go into the crobar state due to RF interference. The RS-20 would be energized, but there was only 2-3v DC output at the terminals. The problem would clear up when the power switch was cycled off and then back on. The fix for that was to replace three caps on the board with ones of different values. So, I would have to rule out any RF interference on this one.

Anyone have any helpful suggestions?

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 20:05:01 -0500
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Subject: F.S. atlas 210x

i have for sale a atlas 210x h.f. rig with external power supply. works really well with shure desk mic.....asking $200.00 plus shipping.thanks jack n9iif

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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 20:08:01 -0400
From: stuart underwood <stu@harborcom.net>
Subject: F.S. Standard C468A

I have for sale a Standard C468A. Brand new condition. I had it for two months when my wife bought for my bd a yaesu FT50R. I no longer need this radio. I have the box and manual. I also have the leather case for this radio. Asking $275.00 OBO. I will ship FedEx or UPS Blue

2nd day air. If interested, stu@harborcom.net or 216-352-7787 73,
Stuart KB8VIY

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:45:45 GMT
From: aban@atx.com (Andrew P. Ban)
Subject: For Sale HF Rig and Accesories

Asking $1,100 for the following

ICom 737A - New in the box - turned on about 5 times

Astron RS-35m - Power Supply

JPS communications NRF-7 - GP noise remover and filter

MFJ Deluxe Versa Tuner II

MFJ 931 Artificial RF Ground

Local pickup prefered - Philadelphia area

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 13:28:58 GMT
From: Skeating@NeOrSoPlAsM.com (Scott)
Subject: HR2510 Digital Display

On Sat, 10 May 1997 17:19:55 -0400, Allan Koenigsberg <AE2J@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>and discovered this problem. When held at an oblique angle I can make
>out the actual frequencies very faintly, but when viewed head-on the,
>all the lcd segments display. Anybody ever deal with this problem??

Allan:

I had a similar problem with two Hr2510s bought at the same time, but
these
are almost completely dead. Display light comes on, have white noise and the
mode-selector switch appears to work correctly, but I get no XMIT, and no
frequency display. Does yours transmit or appears to change freq? thanks -
Scott

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 04:57:13 GMT
From: mravitz@ix.netcom.com (Mitchell Ravitz)
Subject: Radio Shack Digital Power/SW

lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca (Lennard Carpenter) wrote:

> Is the digital power/swr meter from radio shack any good? Are there any
>mods for it?
>

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>
> // Amiga Corporation!
> // The Buttheads Blew IT!
> \\ // Len Carpenter
> \X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
> A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada
>
>...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!
>
>
>
June 97 QST has a review that says that it works, is just as accurate
as the other meters in its price range, but is slow to react to
changes, like when you tune a transmatch.

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:24:30 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: Test only, do not read!!

This is only a test!!

Date: 16 May 97 13:04:19 GMT
From: "Terry Crothers" <vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au>
Subject: Wanted: FT-ONE "Local Unit" board

Hello my friends,
I have a problem with my Yaesu FT-ONE. The symptoms are that folks can hear
my USB transmissions clear on LSB and poorly on USB.
I have traced the problem to the 24.5Mhz carrier oscillator not being on
the correct frequency.
I am unable to adjust it to the specs, even after replacing the Xtal and
varactor. Parts for this rig are difficult to source.
I'm now at the end of my patience and would like to purchase from someone,
the "Local Unit" board, new or used. The manual indicates it's symbol
number as PB-2253 (Early Model)
(The S/N of the FT-ONE is 020019)
Looking forward to any replies.
Terry Crothers (vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au) on Groote Eylandt (OC141)

Date: 17 May 1997 01:01:14 GMT
From: lemwnash@aol.com (Lemwnash)
Subject: WTB ALPHA89,HENRY 3/4K,IC2KL

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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 17 May 1997 04:30:50 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:30:48 PDT
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Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #541
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3619. NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt
Message-ID: <5lkfnc$egs@master.di.fc.ul.pt>
Source record: 175276

Hi!
I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives of,
but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a schematic
to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer
to
the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic or
to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)
Thanks in advance
73' de CT2FYW
Pedro

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+---+
Pedro Gabriel Almeida
e-mail : pga@cc.fc.ul.pt
fax+data+voice : +351 1 938 88 60 28800/14400 8N1
CB : CALIMERO (CQS8351) CH26
HAM : CT2FYW 145.55 434.55 R4 R2X
... e sempre que o Homem sonha,
o mundo pula e avanca ...
Antonio Gedeao
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3620. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <1705971548457B84postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175277

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
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Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #542
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3621. FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc62c4$35d20680$26f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 175278

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i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
25 watts
5 memory channels
scan
touchtone mic
mobil bracket
manual
box

this rig has worked flawless for me
for the past 5 years ,reason for selling
bought new radio
will ship cont U.S.
price.....................130.00
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net
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3622. WTB: Kenwood SP-940 Speaker.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517154000.LAA01380@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175279

In mint condition. Contact Van:

wb0nzv@aol.com

73,

Van, WB0NZV

3623. FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517154200.LAA01496@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175280

Mint condition 25 Amp continuous, 35 Amp Surge. $105 shipped lower 48.
Contact Van:

wb0nzv@aol.com

Tnx, Van
WB0NZV

3624. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705178638.AA863883823@newrout.si.com>
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Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?
Radio Shack Digital Power/SW
Yagi not above roof worth it?

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:29:53 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: Ameritron QSK-5PC for sale

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale Ameritron QSK5-PC qsk kit for most Ameritron amps.
>Brand new in box, never installed, looks to challengeing for me to
>install. Sells for $289, asking $200 shipped to cont. u.s.
>Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

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Date: 17 May 1997 02:56:52 GMT
From: lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca (Lennard Carpenter)
Subject: Astron VS-20M

Need schematic for the Astron VS-20M power supply mine does not read the
current properly. Can someone scan it and send it to me as an attachment
to mail?
Thanks
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// Amiga Corporation!
// The Buttheads Blew IT!
\\ // Len Carpenter
\X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada

...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!

Date: 17 May 97 13:29:24 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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FS: Icom 230 2 meter mobile
FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!
FT50R beltclip and mods?
HELP!!! FT-736 vs TS-790 vs IC-821
HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!
Help Kenwood TH-215A HT
ICOM FILTERS for sale
In search of used, cheap equipment for a great big newbie
Kenwood DSP10 for sale, for TS950
New ham radio web site
Patcomm HF rig
SO much for customer service!
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
YAESU FILTERS for sale

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Date: 16 May 1997 14:07:06 GMT
From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>
Subject: Advice on HF Equipment

> I am close to getting my General...

Congrats!

>... and am looking at used HF equipment for my first station. I have a
few questions I need answered from the
> 'old time Hams' in radio
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Well, I *certainly* qualify in that department :-)

> . Digital or analog radio?

I guess you're talking about the frequency display. You'll be lots happier
with a digital display.

> . What is the oldest (19XX) rig I should look at for purchase?

Probably around 1985. There are lots of older rigs around, but it gets
harder and harder to find parts for them. May early solid state radios had
custom ICs, which are no longer available. If you get one of those, and the
IC dies, your radio becomes a tasteful but expensive paperweight.

> . What features should I look for in a quality HF radio?

Good filtering, good dynamic range, coverage of "WARC" bands (an issue on
some older radios). Some earlier radios had a limited number of memory
channels; that may be an issue if you care about that sort of thing.
Earlier radios generally lacked a keypad, which allows you to directly
punch in a frequency. Nice to have but you can live without it if you have
to. Also, general coverage receivers are less common in older rigs. Many
recent rigs have digital signal processing of one kind or another; a nice
feature, missing on older rigs.

Some radios have a built-in power supply, others require an external 12
volt supply. This is a good news / bad news situation. An AC rig is nice
in that you don't have to buy a power supply (usually another $150 or so),
but you can't easily use it mobile or portable. The DC rigs are easy to
use portable, but you have to pop for the DC supply.

> Are repair parts avaiable to fix older used tube radios?

It's getting harder and harder to find tubes, and the price is going up.
I'd avoid all-tube rigs if I were you.

> I have a G5RV outside now

Your G5RV will work just fine, but you will need an antenna tuner for transmitting. Many modern rigs have them built in.

> I have a borrowed Collins 73 S line here but have to return it soon.

The S-Line is legendary, but still highly regarded. However, it lacks many of the modern features, and owners are engaged in a more-or-less endless search for tubes.

It all comes down to how much you want to spend. If you're trying to do this on the cheap, try to find a clean Yaesu FT-101ZD. This was the last of the -101 line, and is a very fine radio. It has tubes in the final power stages, but is mostly solid state, and the tubes are of a common type that's relatively easy to find. The Kenwood TS-830 is also a very nice radio. You should be able to get these in good condition for around $500 or so. If you can go higher, the best deal on a used radio right now is probably the Yaesu FT-990. This rig just went out of production; it was replaced by the FT-920.

The 990 is a fine performer with lots and lots of nice features, including a very effective built-in antenna tuner. There is an AC version with built-in supply, a DC version, and some that have both an AC supply and a DC power input jack; best of both worlds. I have one of those, and I like it a lot. These were recently going for around $1500, but with the 920 just introduced at $1800 new, it seems to me that the price of used 990s will have to edge down a bit. With a little shrewd shopping at hamfests and surfing around the net (try rec.radio.swap), you should be able to find a nice one for $1200 or so. Best of luck, and 73...

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 15:24:06 +0200
From: Jochen Ziegler <jochenzi@hpbbn.bbn.hp.com>
Subject: ALINCO EC10 / LPD radio

I have bought a LPD radio from ALINCO. The name is EC10.
The low power device has 10mW output power.

Let me know, how to change to change the output power from 10mW to 50 or 400mW.
Is the frequency after the change the same?

Jochen

Date: 16 May 1997 07:56:21 -0400
From: a313@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: Ameco TX-62 - HELP!

Couldn't resist the post... My old rig ran with a Dow Key relay off an octal socket plug. Sounds like it may be to obvious to think the relay coil has a dirct path to ground. I used to use a foot switch with mine to trigger the Dow Key.

10 watts sure sounds like a soft final. I used to get 35 out with the VFO-621.
By the way... Later versions of the VFO-621 were a beautiful hetrodyne mixed
scheme. Really top drawer when it came to stability. I used to run the rig
with an attenuator to work thru the OSCAR satelites when the down link was to
10 meters. The final days of my 62 were use as a six meter beacon. The rig was
rugged enough to run 24 hours a day on cw.

73's Dick K8WHA

In article <5lfu95$21t@uwm.edu>, jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu (John Clifford Wilke) wri
tes:
>Ok all you old timers:
>
>I picked up an Ameco TX-62 transmitter for 6 and 2 meters along
>with the matching VF0-621 (only $5.00! for both). The thing does
>xmit on 6 meters but I am not able to 'key' it...it's keyed all the
>time, makes no diff. if I plug in my straight key or not.
>I do get a full 10 watts out though and I'm a good S9 across town too. Ideas?
>
>The guy didn't have any manuals or info on it. He was just happy to
>get rid of it. Heck for $5.00, I can at least burn a couple of hours
>playing with it...such a deal! Plus I already made one contact with
>it!
>
>Any takers?
>
>--
>===
>John C. Wilke, BA, BSN, GN (jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu)
>WB9UAI EN-62aw
>===
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>

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 10:06:46 -0700
From: Ba Jackson <baman@esun1.las.lockheed.com>
Subject: Bragg lens

Does any one know what a Bragg lens is???
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Ba Jackson
jackson@esun1.las.lockheed.com
Disclaimer: Any opinions stated above are mine and not
those of my employer.
Disclaimer: If I say something and you do it, it isn't
my fault.

Date: 16 May 1997 14:14:32 GMT
From: dialta@aol.com (Dialta)
Subject: FOR SALE: WESTERN UNION SOUNDER

I have an excellent condition Western Union Sounder, Model "Mainline Sounder 15-C", for sale. It is mechanically perfect. Some small scratches on the arch supporting the sounder arm. Circa early 1920's. Has stamp for "New York Repair Facility" in 1927. All bids welcome and answered.

Contact:

Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street
Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605) 343-6127
Email = dialta@aol.com

Date: 17 May 97 04:18:55 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Hammarlund HQ-170

Hammarlund HQ-170 with clock, (working). All original, complete knobs, etc. Works good & is in excellent condition. Has orginal owner's manual. $250, plus shipping from zipcode 28227.
704-545-9368.
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Bill Richarz <N4DH> ex WA4VAF | Internet: bill.richarz@transprt.com
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Charlotte, NC 28227 | Phone: (704) 545-9368
HomePage: http://www.transprt.com/public/wricharz/index.htm
Alternate Email: n4dh@juno.com
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Date: 16 May 1997 11:14:19 GMT
From: we2m@aol.com (WE2M)
Subject: FS: Icom 230 2 meter mobile

i have for sale an older Icom 230.....it is a 10 watt output radio that covers
the 146-148MHZ band..it has been adapted to recieve and transmit
on the common packet freqs around 145.050....

asking $100.00

paul we2m
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 22:41:38 GMT
From: jangus@netcom.com (Jeffrey D. Angus)
Subject: FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

sandy@sandy.com (Sandy Meltzer) writes:

>FOR SALE - Netwave Wireless Networking For Your Laptop!
> Consists of two items:

Must got awful small tubes in it to fit in one of them there
pcmcia slots.

Nice .sig, think you could cut it down a bit?

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Amateur: WA6FWI@WA6FWI.#SOCA.CA.USA.NA | "It is difficult to imagine our
Internet: jangus@skyld.grendel.com | universe run by a single omni-
US Mail: PO Box 4425 Carson, CA 90749 | potent god. I see it more as a
Phone: 1 (310) 887-8545 | badly run corporation."

Date: 16 May 1997 15:09:40 GMT
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder)
Subject: FT50R beltclip and mods?

I have some questions about the Yaesu FT50R.

1) Is the beltclip off the VX-10 better then the regular one and is
it spring loaded?

2) How much for it and where can I get one (belt clip)?

3) Is there any way I can enter blocked out frequencies by the
Yaesu software (freq's between 200 & 300 MHz)? I heard older
versions of the software would.

4) Any other software out for it?

5) Is there a mod to let me use 5kHz steps above 590MHz?

6) Is there or will there be any fix for the Wide FM problem?
I heard of a software fix, is this true?

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 11:30:41 -0700
From: Juha Rantanen <rantjuh@jytol.fi>
Subject: HELP!!! FT-736 vs TS-790 vs IC-821

I'm about to purchase a new rig and I would like to get some comments
about these three rigs FT-736, TS-790 and IC-821. I have working
experiments only of ft-736 and it was on a terrestial contest. I have no
kind of experiments of satellite working so if you would so kind and
reply to me on this newsgroup. The rigs are about the same price so that
makes no difference between them. I'm about to use rig mostly on tropo,
ES and aurora working, maybe in the future via satellite, that should

also be considered.

73's de OH6KSR Juha Rantanen

Date: 16 May 1997 17:25:13 GMT
From: "Cliff Soderback" <ss@t.net>
Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

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Note: Actual e-mail address Cliff-s@.worldnet.att.net
the indicated address is bogus to foil the
Spambots.

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>
> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing.

> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was
> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal
> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire which
> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is that
> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current,
> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If every
> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the
> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded
> "cracklies
>
> George
>
> gworth@ibm.net

George:
What is happening is that when you touch any piece
of metal
to any part of the system which has RF current flowing in it you generate
a small arc. This is the scratching you hear in the repeater. The problem
is that you have some piece of metal on the pole that is loose and moving
in the wind. I would suggest climbing the pole with a plastic(not metal)
hammer and start tapping on the various metal mountings with your repeater
keyed. You will soon find the culprit. It could be ANY piece of metal, be
sure
to try them all. Don't add anything to the pole until you find the loose
part.
Also try nudging the pole with your hip to see if you can make it act up.

Cliff, W7VVA

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 10:25:54 -0500
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Subject: Help Kenwood TH-215A HT

Thomas E. Kenny wrote:
>
> I'm having trouble with my Kenwood TH-215A HT. I'm trying to determine if it
> is worth fixing. If so where!? The PTT switch isn't working. Also for some
> reason the external hand mike doesn't work. HOWEVER my headset VOX mike does
> work! The other problem I have is that the buttons on the keypad are
> sluggish. Sometimes the buttons work, sometimes not and sometimes I get
> double presses even though I only pressed once. I have taken the over off to
> see what I can do but it doesn't look promising.
>
> Any hints, clues or suggestions would be appreciated.
>
> 73, Tom Kenny KB2GLO
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> vvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvv
> Tom Kenny KB2GLO Voice: 908-949-9704
> PO Box 1222, Toms River, NJ 08754
> EMail: tek@webspan.net URL: http://webspan.net/~tek
> ^^

If the PTT button is plastic then the inner piece is broken. It can be
replaced with a rubber version without taking the radio apart. The
handmike jack has probably broken loose from the PC board and need to be
resoldered or replaced. On the keypad it needs to be disassembled and
cleaned using only alcohol and q-tips. Should takr care of all the
problems..

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:31:03 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: ICOM FILTERS for sale

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale:

>New in box FL52A CW filter for various Icom rigs, $100

>New in box FL102 AM filter for various rigs, $40

>These prices are shipped cont. u.s.

>Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 05:54:15 GMT
From: bagel@neosoft.com (Tony Hagale)
Subject: In search of used, cheap equipment for a great big newbie

I have not yet even recieved my license, but I'm looking for some
equipment, HF, VHF, UHF, whatever....I'm looking for used, cheap, but
decent equipment. Please email me at: bagel@neosoft.com with
information..

Thanks,
Tony Hagale

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bagel@neosoft.com
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Tony Hagale

-EUPHORIC sysadmin
-WWW Designer
-UNIX/Networking Technician-for-hire

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:30:21 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: Kenwood DSP10 for sale, for TS950

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>Make your Kenwood TS950S an SD

>for sale, kenwood DSP10, in box, used for service bench to check
>radios, hardley used, low hours.
>$250 shipped cont u.s.

>Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

Date: 14 May 97 23:55:36
From: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com (Charles Mccurdy)
Subject: New ham radio web site

hears my ham radio web site www.qsl.net/kc5cxu

73s kc5cxu

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|Fidonet: Charles Mccurdy 1:106/1492
|Internet: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:29:17 GMT
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Subject: Patcomm HF rig

I am still looking for some users comments on
HF rigs made by Patcomm. Anyone owns/uses one
out there?
TIA
Tony, VE6CGX

Date: 17 May 1997 05:15:50 GMT
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com (Thomas Schaefer)
Subject: SO much for customer service!

Well, as much as I wished this was not so, I think everyone might be
interested in the real story of those DC HF radio connectors listed in the
back of QST and in this newsgroup. I wonder if customer service is really
dead?

- What follows is a thread I have exchanged with R. Langston -

Robert Langston wrote:

Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about to
continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for $4.

Thomas Schaefer wrote:
>
> I understand that if the rig was mounted, this would not be a problem. I
> could also connect the socket on the radio to the plug with wire ties. The
> only question I have is if this is reasonable? This was billed as the same
> connector, but it is not really. I do not think arrogance is required
> here, but if you could please let me know the email address of anyone
> that is using this on an ICOM radio (besides yourself, if applicable)
> . I would like to find out if they are happy having to make makeshift
> solutions for a connector with a 400% markup.
>
> Best Regards,
>
> Tom Schaefer
> Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
>
> On Fri, 16 May 1997, Robert Langston wrote:
>
> > I searched for about 5 years until I came accross this one. It's not the
> > 'JST Corporation' connector that is sold to Icom, Kenwood, Yaesu and
> > Alinco. The connector is the same for all. You see JST will only sell
> > to those at minimum quantities of 25,000 pieces at 91 cents.
> >
> > I've sold about 1400 of these, the only return I got was from a guy who
> > bought one for an Icom 2AT...If so inclined, return unused portions.
> > You'll be reimbursed.

> >
> > R. Langston
> > 286 Hudson Street
> > Cornwall-on-Hudson, N.Y. 12520
> >
> > I came up with a solution that most people are happy with. If the
> > connector is popping off your rig, you may want to mount your rig or
> > strain relief the power cable. Next stop, you know, is $30 plus shipping
> > from a dealer for a whole power cord.
> >
> >
> > Thomas Schaefer wrote:
> > >
> > > Hello there,
> > >
> > > I recently order connectors from you for my ICOM radio. I have a question
> > > for you. On the original factory connector, there is a piece of plastic
> > > with a hook to catch the tab on the radio connector. This keeps the
> > > connector in place. On the ones I received from you, there is only a flat
> > > piece of plastic with a long groove in it. Unfortunately, this does not
> > > hold very well. Is it possible that you supply different connectors for
> > > the type of radio and I received a non-icom one? It was my understanding
> > > that they were all the same. In any event, do you have a solution to this
> > > problem? If not, please let me know what arrangements are necessary to
> > > send them back for a refund? Of course, I would much rather havea
> > > solution.
> > >
> > > Best Regards,
> > >
> > > Tom Schaefer
> > > Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
> >

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Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 19:46:31 -0400
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Mike Pfeiffer wrote:
>
> > Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> > not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> > smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very

> light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
> your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

I've been moveing a logperiodic for 2 years with it. The only real
problem I see is there is much to much play in the thing! It wiggles a
bit much! Now its turning a 4 element 6 meter quad. I'd say thats its
limit! Gotta get a tower anr real rotor! SOON!

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>XF32A ssb filter for FT101 series, used $25
>XF8.9GA for many yaesu radios $50
>XF8.2HCN narrow cw for FTft102 new $60
>XF8.2HC cw for FT102, new $60
>XF8.2GA am for FT102, new $60
>XF30D fm filter for various radios, new $60

>these prices include shipping to cont. u.s.
>Thanks, Jim , bigjim@voicenet.com

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From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Which HT to start with?

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Date: 14 May 1997 12:04:18 GMT
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu (David Price)
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

In article <19970506042200.AAA08098@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jpasquini@aol.com says...
>
>I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
>noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
>seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
>sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
>situation (bad pun intended)? <g>
>
>This thing is just too heavy to send back to get repaired, and I'd like to
>do the repair myself if anyone else has any thoughts or suggestions.
>Perhaps this problem has already occurred to someone else?
>
>Thanks in advance, and 73 de
>
>Joe, N2NOU

Sounds like the filter caps are not doing there job, they maybe leaky or open, Also check the noload current on the primary on the tramsformer with the secondary open. You might have a bad transformer. AS for the switch, live with it or by a new one for RS.

Ke4zqz

Date: 17 May 97 00:26:33 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:05:01 -0300
From: Scott McNutt <sjmcnutt@ns.sympatico.ca>
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

John B. Lawrence wrote:
>
> I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
> to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
> the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
> input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).
>
> John KE6TGN
HI John, I have an Amplified D-104 (model T-UG8-D104) The output
impedance is 5000 ohm or less. Not sure if this will help you out or
not.
73's de VE1CHL.
Scott

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 21:28:48 -0700
From: Linda Braspenning <linda.braspenning@skynet.be>
Subject: Electronic Parts

I study Product Development and am developing a device for pilots on
ships.
This device will be a combination of a portophone and a data-receiver,
both working on the marine VHF-frequencies (150-170 MHz). (Range: 50 km)
I will need 2 antenna's, since the speach-channel must be open on all
times and can't be shut down when data (in the form of a telegram) is

being received.

To be able to give this device a decent ~ ergonomic acceptable ~ form, I need some info on some electronic parts. I've tried the Internet and 've written to multiple companies, without any result.

Since I'm a real layman on the topic of radio-communication, I also need some answers on basic questions.

First of all: what are basic dimensions (if possible also prize and weight) for transceivers and receivers?

2. Does such a transceiver include a modulator/demodulator (~ receiver - demodulator)

3. How much battery-power is needed?

4. Can I use a fully integrated antenna on this? (I mean integrated within the body of the device, whithout any ducky antenna's sticking out)

Thanks very,very much for all the info you guys out there can give me.

Linda

linda.braspenning@skynet.be

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:41:20 -0600
From: 8uhz@concentric.net
Subject: FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350

In article <19970505015200.VAA28520@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1) wrote:
>
> I HAVE A VERY CLEAN NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER WITH MANUAL FOR $350. STEVE
> W1SN

wow wow wow ... the prices keep on going up and up and up and
the radios just don't seem any different than the NC183D thats
worth $80.00 to $125.00 ...max...
to each his own.. if your really in need of this one empty
the bank, take the milk from your kids mouths and go for it!!
tim

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Fri, 16 May 97 19:23:19 GMT
From: sandy@sandy.com (Sandy Meltzer)
Subject: FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

How would you like to stay connected to your desktop
computer at home or at work with a wireless connection

to your laptop computer? Move from room to room or
relax in your backyard while you surf the Internet,
receive email, or run ANY applications!

Well, you can do this and more with the Netwave
wireless link.

FOR SALE - Netwave Wireless Networking For Your Laptop!
Consists of two items:

(1) Netwave AirSurfer Wireless LAN PC Card
Tiny card plugs directly into any PC Card
slot on your laptop computer.

(1) Netwave AirSurfer Access Point
Small 2GHz transceiver with another PC
Card which attaches to your desktop
computer.

** As New..in the box with all manuals, asking
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Will consider trade for various Ham gear...especially
Collins, Drake, vhf/uhf amps (10w in - 100w out),
let me know what you have...will consider all offers.

You can contact me via email at sandy@sandy.com
or call (408) 257-5383.

To find out more about this great product, checkout
Netwave's Web site. All product info and free software
updates are available at:

http://www.netwave-wireless.com/products.htm

I sold my IBM ThinkPad recently ...so don't need
this anymore. The Access Point is brand-new, tested
but never used. I had a minor problem with my original
unit and Netwave replaced the entire unit just before
I sold my laptop..,so you get a brand-new unit.

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Date: 16 May 1997 11:09:09 GMT
From: we2m@aol.com (WE2M)
Subject: FS: Radio Shack HTX 404

I have for sale a Radio Shack HTX 404 440HT
it is brand new in the box and NEVER USED......
asking $150.00

if interested please contact me
thanks

Paul WE2M
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:57:17 +0100
From: Grant <grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk>
Subject: FS OLIVETTI P75 LAPTOP

Olivetti Echoes P75 Laptop PC
LCD Colour dual scan screen
8MB RAM
540MB Hard drive
quad speed CD Rom
1.44 floppy
graphics and stereo sound card
running WIN 95
carry case

850 UKP

for further information/details contact by email
--
Grant Birmingham, England.

Email: grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk
WWW: http://www.phogrant.demon.co.uk

What is one thing that all wise men,
regardless of their religion or politics,
agree is between heaven and earth ?

Date: 15 May 1997 20:30:54 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: FT-8000R MODIFICATIONS

Does any one know of any modifications other than wide band transmit 4 the FT-8000R? preferably the cell phone mod. I think it has 2 do with e-prom?

thx,

jimmy
n3wiw@clark.net

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From: tkenny@qsun.ho.att.com (Thomas E. Kenny)
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Tom Kenny KB2GLO Voice: 908-949-9704
PO Box 1222, Toms River, NJ 08754
EMail: tek@webspan.net URL: http://webspan.net/~tek
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 13:14:40 -0700
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Subject: Help with Kenwood TS-830S fuse ??

I need to know the proper fuse to replace in the Kenwood TS-830S. The service manual lists a Kenwood part number (F05-6021-05)and simply "Fuse 6 amp". Would that be slow blow/fast blow/medium blow and 125V or 250 V ... AGC or what - Does it really matter ??? East Coast Parts won't tell or doesn't know the actual fuse and they want $1.14 for the replacement Kenwood part numbered fuse and $6.00 to ship it <egad!> The fuse inside was improper one (8 amp)so I have nothing to compare to.

73 de Mike Melland KB9QHU
badger@vbe.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 00:21:22 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

On 15 May 1997 15:22:28 GMT, teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh) wrote:

>I have an HTX-202 and it has developed a problem where it won't transmit.
>(Yes, transmit is enabled. :) I push the PTT button, and the display
>changes appropriately for transmitting, but nothing comes out the antenna,
>and the "power bars" on the display don't light. The problem has been
>intermittant, but has gotten worse. When I open it up, nose around, and
>close it up again, sometimes it works.. sometimes not. Suspecting a cold
>solder joint at the power transistor, I resoldered those, but the problem
>remains.
>
>Any other ideas as to what to look for? I don't want to have to send it
>back to RS (though I think if I do I'll get their ESP, as they even pay
>for breakage due to accident or abuse).
>
>Jose
>KD1SB

just exchange your old one with a new one at RS. If you bought it
within 30 days from RS, you can exchange it over the counter.
Usually RS is kind for exchanging the deffective products.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: 15 May 1997 23:56:27 GMT
From: teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

>> just exchange your old one with a new one at RS.

Thanks.. but the unit is several years old. (it had been exchanged three
times for other problems, and the last time was for a completely new
unit..but that was several years ago)

Jose
KD1SB

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 20:09:12 -0400
From: no.spam@anytime.at.all (John C. Smith)
Subject: IC-775DSP

I am just getting back active after a 10 year absence. I am looking at
the IC-775DSP transceiver and would be interested in any comments, one
way or the other. Specifically,

1. What is the difference between serial numbers less than 1900 and over
2000?

2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire,
that can accommodate 200w?

3. Any other comments on Icon, especially vs. the FT-1000D?

Thanks for any comments and opinions.

73,

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John Smith, AA1SE
For replies, please send to smith77 at ibm dot net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:08:42 -0700
From: Jim <jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>
> http://www.3doptics.com
Ron,

JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.

It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, you
can plan your JOTA activities for any year

I hope that you have a good time on it.

73,

Jim, ZL2APE,
New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 09:00:09 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark

Good morning Mark -- Goto INDEX below -- click on MANUALS -- several
on-line vendors with Heath Manuals there.

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 17:35:46 +0100
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Subject: March Issue 1991 of CQ

Hi

Anyone can send me copies of the March Issue 1991 of CQ?

It's urgent, plez

Thankx

73

email: calcada@porto.telecel.mailpac.pt

Date: 15 May 1997 17:41:33 GMT
From: rh3333@aol.com (RH3333)
Subject: Mods for MLA-2500

I have a couple of different articles on the '2500' including two articles
about retubing the unit with a different tube other than the 8875 that has
become very expensive and difficult to find.

This information consist of about 30 pages so I would have to as $15 for
the set + $3 postage.

If interested please let me know

Richard Hale

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 11:06:03 +0930
From: Paul Newman <pauln@ozemail.com.au>
Subject: spc anc-4 noise canx

STAN wrote:
>
> anyone out there using one of these with success? would like to hear
> what type of noise recv antenna you use. i have s9+ power line noise
> nightly and unit as set up now lowers this to about s6. stan in hawaii
> --
> remove >nospam to reach me via email
i live in a high rise hotel with all manner of electrical noises - anc4
wipes 99% of them - be prepared to play with the noise antenna tho for
the best results
paul vk8pn
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Date: 16 May 1997 06:17:43 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one
from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

Date: 16 May 1997 06:25:44 GMT
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Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 08:51:57 -0400
From: Rich Griffiths <richg@one.net>
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

tnic wrote:
>
> Radio Shack sells a TV antenna rotor (page 135 of 1997 catalog) for $65.
> This is WAY cheeper than the cheapest rotor I could find anywhere elese at
> any price.
>
> Can I use that for a 2m/440 Cushcraft A270-10S Yagi?
> The Yagi (5 elements per band claims a wind surface area of .073 square
> feet. The Boom is 6'2". It weighs about 5 lbs.

>
> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Anyone doing this or care to comment on this setup? Feel free to vent your
> splean.
>
> Thanks
> TNIC@IDT.NET

I've been using an RS rotator to turn a 4-element, 2-meter Cushcraft beam
for many years now. This beam is a bit smaller and lighter than yours,
but it's mounted to the mast at the very end, so the wind torque may even
be greater than yours. I also used an RS TV rotator for a while to turn
a 20-meter X-beam antenna. It turned the antenna fine, and the only problem
was that it occasionally lost sync between the control box and the antenna
in 45+ mph winds. But the sync is easily re-established.

As you say, they're cheap. And they do work better than some folks might
have you believe.

Rich W2RG

Date: 16 May 97 16:18:57 GMT
From: knoxr@cc.tacom.ARmy.MIL
Subject: WTB: TenTec Paddle

Good Day to Members of the Group!

I am looking for a TenTec Model KR1B paddle to match
my Corsair II station. If anyone has one of these they'd like
to sell, please contact me at: knoxr@cc.tacom.army.mil

Thanks and 73! de KD4BRL Dick Knox

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:42:16 GMT
From: d.smith3@ukonline.co.uk (Dave Smith)
Subject: WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

can anyone please help me
I am looking for some mods for my radio
preferably an FM board and a squelch circuit
also any other hard hacks that may be around
thanks in advance
Dave

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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #538
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 16 May 1997 12:42:30 GMT
From: jeffa@ix.netcom.com (Jeff Anderson)
Subject: Heathkit TT-1 tube tester survey

I've finished (I hope) repairing and recalibrating my Heathkit TT-1
according to the manual's instructions. However, while making a
seperate transconductance measurement I've found that the TT-1's meter
reading is off by (roughly) 30 percent.

I don't know if this inaccuracy is unique to my unit, or if it is common to others. And because, as a kit, each TT-1 is custom, so to speak, there could be quite a bit of variation from unit to unit. I'd like to gather additional information from other users to check on the meter's accuracy, and thus propose the following:

I'll supply a small number of tubes (6, say). These will be my 'reference' tubes, and I'd like to send them to TT-1 owners for measurement on their units. Once the measurements are made, return the tubes to me along with the transconductance reading for each tube. I'll then correlate these readings and publish the results.

I'll try to include return postage with the tubes, but this could become expensive if there is much interest - perhaps the return postage might be handled by the other end (don't forget, this is in the interests of science!)? Or, perhaps we can do this as a "round robin" mailing, with each participant paying the postage to the next person on the list...

Anyone interested?

Thanks,

- Jeff, WA6AHL

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 19:58:42 -0700
From: Mark White <"markw"@Iconnect[REMOVE!!].net>
Subject: HTX-242 Bug

orion@nospamcapital.net wrote:
>
> On Mon, 12 May 1997 13:52:12 GMT, masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:
>
> >It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."
> >
> >When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
> >HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
> >Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
> >PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!
> >
> >any ideas ? help !!!!!
> >
> >
> >Masataka Noda
> >Masa@WriteMe-X.com
> >http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
> >
> >Spam Security is ON:
> >Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.
>
> I think the "bugs" are in your head, judging from the loony nonsense
> you post here.

>
> --
> 73,
> Butch
> To send mail
> delete nospam
> from my address.

Why do you have a 2m in your car when your name does not show up in any
callsign databases? 73's de N9OHS

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:59:46 -0500
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Subject: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Ron, N7TAW wrote:
SNIP
>
> If you turn the modulation pot too far, you will damage the
> driver!!!!!!! (this get very expensive... I know). If the audio level
> o
>
> Ron, N7TAWhams@nwlink.com wrote:
> >

How does overmodulation damage the driver????

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 21:41:23 +0100
From: Brian Marshall <brian.marshall@zetnet.co.uk>
Subject: junk sale

The Stirling & District Amateur Radio Society are having a junk sale
on the 25th of May at the Scout hall, Menstrie, Clackmannan,Scotland
more info at
http://www.users.zetnet.co.uk/bmarshall

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:52:19 GMT
From: rjmay@iguana.ruralnet.net (R/J MAY)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

On 16 May 1997 06:19:54 GMT, Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug) wrote:

>Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one
>from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

>
>What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?
>
>Thanks for the input.
>
>--
>73 de AC4WW

I have used International Filters for years. Theyt started life out as Fox -Tango and then International Filter and Computer and now they have moved to Oregon. They have better shape factor, better ultimate rejection and are cheaper than Kenwood,Icom or Yaesu filters. Bottom line is they work better. I just got off the phone and ordered a Drop in 1ST IF filter for my Drake R4C. They are running a 10% off Dayton Special by the way.

International Filter
13620 Tyee Rd.
Umpqua, OR. 97486

Ph# (541)459-5623
E-Mail - inrad@rosenet.net

73' Rick KC0HH

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 04:16:59 GMT
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Subject: Which HT to start with?

On Wed, 14 May 1997 07:53:01 -0400, KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com> wrote:

>> The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
>> performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
>> receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
>> channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
>> HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.
>
>Oh yes! The HTX 202 is a WONDERFUL radio - I espeically love the
>"feature" that causes it to key up and transmit an anoying buzzing
>noise when the battery dies! - How can anyone promote a radio that
>is known to perform such illegal operations (unidentified
>transmissions)?
>
>--
>Mark <KB9KHM>

Must be something wrong with yours, Mark. Never heard of any HTX-202 doing what you describe. I have two of these rigs, and they perform flawlessly.
--
73,

Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 17 May 1997 08:39:08 GMT
From: zaax@aol.com (ZaaX)
Subject: Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?

Does anyone out there know of any manufacturers of deep cycle battery chargers other than A&A? I am looking for a charger that puts out at least 1 amp
and will also taper the charger down. Any info on this will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

Date: 17 May 1997 02:55:00 GMT
From: lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca (Lennard Carpenter)
Subject: Radio Shack Digital Power/SW

Is the digital power/swr meter from radio shack any good? Are there any mods for it?

--

// Amiga Corporation!
// The Buttheads Blew IT!
\\ // Len Carpenter
\X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada

...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!

Date: 17 May 1997 02:53:15 GMT
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Subject: Yagi not above roof worth it?

Due to various problems I cant put a Yagi above the roof line. So in some directions the antenna will face into the roof.

Will I still get better performance than with a vertical that has 1/2 of it above the roof line?

Its just not possible for me to do it.

I know I will still benifit from other directions.

Thanks for your help.

73

TNIC@IDT.NET

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3625. LOOKING FOR BS-8 FOR SM220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ktheo7707@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517184000.OAA14535@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175282

WTB BS-8 FOR SM220 THANKS KTHEO7707@AOL.COM

3626. Re: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517184600.OAA14995@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175283

The Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who showed interest.

73, Van
wb0nzv@aol.com

3627. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam
Message-ID: <5lkt20$l2p@anomaly.ideamation.com>
Source record: 175284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>,
Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com> wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently hand
>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse to
>> die.
>
>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this Extra
>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and 3.700
>to 3.725.

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't count!

MD
--
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
--
-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

3628. HELP Squelch Burst Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch Muerle <mitchm@powernet.net>
Message-ID: <337DF9EB.27B9@powernet.net>
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Hi and thank you for reading.
I purchased a Maggiore reciever R4V and had a TS-32P tone board
installed.
I hooked it up to my repeater controller and the Squelch Burst is
terrible?
even with the squelch fully shut it is still harsh, sounds like "One
Adam 12"
Anyone with the expierence with this problem?

I heard there is a cap by the discriminator somewere that could be
changed?
I have the schematic for this reciever.

73 Mitch Muerle de KB7PDF

mitchm@powernet.net

3629. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <17059720501925A2postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175286

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa27304;
17 May 97 20:49 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id IAA27491 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Sat, 17 May
1997 08:52:05 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id IAA24073
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 17 May 1997 08:51:07 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id IAA24018
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 17 May 1997 08:50:54 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705171550.IAA24018@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sat, 17 May 97 08:50:52 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #543
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3630. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <17059720502125A9postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175287

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa27304;
17 May 97 20:49 BST
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Sat, 17 May 1997 08:51:07 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id IAA24018
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 17 May 1997 08:50:54 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705171550.IAA24018@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sat, 17 May 97 08:50:52 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #543
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3631. Hammarlund HQ-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Message-ID: <337E4181.58C0@unh.edu>
Source record: 175288

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's
Craig
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****
* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* *
**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

3632. FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337E23B4.CD0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175289

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. Price is $235.00 + shipping.

73's
Bob

3633. Re: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "downconverters" - microwave reception components for applications world-wide in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: satdish@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5ll4rh$3md$1@nnrp01.primenet.com>
Source record: 175290
Cross-posted to: rec.video.satellite.dbs,rec.video.satellite.tvro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest line of
>satellite television products in the
>world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite
>operators, distributors and dealers around the
>world.

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they were
>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer
>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The high
>performance Ku-Band product line is
>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and DBS
>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, Inc.
>is ready to serve your satellite television
>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier's Web Site at
>http://www.calamp.com

>--
>Esther Goodman
>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom! <g>
I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories
http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones
http://www.satwarehouse.com/1sky.htm

DBS Online!
Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products
http://www.dbs-online.com

3634. Re: TR7 repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com>
Message-ID: <337E2892.5B13@mcipnet.com>
Source record: 175291

Jim And Pam Walsh wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of a technician who has done extensive work on Older
> drake stuff. My club has a TR-7 that has a problem with the Final RF
> amp. thanks and 73
> DE jim KI4PR jimpamwalsh@woldnet.att.net

What does it do ?? No output or low output ?? I have one on the shelf that I just fixed it had both output transistors blown and the reason they were out is because the switching diodes were blown. The switching diodes blow because of operating in an area were there is another strong station like at Field Day or tuning up another radio in the shack. They fail in the shorted or low resistance mode. What happens is the output stage never turns off even during receive. They are alwayed biased on.

It cost me about $150 just for the parts. What condition is the radio in ?? It just may be time to sell it as is and buy another more modern radio for the club. I am only giving you me story of what was wrong with mine and that doesn't mean that the same think is wrong with yours. Drake will still fix these radios but don't know what they will charge. If you decide that you are going to do an upgrade let me know and I might buy your radio as a parts radio.

Good Luck

73

WA0KDS/7 RON

3635. FS: Collins gear & "O" scopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "C. & H. Solt" <hsolt@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337E28F0.7090@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175292

Have for sale

1951 vintage Collins gear
75-A2 receiver
310B-1 transmitter
matching speaker and manuals
all operational

several military and a heathkit "O" scope

make me an offer
Harry N1FAM

3636. Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5llbp9$db2@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175293

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my 100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, but I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

3637. 4-SALE VHF & UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <337E1D54.3985@total.net>
Source record: 175294

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B. MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled mobile transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. @ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used W/HX-300V .
Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. @ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - 6 channel.
No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig indoors. @ $ 75.00

2EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO BOX.
May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1 EA 70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in factory box
@ $25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held portables.
(Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. @ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

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3638. Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5llbr8$10fa@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175295

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my 100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, but I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

3639. Vibroplex Parts on eBay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no spam>"@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <337E499B.49A6@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 175296

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=dqw401949

Mary
mary.evans@bellsouth.net
remove <no spam> to reply

3640. Which Dual Band HT??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970517185519.25896B-100000@general2.asu.edu>
Source record: 175297

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like comments
good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both regularly.

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband and
one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like
a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,
Dave

3641. Re: Address for Herdbach and Rademan in PA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmos@microserve.net
Message-ID: <337e294f.9107828@snews.zippo.com>
Source record: 175298

On Thu, 15 May 1997 06:32:25 -0700, "John T. Young"
<jtyoung@u.washington.edu> wrote:

>Anyone have the address or phone # for Herdbach and Rademan of PA? I need
>their catalogue. Many thanks, John, K7JY, Seattle.
>
16 Roland Ave.
Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054

1-800-848-8001
http://www.herbach.com

3642. WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb7et@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <337e3cf5.5015231@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 175299

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -
the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49
mobile bracket.

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

3643. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5ljg0r$l5h@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3644. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5ljg7o$qo8@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3645. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5ljg9v$p8u@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3646. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5ljg25$tl1@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175303
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
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Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3647. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5ljgrh$kig@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3648. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5ljg52$vh6@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3649. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5lkb4n$nc1@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3650. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705178639.AA863905440@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 175307

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--simple boundary
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII; name="TextItem.txt"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="TextItem.txt"

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Today's Topics:
Address for Herdbach and Rademan in PA
Belgian HAM Radio
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas (2 msgs)
F/S Yaesu rotator controller
FS:Kenwood HF Station(as new)
FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter
Help with Swan 350
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes) (3 msgs)
Need help for my IC R71E...
need TS-520s AC cord connector.
TR7 repair

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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Anyone have the address or phone # for Herdbach and Rademan of PA? I need
their catalogue. Many thanks, John, K7JY, Seattle.

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Date: 15 May 1997 08:49:39 GMT
From: "Paul Nicolay" <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Subject: Belgian HAM Radio

Take a look at

http://www.as400.realsoftware.be/Org/HAMRadio
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This site contains the first Belgium Online Callbook.

Due to some problems on the WEB-server, it still gives some problems from
time to time (especially with Netscape browsers ???) but these will be
solved as soon as possible.

Coming soon: Your personal photo in the online Callbook !!!

Enjoy,
ON1DJU

The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

Date: 17 May 97 15:26:30 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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Today's Topics:
*****help modem baycom*****
ADI AT-600: What's Going On?
Advice on HF Equipment
Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!
F.S. atlas 210x
F.S. Standard C468A
For Sale HF Rig and Accesories
HR2510 Digital Display
Radio Shack Digital Power/SW
Test only, do not read!!
Wanted: FT-ONE "Local Unit" board
WTB ALPHA89,HENRY 3/4K,IC2KL

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 16 May 1997 16:09:02 -0700
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
Subject: *****help modem baycom*****

nada wrote:
>
> Hello
> thank for reading this message.
> i have bay a modem Baycom, i have truoble with packet in HF
> I use the program baycom that i get with the modem and also the TSTHOST.
> TSTHOST IN VHF works, but in hf not.
>

I think that your problem might be caused by noise at HF. With VHF FM, your receiver's squelch circuit keeps the DCD in the 3105 chip from falsing, but with HF SSB receivers, there normally isn't any squelch. Also other signals will probably affect DCD. The Baycom modem probably isn't really good enough for the demands of HF operation, although possibly you could modify the circuit to add state-machine DCD, which would help this situation. See www.tapr.org for a simple state-machine DCD kit which could be added to the modem. A TNC designed for HF operation, such as the MFJ 1278 would probably be a better solution, however.

Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

Date: 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT
From: n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Comm's in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
Good luck !

Date: 15 May 1997 09:26:26 GMT
From: flytyer105@aol.com (FlyTyer105)
Subject: Advice on HF Equipment

I am close to getting my General, and am looking at used HF equipment for my first station. I have a few questions I need answered from the 'old time Hams' in radio. How would you answer/recommend the following:
. Digital or analog radio?
. What is the oldest (19XX) rig I should look at for purchase?
. What features should I look for in a quality HF radio?

. What should (if any) I avoid? Brand/features/age?
. Are repair parts avaiable to fix older used tube radios?

I am looking at all the gear, and am confused on where to put my money the first time out on HF. I have a G5RV outside now, and am excited about my pending upgrade to get on the HF bands. I have been listening for about 2 years to you folks talking and working DX. I have a borrowed Collins 73 S line here but have to return it soon.

Thanks for your time/73
Charlie KB7PYF
Charlie Riddle

Date: 16 May 1997 05:53:28 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
Subject: Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

I have an Astron RS-20M supply that stopped working. It has been in continuous service for 14 months at my repeater site.

One day the supply stopped working. The only visible symptom was a blown 5A fuse. The repeater was fine (indicating no catastrophic line surge had occured to both) as a backup power supply I put in line returned it to service. I have PolyPhaser line & coaxial surge protection installed.

When I got the P/S home, I did not see any visual signs of a major failure. No smoke trails, etc. Each time I installed a new fuse (with the supply both loaded and unloaded) and powered up, the fuses blew.

I looked inside with a multimeter while referencing the schematic and did not readily see anything that had failed to ground. All internal connections are good and there does not seem to be anything irregular with the PC board.

I replaced the voltage regulater IC on the PC board, but no dice. What could be failed? What kind of systemtic approach would anyone recommend (short of desoldering diodes, power transistors, etc.) to pinpoint the problem?

I have seen this same model (but not this same supply) go into the crobar state due to RF interference. The RS-20 would be energized, but there was only 2-3v DC output at the terminals. The problem would clear up when the power switch was cycled off and then back on. The fix for that was to replace three caps on the board with ones of different values. So, I would have to rule out any RF interference on this one.

Anyone have any helpful suggestions?

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 20:05:01 -0500
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>

Subject: F.S. atlas 210x

i have for sale a atlas 210x h.f. rig with external power supply.
works really well with shure desk mic.....asking $200.00 plus
shipping.thanks jack n9iif

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 20:08:01 -0400
From: stuart underwood <stu@harborcom.net>
Subject: F.S. Standard C468A

I have for sale a Standard C468A. Brand new condition. I had it for
two months when my wife bought for my bd a yaesu FT50R. I no longer
need this radio. I have the box and manual. I also have the leather
case for this radio. Asking $275.00 OBO. I will ship FedEx or UPS Blue
2nd day air. If interested, stu@harborcom.net or 216-352-7787 73,
Stuart KB8VIY

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:45:45 GMT
From: aban@atx.com (Andrew P. Ban)
Subject: For Sale HF Rig and Accesories

Asking $1,100 for the following

ICom 737A - New in the box - turned on about 5 times

Astron RS-35m - Power Supply

JPS communications NRF-7 - GP noise remover and filter

MFJ Deluxe Versa Tuner II

MFJ 931 Artificial RF Ground

Local pickup prefered - Philadelphia area

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 13:28:58 GMT
From: Skeating@NeOrSoPlAsM.com (Scott)
Subject: HR2510 Digital Display

On Sat, 10 May 1997 17:19:55 -0400, Allan Koenigsberg <AE2J@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>and discovered this problem. When held at an oblique angle I can make
>out the actual frequencies very faintly, but when viewed head-on the,
>all the lcd segments display. Anybody ever deal with this problem??

Allan:

I had a similar problem with two Hr2510s bought at the same time, but
these

are almost completely dead. Display light comes on, have white noise and the mode-selector switch appears to work correctly, but I get no XMIT, and no frequency display. Does yours transmit or appears to change freq? thanks - Scott

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 04:57:13 GMT
From: mravitz@ix.netcom.com (Mitchell Ravitz)
Subject: Radio Shack Digital Power/SW

lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca (Lennard Carpenter) wrote:

> Is the digital power/swr meter from radio shack any good? Are there any
>mods for it?
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>
> // Amiga Corporation!
> // The Buttheads Blew IT!
> \\ // Len Carpenter
> \X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
> A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada
>
>...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!
>
>
>
June 97 QST has a review that says that it works, is just as accurate as the other meters in its price range, but is slow to react to changes, like when you tune a transmatch.

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:24:30 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: Test only, do not read!!

This is only a test!!

Date: 16 May 97 13:04:19 GMT
From: "Terry Crothers" <vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au>
Subject: Wanted: FT-ONE "Local Unit" board

Hello my friends,
I have a problem with my Yaesu FT-ONE. The symptoms are that folks can hear my USB transmissions clear on LSB and poorly on USB.
I have traced the problem to the 24.5Mhz carrier oscillator not being on the correct frequency.
I am unable to adjust it to the specs, even after replacing the Xtal and

varactor. Parts for this rig are difficult to source.
I'm now at the end of my patience and would like to purchase from someone,
the "Local Unit" board, new or used. The manual indicates it's symbol
number as PB-2253 (Early Model)
(The S/N of the FT-ONE is 020019)
Looking forward to any replies.
Terry Crothers (vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au) on Groote Eylandt (OC141)

Date: 17 May 1997 01:01:14 GMT
From: lemwnash@aol.com (Lemwnash)
Subject: WTB ALPHA89,HENRY 3/4K,IC2KL

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Yagi not above roof worth it?

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:29:53 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: Ameritron QSK-5PC for sale

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale Ameritron QSK5-PC qsk kit for most Ameritron amps.
>Brand new in box, never installed, looks to challengeing for me to
>install. Sells for $289, asking $200 shipped to cont. u.s.
>Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

Date: 17 May 1997 02:56:52 GMT
From: lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca (Lennard Carpenter)
Subject: Astron VS-20M

Need schematic for the Astron VS-20M power supply mine does not read the
current properly. Can someone scan it and send it to me as an attachment
to mail?
Thanks

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// Amiga Corporation!
// The Buttheads Blew IT!
\\ // Len Carpenter
\X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada

...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!

Date: 17 May 97 13:29:24 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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Date: 16 May 1997 14:07:06 GMT
From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>
Subject: Advice on HF Equipment

> I am close to getting my General...

Congrats!

>... and am looking at used HF equipment for my first station. I have a
few questions I need answered from the
> 'old time Hams' in radio
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Well, I *certainly* qualify in that department :-)

> . Digital or analog radio?

I guess you're talking about the frequency display. You'll be lots happier
with a digital display.

> . What is the oldest (19XX) rig I should look at for purchase?

Probably around 1985. There are lots of older rigs around, but it gets
harder and harder to find parts for them. May early solid state radios had
custom ICs, which are no longer available. If you get one of those, and the
IC dies, your radio becomes a tasteful but expensive paperweight.

> . What features should I look for in a quality HF radio?

Good filtering, good dynamic range, coverage of "WARC" bands (an issue on
some older radios). Some earlier radios had a limited number of memory
channels; that may be an issue if you care about that sort of thing.
Earlier radios generally lacked a keypad, which allows you to directly
punch in a frequency. Nice to have but you can live without it if you have
to. Also, general coverage receivers are less common in older rigs. Many
recent rigs have digital signal processing of one kind or another; a nice
feature, missing on older rigs.

Some radios have a built-in power supply, others require an external 12
volt supply. This is a good news / bad news situation. An AC rig is nice
in that you don't have to buy a power supply (usually another $150 or so),

but you can't easily use it mobile or portable. The DC rigs are easy to use portable, but you have to pop for the DC supply.

> Are repair parts avaiable to fix older used tube radios?

It's getting harder and harder to find tubes, and the price is going up. I'd avoid all-tube rigs if I were you.

> I have a G5RV outside now

Your G5RV will work just fine, but you will need an antenna tuner for transmitting. Many modern rigs have them built in.

> I have a borrowed Collins 73 S line here but have to return it soon.

The S-Line is legendary, but still highly regarded. However, it lacks many of the modern features, and owners are engaged in a more-or-less endless search for tubes.

It all comes down to how much you want to spend. If you're trying to do this on the cheap, try to find a clean Yaesu FT-101ZD. This was the last of the -101 line, and is a very fine radio. It has tubes in the final power stages, but is mostly solid state, and the tubes are of a common type that's relatively easy to find. The Kenwood TS-830 is also a very nice radio. You should be able to get these in good condition for around $500 or so. If you can go higher, the best deal on a used radio right now is probably the Yaesu FT-990. This rig just went out of production; it was replaced by the FT-920.

The 990 is a fine performer with lots and lots of nice features, including a very effective built-in antenna tuner. There is an AC version with built-in supply, a DC version, and some that have both an AC supply and a DC power input jack; best of both worlds. I have one of those, and I like it a lot. These were recently going for around $1500, but with the 920 just introduced at $1800 new, it seems to me that the price of used 990s will have to edge down a bit. With a little shrewd shopping at hamfests and surfing around the net (try rec.radio.swap), you should be able to find a nice one for $1200 or so. Best of luck, and 73...

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 15:24:06 +0200
From: Jochen Ziegler <jochenzi@hpbbn.bbn.hp.com>
Subject: ALINCO EC10 / LPD radio

I have bought a LPD radio from ALINCO. The name is EC10.
The low power device has 10mW output power.

Let me know, how to change to change the output power from 10mW to 50 or 400mW.
Is the frequency after the change the same?

Jochen

Date: 16 May 1997 07:56:21 -0400
From: a313@Lehigh.EDU
Subject: Ameco TX-62 - HELP!

Couldn't resist the post... My old rig ran with a Dow Key relay off an octal socket plug. Sounds like it may be to obvious to think the relay coil has a dirct path to ground. I used to use a foot switch with mine to trigger the Dow Key.

10 watts sure sounds like a soft final. I used to get 35 out with the VFO-621. By the way... Later versions of the VFO-621 were a beautiful hetrodyne mixed scheme. Really top drawer when it came to stability. I used to run the rig with an attenuator to work thru the OSCAR satelites when the down link was to 10 meters. The final days of my 62 were use as a six meter beacon. The rig was rugged enough to run 24 hours a day on cw.

73's Dick K8WHA

In article <5lfu95$21t@uwm.edu>, jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu (John Clifford Wilke) wri
tes:
>Ok all you old timers:
>
>I picked up an Ameco TX-62 transmitter for 6 and 2 meters along
>with the matching VF0-621 (only $5.00! for both). The thing does
>xmit on 6 meters but I am not able to 'key' it...it's keyed all the
>time, makes no diff. if I plug in my straight key or not.
>I do get a full 10 watts out though and I'm a good S9 across town too. Ideas?
>
>The guy didn't have any manuals or info on it. He was just happy to
>get rid of it. Heck for $5.00, I can at least burn a couple of hours
>playing with it...such a deal! Plus I already made one contact with
>it!
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>Any takers?
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>===
>John C. Wilke, BA, BSN, GN (jw@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu)
>WB9UAI EN-62aw
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 10:06:46 -0700
From: Ba Jackson <baman@esun1.las.lockheed.com>
Subject: Bragg lens

Does any one know what a Bragg lens is???
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Ba Jackson
jackson@esun1.las.lockheed.com
Disclaimer: Any opinions stated above are mine and not
those of my employer.
Disclaimer: If I say something and you do it, it isn't
my fault.

Date: 16 May 1997 14:14:32 GMT
From: dialta@aol.com (Dialta)
Subject: FOR SALE: WESTERN UNION SOUNDER

I have an excellent condition Western Union Sounder, Model "Mainline
Sounder 15-C", for sale. It is mechanically perfect. Some small
scratches on the arch supporting the sounder arm. Circa early 1920's.
Has stamp for "New York Repair Facility" in 1927. All bids welcome and
answered.

Contact:

Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street
Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605) 343-6127
Email = dialta@aol.com

Date: 17 May 97 04:18:55 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Hammarlund HQ-170

Hammarlund HQ-170 with clock, (working). All original, complete
knobs, etc. Works good & is in excellent condition. Has orginal
owner's manual. $250, plus shipping from zipcode 28227.
704-545-9368.
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Bill Richarz <N4DH> ex WA4VAF | Internet: bill.richarz@transprt.com
10035 Little Creek Rd. | Packet: N4DH@W4BFB.#CLT.NC.USA.NA
Charlotte, NC 28227 | Phone: (704) 545-9368
HomePage: http://www.transprt.com/public/wricharz/index.htm
Alternate Email: n4dh@juno.com
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Date: 16 May 1997 11:14:19 GMT
From: we2m@aol.com (WE2M)
Subject: FS: Icom 230 2 meter mobile

i have for sale an older Icom 230.....it is a 10 watt output radio that
covers
the 146-148MHZ band..it has been adapted to recieve and transmit

on the common packet freqs around 145.050....

asking $100.00

paul we2m
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 22:41:38 GMT
From: jangus@netcom.com (Jeffrey D. Angus)
Subject: FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

sandy@sandy.com (Sandy Meltzer) writes:

>FOR SALE - Netwave Wireless Networking For Your Laptop!
> Consists of two items:

Must got awful small tubes in it to fit in one of them there
pcmcia slots.

Nice .sig, think you could cut it down a bit?

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Amateur: WA6FWI@WA6FWI.#SOCA.CA.USA.NA | "It is difficult to imagine our
Internet: jangus@skyld.grendel.com | universe run by a single omni-
US Mail: PO Box 4425 Carson, CA 90749 | potent god. I see it more as a
Phone: 1 (310) 887-8545 | badly run corporation."

Date: 16 May 1997 15:09:40 GMT
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca (Carl Hodder)
Subject: FT50R beltclip and mods?

I have some questions about the Yaesu FT50R.

1) Is the beltclip off the VX-10 better then the regular one and is
it spring loaded?

2) How much for it and where can I get one (belt clip)?

3) Is there any way I can enter blocked out frequencies by the
Yaesu software (freq's between 200 & 300 MHz)? I heard older
versions of the software would.

4) Any other software out for it?

5) Is there a mod to let me use 5kHz steps above 590MHz?

6) Is there or will there be any fix for the Wide FM problem?
I heard of a software fix, is this true?

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 11:30:41 -0700
From: Juha Rantanen <rantjuh@jytol.fi>
Subject: HELP!!! FT-736 vs TS-790 vs IC-821

I'm about to purchase a new rig and I would like to get some comments
about these three rigs FT-736, TS-790 and IC-821. I have working
experiments only of ft-736 and it was on a terrestial contest. I have no
kind of experiments of satellite working so if you would so kind and
reply to me on this newsgroup. The rigs are about the same price so that
makes no difference between them. I'm about to use rig mostly on tropo,
ES and aurora working, maybe in the future via satellite, that should
also be considered.

73's de OH6KSR Juha Rantanen

Date: 16 May 1997 17:25:13 GMT
From: "Cliff Soderback" <ss@t.net>
Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

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Note: Actual e-mail address Cliff-s@.worldnet.att.net
the indicated address is bogus to foil the
Spambots.

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>
> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing.

> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was
> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal
> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire which
> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is that
> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current,
> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If every
> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the
> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded
> "cracklies
>
> George
>
> gworth@ibm.net

George:
What is happening is that when you touch any piece
of metal
to any part of the system which has RF current flowing in it you generate
a small arc. This is the scratching you hear in the repeater. The problem

is that you have some piece of metal on the pole that is loose and moving
in the wind. I would suggest climbing the pole with a plastic(not metal)
hammer and start tapping on the various metal mountings with your repeater
keyed. You will soon find the culprit. It could be ANY piece of metal, be
sure
to try them all. Don't add anything to the pole until you find the loose
part.
Also try nudging the pole with your hip to see if you can make it act up.

Cliff, W7VVA

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 10:25:54 -0500
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Subject: Help Kenwood TH-215A HT

Thomas E. Kenny wrote:
>
> I'm having trouble with my Kenwood TH-215A HT. I'm trying to determine if it
> is worth fixing. If so where!? The PTT switch isn't working. Also for some
> reason the external hand mike doesn't work. HOWEVER my headset VOX mike does
> work! The other problem I have is that the buttons on the keypad are
> sluggish. Sometimes the buttons work, sometimes not and sometimes I get
> double presses even though I only pressed once. I have taken the over off to
> see what I can do but it doesn't look promising.
>
> Any hints, clues or suggestions would be appreciated.
>
> 73, Tom Kenny KB2GLO
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> vvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvv
> Tom Kenny KB2GLO Voice: 908-949-9704
> PO Box 1222, Toms River, NJ 08754
> EMail: tek@webspan.net URL: http://webspan.net/~tek
> ^^

If the PTT button is plastic then the inner piece is broken. It can be
replaced with a rubber version without taking the radio apart. The
handmike jack has probably broken loose from the PC board and need to be
resoldered or replaced. On the keypad it needs to be disassembled and
cleaned using only alcohol and q-tips. Should takr care of all the
problems..

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:31:03 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: ICOM FILTERS for sale

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale:

>New in box FL52A CW filter for various Icom rigs, $100

>New in box FL102 AM filter for various rigs, $40

>These prices are shipped cont. u.s.

>Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 05:54:15 GMT
From: bagel@neosoft.com (Tony Hagale)
Subject: In search of used, cheap equipment for a great big newbie

I have not yet even recieved my license, but I'm looking for some equipment, HF, VHF, UHF, whatever....I'm looking for used, cheap, but decent equipment. Please email me at: bagel@neosoft.com with information..

Thanks,
Tony Hagale

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bagel@neosoft.com
.,_-=========-_,.
Tony Hagale

-EUPHORIC sysadmin
-WWW Designer
-UNIX/Networking Technician-for-hire

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:30:21 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: Kenwood DSP10 for sale, for TS950

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>Make your Kenwood TS950S an SD

>for sale, kenwood DSP10, in box, used for service bench to check
>radios, hardley used, low hours.
>$250 shipped cont u.s.

>Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

Date: 14 May 97 23:55:36
From: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com (Charles Mccurdy)
Subject: New ham radio web site

hears my ham radio web site www.qsl.net/kc5cxu

73s kc5cxu

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|Fidonet: Charles Mccurdy 1:106/1492
|Internet: Charles.Mccurdy@1492.conchbbs.com
|
| Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own.

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:29:17 GMT
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Subject: Patcomm HF rig

I am still looking for some users comments on
HF rigs made by Patcomm. Anyone owns/uses one
out there?
TIA
Tony, VE6CGX

Date: 17 May 1997 05:15:50 GMT
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com (Thomas Schaefer)
Subject: SO much for customer service!

Well, as much as I wished this was not so, I think everyone might be
interested in the real story of those DC HF radio connectors listed in the
back of QST and in this newsgroup. I wonder if customer service is really
dead?

- What follows is a thread I have exchanged with R. Langston -

Robert Langston wrote:

Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about to
continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for $4.

Thomas Schaefer wrote:
>
> I understand that if the rig was mounted, this would not be a problem. I
> could also connect the socket on the radio to the plug with wire ties. The
> only question I have is if this is reasonable? This was billed as the same
> connector, but it is not really. I do not think arrogance is required
> here, but if you could please let me know the email address of anyone
> that is using this on an ICOM radio (besides yourself, if applicable)
> . I would like to find out if they are happy having to make makeshift
> solutions for a connector with a 400% markup.
>
> Best Regards,
>
> Tom Schaefer
> Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

>
> On Fri, 16 May 1997, Robert Langston wrote:
>
> > I searched for about 5 years until I came accross this one. It's not the
> > 'JST Corporation' connector that is sold to Icom, Kenwood, Yaesu and
> > Alinco. The connector is the same for all. You see JST will only sell
> > to those at minimum quantities of 25,000 pieces at 91 cents.
> >
> > I've sold about 1400 of these, the only return I got was from a guy who
> > bought one for an Icom 2AT...If so inclined, return unused portions.
> > You'll be reimbursed.
> >
> > R. Langston
> > 286 Hudson Street
> > Cornwall-on-Hudson, N.Y. 12520
> >
> > I came up with a solution that most people are happy with. If the
> > connector is popping off your rig, you may want to mount your rig or
> > strain relief the power cable. Next stop, you know, is $30 plus shipping
> > from a dealer for a whole power cord.
> >
> >
> > Thomas Schaefer wrote:
> > >
> > > Hello there,
> > >
> > > I recently order connectors from you for my ICOM radio. I have a question
> > > for you. On the original factory connector, there is a piece of plastic
> > > with a hook to catch the tab on the radio connector. This keeps the
> > > connector in place. On the ones I received from you, there is only a flat
> > > piece of plastic with a long groove in it. Unfortunately, this does not
> > > hold very well. Is it possible that you supply different connectors for
> > > the type of radio and I received a non-icom one? It was my understanding
> > > that they were all the same. In any event, do you have a solution to this
> > > problem? If not, please let me know what arrangements are necessary to
> > > send them back for a refund? Of course, I would much rather havea
> > > solution.
> > >
> > > Best Regards,
> > >
> > > Tom Schaefer
> > > Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
> >

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Best Regards,

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Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 19:46:31 -0400
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Mike Pfeiffer wrote:
>
> > Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> > not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> > smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
> light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
> your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

I've been moveing a logperiodic for 2 years with it. The only real
problem I see is there is much to much play in the thing! It wiggles a
bit much! Now its turning a 4 element 6 meter quad. I'd say thats its
limit! Gotta get a tower anr real rotor! SOON!

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:30:40 GMT
From: bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim)
Subject: YAESU FILTERS for sale

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale:

>XF30C CW filter for FT101 series, new $60
>XF32A ssb filter for FT101 series, used $25
>XF8.9GA for many yaesu radios $50
>XF8.2HCN narrow cw for FTft102 new $60
>XF8.2HC cw for FT102, new $60
>XF8.2GA am for FT102, new $60
>XF30D fm filter for various radios, new $60

>these prices include shipping to cont. u.s.
>Thanks, Jim , bigjim@voicenet.com

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 17 May 97 14:13:39 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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HTX-242 Bug
ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!
junk sale
TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?
Which HT to start with?

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Date: 14 May 1997 12:04:18 GMT
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu (David Price)
Subject: Astron RS-20M problem?

In article <19970506042200.AAA08098@ladder01.news.aol.com>, jpasquini@aol.com
says...
>
>I have an Astron RS-20M power supply that is only 18 months old. I
>noticed recently that the light inside the on/off switch is flickering and
>seems to be dimmer than before. I've also been told that by audio
>sometimes has a hum to it. Is there anything I can do to "rectify" this
>situation (bad pun intended)? <g>
>
>This thing is just too heavy to send back to get repaired, and I'd like to
>do the repair myself if anyone else has any thoughts or suggestions.
>Perhaps this problem has already occurred to someone else?
>
>Thanks in advance, and 73 de
>
>Joe, N2NOU

Sounds like the filter caps are not doing there job, they maybe leaky or open,
Also check the noload current on the primary on the tramsformer with the
secondary open. You might have a bad transformer. AS for the switch, live with
it or by a new one for RS.

Ke4zqz

Date: 17 May 97 00:26:33 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:05:01 -0300
From: Scott McNutt <sjmcnutt@ns.sympatico.ca>
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

John B. Lawrence wrote:
>
> I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
> to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
> the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
> input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).
>
> John KE6TGN
HI John, I have an Amplified D-104 (model T-UG8-D104) The output
impedance is 5000 ohm or less. Not sure if this will help you out or
not.
73's de VE1CHL.
Scott

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 21:28:48 -0700
From: Linda Braspenning <linda.braspenning@skynet.be>
Subject: Electronic Parts

I study Product Development and am developing a device for pilots on ships.
This device will be a combination of a portophone and a data-receiver, both working on the marine VHF-frequencies (150-170 MHz). (Range: 50 km)
I will need 2 antenna's, since the speach-channel must be open on all times and can't be shut down when data (in the form of a telegram) is being received.

To be able to give this device a decent ~ ergonomic acceptable ~ form, I need some info on some electronic parts. I've tried the Internet and 've written to multiple companies, without any result.

Since I'm a real layman on the topic of radio-communication, I also need some answers on basic questions.

First of all: what are basic dimensions (if possible also prize and weight) for transceivers and receivers?

2. Does such a transceiver include a modulator/demodulator (~ receiver - demodulator)

3. How much battery-power is needed?

4. Can I use a fully integrated antenna on this? (I mean integrated within the body of the device, whithout any ducky antenna's sticking out)

Thanks very,very much for all the info you guys out there can give me.

Linda

linda.braspenning@skynet.be

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:41:20 -0600
From: 8uhz@concentric.net
Subject: FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350

In article <19970505015200.VAA28520@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1) wrote:
>
> I HAVE A VERY CLEAN NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER WITH MANUAL FOR $350. STEVE
> W1SN

wow wow wow ... the prices keep on going up and up and up and
the radios just don't seem any different than the NC183D thats
worth $80.00 to $125.00 ...max...
to each his own.. if your really in need of this one empty
the bank, take the milk from your kids mouths and go for it!!
tim

--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Fri, 16 May 97 19:23:19 GMT
From: sandy@sandy.com (Sandy Meltzer)
Subject: FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

How would you like to stay connected to your desktop
computer at home or at work with a wireless connection
to your laptop computer? Move from room to room or
relax in your backyard while you surf the Internet,
receive email, or run ANY applications!

Well, you can do this and more with the Netwave
wireless link.

FOR SALE - Netwave Wireless Networking For Your Laptop!
Consists of two items:

(1) Netwave AirSurfer Wireless LAN PC Card
Tiny card plugs directly into any PC Card
slot on your laptop computer.

(1) Netwave AirSurfer Access Point
Small 2GHz transceiver with another PC
Card which attaches to your desktop
computer.

** As New..in the box with all manuals, asking
$750.00 or Best offer...(I paid over $1600.00 new).
Will consider trade for various Ham gear...especially
Collins, Drake, vhf/uhf amps (10w in - 100w out),
let me know what you have...will consider all offers.

You can contact me via email at sandy@sandy.com
or call (408) 257-5383.

To find out more about this great product, checkout
Netwave's Web site. All product info and free software
updates are available at:

http://www.netwave-wireless.com/products.htm

I sold my IBM ThinkPad recently ...so don't need
this anymore. The Access Point is brand-new, tested
but never used. I had a minor problem with my original
unit and Netwave replaced the entire unit just before
I sold my laptop..,so you get a brand-new unit.

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Date: 16 May 1997 11:09:09 GMT
From: we2m@aol.com (WE2M)
Subject: FS: Radio Shack HTX 404

I have for sale a Radio Shack HTX 404 440HT
it is brand new in the box and NEVER USED......
asking $150.00

if interested please contact me
thanks

Paul WE2M
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:57:17 +0100
From: Grant <grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk>
Subject: FS OLIVETTI P75 LAPTOP

Olivetti Echoes P75 Laptop PC
LCD Colour dual scan screen
8MB RAM
540MB Hard drive
quad speed CD Rom
1.44 floppy
graphics and stereo sound card
running WIN 95
carry case

850 UKP

for further information/details contact by email
--
Grant Birmingham, England.

Email: grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk
WWW: http://www.phogrant.demon.co.uk

What is one thing that all wise men,
regardless of their religion or politics,
agree is between heaven and earth ?

Date: 15 May 1997 20:30:54 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: FT-8000R MODIFICATIONS

Does any one know of any modifications other than wide band transmit 4 the
FT-8000R? preferably the cell phone mod. I think it has 2 do with
e-prom?

thx,

jimmy
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 11:44:24 GMT
From: tkenny@qsun.ho.att.com (Thomas E. Kenny)
Subject: Help Kenwood TH-215A HT

I'm having trouble with my Kenwood TH-215A HT. I'm trying to determine if it
is worth fixing. If so where!? The PTT switch isn't working. Also for some
reason the external hand mike doesn't work. HOWEVER my headset VOX mike does
work! The other problem I have is that the buttons on the keypad are
sluggish. Sometimes the buttons work, sometimes not and sometimes I get
double presses even though I only pressed once. I have taken the over off to
see what I can do but it doesn't look promising.

Any hints, clues or suggestions would be appreciated.

73, Tom Kenny KB2GLO

vvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvvv
Tom Kenny KB2GLO Voice: 908-949-9704
PO Box 1222, Toms River, NJ 08754
EMail: tek@webspan.net URL: http://webspan.net/~tek
^^

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 13:14:40 -0700
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Subject: Help with Kenwood TS-830S fuse ??

I need to know the proper fuse to replace in the Kenwood TS-830S. The
service manual lists a Kenwood part number (F05-6021-05)and simply "Fuse
6 amp". Would that be slow blow/fast blow/medium blow and 125V or 250 V
... AGC or what - Does it really matter ??? East Coast Parts won't tell
or doesn't know the actual fuse and they want $1.14 for the replacement
Kenwood part numbered fuse and $6.00 to ship it <egad!> The fuse inside
was improper one (8 amp)so I have nothing to compare to.

73 de Mike Melland KB9QHU
badger@vbe.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 00:21:22 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

On 15 May 1997 15:22:28 GMT, teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh) wrote:

>I have an HTX-202 and it has developed a problem where it won't transmit.
>(Yes, transmit is enabled. :) I push the PTT button, and the display
>changes appropriately for transmitting, but nothing comes out the antenna,
>and the "power bars" on the display don't light. The problem has been
>intermittant, but has gotten worse. When I open it up, nose around, and
>close it up again, sometimes it works.. sometimes not. Suspecting a cold
>solder joint at the power transistor, I resoldered those, but the problem
>remains.
>
>Any other ideas as to what to look for? I don't want to have to send it
>back to RS (though I think if I do I'll get their ESP, as they even pay
>for breakage due to accident or abuse).
>
>Jose
>KD1SB

just exchange your old one with a new one at RS. If you bought it
within 30 days from RS, you can exchange it over the counter.
Usually RS is kind for exchanging the deffective products.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: 15 May 1997 23:56:27 GMT
From: teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

>> just exchange your old one with a new one at RS.

Thanks.. but the unit is several years old. (it had been exchanged three
times for other problems, and the last time was for a completely new
unit..but that was several years ago)

Jose
KD1SB

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 20:09:12 -0400
From: no.spam@anytime.at.all (John C. Smith)
Subject: IC-775DSP

I am just getting back active after a 10 year absence. I am looking at
the IC-775DSP transceiver and would be interested in any comments, one
way or the other. Specifically,

1. What is the difference between serial numbers less than 1900 and over
2000?

2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire,
that can accommodate 200w?

3. Any other comments on Icon, especially vs. the FT-1000D?

Thanks for any comments and opinions.

73,

--
John Smith, AA1SE
For replies, please send to smith77 at ibm dot net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:08:42 -0700
From: Jim <jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>
> http://www.3doptics.com
Ron,

JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.

It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, you
can plan your JOTA activities for any year

I hope that you have a good time on it.

73,

Jim, ZL2APE,
New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 09:00:09 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark

Good morning Mark -- Goto INDEX below -- click on MANUALS -- several
on-line vendors with Heath Manuals there.

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 17:35:46 +0100
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Subject: March Issue 1991 of CQ

Hi

Anyone can send me copies of the March Issue 1991 of CQ?

It's urgent, plez

Thankx

73

email: calcada@porto.telecel.mailpac.pt

Date: 15 May 1997 17:41:33 GMT
From: rh3333@aol.com (RH3333)
Subject: Mods for MLA-2500

I have a couple of different articles on the '2500' including two articles
about retubing the unit with a different tube other than the 8875 that has
become very expensive and difficult to find.

This information consist of about 30 pages so I would have to as $15 for
the set + $3 postage.

If interested please let me know

Richard Hale

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 11:06:03 +0930
From: Paul Newman <pauln@ozemail.com.au>
Subject: spc anc-4 noise canx

STAN wrote:
>
> anyone out there using one of these with success? would like to hear
> what type of noise recv antenna you use. i have s9+ power line noise
> nightly and unit as set up now lowers this to about s6. stan in hawaii
> --
> remove >nospam to reach me via email
i live in a high rise hotel with all manner of electrical noises - anc4
wipes 99% of them - be prepared to play with the noise antenna tho for
the best results
paul vk8pn
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Date: 16 May 1997 06:17:43 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one
from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 08:51:57 -0400
From: Rich Griffiths <richg@one.net>
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

tnic wrote:
>
> Radio Shack sells a TV antenna rotor (page 135 of 1997 catalog) for $65.

> This is WAY cheeper than the cheapest rotor I could find anywhere elese at
> any price.
>
> Can I use that for a 2m/440 Cushcraft A270-10S Yagi?
> The Yagi (5 elements per band claims a wind surface area of .073 square
> feet. The Boom is 6'2". It weighs about 5 lbs.
>
> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Anyone doing this or care to comment on this setup? Feel free to vent your
> splean.
>
> Thanks
> TNIC@IDT.NET

I've been using an RS rotator to turn a 4-element, 2-meter Cushcraft beam
for many years now. This beam is a bit smaller and lighter than yours,
but it's mounted to the mast at the very end, so the wind torque may even
be greater than yours. I also used an RS TV rotator for a while to turn
a 20-meter X-beam antenna. It turned the antenna fine, and the only problem
was that it occasionally lost sync between the control box and the antenna
in 45+ mph winds. But the sync is easily re-established.

As you say, they're cheap. And they do work better than some folks might
have you believe.

Rich W2RG

Date: 16 May 97 16:18:57 GMT
From: knoxr@cc.tacom.ARmy.MIL
Subject: WTB: TenTec Paddle

Good Day to Members of the Group!

I am looking for a TenTec Model KR1B paddle to match
my Corsair II station. If anyone has one of these they'd like
to sell, please contact me at: knoxr@cc.tacom.army.mil

Thanks and 73! de KD4BRL Dick Knox

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:42:16 GMT
From: d.smith3@ukonline.co.uk (Dave Smith)
Subject: WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

can anyone please help me
I am looking for some mods for my radio
preferably an FM board and a squelch circuit
also any other hard hacks that may be around

thanks in advance
Dave

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 16 May 1997 12:42:30 GMT
From: jeffa@ix.netcom.com (Jeff Anderson)

Subject: Heathkit TT-1 tube tester survey

I've finished (I hope) repairing and recalibrating my Heathkit TT-1 according to the manual's instructions. However, while making a seperate transconductance measurement I've found that the TT-1's meter reading is off by (roughly) 30 percent.

I don't know if this inaccuracy is unique to my unit, or if it is common to others. And because, as a kit, each TT-1 is custom, so to speak, there could be quite a bit of variation from unit to unit. I'd like to gather additional information from other users to check on the meter's accuracy, and thus propose the following:

I'll supply a small number of tubes (6, say). These will be my 'reference' tubes, and I'd like to send them to TT-1 owners for measurement on their units. Once the measurements are made, return the tubes to me along with the transconductance reading for each tube. I'll then correlate these readings and publish the results.

I'll try to include return postage with the tubes, but this could become expensive if there is much interest - perhaps the return postage might be handled by the other end (don't forget, this is in the interests of science!)? Or, perhaps we can do this as a "round robin" mailing, with each participant paying the postage to the next person on the list...

Anyone interested?

Thanks,

- Jeff, WA6AHL

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 19:58:42 -0700
From: Mark White <"markw"@Iconnect[REMOVE!!].net>
Subject: HTX-242 Bug

orion@nospamcapital.net wrote:
>
> On Mon, 12 May 1997 13:52:12 GMT, masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:
>
> >It seems HTX-242 has some "bugs."
> >
> >When I was using CB radio near HTX-242,
> >HTX-242 transmitted the signal of CB Radio when I transmitted the CB
> >Signal. (I did not push PTP but HTX-242 transmitted when I pushed
> >PTT of CB !!) Now, I have to turn off HTX-242 when I use CB !!
> >
> >any ideas ? help !!!!!
> >
> >
> >Masataka Noda

> >Masa@WriteMe-X.com
> >http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
> >
> >Spam Security is ON:
> >Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.
>
> I think the "bugs" are in your head, judging from the loony nonsense
> you post here.
>
> --
> 73,
> Butch
> To send mail
> delete nospam
> from my address.

Why do you have a 2m in your car when your name does not show up in any
callsign databases? 73's de N9OHS

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:59:46 -0500
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Subject: ICOM 229H: Turning up audio? HELP!

Ron, N7TAW wrote:
SNIP
>
> If you turn the modulation pot too far, you will damage the
> driver!!!!!!! (this get very expensive... I know). If the audio level
> o
>
> Ron, N7TAWhams@nwlink.com wrote:
> >

How does overmodulation damage the driver????

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 21:41:23 +0100
From: Brian Marshall <brian.marshall@zetnet.co.uk>
Subject: junk sale

The Stirling & District Amateur Radio Society are having a junk sale
on the 25th of May at the Scout hall, Menstrie, Clackmannan,Scotland
more info at
http://www.users.zetnet.co.uk/bmarshall

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:52:19 GMT
From: rjmay@iguana.ruralnet.net (R/J MAY)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

On 16 May 1997 06:19:54 GMT, Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug) wrote:

>Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one
>from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?
>
>What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?
>
>Thanks for the input.
>
>--
>73 de AC4WW

I have used International Filters for years. Theyt started life out as
Fox -Tango and then International Filter and Computer and now they
have moved to Oregon. They have better shape factor, better ultimate
rejection and are cheaper than Kenwood,Icom or Yaesu filters. Bottom
line is they work better. I just got off the phone and ordered a Drop
in 1ST IF filter for my Drake R4C. They are running a 10% off Dayton
Special by the way.

International Filter
13620 Tyee Rd.
Umpqua, OR. 97486

Ph# (541)459-5623
E-Mail - inrad@rosenet.net

73' Rick KC0HH

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 04:16:59 GMT
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Subject: Which HT to start with?

On Wed, 14 May 1997 07:53:01 -0400, KB9KHM <kb9khm@sprynet.com> wrote:

>> The HTX-202 - the world's most popular 2-Meter HT - is a solid
>> performer. Your "friends" might not like the fact that is doesn't
>> receive cellular phone calls or transmit illegally or have 1,000 memory
>> channels. But if you want a solid, reliable, proven 2-Meter HT, the
>> HTX-202 is an excellent piece of equipment.
>
>Oh yes! The HTX 202 is a WONDERFUL radio - I espeically love the
>"feature" that causes it to key up and transmit an anoying buzzing
>noise when the battery dies! - How can anyone promote a radio that
>is known to perform such illegal operations (unidentified
>transmissions)?
>
>--

>Mark <KB9KHM>

Must be something wrong with yours, Mark. Never heard of any HTX-202
doing what you describe. I have two of these rigs, and they perform
flawlessly.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 17 May 1997 08:39:08 GMT
From: zaax@aol.com (ZaaX)
Subject: Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?

Does anyone out there know of any manufacturers of deep cycle battery chargers other than A&A? I am looking for a charger that puts out at least 1 amp
and will also taper the charger down. Any info on this will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

Date: 17 May 1997 02:55:00 GMT
From: lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca (Lennard Carpenter)
Subject: Radio Shack Digital Power/SW

Is the digital power/swr meter from radio shack any good? Are there any mods for it?

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// Amiga Corporation!
// The Buttheads Blew IT!
\\ // Len Carpenter
\X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada

...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!

Date: 17 May 1997 02:53:15 GMT
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Subject: Yagi not above roof worth it?

Due to various problems I cant put a Yagi above the roof line. So in some directions the antenna will face into the roof.

Will I still get better performance than with a vertical that has 1/2 of it above the roof line?

Its just not possible for me to do it.

I know I will still benifit from other directions.

Thanks for your help.

73

TNIC@IDT.NET

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Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 06:30:35 -0700
From: "Paul A. DeFelice" <k9nu@prairienet.com>
Subject: F/S Yaesu rotator controller

I have a control unit for a Yaesu G-1000/SDX rotator.
$200.00

Paul k9nu@prairienet.com

Date: 17 May 1997 11:39:56 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station(as new)

All equipment is sold. Tnx VM for interest.

73,

Van, WB0NZV

Date: 17 May 1997 14:50:22 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>
Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
25 watts
5 memory channels
scan
touchtone mic
mobil bracket
manual
box

this rig has worked flawless for me
for the past 5 years ,reason for selling
bought new radio
will ship cont U.S.
price.....130.00
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 05:52:06 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Help with Swan 350

Chuck McMahan wrote:
>
> I just purchased a Swan 350 rig, unfortunately while the rig is immaculate,
> there was no manual.
>
> If someone has a manual and other any other experience with the rig they could

> pass on it would be greatly appreciated. I will be more then glad to
> reimburse you for photocopy and postage expense.
>
> Thanks in advance
> Chuck McMahan
> KB1CDA

Chuck -- go to index below -- click on Swan
Some folks here in San Diego area with manuals and parts.
I have no affliation with them --- just FYI.

Also several manual vendors on the web go to INDEX below, click on
manuals.

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: 17 May 97 14:50:03 GMT
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
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Date: 17 May 97 18:16:16 GMT
From: vica@lunet.IT (Vincenzo Calandra)
Subject: Need help for my IC R71E...

The battery backup of my IC R71E was go down and with her the data of
the RAM UNIT. :-(

Someone can say to me if there is a ROM substitute and where I can buy
it?

A reply will be very valued by my ICOM :)

Bye Vincenzo.

VINCENZO CALANDRA
Via Pisana 370 I-55100 - LUCCA (Italy)
E-Mail: vica@lunet.it Fidonet: 2:332/617.9

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 07:11:52 -0700
From: Hal Rosser W4PMJ <hmrosser@csranet.com>
Subject: need TS-520s AC cord connector.

I just bought a used TS520s Kenwood and discovered after I got home
that the AC plug and cord was missing. (The main thing I need is
the part that plugs into the back of the rig).
Can someone steer me to a source, please?
thanks et 73 de
--
HAL W4PMJ
hmrosser@csranet.com

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 09:49:28 -0400
From: Jim And Pam Walsh <JIMPAMWALSH@woldnet.att.net>
Subject: TR7 repair

Does anyone know of a technician who has done extensive work on Older
drake stuff. My club has a TR-7 that has a problem with the Final RF
amp. thanks and 73
DE jim KI4PR jimpamwalsh@woldnet.att.net

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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id IAA24018
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 17 May 1997 08:50:54 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705171550.IAA24018@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sat, 17 May 97 08:50:52 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #543
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3651. Re: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Mello <kq7e@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc62fb$d195cca0$f099aec7@kq7e>
Source record: 175308

Sounds like the hardware (if it's rusty, that's you're problem) is acting as a non-linear rectifier. When the different transmitters key, the RF mixes in the rusty joints, and you now have some rather spectacular, albeit unwanted, RF products floating around. These may not be evident on UHF.

I had a Phelps Dodge Station Master in a fiberglass radome go bad, and would produce the same results. What died were a few of the antenna elements inside the radome, which is really a PITA to get into. They were intermittent, flexed about, and whenever the TX keyed up, generated crackles, noises, and non-linear products all over God's creation. Same effect. So, that's two things to look at, rusty hardware (replace it, bond around it, etc) or bad antenna (take it down and fix/replace it).

Now, if you are using the DB Products, (say a DB214) you'll definitely want to bond the top mast to the bottom mast with a few pieces of good braid. The two pieces, while fitting into one another, do get corrosion in the joint, and give the same wonderful noise problems.

Good luck!

73, Mike N5MJ (ex KQ7E)

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>
> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing. Here is the scenario.
> We were donated a spot on a wooden utily pole which sticks out of the
> ground (the earth here is rock with a couple inches of soil over it)
> about 85 ft. There are 4x4 wooden cross arm systems at a couple places
> on the pole. At each cross arm there are 2) 4x4's bolted through the
> pole with u-clamps at the ends. This is where the 2" pipes are clamped to
> 4x4's for the antenna mounting. All 4 UHF machines work well. No noise.
> The VHF one does not. If the wind blows, the noise gets so strong it
> kicks incoming signals right out of the repeater. We have checked all
> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was
> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal
> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire which
> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is that
> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current,
> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If every
> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the
> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded

> "cracklies"?? How can we get a decent RF ground for VHF in the earth
> on top of this mountain? Any ideas would be more than greatly
> appreciated. Thanks for your help.
>
> George
>
> gworth@ibm.net
>
>

3652. Any HTs with Rcv Attenuator?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ah@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <5ll8tj$a20$1@juliana.sprynet.com>
Source record: 175309

Does anyone know of an HT that has a selectable receive attenuator? Seems like it should be easy enough
to include one and it would permit operation with a roof-top antenna without a lot of intermod.

Any info on this would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Art Harris, N2AH
n2ah@sprynet.com

3653. FS: Hobbyist's tube stock...over 800 types!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: *locoprom@adan.kingston.net
Message-ID: <5lkc6h$1hd$1@gollum.kingston.net>
Source record: 175310
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

We're clearing out the garage!

This garage, however, contains an extensive stockpile of NOS and used vacuum tubes which has been growing since the mid-1930's.

The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all at fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio Equipment, etc. please email:

locoprom@adan.kingston.net

Thanks for your interest!

3654. Internet for free worldwide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: netfree@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <337e1a23.19956779@news.nasionet.net>
Source record: 175311

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http://www.cybercity.hko.net/LA/interbbs/index.htm

3655. Internet for free worldwide+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: netfree@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <337e2958.23850192@news.nasionet.net>
Source record: 175312

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http://www.cybercity.hko.net/LA/interbbs/index.htm

3656. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705168638.AA863825214@newrout.si.com>
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WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:05:01 -0300
From: Scott McNutt <sjmcnutt@ns.sympatico.ca>
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

John B. Lawrence wrote:
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> I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
> to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
> the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
> input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).
>
> John KE6TGN
HI John, I have an Amplified D-104 (model T-UG8-D104) The output impedance is 5000 ohm or less. Not sure if this will help you out or not.
73's de VE1CHL.
Scott

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 21:28:48 -0700
From: Linda Braspenning <linda.braspenning@skynet.be>
Subject: Electronic Parts

I study Product Development and am developing a device for pilots on ships.
This device will be a combination of a portophone and a data-receiver, both working on the marine VHF-frequencies (150-170 MHz). (Range: 50 km)
I will need 2 antenna's, since the speach-channel must be open on all times and can't be shut down when data (in the form of a telegram) is being received.

To be able to give this device a decent ~ ergonomic acceptable ~ form, I need some info on some electronic parts. I've tried the Internet and 've written to multiple companies, without any result.

Since I'm a real layman on the topic of radio-communication, I also need some answers on basic questions.

First of all: what are basic dimensions (if possible also prize and weight) for transceivers and receivers?

2. Does such a transceiver include a modulator/demodulator (~ receiver - demodulator)

3. How much battery-power is needed?

4. Can I use a fully integrated antenna on this? (I mean integrated within the body of the device, whithout any ducky antenna's sticking out)

Thanks very,very much for all the info you guys out there can give me.

Linda

linda.braspenning@skynet.be

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:41:20 -0600
From: 8uhz@concentric.net
Subject: FS: NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER $350

In article <19970505015200.VAA28520@ladder01.news.aol.com>,
nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1) wrote:
>
> I HAVE A VERY CLEAN NATIONAL 183D RECEIVER WITH MANUAL FOR $350. STEVE
> W1SN

wow wow wow ... the prices keep on going up and up and up and
the radios just don't seem any different than the NC183D thats
worth $80.00 to $125.00 ...max...
to each his own.. if your really in need of this one empty
the bank, take the milk from your kids mouths and go for it!!
tim

--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

Date: Fri, 16 May 97 19:23:19 GMT
From: sandy@sandy.com (Sandy Meltzer)
Subject: FS: Netwave for a Wireless Laptop!

How would you like to stay connected to your desktop
computer at home or at work with a wireless connection
to your laptop computer? Move from room to room or
relax in your backyard while you surf the Internet,
receive email, or run ANY applications!

Well, you can do this and more with the Netwave
wireless link.

FOR SALE - Netwave Wireless Networking For Your Laptop!
Consists of two items:

(1) Netwave AirSurfer Wireless LAN PC Card
Tiny card plugs directly into any PC Card
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Small 2GHz transceiver with another PC
Card which attaches to your desktop
computer.

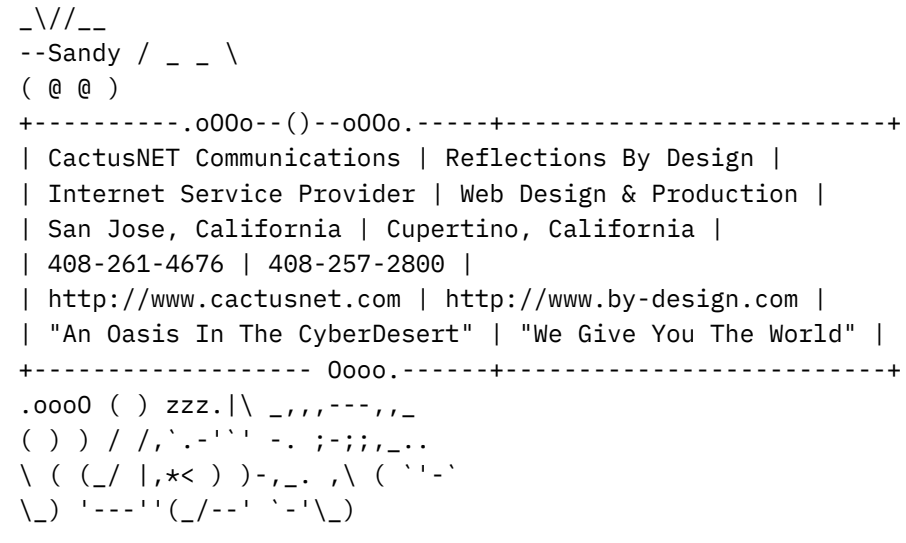
** As New..in the box with all manuals, asking
$750.00 or Best offer...(I paid over $1600.00 new).
Will consider trade for various Ham gear...especially
Collins, Drake, vhf/uhf amps (10w in - 100w out),
let me know what you have...will consider all offers.

You can contact me via email at sandy@sandy.com
or call (408) 257-5383.

To find out more about this great product, checkout
Netwave's Web site. All product info and free software
updates are available at:

http://www.netwave-wireless.com/products.htm

I sold my IBM ThinkPad recently ...so don't need
this anymore. The Access Point is brand-new, tested
but never used. I had a minor problem with my original
unit and Netwave replaced the entire unit just before
I sold my laptop..,so you get a brand-new unit.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Date: 16 May 1997 11:09:09 GMT
From: we2m@aol.com (WE2M)
Subject: FS: Radio Shack HTX 404

I have for sale a Radio Shack HTX 404 440HT
it is brand new in the box and NEVER USED......
asking $150.00

if interested please contact me
thanks

Paul WE2M
daytona beach fl
we2m@aol.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:57:17 +0100
From: Grant <grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk>
Subject: FS OLIVETTI P75 LAPTOP

Olivetti Echoes P75 Laptop PC
LCD Colour dual scan screen
8MB RAM
540MB Hard drive
quad speed CD Rom
1.44 floppy
graphics and stereo sound card

running WIN 95
carry case

850 UKP

for further information/details contact by email
--
Grant Birmingham, England.

Email: grant@phogrant.demon.co.uk
WWW: http://www.phogrant.demon.co.uk

What is one thing that all wise men,
regardless of their religion or politics,
agree is between heaven and earth ?

Date: 15 May 1997 20:30:54 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: FT-8000R MODIFICATIONS

Does any one know of any modifications other than wide band transmit 4 the
FT-8000R? preferably the cell phone mod. I think it has 2 do with
e-prom?

thx,

jimmy
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 11:44:24 GMT
From: tkenny@qsun.ho.att.com (Thomas E. Kenny)
Subject: Help Kenwood TH-215A HT

I'm having trouble with my Kenwood TH-215A HT. I'm trying to determine if it
is worth fixing. If so where!? The PTT switch isn't working. Also for some
reason the external hand mike doesn't work. HOWEVER my headset VOX mike does
work! The other problem I have is that the buttons on the keypad are
sluggish. Sometimes the buttons work, sometimes not and sometimes I get
double presses even though I only pressed once. I have taken the over off to
see what I can do but it doesn't look promising.

Any hints, clues or suggestions would be appreciated.

73, Tom Kenny KB2GLO

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Tom Kenny KB2GLO Voice: 908-949-9704
PO Box 1222, Toms River, NJ 08754
EMail: tek@webspan.net URL: http://webspan.net/~tek
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 13:14:40 -0700
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Subject: Help with Kenwood TS-830S fuse ??

I need to know the proper fuse to replace in the Kenwood TS-830S. The service manual lists a Kenwood part number (F05-6021-05)and simply "Fuse 6 amp". Would that be slow blow/fast blow/medium blow and 125V or 250 V ... AGC or what - Does it really matter ??? East Coast Parts won't tell or doesn't know the actual fuse and they want $1.14 for the replacement Kenwood part numbered fuse and $6.00 to ship it <egad!> The fuse inside was improper one (8 amp)so I have nothing to compare to.

73 de Mike Melland KB9QHU
badger@vbe.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 00:21:22 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

On 15 May 1997 15:22:28 GMT, teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh) wrote:

>I have an HTX-202 and it has developed a problem where it won't transmit.
>(Yes, transmit is enabled. :) I push the PTT button, and the display
>changes appropriately for transmitting, but nothing comes out the antenna,
>and the "power bars" on the display don't light. The problem has been
>intermittant, but has gotten worse. When I open it up, nose around, and
>close it up again, sometimes it works.. sometimes not. Suspecting a cold
>solder joint at the power transistor, I resoldered those, but the problem
>remains.
>
>Any other ideas as to what to look for? I don't want to have to send it
>back to RS (though I think if I do I'll get their ESP, as they even pay
>for breakage due to accident or abuse).
>
>Jose
>KD1SB

just exchange your old one with a new one at RS. If you bought it
within 30 days from RS, you can exchange it over the counter.
Usually RS is kind for exchanging the deffective products.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: 15 May 1997 23:56:27 GMT
From: teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh)
Subject: HTX-202 won't transmit

>> just exchange your old one with a new one at RS.

Thanks.. but the unit is several years old. (it had been exchanged three
times for other problems, and the last time was for a completely new
unit..but that was several years ago)

Jose
KD1SB

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 20:09:12 -0400
From: no.spam@anytime.at.all (John C. Smith)
Subject: IC-775DSP

I am just getting back active after a 10 year absence. I am looking at
the IC-775DSP transceiver and would be interested in any comments, one
way or the other. Specifically,

1. What is the difference between serial numbers less than 1900 and over
2000?

2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire,
that can accommodate 200w?

3. Any other comments on Icon, especially vs. the FT-1000D?

Thanks for any comments and opinions.

73,

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John Smith, AA1SE
For replies, please send to smith77 at ibm dot net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:08:42 -0700
From: Jim <jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>

> http://www.3doptics.com
Ron,

JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.

It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, you
can plan your JOTA activities for any year

I hope that you have a good time on it.

73,

Jim, ZL2APE,
New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 09:00:09 -0700
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark

Good morning Mark -- Goto INDEX below -- click on MANUALS -- several
on-line vendors with Heath Manuals there.

Good Luck
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
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INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 17:35:46 +0100
From: Rumica <ruca@4u.net>
Subject: March Issue 1991 of CQ

Hi

Anyone can send me copies of the March Issue 1991 of CQ?

It's urgent, plez

Thankx

73

email: calcada@porto.telecel.mailpac.pt

Date: 15 May 1997 17:41:33 GMT
From: rh3333@aol.com (RH3333)
Subject: Mods for MLA-2500

I have a couple of different articles on the '2500' including two articles about retubing the unit with a different tube other than the 8875 that has become very expensive and difficult to find.

This information consist of about 30 pages so I would have to as $15 for the set + $3 postage.

If interested please let me know

Richard Hale

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 11:06:03 +0930
From: Paul Newman <pauln@ozemail.com.au>
Subject: spc anc-4 noise canx

STAN wrote:
>
> anyone out there using one of these with success? would like to hear
> what type of noise recv antenna you use. i have s9+ power line noise
> nightly and unit as set up now lowers this to about s6. stan in hawaii
> --
> remove >nospam to reach me via email
i live in a high rise hotel with all manner of electrical noises - anc4 wipes 99% of them - be prepared to play with the noise antenna tho for the best results
paul vk8pn
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Date: 16 May 1997 06:17:43 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

Can anyone recommend a SSB filter for the Kenwood TS-850S (besides the one from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

What is your personal opinion of the filter's performance?

Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

Date: 16 May 1997 06:25:44 GMT
From: Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug)
Subject: TS850 SSB Filter Recommendations?

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from KW), like manufacturer, contact information, price, etc. ?

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Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

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Thanks for the input.

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73 de AC4WW

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 08:51:57 -0400
From: Rich Griffiths <richg@one.net>
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

tnic wrote:
>
> Radio Shack sells a TV antenna rotor (page 135 of 1997 catalog) for $65.
> This is WAY cheeper than the cheapest rotor I could find anywhere elese at
> any price.
>
> Can I use that for a 2m/440 Cushcraft A270-10S Yagi?
> The Yagi (5 elements per band claims a wind surface area of .073 square
> feet. The Boom is 6'2". It weighs about 5 lbs.
>
> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
> Anyone doing this or care to comment on this setup? Feel free to vent your
> splean.
>
> Thanks
> TNIC@IDT.NET

I've been using an RS rotator to turn a 4-element, 2-meter Cushcraft beam
for many years now. This beam is a bit smaller and lighter than yours,
but it's mounted to the mast at the very end, so the wind torque may even
be greater than yours. I also used an RS TV rotator for a while to turn
a 20-meter X-beam antenna. It turned the antenna fine, and the only problem
was that it occasionally lost sync between the control box and the antenna
in 45+ mph winds. But the sync is easily re-established.

As you say, they're cheap. And they do work better than some folks might
have you believe.

Rich W2RG

Date: 16 May 97 16:18:57 GMT
From: knoxr@cc.tacom.ARmy.MIL
Subject: WTB: TenTec Paddle

Good Day to Members of the Group!

I am looking for a TenTec Model KR1B paddle to match
my Corsair II station. If anyone has one of these they'd like
to sell, please contact me at: knoxr@cc.tacom.army.mil

Thanks and 73! de KD4BRL Dick Knox

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 17:42:16 GMT
From: d.smith3@ukonline.co.uk (Dave Smith)
Subject: WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

can anyone please help me
I am looking for some mods for my radio
preferably an FM board and a squelch circuit
also any other hard hacks that may be around
thanks in advance
Dave

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id xma020044; Fri, 16 May 97 19:24:35 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id OAA20532 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Fri, 16 May
1997 14:22:39 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id NAA12067
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Fri, 16 May 1997 13:43:55 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id NAA12047
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Fri, 16 May 1997 13:43:51 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705162043.NAA12047@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Fri, 16 May 97 13:43:50 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #538
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

--simple boundary--

3657. Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: davide70@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517211200.RAA26545@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175314

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does anyone know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* (about 40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, I'd appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- me or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

3658. FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337E240D.7891@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175315

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig
box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.
This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx
Bob

3659. New Radio Book Store!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrldradio@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517223300.SAA02875@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175316

A note from "The Antique Radio Collector" <<
http://members.aol.com/wrldradio/index.htm >>

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http://members.aol.com/wrldradio/bookstore/bookstor.html

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<< Sincerely,

<< Jeff Bezos

<< President, Amazon.com

3660. Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5llbm4$10fa@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175317

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my 100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, but I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

3661. Re: SO much for customer service!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R1705970653310001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 175318

In article <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconnect.com>, toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
(Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Robert Langston wrote:
>
>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about to
>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for $4.

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

3662. FS Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4abv <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Message-ID: <5ljgvi$hhm@news1.infoave.net>
Source record: 175319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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3663. Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: majestic@nildram.co.uk
Message-ID: <337f7255.0@scooby.nildram.co.uk>
Source record: 175320

Can anyone please advise on the subject of programming a Motorola
Radius GP300 VHF synthesized handset with a PC, is it possible ?
can an interface be constructed ? any advice or addresses where I can
obtain this information is much appreciated, Mike.

"The best way to predict the
future is to invent it...."
majestic@nildram.co.uk

3664. Re: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz>
Message-ID: <337D597A.1254@nzart.org.nz>
Source record: 175402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>
> http://www.3doptics.com
Ron,

JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.

It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, you
can plan your JOTA activities for any year

I hope that you have a good time on it.

73,

Jim, ZL2APE,
New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

3665. For Sale HF Rig and Accesories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: aban@atx.com
Message-ID: <337cf56c.9551384@netnews.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175403

Asking $1,100 for the following

ICom 737A - New in the box - turned on about 5 times

Astron RS-35m - Power Supply

JPS communications NRF-7 - GP noise remover and filter

MFJ Deluxe Versa Tuner II

MFJ 931 Artificial RF Ground

Local pickup prefered - Philadelphia area

3666. Re: YAESU FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5lj1gb$3j9$3@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175404

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale:

>XF30C CW filter for FT101 series, new $60
>XF32A ssb filter for FT101 series, used $25
>XF8.9GA for many yaesu radios $50
>XF8.2HCN narrow cw for FTft102 new $60
>XF8.2HC cw for FT102, new $60
>XF8.2GA am for FT102, new $60
>XF30D fm filter for various radios, new $60

>these prices include shipping to cont. u.s.
>Thanks, Jim , bigjim@voicenet.com

3667. Re: ICOM FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5lj1h2$3j9$4@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale:

>New in box FL52A CW filter for various Icom rigs, $100

>New in box FL102 AM filter for various rigs, $40

>These prices are shipped cont. u.s.

>Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

3668. Radio Shack Digital Power/SW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca
Message-ID: <5lj6m4dlb2@brain.npiec.on.ca>
Source record: 175406

Is the digital power/swr meter from radio shack any good? Are there any
mods for it?

--

// Amiga Corporation!
// The Buttheads Blew IT!
\\ // Len Carpenter
\X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada

...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!

3669. Astron VS-20M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca
Message-ID: <5lj6pkdlb3@brain.npiec.on.ca>
Source record: 175407

Need schematic for the Astron VS-20M power supply mine does not read the current properly. Can someone scan it and send it to me as an attachment to mail?
Thanks

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// Amiga Corporation!
// The Buttheads Blew IT!
\\ // Len Carpenter
\X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada

...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!

3670. $299 VOX TELEPHONE PATCH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517042501.AAA28263@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175408

CSI CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect). Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed at base. 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Built in programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if someone is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile across circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with nice base antenna, more height or an amplifier. Ever more range through a repeater. Just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (A club could run this patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a LOW COST spare 2m (220 or whatever). Easy volume adjustments and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, YOU are the control operator. Plus, a long list of other professional features. With a cross-banding rig in your car, you can go all over town making AND RECIEVING calls on simplex with your HT on low power 440! Set it to ringout, send DTMF (touch tone) code or use a silent PL tone, sent to your HT. Imaculate $299

3671. MUST SELL///SHACK/ SELL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkanejr182@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517044800.AAA00493@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175409

GOT TO SELL GOT NEW TOY SOMETHINGS GOT TO GO

LIKE NEW FT-890AT NEVER MOBIL STOCK MIC********** 800.00$
WILL ADD P.S. /SPEAKER AND BRAND NEW IN THE BOX MD-1
FOR** 200.00$ MORE
MFJ 941D TUNER 300 WATTS ***** 40.00$ OR IF YOU BUY 890
WITH P.S.ECT ILL GIVE IT TO YOU...LOOKS BRAND NEW
BEARCAT BC 200XLT MOD FOR CELL NICE********************** 200.00$
ICOM R-72A RECEIVER BRAND NEW******************************** 400.00$
DAIWA CN 520 WATT METER 20/200/2000 WATTS
REALLY TINY METER**
40.00$
A 3-500ZG TUBE BRAND NEW NEVER RUN AMPREXS********* 140.00$
4 GOOD PULLS 90% 572B TUBES CETRONS****************** 100.00$
1 500ML AMP TRANSFOMER TAPS 500 VOLT 1500 AND 2000
PRI 120VOLTS ***
35.00$
1 BRIDGED RECTERFIER RATED AT 4000 VOLTS READY
TO GO WITH CAPS 4000 VOLTS AT 21 PF ********************* 75.00
A OLD COLLINS KWM-1 CABNET NO DENTS 50.00
MAKE LUMP SUM OFFER
FOR ALL........NEVER KNOW!!!!!!!!
EMAIL TO JKanejr182@aol.com

3672. Re: Radio Shack Digital Power/SW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mravitz@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <337d3a78.5947883@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175410

lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca (Lennard Carpenter) wrote:

> Is the digital power/swr meter from radio shack any good? Are there any
>mods for it?
>
>
>--
>
> // Amiga Corporation!
> // The Buttheads Blew IT!
> \\ // Len Carpenter
> \X/ (lcarpent@freenet.npiec.on.ca)
> A Believer in Welland, Ontario Canada
>
>...Everyone has a photographic memory! Some just lack the film!
>
>
>
June 97 QST has a review that says that it works, is just as accurate
as the other meters in its price range, but is slow to react to
changes, like when you tune a transmatch.

3673. SO much for customer service!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 175411

Well, as much as I wished this was not so, I think everyone might be interested in the real story of those DC HF radio connectors listed in the back of QST and in this newsgroup. I wonder if customer service is really dead?

- What follows is a thread I have exchanged with R. Langston -

Robert Langston wrote:

Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about to continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for $4.

Thomas Schaefer wrote:
>
> I understand that if the rig was mounted, this would not be a problem. I
> could also connect the socket on the radio to the plug with wire ties. The
> only question I have is if this is reasonable? This was billed as the same
> connector, but it is not really. I do not think arrogance is required
> here, but if you could please let me know the email address of anyone
> that is using this on an ICOM radio (besides yourself, if applicable)
> . I would like to find out if they are happy having to make makeshift
> solutions for a connector with a 400% markup.
>
> Best Regards,
>
> Tom Schaefer
> Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
>
> On Fri, 16 May 1997, Robert Langston wrote:
>
> > I searched for about 5 years until I came accross this one. It's not the
> > 'JST Corporation' connector that is sold to Icom, Kenwood, Yaesu and
> > Alinco. The connector is the same for all. You see JST will only sell
> > to those at minimum quantities of 25,000 pieces at 91 cents.
> >
> > I've sold about 1400 of these, the only return I got was from a guy who
> > bought one for an Icom 2AT...If so inclined, return unused portions.
> > You'll be reimbursed.
> >
> > R. Langston
> > 286 Hudson Street
> > Cornwall-on-Hudson, N.Y. 12520
> >
> > I came up with a solution that most people are happy with. If the
> > connector is popping off your rig, you may want to mount your rig or

> > strain relief the power cable. Next stop, you know, is $30 plus shipping
> > from a dealer for a whole power cord.
> >
> >
> > Thomas Schaefer wrote:
> > >
> > > Hello there,
> > >
> > > I recently order connectors from you for my ICOM radio. I have a question
> > > for you. On the original factory connector, there is a piece of plastic
> > > with a hook to catch the tab on the radio connector. This keeps the
> > > connector in place. On the ones I received from you, there is only a flat
> > > piece of plastic with a long groove in it. Unfortunately, this does not
> > > hold very well. Is it possible that you supply different connectors for
> > > the type of radio and I received a non-icom one? It was my understanding
> > > that they were all the same. In any event, do you have a solution to this
> > > problem? If not, please let me know what arrangements are necessary to
> > > send them back for a refund? Of course, I would much rather havea
> > > solution.
> > >
> > > Best Regards,
> > >
> > > Tom Schaefer
> > > Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
> >

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Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

3674. In search of used, cheap equipment for a great big newbie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bagel@neosoft.com
Message-ID: <337d4783.15601537@news.neosoft.com>
Source record: 175412

I have not yet even recieved my license, but I'm looking for some equipment, HF, VHF, UHF, whatever....I'm looking for used, cheap, but decent equipment. Please email me at: bagel@neosoft.com with information..

Thanks,
Tony Hagale

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bagel@neosoft.com
.,_-=========-_,.
Tony Hagale

-EUPHORIC sysadmin
-WWW Designer
-UNIX/Networking Technician-for-hire

3675. Re: HTX-202 won't transmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROT13xr6nyz@ybbc.pbzROT13
Message-ID: <5ljqpi$jbi@usenet88.supernews.com>
Source record: 175413

In article <337ba83e.2415598@news.bctel.ca>, masa@writeme-x.com (Masa) wrote:
>On 15 May 1997 15:22:28 GMT, teacherjh@aol.com (Teacherjh) wrote:
>
>>I have an HTX-202 and it has developed a problem where it won't transmit.
>>(Yes, transmit is enabled. :) I push the PTT button, and the display
>>changes appropriately for transmitting, but nothing comes out the antenna,
>>and the "power bars" on the display don't light. The problem has been
>>intermittant, but has gotten worse. When I open it up, nose around, and
>>close it up again, sometimes it works.. sometimes not. Suspecting a cold
>>solder joint at the power transistor, I resoldered those, but the problem
>>remains.
>>
>>Any other ideas as to what to look for? I don't want to have to send it
>>back to RS (though I think if I do I'll get their ESP, as they even pay
>>for breakage due to accident or abuse).
>>
>>Jose
>>KD1SB
>
>just exchange your old one with a new one at RS. If you bought it
>within 30 days from RS, you can exchange it over the counter.
>Usually RS is kind for exchanging the deffective products.
>
>
>Masataka Noda
>Masa@WriteMe-X.com
>http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
>
>Spam Security is ON:
>Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Try replacing the broken wire leading from the PC board to the center pin of the coax connector. And don't leave the radio on your belt when you sit down. The force against the antenna wiggles the center pin of the BNC connector, causing excessive flexing of the (solid) wire mentioned above, causing it to break.

Just a guess, YMMV, HTH, etc.

Matt

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##################################
The things we do # Reply to:
to avoid spam. # ke6alm

die.evil.spambot.#.@loop.com
##

Bobcode: KHtd luHo E!(ECSd) m2 CPEVWc B-74 Od LmM Ss++C++++++ T-- A6AT H9omec b20

3676. News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: 218@sandh.com
Message-ID: <5ljrvr$v28@news.triton.net>
Source record: 175414

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slide rule or calculator

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http://www.NewsRover.com

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T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, and it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

3677. Alpha 89 !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517094501.FAA13829@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175415

Hello, I just wanted to say to you, buy an Alpha89. I just received my new Alpha 89 and I have to say its the best you can buy. The quality and power its puts out is fantastic. Well good luck on your choise of amplifiers.
Wz1u Steve

3678. *****Remote base*****Need Information.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517115401.HAA17223@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175416

I want to build a remote base using GE or Motorola syntesized radios. I would like to talk with someone who has done this before. If you can give me some advise please let me know.

" 73"
Wayne
KC7ILQ

3679. Re: Ameritron QSK-5PC for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5lj1et$3j9$1@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>For sale Ameritron QSK5-PC qsk kit for most Ameritron amps.
>Brand new in box, never installed, looks to challengeing for me to
>install. Sells for $289, asking $200 shipped to cont. u.s.
>Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

3680. Re: Kenwood DSP10 for sale, for TS950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5lj1fp$3j9$2@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

bigjim@voicenet.com (Jim) wrote:

>Make your Kenwood TS950S an SD

>for sale, kenwood DSP10, in box, used for service bench to check
>radios, hardley used, low hours.
>$250 shipped cont u.s.

>Thanks, Jim, bigjim@voicenet.com

3681. Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970517123901.IAA19255@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175419

Does anyone out there know of any manufacturers of deep cycle battery chargers other than A&A? I am looking for a charger that puts out at least 1 amp
and will also taper the charger down. Any info on this will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

3682. Re: Astatis D-104 Impedence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337DA67D.CF3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

John B. Lawrence wrote:
>
> I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
> to its (supposedly) high impedance. I need to know the impedance of
> the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600 ohm mike
> input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).
>
> John KE6TGN

Hi John
From Bob Heil, K9EID's fine book "Heil Ham Radio Handbook", he discusses the hi Z mic into a low Z input. This of course swamps the mic and results in reduced output. He recommends placing a 100K or larger resistor in series with the D-104 hot lead. He also recommends a transformer to match impedances. He sez the D-104 works best into a 1 Megohm (or higher) load. So choosing a matching transformer from 1 Meg down to say 600 Ohms ought to do the trick.

Bob's book has no ISBN number -- but is published by Melco Publishing, PO Box 26, Marissa, Il, 62257. Lots of good info including microphone equalization.

The D-104 has a peaked high frequency response so when properly matched it gives sparkling highs -- good for breaking pileups. The Kenwood TS-850 even has a control marked "High Boost" which accentuates the high freq audio tones.

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3683. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <01bc63df$a616cc20$2e01e8cc@pw>
Source record: 175171

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to 2
pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure

> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>

3684. Re: Message not deliverable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Seu-login <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Message-ID: <01bc63e2$4b1a3a20$4f42dcc8@vudqpplf>
Source record: 175172

Does anyone knows how to get the connection cable (band data) to plug the
Yaesu FT767-GX to FL7000 Amplifier?
Thanks
73's - Geraldo - PY2VZU
.Mark Linett
> 818-244-1909
>
> ------------------------------
>
> Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 18:04:06 -0400
> From: Bill Kullmann <kullmann@lion.documentum.com>
> Subject: WTB: Early 60s US Callbook
>
> Got a Fall '63 DX listing callbook, not US (had one, but have'nt seen it
> in years). Any help?
>
>
> George Weischadle wrote:
> >
> > Looking for a U.S. Callbook from the early 1960s, condition not too
> > important. Please state price.
> >
> > 73,
> > George K6GW
>
> ------------------------------
>
> Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 22:14:48 GMT
> From: dussault@vipxlnet.com (Yves Dussault)
> Subject: WTB: Hallicrafters R46 speaker
>
> Do you have a good working one for sale?
> VE2ATD
> Montreal
>
> ------------------------------
>
> Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 16:34:39 +0100
> From: eduardo montana <emontana@widow.aracnet.net>
> Subject: WTB tower
>
> I want to buy a 70 to 80 ft. Trylon or Rohn self supported tower.
> Something that would handle about 20 sq.ft at the top.

> I am located in Toronto, but will arrange transportation in Northern
> States and Canada wide.
> If in Ontario will consider taking down.
> Will trade for various equipment or straight cash.
> Contact Ed at e-mail:emontana@aracnet.net
> Phone 416-438-5115, fax 416-438-3315.
> 73's from
> VE3YZR, LU9HHM, one and the same.
>
> --
> **
> Even with a great idea it takes persistance to have tomorrow, today
> **
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> ------------------------------
>
> End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #509
> ******************************
>
> Received: from esseye.si.com by smtpgwy.si.com (SMTPLINK V2.11)
> ; Sat, 10 May 97 00:04:46 EST
> Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
> Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
> via sendmail with smtp
> id <m0wQ3Q1-0009esC@esseye.si.com>
> for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sat, 10 May 1997
00:06:01 -0400 (EDT)
> (Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)
> Received: by challenger.si.com; id AAA14357; Sat, 10 May 1997 00:06:01
-0400 (EDT)
> Received: from mailbox.ucsd.edu(132.239.1.53) by challenger.si.com via
smap (3.2)
> id xma014355; Sat, 10 May 97 00:05:43 -0400
> Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by
mailbox1.ucsd.edu (8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA06734 for
<ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Fri, 9 May 1997 19:52:07 -0700 (PDT)
> Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id TAA00265
> sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
> Fri, 9 May 1997 19:42:38 -0700 (PDT)
> Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
> Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
> Precedence: List
> X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
> Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id TAA00246
> sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
> Fri, 9 May 1997 19:42:34 -0700 (PDT)
> Message-Id: <199705100242.TAA00246@noc.ucsd.edu>
> Date: Fri, 9 May 97 19:42:33 PDT
> From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

> Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
> Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
> Precedence: List
> Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #509
> To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
>
>

3685. For Sale: Kenwood TS 430s ++++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark or Lou Roy <markr@ESSLINK.COM>
Message-ID: <337F9302.29A1@ESSLINK.COM>
Source record: 175173

Kenwook TS 430s in mint condition- hasn't been used in 10 years, but realligned (5/13/97) and tuned by Ham Central (New York) proof of service will be included. Radio has FM and AM boards installed- also CW filter. Also, have matching 430 power supply and speaker and up/down matching Kenwook desk top microphone. In addition, have high power Dentron Super Tuner and MSJ swr/power meter. Will sell as total package price or will sell components separate. For more information, including prices, email to markr@esslink.com
Lou

3686. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <337F922E.FCF@pacbell.net>
Source record: 175174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

Holmes wrote:
>
> Personally, I would save up a little more cash and get a *much* better
> HT. I have had over amateur HT's, and the best yet is the Yaesu FT-50RD.
> I bought it last month for only $349 from Ham Radio Outlet in Atlanta
> (comes with two battery packs). And no, I don't work for any electronics
> supplier.
>
> The HTX-202 & -404 are both good rigs, and I think their major strength is
> the fact that they are designed for operation only in their respective
> bands (2m & 440). This provides a much better front end on the rigs and I
> have to say from experience that mine seem to be immune to intermod.
>
> I don't know exactly what you are looking for, but I choose HT's based on
> performance, not just features. Later....

With all due respect, to say something is "better" is subject to what's
important to the person. _BOTH_ units are very good.

If smaller size and dual bands are critical to a person, then the Yaesu
FT-50RD is the better unit.

However, if low cost and an easy to operate unit are important to a person,
then the Radio Shack HTX-202 is ideal for that person.

My friend Bill (W6DIV) owns a Yaesu FT-50RD. He likes the small size and
dual band ability.

I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it sure
does what I want it to do.

I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's a matter
of what factors are critical to them:

Cost
Single or Dual Band
Size & Weight of the unit
. . .

73,

Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start

of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

3687. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <337F95E8.3A33@pacbell.net>
Source record: 175175

Jimmy Kahn wrote:
>
> Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys
> cigarettes. And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
> possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license before
> they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ham
> bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who wants to
> break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedicated,
> and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who asks,
> "May I please see your Ham license?"
>
> What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.
>
> 73,
> Jimmy Kahn, WA2ILK

Yes, I'd love to see the laws change where one MUST show proof that they
have a ham license before they could purchase any ham transmitters. As for
mail order, if I place a phone order as KF6JHG, the call sign database
will have my address. If I want them to ship to another address, then
a fax (or photocopy) of the license would be required.

I'll guess that Radio Shack wouldn't like that law. It might cut a little
into their sales. However it would cut down on the sales of equipment to
the jammers and jerks.

I'm sure that some Bozo who wants to buy the equipment will find a way
around the system, but such a law would slow or stop most of them.

73,

Bob KF6JHG

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of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

3688. Yeasu FT-736R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve1rj@ns.sympatico.CA
Message-ID: <199705190220.WAA28016@smtp2.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 175176

I am wondering if anyone has any answers to a question I have about the FT-736R.

I have just put in the 6M module and have played around a bit with the scanning option on the rig. I want to be able to scan from say 50.100 to 50.200. During my research I have to have the squelch up in order for it to scan properly. Playing with the RF gain and the Squelch I was able to get it to scan satisfactorly and it is able to pick up weak stations and stop scanning. I am using the pause button in so it only pauses for 5 secs then carries on. Stopping almost immediately again because of the signal. This is good because I know someone is on there.
However, my biggest problem is the bloody beep it makes when stopping the scan, when starting over the scan (using pms) or even when hitting buttons.

Is there anyway in turning this beep off?

Tx in advance

Bill (VE1RJ)

3689. FS: Computers CHEAP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Message-ID: <337FEE09.1D1@anv.net>
Source record: 175177

Hello!

I have 2 computers for sale or trade with HF equipment.

486 DX4-100mhz CPU Includes: 15" monitor; CDROM; microphone; multi media speakers; 210megabyte hard drive; 8 meg RAM; mini tower case....many extras.....
Asking $650.00

IBM PS2 computer. Includes monitor, mouse, printer, manuals etc. some software included. Great for packet work.Excellent condition
Asking $500.00 OBO

Please call me at (702) 647-4446 or (702) 595-6901 cellular. Call me anytime. I really want to sell both computers.
Will trade both for HF rig preferably mobile HF(ICOM or Alinco)
--
Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * AAR9BA@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net

3690. FS: Yaesu FT-790RII (new in box)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <337FB4ED.3534@ibm.net>
Source record: 175178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have, new in the box, never used, the following: A Yaesu FT-790RII UHF "multi-purpose" multimode transciever (430-450 mhz, CW, SSB, FM 25w mobile/portable) with the following options: Battery pack, charger, tone board (not installed-new in box as well).

Current HRO prices:

FT-790RII $769.95
FBA-8 battery pack 44.95
FTS-7A tone board 39.95
NC-26B charger 14.95

TOTAL $869.80
plus applicable tax and shipping

I will sell the complete package for $600, including domestic UPS shipping. Payment by money order or cashier's/certified check only.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ
mfeldmn@ibm.net

3691. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <337FB6CB.51A1@ibm.net>
Source record: 175179

Charlie Durand wrote:

[attack on HRO snipped]

Charlie,

My experience with HRO in Sunnyvale, CA is exactly the opposite of what you describe. They've been nothing if not helpful, and let me experiment with various radios even when they knew I wasn't ready to make a purchase. I have no complaints.

Obviously, YMMV.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ

3692. Re: TR7 repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <337FB74A.4C32@ibm.net>
Source record: 175180

Jim And Pam Walsh wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of a technician who has done extensive work on Older
> drake stuff. My club has a TR-7 that has a problem with the Final RF
> amp. thanks and 73
> DE jim KI4PR jimpamwalsh@woldnet.att.net

Jim,

The best service is almost always factory service. RL Drake is still in
business and will still service your radio. I'd send it them for an
estimate.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ

3693. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337FAD87.4CC9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175181

William Nolle wrote:
>
> Charlie Durand wrote:
> >
> > Good morning,
> >
> > I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
> >
> > I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> > make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> > business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> > service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> > basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> > customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> > taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> > feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> > if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> > I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> > "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> > the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> > questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> > Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> > and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
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> > the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
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> > level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> > why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> > do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
> >
> > Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> > technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> > percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>
> Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
> --
> Bill

I feel the same way as you about the attitude of the sales staff. The
funny thing is that the NEW SALESPEOPLE have a much more friendly
attitude than the salespeople who have been there for a while. I think

that is because the salespeople who have been around really want out but can't land a better job. So they languish at HRO and take out their frustrations on the NEW HAMS.I have ordered just recently and had a positive experience with a New Salesman. BOB FERRARO (owner of HRO) should dump the salespeople with attitudes or send them to therapy.

3694. Re: IC-775DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <863992265snz@microvst.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175182

In article <MPG.de41e3738e3db2b989683@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
no.spam@anytime.at.all "John C. Smith" writes:

> 2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire,
> that can accommodate 200w?

I'm not sure what `remotely tuned' implies. But if you include
automatic tuning in that, then you may be interested to know that I
learned from SGC at Dayton this year that the company has now upped
the rating on the SG-230 to 200w. This rating change is based solely
upon more recent testing and analysis and not on any component
changes, and so this higher rating applies to SG-230's already put
into the field under the previous 150w rating.

If in doubt, check with the company.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

3695. FS: ITC Cart Machines

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jasensteve@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970519024900.WAA26630@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175183

For Sale: one of the the most reliable pieces of equipment
ever made for radio...

ITC MONO CART player/recorder

mono machines, with manual, service records
new heads were installed during pre-storage overhaul
outstanding condition

TWO machines are available

$150 each + shipping. firm. US Funds.

Also available: tapecaster 150 player/recorder
reel to reel circa late 50's early 60's
panasonic personal 4track circa 1970's?

e-mail serious inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

3696. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970518203222.25334A-100000@general3.asu.edu>
Source record: 175184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

On 19 May 1997, Forrest T. Charnock wrote:

> Robert (Bob) Diaz (cqbdiaz@pacbell.net) wrote:
> :
> : I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it sure
> : does what I want it to do.
> :
> :
> : I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's a matter
> : of what factors are critical to them:
> :
> : Cost
> : Single or Dual Band
> : Size & Weight of the unit
> : . . .
>
> 4th: Are you really going to use out-of-band recieve?
> ^^^^^^

Although I love my HTX 202, out-of-band receive is the reason I'm looking for
a new primary HT. Weather changes can be a great thing to hear about
when you travel. Other than that though, I can' complain about the RS HT.

> **
> Olin Physical Lab Wake Forest University Winston-Salem, NC
> * * * http://www.wfu.edu/~charnoft KE4RJG * * *
> All science is either physics or stamp collecting. --Ernest Rutherford
>
>
>

3697. Re: HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru
Message-ID: <337f4b4d.8800780@news.e-burg.ru>
Source record: 175185

waterfox@worldnet.att.net (Ron Lister/N3ZDS) wrote:

>A friend of mine (a brand new ham) inherited an HTX-202 with no manual
>from a relative. I am trying to help him figure out some of the
>functions. Does this thing have CTCSS Encode? If it does, I can't find
>out how to set the tone freq. Apparently, it has PL Decode, because
>I see where you can turn on/off the Tone Squelch. On my HT
>(obviously, not a Radio Shack) Tone Squelch indicates PL Decode is
>active. On the HTX-202, I don't see where you turn on The PL Encode
>function nor do see where to select the tone to be used. Is there a
>menu system? How do you get into it??
>
>Tnx es 73 de Ron/N3ZDS
Yes there is menu system. Press "F" + "M-set" and you can walk through
menu with up and down buttons ("*" and "#"). CTCSS setting is "rc"
and "tc" on the display.

de ua9cdc (n3tod)
Best regards,
Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
Phone/Fax: 3432 229621

3698. Revised Price, Kenwood HF with options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: whowell@ici.net
Message-ID: <5ln9um$re6$1@bashir.ici.net>
Source record: 175186

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 5/18/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 950

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

3699. Re: Hammarlund HQ-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <337E630C.D0A@iglou.com>
Source record: 175187

Craig T. Bailey wrote:
>
> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.
>
> 73's
> Craig
> --
> **
> * Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
> * Civil Engineering Student *
> * University of New Hampshire *
> * ph. (603)862-7804 *
> * *
> * mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
> * http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
> * *
> ***********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

3700. WTB: Service Manual KW TS-940S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518120700.IAA20160@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175188

Contact Van at :

wb0nzv@aol.com

3701. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <337F0CB7.4567@mindspring.com>
Source record: 175189

Charlie Durand wrote:
>
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.

Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
--
Bill

3702. WTD: PS50 & SP430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul@s-wizard.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <337f2e35.22568810@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175190

Above equipment wanted

Thanks
Paul L
Derbyshire, UK

email : paul@s-wizard.demon.co.uk
www :http://www.s-wizard.demon.co.uk
tel :01246 850 850

3703. mfj-921 owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <337F34D4.6F25@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 175191

Can you bypass the tuner when not in use? I'm thinking of getting one.
Thanks......

3704. FS:Ten-Tec Paragon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom J. Mullins" <kc4loy2@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337F6513.45FE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175192

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<BASE HREF="file:///C|/NETCOM/NETSCAPE/PARAGON.HTM">

> Hi, and thanks for reading this message... I need to sell this HF Rig !!
>
> TEN-TEC PARAGON W/MATCHING POWER SUPPLY,TEN-TEC DESK
> MIC,SOFTWARE,MANUALS,EVERYTHING...
>
> RIG HAS ALL OF THE FILTERS, 6.0/2.4/1.8/.50/.25..
> RIG HAS AN RS-232 PORT, VOICE CARD,AND AN ADD-ON ALC-ALERT RESET BUTTON.
> ALL HAS BEEN FACTORY INSTALLED.. VERY NICE RIG, LOTS OF BUTTONS..
> MODES = AM/FM/LSB/USB/CW/TUNE....
> SPEECH PROCESSOR,N/BLANKER,QSK,AGC,ATTENUATOR,TONE SELECT,DIGITAL
> READ-OUT,CAN ALSO DISPLAY YOUR CALLSIGN,CLOCK... WILL BE A NICE STARTER
> RIG FOR A DX'ER.... ALSO ON THE BACK OUTLETS, R C A PLUGS, RCA PLUGS FOR
> THE AMPLIFIER IF YOU ADD ONE, I DONT HAVE AN AMP...
> THATS ABOUT IT FOR NOW... THE ASKING PRICE FOR THE PARAGON $1500.00
>
> ANSWER :: KC4LOY2@IX.NETCOM.COM or KC4LOY@JUNO.COM or KC4LOY@USA.NET
>
> I WILL PAY SHIPPING.. TNX, TOM J. MULLINS
> 997 BEAVER HILLS DR.
> BETHLEHEM,GA. 30620
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3705. WTB Yaesu 1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <337F44BB.F131D22A@mail.org>
Source record: 175193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Please contact me if you have a Yaesu 1000 MP for sale with or without filters and accessories. Must be in excellent condition. Please send what you have, and the price you want. Joe, K4JJ

3706. Re: help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <337f5188.17243414@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175194
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.swap

On 18 May 1997 10:22:45 -0500, caldwell@cauldron.spdc.ti.com (Wayne
Caldwell) wrote:

>I am just starting in DXing. What is a good reasonably priced receiver to buy?
>Are there any used one on the net?

You might take a look at rec.radio.swap. There are probably some good
receivers listed there.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

3707. Re: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5lno6g$2s8@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175195

I don't think the FT-920 has dual receive like my FT1000MP does. It does have dual display and dual vfo knobs, but no mention of dual receive in their ads anywhere?? The FT1000MP has dual s meters, dual volume controls, sub bandswitch, and dual squelch of which I see none on the picture on of the FT920. It does seem to have a button labeled DW in the picture. It would be nice to hear from someone who has actually operated one. The FT920 does have digital bandwidth control on the front panel while the IC756 does not have any digital bandwith control capability. I played around with an IC756 at AES and was a bit annoyed with the lack of controls on the front panel. It was kind of frustrating having to go into menus to do common things like change bandwidths. The scope is neet, but is it really useful? Word is that unless a signal is s5 or better it really will not be noticeable. The QST review found some major problems with the transmit section of the IC756. Will Icom soon have an IC756A and then an IC756MKII?? Icom rarely gets a rig right on first try. If you have a FT1000MP set up right you will have some of the best sounding transmitted audio in amateur radio, I hope the FT920 will have the same sound - it does have similar dsp options for transmit. The IC756 rigs that I have heard on the air sound good, but not exceptional. Just my two cents worth on the subject. ---- Steve N9ROU

3708. FS: ACC-8850 Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>
Message-ID: <337F65C4.3A38@loop.com>
Source record: 175196

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern Calif.

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

3709. Re: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337F6BC0.764D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Jim wrote:
>
> Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
> >
> > I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air
> > event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> > next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> > planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
> >
> > 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
> >
> > QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
> >
> > http://www.3doptics.com
> Ron,
>
> JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.
>
> It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, you
> can plan your JOTA activities for any year
>
> I hope that you have a good time on it.
>
> 73,
>
> Jim, ZL2APE,
> New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
> jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Thanks to all who pointed me in the right direction on the JOTA. The
local scouts are really excited about this and we definitely will be on
the air in October.

73 de WA1UWZ

3710. Re: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Goode@centuryinter.net
Message-ID: <N.051897.155243.81@anxp33.mh.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 175198

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but was
rejected. please answer asap.
73's
james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
> in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
> 25 watts
> 5 memory channels
> scan
> touchtone mic
> mobil bracket
> manual
> box
>
> this rig has worked flawless for me
> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling
> bought new radio
> will ship cont U.S.
> price.....130.00
> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

3711. Re: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gavin Stirling <gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19970518200858717 65@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 175199

Yep the therapy must have worked ;-)

Only kidding steve!!

Gav, requesting a pint of fresh milk from your goat please.
GM0WDD

In message <19970518153200.LAA01768@ladder02.news.aol.com>
nitramham@aol.com (Nitramham) writes:

> WHAT? The great know-it-all hersheysquirtman asking for someone else's
> opinion? Will wonders never cease?

> still here----hehehehe
> Love nit

> P.S. I still have your goat tied up in my back yard.

> Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
> From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 17:03:44 -0400
> Message-ID: <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>

> I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the
> Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
> I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

3712. Re: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518225900.SAA06740@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175200

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

3713. FS: R-1000 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <337F888F.7267@southeast.net>
Source record: 175201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.
Original owner, original box and manuals.
Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

3714. FS: TS-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <337F887A.329A@southeast.net>
Source record: 175202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood TS-530, 160-10 meter HF transciever. Includes WARC bands.
200 watts.

MC-50 microphone.

Original owner, original box and manuals.

Excellent condition.

$400

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim
WA5VPW

--

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

3715. Wanted TS50,450SAT,690SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "74364.207@compuserve.com" <74364.207@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <337FD097.6EA3@compuserve.com>
Source record: 175203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for Kenwood 450SAT,440SAT,690SAT,TS50.
E-Mail to 74364.207@compuserve.com. According to users reply is not
working so you have to type in above E-mail address.

3716. numeric keypad for icom ic 706?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: h.karahasan@pinneberg.netsurf.de
Message-ID: <6X5e0Rksv2B@up-20088.netsurf.de>
Source record: 175204

Hello oms!
I am using the ic 706 for more than a year now. Is there a numeric keypad to enter the qrg available for that transceiver? It has a socket at the back of its housing to get the necessary data, but I think, there is no such keypad available. I have been told by icom europe that the only way to have the ability to enter the qrg directly is by connecting the 706 to a computer. But I cannot have a pc with me, when I am in holiday.

I really need such a numeric keypad, because I am blind and finding the correct qrg is very finicky, though the radio has a speech synth telling me the frequency. Especially when I want to qsy, I need to much time.

vy 73 de DJ2xt

3717. Wanted: Fax and RTTY Software for MFJ Multi Mode 1214-PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Miller <rdmiller@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <337F8E22.57FA@bit-net.com>
Source record: 175205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi all, and thanks for reading.

I am looking for shareware or reasonably priced Windows compatible software which will work with the MFJ-1214PC computer interface. I am pleased with the hardware, but the MFJ software leaves a lot to be desired. I'm sure others have run into this situation, and have come up with a solution.

Any suggestions or sources would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Rick Miller
KA3BZX/1

3718. FS: Kenwood TS-850S Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: vidgames@netcom.com
Message-ID: <vidgamesEAEH69.2A8@netcom.com>
Source record: 175206

I have a Kenwood TS-850S transceiver for sale (it doesn't appear to have any add-ons). Price is best offer above $350 plus shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it if you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack (former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably in fine working order.

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

A E

--
Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
=-=-=-=-=
If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

3719. FS: Hallicrafters SR-150 Transceiver w/PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: vidgames@netcom.com
Message-ID: <vidgamesEAEH96.2CI@netcom.com>
Source record: 175207

I have a Hallicrafters SR-150 transceiver with PS-150-120 power supply for sale. Price is best offer over $300 plus shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it if you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack (former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably in fine working order.

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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3720. Ham Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Fleenor <johnf@mailhost.cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <337F911B.4681@mailhost.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 175208

http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf

3721. FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: vidgames@netcom.com
Message-ID: <vidgamesEAEHBn.2IM@netcom.com>
Source record: 175209

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 plus shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it if you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack (former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably in fine working order.

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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3722. For Sale: Kenwood TS 430s ++++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark or Lou Roy <markr@ESSLINK.COM>
Message-ID: <337F9433.4D4A@ESSLINK.COM>
Source record: 175210
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwook TS 430s in mint condition- hasn't been used in 10 years, but realligned (5/13/97) and tuned by Ham Central (New York) proof of service will be included. Radio has FM and AM boards installed- also CW filter. Also, have matching 430 power supply and speaker and up/down matching Kenwook desk top microphone. In addition, have high power Dentron Super Tuner and MSJ swr/power meter. Will sell as total package price or will sell components separate. For more information, including prices, email to markr@esslink.com
Lou

3723. NEED INFO ON 120V WIRING FOR SB-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dd980@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <5lo3s4$ft3@freenet-news.carleton.ca>
Source record: 175211

I got a SB-200 at dayton with no man. need to switch it to 120 insted of 240
need to know how to hook the jumpers. Also need a man. or copy.

3724. Yaesu FT 767 GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Seu-login <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Message-ID: <01bc63e6$2431c280$4f42dcc8@vudqpplf>
Source record: 175212

I�ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73�s
Geraldo-PY2VZU

3725. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <337F413D.5375@icss.net>
Source record: 175213

jjm@shore.net wrote:
>
> Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:
>
> >Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys cigarettes.
> > and more...

> You are asking amateur radio dealers to become policmen then?
> It's
> not up to dealers to determine or to enforce any rules on who can and
> cannot operate transmitting equipment. And, not all hams carry copies
> of their amateur licenses when they go into retail establishments...do
> you refuse to sell to them? This is bucket 'o worms material.
>
Retail establishments have been asked to become the TAXMAN, and they seem to be complying without too much kicking and screaming. They charge city and state sales tax, they with hold income tax from their employees for the city, state, and feds, they withhold mdicare tax, they withhold social security tax. Then after all this TAXMAN work for the government, if they show a profit, they pay more tax. They even hire extra people (a whole office full) to do this sort of TAXMAN work. We won't even go into OSHA, right to work, and handicap access requirements.

Now I want to buy a transmitter that I am unauthorized to "excite." I write you a draft from a commercial bank to pay for the transmitter and I have to produce TWO forms of identification, and you want to write the SSN and Drivers License number on the face of the check. Since you are unauthorized to use my SSN for anything, and I refuse to give it to you, you say that you will not accept my draft. Company Policy or something?

So I guess that asking the patron to produce the FCC issued WALLET copy of his/her/it's license is too much government interference? Maybe it should be "Company Policy" rather than having to have the government tell us what, when, how, and why to to everything.

> Also, not ALL illegal transmissions are caused by unlicensed
> operators. I'd venture to say the vast majority of illegal
> transmissions are caused by licensed individuals or groups. Either
> for some political agenda, personal vendetta or the like. With more
> and more folks getting into the hobby we are going have a wider
> diversity of personalities -- good and bad. MORE - this means of both
> types - hence a greater number of infractions.

I'm sorry to agree with you on this.
>
> I have worked in the amateur retail business. I have sold
> transmitting equipment to unlicensed individuals. There was and is no
> law telling me to do otherwise. As a matter of fact it was my
> understanding I would have been breaking laws by refusing to sell to
> anyone.
>
> We (as hams) don't really like this but for now there is not much we
> can do about it except to remain self-policing and to do what it takes
> - legally - to squelch these unhappy, psychologically challenged
> persons.
>
> This same topic seems to come up about every six months or so and has
> been hash and rehashed. If you want to use analogies, etc. what about
> someone with a Technician license? Not a Tech Plus mind you. Should
> that person be prohibited from owning a piece HF equipment? They
> don't have a license for it.... Should radios be manufactured for
> each class of amateur license? So, when you upgrade your ticket you
> have to upgrade your equipment also? If someone plans to become a
> ham, why can't they have the transmitting equipment already in their
> possession? There are a lot of things to think about. This truly can
> be a bucket 'o worms.
>
> The ideas of this text are mine alone and in no way reflect the
> opinions or policies of any company or companies I may contract with
> or be employed by. Any editing of this text nullifies its context.
>
> Jim, WK1V
> ex-KA5MWD, N1CLS, KB1LW, HL9ZF
> ==
> Jim, WK1V
> jjm@shore.net
> http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
> ==

Jim, sorry to have nullified your context, but I trimmed this a bit
(your info is complete, however). Today, most people are worried about
how something "looks" or if they'll get sued rather than do the right
thing. Selling ham gear to the unlicensed may not be illegal, but in my
opinion is unethical. The retail establishment that does this is not
interested in the amateur service, only in profits.
Brian/N0iMD

3726. Re: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5llt9t$pte@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 175224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

The rotor will work fine for your application.

Norman N8RGR

3727. Kenwood TS130S value

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwalter7@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518051301.BAA04902@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175225

What is the value of a Kenwood TS130s in excellent condition?

Bob

3728. INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Crozier <ka9qjg@tsrcom.com>
Message-ID: <337EABD4.7B59@tsrcom.com>
Source record: 175226

Hi,My name is Don Ham Radio Operator KA9QJG I picked up a MOTOROLA MOBILE DATA TERMINAL # 9100-20 I would like to set it up for Emergency pkt communications on 440 at 9600 baud will be used for sever weather spotting has anyone had any experience with this unit? and where can i get ser man ? cables etc

THANKS DON KA9QJG

3729. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <337e93a3.8656547@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175227

Jerry Yarbrough <medic@net-master.net> wrote:

:> Phoenix, AZ 85027-2179I have a Yeasu FT50R and love it It is small and very strong. 105
:memories and a dual bander. It TX and RX out of band on 2mtr and 440. It
:also RX aircraft band, it switches between AM and FW automaticly

It would help if you started your reply on a new line.

The FT50R will not TX out of band unless modified.
There is no way you can legally TX out of band with the FT50R even if
you can legally use another HT outside amateur bands.

Barry

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return address.

3730. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <337e93b4.8673535@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175228

Thomas Russo <russo@slug.swcp.com> wrote:

:aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) writes:
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:>
:> BTW: Why would you want to transmit outside of 144-148?
:>
:
:I'm seeing a lot of comments about people who want to transmit "illegally"
:lately, and I can answer the above question for myself: because I'm authorized
:to but don't want to carry two (or more) sets of comm around. I am authorized
:to transmit on several public service bands during official SAR missions since
:I'm on a wilderness search and rescue team, but to carry around a ham radio, a
:SAR radio, a team 800MHz radio and a 40+ pound pack full of gear is asking a
:lot.

Even though you are authorised to transmit on various non amateur bands
you are not authorised to use non type approved radios to do so. If you
use an amateur HT on those other bands your authorisation is null and void.

Barry

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3731. Re: Motorola HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <337e93be.8683616@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175229

John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org> wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and one HT
:600 model.
:
:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use)
:without interfering with commerical folks?
:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them legally?

Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham
frequencies.

Barry

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3732. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <337e9399.8645876@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175230

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com> wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as
:Standard, ADI, or ???
:
:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in
:a good, basic HT.

You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to 148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation and possible accidental out of band txing.

Barry

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3733. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <337e93ab.8664004@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175231

aco@almworks.com (Andrew C. Ohnstad) wrote:

:On Mon, 12 May 1997 11:09:27 -0700, Jerry Riechert wrote the following
:words about Re: Which HT to start with?:
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:>I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:>feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as
:>Standard, ADI, or ???
:>
:>Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in
:>a good, basic HT.
:>
:
:Oh, and by the way... I just reciently purchaced an Icom T22A, to rid
:myself of the HTX-202's Brick like shape, size, and weight. But the Icom
:is actually missing a few things the HTX has, like CTCSS Decode. But it
:recieves from 10.0 Mhz to 999.900 Mhz, so it oblitherates my need for a
:portable scanner. :)

That receiver coverage is very interesting. What gaps are there in the
receiver coverage, other than cellular?

Barry

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3734. Re: Which HT to start with?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <337e9383.8624589@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175232

tnichols@nuteknet.com (Timothy Nicholson) wrote:

:I have just recently (yesterday) passed my technician exam and am looking for a
:good, inexpensive HT with which to start. When I say inexpensive, I
:mean anything around $200. I live in Raleigh, NC, and have found two stores
:close by that carry radio equipment and who also have web sites. Here are the
:models I am considering (in order as listed). They all have CTCSS
:encode/decode, and all the other std. options needed in a HT.
:
:1) ICOM IC-T2A, $199. I am impressed with the features of this radio for the
:price. It has the widest TX (140-150MHz) and RX (136-174MHz) of any radio
:listed here.
:
:2) Kenwood TH-235A, $189. This is the lowest priced radio listed, but is
:narrow on the TX range (144-148MHz). I have talked to a couple of hams who
:don't care for the Kenwood equipment, but I didn't really get a good reason
:why.
:
:3) Alinco DJ-190T, $218. Nice options, but again a narrow TX range
:(144-147.995).

Are you sure you have an amateur license? You don't seem to understand
that your licence only permits you to transmit on 144 to 148 Mhz in the
2 metre band. Any greater transmitter coverage is only encouragement
to transmit illegally. I suggest you read your licence conditions before
you continue your search.

:4) Yaesu FT-10R/H, $259. This one is a little pricey for me, but has the most
:all-around features of any radio listed here. The info I have doesn't list the
:TX and RX ranges.
:
:5) Radio Shack HTX-202, $199. Although less expensive than the Alinco and
:Yaesu, I haven't seen many of these radios in use. Several hams have told me
:to avoid this radio.
:
:Being new to this hobby, I still don't know all the things to look for in a
:radio, so I turn to the experts, you who are experienced. Any feedback would
:be appreciated.

My recomendation is that you read the conditions of your licence to
confirm that you are limited to 144 to 148 transmit. Then you can stop
worrying about HTs that do not transmit outside that range. In fact it
will be to your advantage that the HT is limited to 144 to 148 since
that will remove the temptation to tx out of band.

:Please email me at timn@renewal-iis.com with any information

That is differant to your return address.

Barry

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3735. FS Yaesu FT990 AC Model

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Hales <Keith@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <+1FWrPALXtfzEw4v@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175233

Hi, and thanks for reading this news item. I have a Yaesu FT990 AC model tranceiver for sale, which also has the 500 CW filter fitted. The rig was purchased in December 1996 and is in very good condition with no marks or scratches and complete with all plugs and manual. The asking price is £1350 including carraige in mainland UK. If you are interested and would like to get further info then I can be contacted on 01432 276545 or via E-Mail which I check every other day.

73

Keith Hales G0RQF QTHR.

3736. FS Kenwood YK-88C-1 CW Filter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Hales <Keith@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <5F5XnQA4XtfzEw6Q@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175234

Hello, I have the stated filter for sale which fits the TS850S but am unsure about any other Kenwood rigs. Price £37 including post in mainland UK. I can be contacted on either e-mail or on 01432 276545.

73

Keith Hales G0RQF QTHR.

3737. Fox xmitr controller (July 1997 Popular Electronics)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc632b$f1372d80$b9af32cf@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 175235

Howdy! Does anyone else take this magazine? There's an article in there on how one fellow built a fox transmitter controller using a Technological Arts ADAPT-11 microcontroller, where it would give a Morse code ID, an SK end-of-message signal, and had variable time intervals and a switchable SK function. I wish the author of the article had an Email address, so I could get a copy of his modified DEMO.ASM file, then I could see it for myself and try it!!

Anyone else interested?

Ray Brown, KB0STN
r_brown@getonthe.net

3738. Re: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5lmqd6$l91$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 175236

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and can usually get back to them.

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice.

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In

day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute automaticly regardless of which is primary.

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

3739. Re: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

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Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5lmv0k$3cq$1@news13.gte.net>
Source record: 175238

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3741. Aerotron HF Amplifier Info wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Curry <bobcurry@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <337F1FEA.4F1@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 175239

I have an Aerotron HF linear amplifier Model # 951.5KA --
I need schematic or a copy of the Tech manual. Any information
would be appreciated. Will pay for copying and mailing.
Thanks in advance.

73 BoBc WB4JLD

3742. Re: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gmaddux!@mail.ptway.com
Message-ID: <337f03bf.918602@news.ptway.com>
Source record: 175240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer
<k5wim@voyageronline.net> wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV antenna
on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works fine. I
haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

3743. IC-730 $400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518134100.JAA24427@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175241

I have a like-new IC-730 HF transceiver (ser#13139) for sale for $400 shipped. The rig was used as a backup and never mobile. It includes the HM-7 handmike, original box, power cord, and manual. It is a solid state 10-80m 100 watt rig. I can be reached at (601) 436-3568 or E-mail AE4CZ@AOL.COM.

Norm
Biloxi, MS

3744. URM-120 Wattmeter $75

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae4cz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518134600.JAA24700@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175242

I have three URM-120 wattmeters for sale for $75 each including shipping. They are manufactured by Struthers Electronics Corp. and come with two slugs. One slug covers 25-250 Mhz and the other covers 200-1000 Mhz. I do not have a HF slug to cover below 25 Mhz. Each slug has a knob to vary the power level to 10-50-100-500 watts. The connectors are male "N" on one end and female "N" on the other end. Also included in the deal is a real nice fiberglass case (14w x 11d x 11h approx). The original manual is also included. The meter somewhat resembles the Bird 43. There is an article discussing these wattmeters in the May 96 QST p.77 with a follow up in the Sep 96 QST p.77.

I can be reached at (601) 436-3568 or E-mail at AE4CZ@AOL.COM.

Norm
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3745. HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175243

Good morning,

I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...

I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money, and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I." Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.

Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.

3746. wtb yaesu MH1B8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc638e$81dd4880$34f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 175244

hi, i am looking for a hand mic model MH1B8
for a yaesu ft-890..990 etc
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

3747. wtb dualband mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc638e$a5cfdbe0$34f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 175245

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

3748. FS DAIWA AF-606K FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Hales <Keith@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <3laUfUA2YtfzEwYZ@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175246

Hi, The filter is an all mode active filter and has been used on CW and RTTY as well as SSB with very good results. Only for sale as I have moved up to DSP Rig. Includes leads and PSU and manual. Price £48 including postage in mainland UK. I can be contacted on 01432 276545 or via e-mail.

73

Keith Hales G0RQF QTHR.

3749. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjm@shore.net
Message-ID: <5ln644$d9n@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 175247

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys
>cigarettes.

I've yet to see someone transmit through a cigarette.

> And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
>possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license before
>they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ham
>bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who wants to
>break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedicated,
>and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who asks,
>"May I please see your Ham license?"

>What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.

You are asking amateur radio dealers to become policmen then? It's not up to dealers to determine or to enforce any rules on who can and cannot operate transmitting equipment. And, not all hams carry copies of their amateur licenses when they go into retail establishments...do you refuse to sell to them? This is bucket 'o worms material.

Also, not ALL illegal transmissions are caused by unlicensed operators. I'd venture to say the vast majority of illegal transmissions are caused by licensed individuals or groups. Either for some political agenda, personal vendetta or the like. With more and more folks getting into the hobby we are going have a wider diversity of personalities -- good and bad. MORE - this means of both types - hence a greater number of infractions.

I have worked in the amateur retail business. I have sold transmitting equipment to unlicensed individuals. There was and is no law telling me to do otherwise. As a matter of fact it was my understanding I would have been breaking laws by refusing to sell to anyone.

We (as hams) don't really like this but for now there is not much we can do about it except to remain self-policing and to do what it takes - legally - to squelch these unhappy, psychologically challenged persons.

This same topic seems to come up about every six months or so and has been hash and rehashed. If you want to use analogies, etc. what about someone with a Technician license? Not a Tech Plus mind you. Should

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Jim, WK1V
ex-KA5MWD, N1CLS, KB1LW, HL9ZF
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Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
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3750. Question when were TS-940's made

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <337F1ED1.39@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175248

I just got a Kenwood TS-940S/At serial number 7 mil and am trying to figure out how old it is. When did they stop making this model. Please post and thanks for all responces.

73's
Bob

3751. help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: caldwell@cauldron.spdc.ti.com
Message-ID: <5ln6s5$8rf@epcot.spdc.ti.com>
Source record: 175249
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I am just starting in DXing. What is a good reasonably priced receiver to buy?
Are there any used one on the net?

W.C.

Wayne Caldwell | |
P.O.Box 831183 | caldwell@spdc.ti.com | 972-436-2724
Richardson, Texas | billyw@gte.net | answer machine
75083-1183 | MSGID = CWB | pg 972-597-9091
http://home1.gte.net/billyw/index.htm

From out of the past come the thundering hoof beats of the Great Horse Silver.
The Lone Ranger Rides Again! Old Time Radio Shows are still alive.

3752. Re: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: nitramham@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518153200.LAA01768@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175250

WHAT? The great know-it-all hersheysquirtman asking for someone else's opinion? Will wonders never cease?

still here----hehehehe
Love nit

P.S. I still have your goat tied up in my back yard.

Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 17:03:44 -0400
Message-ID: <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>

I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

3753. modifications to TH-79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: vbajaj@portal.stwing.upenn.edu
Message-ID: <5ln77b$b9u@netnews.upenn.edu>
Source record: 175251

Are there any software modifications that can be done to the TH-79A
(i.e. without cutting microscopic surface mount components)?

--Vik

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Vik Bajaj
http://cognac.unplug.org

3754. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <337EC1B1.211E@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Source record: 175252

jjm@shore.net wrote:
>
>
> You are asking amateur radio dealers to become policmen then? It's
> not up to dealers to determine or to enforce any rules on who can and
> cannot operate transmitting equipment. And, not all hams carry copies
> of their amateur licenses when they go into retail establishments...do
> you refuse to sell to them? This is bucket 'o worms material.
>
> Also, not ALL illegal transmissions are caused by unlicensed
> operators. I'd venture to say the vast majority of illegal
> transmissions are caused by licensed individuals or groups. Either
> for some political agenda, personal vendetta or the like. With more
> and more folks getting into the hobby we are going have a wider
> diversity of personalities -- good and bad. MORE - this means of both
> types - hence a greater number of infractions.
>
> I have worked in the amateur retail business. I have sold
> transmitting equipment to unlicensed individuals. There was and is no
> law telling me to do otherwise. As a matter of fact it was my
> understanding I would have been breaking laws by refusing to sell to
> anyone.
>
> We (as hams) don't really like this but for now there is not much we
> can do about it except to remain self-policing and to do what it takes
> - legally - to squelch these unhappy, psychologically challenged
> persons.
>
> This same topic seems to come up about every six months or so and has
> been hash and rehashed. If you want to use analogies, etc. what about
> someone with a Technician license? Not a Tech Plus mind you. Should
> that person be prohibited from owning a piece HF equipment? They
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> be a bucket 'o worms.
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> The ideas of this text are mine alone and in no way reflect the
> opinions or policies of any company or companies I may contract with
> or be employed by. Any editing of this text nullifies its context.

Perhaps this brings us back to the original question. How come the FCC doesn't think it's worth their time and energy to enforce their own laws regarding illegal transmissions? Doesn't Ham Radio provide a useful enough public service?

On the other hand... The FCC has got more important things to worry about these days, like how to give away "digital-TV" bandwidth to TV stations for free.

73,
Jimmy

3755. FS: TS-430S and PS-430 - Very Clean

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: art2@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <337f261c.8488597@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 175253

I'm posting this for a fellow ham (N4PSL) who has no access to the internet:

Kenwood TS-430 and PS-430 in original boxes and with all manuals. Very CLEAN condition, Very little use. Original non-smoking owner. $ 640.00 including packaging and shipping to mainland U.S. Money order or C.O.D. through land UPS. If local pickup, will deduct shipping.

Pleas e-mail: art2@pipeline.com
Art, WB4VVO, Miami, FL.

3756. 2m tuners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <337F3151.3FE2@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 175254

I need a 2m tuner for an antenna that is only partially resonate on this band. If you know something on this, i.e. what's available ect please let me know. I'm using a munibond antenna that stops being resonant at about 146 MHz. It's too narrow banded for repeater work and I don't want to put up an other antenna. Got any ideas? Thanks....

Bob....

3757. Info: new Yaesu Linera?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518173200.NAA10802@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175255

Anyone have any info abt new Yaesu solid state linear, price power etc.?
Tks de gerry k1ny
GERYS@aol.com

3758. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mlewis@zebra.net
Message-ID: <337f3e6e.2889412@news.zebra.net>
Source record: 175256

I am a no-code tech, and I have bought two radios from HRO Atlanta, one by mail order, one in person. Both times I was treated well; each transaction required the sales people to go a little beyond just taking my money.

I did make one preliminary call to HRO, and only when I asked a question about out-of-band TX modification did I find the attitude less than friendly. This was before I had studied the FCC rules, before I had a license. At the time I thought the rep was being surly, but I now understand why.

From my experience, I would be happy to do business with them again.

3759. Re: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Hutson <bhutson@wchat.on.ca>
Message-ID: <337F70F4.213B@wchat.on.ca>
Source record: 175257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Up here in windy country Canada we mount the rotor down inside
the tower so that there is no side loading on the rotor unit
itself.
We are using Delhi type towers that have a flat plate at the top,
and just put a sleeve in the u-clamp on that plate and let
the main mast pass up though it.
It works, it's cheap and easy, and if you want to you can slide the
antennae up or down to repair/tune/or adjust.
Bob

3760. Re: Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5lnmuu$3crq@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175258

You might want to check Sears. They have a bunch of chargers and a
few have a switch position for deep cycle batteries. I have seen chargers
at Walmart with the same feature. --- Steve N9ROU

3761. FS: Two Vibroplex Original bugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: markust@lx.net
Message-ID: <863986512.7313@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two Vibroplex original bugs for sale:
Serial #225192, NY address, grey base, very good condition, $75.00.
Serial #100561, Mobile AL address, black base, mint condition, this bug is the current production run, $85.00.
Prices do not include shipping.
Thanks, Markus WN5GMD.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3762. WTB DRAKE MN75 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc63cc$bea39100$44a745cf@enterprise>
Source record: 175260

I would like to buy a Drake MN75 manual. Please email with condition and price.

Thanks

Mark

3763. Re: Which Dual Band HT??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5lnqep$shh@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175261

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote:

>I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like comments
>good, bad and otherwise on the following:

>Alinco DJ-G5

>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics in
the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be
applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along with,
not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of
the radios you listed do.

>BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband and
>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like
>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but rather a
feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one
band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set
the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two
meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.
Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don
regards, Don

3764. HRO is excellent, IMHO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5lnr5o$l29@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175262

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

<snip a lot of bad stuff about HRO>

It's hard to dispute what another person's experience has been, but I have had nothing short of excellent results over the last three years shopping at HRO. I have always been treated with the utmost respect and friendliness (and yes, I am a no-code tech.) I have gotten good advice, good service when a radio required repair (they handled everything, including shipping), and good deals on a bunch of radio stuff. 90% of the time I stop there I am just browsing or asking questions, and I am treated with the same friendliness as when I have money in my hand to buy something.

I have no affliation with any ham radio store - and there may be others just as good. But I felt the earlier posting regarding Mr. Durand's problems at HRO could use some balancing points of view.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

3765. Re: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: icron69@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518212400.RAA28972@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175263

I have expanded tx and would like to have cell restoration please help if you can,

thx, Jimmy

3766. NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: icron69@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518213600.RAA29913@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175264

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. Please help.

thx,
Jimmy
n3wiw
n3wiw@clark.net

3767. Re: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: icron69@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518214400.RAA00669@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175265

why are you so mean? you probly listen to cell conversations all the time so dont give us that crap!

3768. FS: Drake 2-A Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: vidgames@netcom.com
Message-ID: <vidgamesEAEF45.1z2@netcom.com>
Source record: 175266

I have a Drake 2-A communications receiver for sale. Price is best offer plus shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it if you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack (former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably in fine working order.

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
=-=-=-=-=
If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

3769. Two Vibroplex Original bugs SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: markust@lx.net
Message-ID: <863996019.15164@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The two bugs that I listed earlier today are sold, Thanks, Markus

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3770. FS: Desk mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2up@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <5lo1ue$mps@world1.bawave.com>
Source record: 175268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck, built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable offers considered. Barry W2UP

3771. FS: IC-251a All Mode Transceiver,Ten-Tec 6 Meter Transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <337F88A0.5C16@southeast.net>
Source record: 175269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello,

For Sale:

Icom all mode 2 meter transceiver, 144-148mHz, FM,USB,LSB,CW
10 watts out.

Included is a Ten-Tec, all mode, 2-6 meter transverter, 50-54mHz
8 watts out.

Both units work great together.

Will consider selling separately.

Original owner for both, original box and manual for TS-530.

Excellent condition.

$350 for both.

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

3772. Re: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970518230400.TAA07270@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175270

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

3773. FS: Hobbyist's tube stock...over 800 types!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: *locoprom@adan.kingston.net
Message-ID: <5lpk3lgli1@gollum.kingston.net>
Source record: 175021
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

We're clearing out the garage!

This garage, however, contains an extensive stockpile of NOS and used vacuum tubes which has been growing since the mid-1930's.

The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all at fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio Equipment, etc. please email:

locoprom@adan.kingston.net

Thanks for your interest!

3774. FS IC706 & AT180

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Johnson <BP93@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3381319E.3A03@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175022

ICOM IC-706 & AT-180 MINT. USED VERY LITTLE. TRANSMIT ABOUT 30 MIN.
NEVER BEEN MOBILE. $1350 I WILL SHIP USA.

BOB K7EYT

3775. help icom ic-w21e

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: randalll@apollo.ruralnet.net.au
Message-ID: <33825cdb.0@ren2.netconnect.com.au>
Source record: 175023

Hi

I have an icom ic-w21e hand held with extended receive I would like
to extend the transmit any info appreciated.

Randall vk2efa

3776. Update on Motorola Micor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33807997.53BA@erols.com>
Source record: 175024

About a month ago we put out a problem message concerning pingponging (recycling) of our local repeaters. Received many excellent responses and appppreciate them.

To bring you up to date, we have eliminated one repeaters recycling by improving the chasis to ground system. It has virtually eliminated the recycling by 99% over the past month. So thank you for that recommendation.

The second repeater, which is about 10 miles away, is now experiencing some very serious intermod problems. It almost sounds like a combination of paging systems and taxi cab xmissions but we cannot hear any id what so ever. Spec analysers are being utilized to try and pinpoint the offending transmitter(s), if in fact that is what it is. We have just about eliminated any malfunction of the repeater system. It looks extremely clean but we have one more elimination test to do.

One other question that we need some help on from those of you who are expereienced with the unit. What squelch gate setting/adjustment have you set your systems for? This is not the repeater sensitivity adjustment, but the adjustable pot on signal level. e.g. the sensitivity to key the repeater). Presently, the repeater experiencing the intermod is set for .2 while the other one is set for.25.

Appreciate any comments on the settings. Again thanks. 73 Murray K3BEQ

3777. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970519081548.93882C-100000@homer37.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 175025

The problem may not be just the old salespeople. Last month I wrote in to this newsgroup describing the experience I had with HRO regarding the purchase of a TL 922 amplifier from their Anaheim store. I paid for it, they charged my visa card for the amp, then they charged my card again for shipping, and then they refused to send it to me in Seattle because they didn't have a Kenwood box. After several calls initiated by me over a several week period trying to ascertain why "my" amp hadn't arrived, I discovered it hadn't even been shipped. A Kenwood box was unavailable, they refused to buy another box, and they refused to build a box, so naturally in frustration, I cancelled the sale. They refunded my money right away for the amp purchase, but did not refund my money for the second charge. By this point I was quite livid. Finally I got all my money back after several more calls initiated by me. Well to my surprise, a few weeks ago Bob Ferraro, President of the company, called me to find out what happened and apologize to me. I was impressed. He explained their shipping problems to me re: UPS and we discussed options. At the end of the call he asked me did I ever get that amp that I wanted? I hadn't, so he offered to call his stores to see if something in the used market was available. I told him this was unnecessary, but he promised to do it just the same. Our call was on a Friday, he said he'd call me the following Monday. I was so impressed by his "tackle it right away and fix it" attitude that I wrote a glowing note describing our conversation to this very newsgroup the following day. Well, did I ever hear back from him? Nope. Do I feel like a real sucker, AGAIN? You betcha. 73, de John, K7JY.

On Sun, 18 May 1997, hershman wrote:

> William Nolle wrote:
> >
> > Charlie Durand wrote:
> > >
> > > Good morning,
> > >
> > > I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > > Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
> > >
> > > I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> > > make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> > > business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> > > service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> > > basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> > > customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> > > taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> > > feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> > > if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If

> > > I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> > > "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> > > the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> > > questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> > > Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> > > and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> > > walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> > > the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> > > Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> > > you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> > > order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> > > level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> > > why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> > > do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
> > >
> > > Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> > > technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> > > percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
> >
> > Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
> > --
> > Bill
>
> I feel the same way as you about the attitude of the sales staff. The
> funny thing is that the NEW SALESPEOPLE have a much more friendly
> attitude than the salespeople who have been there for a while. I think
> that is because the salespeople who have been around really want out but
> can't land a better job. So they languish at HRO and take out their
> frustrations on the NEW HAMS.I have ordered just recently and had a
> positive experience with a New Salesman. BOB FERRARO (owner of HRO)
> should dump the salespeople with attitudes or send them to therapy.
>
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3778. FS: Icom IC728 Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5lqg1s$9ge$1@mhafc.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 175026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello all,

I have a new in the box IC728, purchased in February, along with the AT160 auto tuner, UI7 AM/FM module, and the FL100 500hz CW filter.

This is a full featured 100W rig, 100Khz to 30Mhz, triple conversion receiver, AM/FM/CW/SSB, passband tuning, speech processor, programmable tuning steps, NB/PreAmp/Attenuator, the works. All in a compact package. I paid $1650, asking $1250.

All items are new, in the box, and complete.

Thanks es 73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6
drasmussen@eosintl.com
(619) 434-6135

3779. 2E26 Tubes Tubes-4 Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <3380BF17.14CC@total.net>
Source record: 175027

I HAVE A QUANTITY OF TUBE TYPE 2E26 FOR SALE. ALL BRAND NEW IN RCA BOXES.

I WOULD LIKE TO SELL SAME SINCE I NO LONGER USE THESE.

I WOULD ENTERTAIN OFFERS. QUANTITY AVAILABLE COULD RUN TO 100 EACH.

JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

3780. icom ic-260a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bacidoy@nac.net
Message-ID: <337FD540.5F8A@nac.net>
Source record: 175028

Ive had this rig for a few years and I love it, but it has it's drawbacks. I would like to know if someone is willing to share any info they have on this radio and how it's interface works.

thanks

justin@nac.net

3781. Re: Motorola Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <~steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6406$6efa2580$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>
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Corrected posting
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^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
73 de N3WUU
~steves@clark.net (remove the tilde for email replies)

N3WUU <~steves@clark.net> wrote in article
<01bc6404$5afb59c0$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>...
> Looking for the following Motorola stuff:
>
> TLE1713A or TLE1714A 75 Watt Power Amplifier
> TLN4669B Line Driver Module
> TLN4662A Squelch Gate Module
>
> Have the following stuff for sale:
>
> TRN8583A/TLE1933A 250W Power Amp
> TRN6567A/TPN1168A Power Supply for above
> TPN1167A Power Supply Filter Deck for above
>
> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
> 73 de N3WUU
> ~steves@clark.net (remove the tilde for email replies)
>
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3782. Re: ICOM IC-T22A Tips/Trics/Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jprocyk@direct.ca
Message-ID: <5lom3f$t64$1@orb.direct.ca>
Source record: 175030

Hello I'm interested in buying one of these units myself. It wouldn't mind an overview.

Some of the things I'm concerned about:

It it pocket sized how long is it?
how big is the antenna, from the pictures I have seen it looks pretty big!
batteries, does it take ni-cads?

The rest is up to you.

3783. Re: FT-50 modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lucas Y. Barlow" <lucas@color-country.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6410$8b8477a0$512f00cf@www.color-country.net.color-country.net>
Source record: 175031

It shouldn't hurt it if you do it quickly and don't let it get to hot.

Larry Chambers <corky@sunline.net> wrote in article
<3372554A.35BA@sunline.net>...
> If you attempt to do the cap/mars modification on the Ft-50 using a
> soldering iron. Will it damage the radio at all. For example put small
> charge through the radio and perhaps fry some of the components inside.
> If so how would do it without messing up the radio.
> Thanks for all your help
> Larry
>

3784. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705198640.AA864041481@newrout.si.com>
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Today's Topics:
Alpha 89 !!!!!!!!!!
FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)
FS: MIRAGE MP1 WATTMETER
FS: PCI-4000/m Clover-II thru RTTY
FT-990 computer control for Windows95
HELP Squelch Burst Problem
ICOM 706 Difference
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes) (3 msgs)
NEW WEBSITE
SRI ABT MULT POSTS
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
Yaesu Mobile Dual Banders

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu>
Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

Archives of past issues of the Ham-Equip Digest are available
(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.
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Date: 17 May 1997 05:45:49 GMT
From: wz1u@aol.com (WZ1U)
Subject: Alpha 89 !!!!!!!!!!

Hello, I just wanted to say to you, buy an Alpha89. I just received my new
Alpha 89 and I have to say its the best you can buy. The quality and power
its puts out is fantastic. Well good luck on your choise of amplifiers.
Wz1u Steve

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Date: 17 May 1997 14:46:09 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
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The Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who showed interest.

73, Van
wb0nzv@aol.com

Date: 16 May 1997 22:02:35 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

Kenwood TS-440/SAT HF Transceiver $750
Kenwood SP-430 Matching Speaker $ 60
Kenwood IF-232C Computer interface $ 75
Kenwood MC-80 Electret Desk mic up/down$ 65
Astron RS-35A P.S. 25Amp/35Amp surge $105

This station has had limited use and is in the best condition you will
ever see and not be new. They look and operate "as new". They are
Flawless. The above prices are plus shipping. You will not be
disappointed in this one owner equipment. Contact Van:

wb0nzv@aol.com

Date: 14 May 1997 08:46:41 GMT
From: nimski1@aol.com (NIMSKI1)
Subject: FS: MIRAGE MP1 WATTMETER

I HAVE A VERY CLEAN,PERFECT OPERATING MIRAGE MP1 WATTMETER FOR SALE-
PRICE- $85- THE PRICE INCLUDE SHIPPING STEVE W1SN

Date: 17 May 1997 08:30:02 -0700
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Subject: FS: PCI-4000/m Clover-II thru RTTY

FS: PCI-4000/m Clover-II thru RTTY

Recently purchased a Hal PCI-4000 which I
have not installed yet...

Supports RTTY/AMTOR/Pactor/Clover/Clover-II.

Sells new for $800, sell for $400 obo (shipped).

Likely will not want to sell once installed, so
now is the time if you are interested.

-Brian ke7gh@primenet.com

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 13:53:17 GMT
From: medcalf@prairie.lakes.com (Karl Medcalf)

Subject: FT-990 computer control for Windows95

If you're looking for a Windows 95/WindowsNT program to control your Yaesu FT-990 radio, I've decided to offer my MasterControl 990 as shareware. The features are noted on my MasterControl 990 home page at http://prairie.lakes.com/~medcalf/

You'll need an RS-232 to TTL adapter to talk to the FT-990, and one available COM port on your computer (the program supports COM 1 through COM 9). The shareware registration is only $25.00 and I'll be happy to consider all suggestions for improvements from registered users.

73, Karl - WK5M
<medcalf@prairie.lakes.com>

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 11:33:15 -0700
From: Mitch Muerle <mitchm@powernet.net>
Subject: HELP Squelch Burst Problem

Hi and thank you for reading.
I purchased a Maggiore reciever R4V and had a TS-32P tone board installed.
I hooked it up to my repeater controller and the Squelch Burst is terrible?
even with the squelch fully shut it is still harsh, sounds like "One Adam 12"
Anyone with the expierence with this problem?

I heard there is a cap by the discriminator somewere that could be changed?
I have the schematic for this reciever.

73 Mitch Muerle de KB7PDF

mitchm@powernet.net

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 12:46:42 GMT
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net (Gary Fiber)
Subject: ICOM 706 Difference

On Tue, 13 May 1997 16:05:40 -0500, JEdmunds <JEdmunds@prodigy.net> wrote:

>What is the difference between the current IC 706 and the new IC >706MKII?
Check out www.icomamerica.com There is a listing of the improvements the 706 MK II has.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of

MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

Date: 17 May 97 19:52:05 GMT
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Subject: Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

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17 May 1997 08:52:05 -0700 (PDT)
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sat, 17 May 1997 08:51:07 -0700 (PDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
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Date: Sat, 17 May 97 08:50:52 PDT
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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #543
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 15 May 1997 09:54:35 GMT
From: "Marty (Smiley)" <martyrip@ptd.net>
Subject: NEW WEBSITE

-- Check out the new website on the net

http://home.ptd.net/~cakunk/
==
*| @ @ e-mail amateur radio patcket
|*
| ^ martyrip@ptd.net n3ptu-3 my 145.73Mhz BBS |
| ___/ n3ptu@wb3fyl.#epa.pa.usa.na |
| Smiley On the 29.640, 53.310 & 444.950 Link System W3SC |
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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 19:51:05 -0700
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Subject: SRI ABT MULT POSTS

Ron, N7TAW wrote:
>
> Randy
>
> There is no audio gain on the IC-229, there is a modulation control, I
> think it is R29, but BE CAREFUL!!! before adjusting this pot, check the
> audio level of a DTMF tone. Most of the time, the mic's that came with
> the 229 are not very voice responsive, and require a small mod to get
> good audio.
>
> If you turn the modulation pot too far, you will damage the
> driver!!!!!!! (this get very expensive... I know). If the audio level
> of a DTMF tone is correct, open the mic case and look at the rear of the
> electret element. There is a zener diode soldered across the
> terminals. The factory value of this diode is 4.7V, but they fail
> often. Measure the voltage across this diode (with the key down) and
> check it. If the voltage is between 4 and 6 volts, but the audio level

> is not satisfactory, replace this diode with a 9.1V zener. This usually
> solves the problem.
>
> Hope it helps,
>
> Ron, N7TAWhams@nwlink.com wrote:
> >
> > I purchased a used ICOM 229H and found that it had been turned down (audio)
> > for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to
> > the danger zone.
> >
> > Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???
> >
> > Thanks.
> >
> > Randy KI7ZD
> > http:/www.nwlink.com/~hams
> hams@nwlink.com wrote:
> >
> > I purchased a used ICOM 229H and found that it had been turned down (audio)
> > for packet operation. People cannot hear me on it without turning volume to
> > the danger zone.
> >
> > Where is the audio (mic audio) adjustment???
> >
> > Thanks.
Sorry about the multiple posts, my server was telling me they were not
being found, and then when I came back on today, they were all here.

Ron, N7TAW

Date: 17 May 1997 19:11:27 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

I have used the Radio Shack rotor with a Cushcraft 13B2 with no
problems here for over four years near Chicago. The 13B2 has a fifteen
foot boom. The rotor and antenna are mounted in a 3 foot tripod on my
roof. I have the 13B2 only about two foot above the rotor. The rotor
does not have a brake in it and after a windy day the antenna will be
blown off course relative to the indicator on the rotor control box, but
that can be easily reset by turning the rotor control all the way to one
end of the dial and then back all the way to the other end allowing it to
get back on course. You should have no problem with the antenna you want
to use. Good luck.
---- Steve N9ROU

Date: 14 May 1997 00:26:31 GMT
From: asimonin@acca.NMSU.Edu (asimonin)
Subject: Yaesu Mobile Dual Banders

I am interested in comments about the various 2M/70CM Yaesu dual banders. Recently, someone in this news group seemed to have receiver ignition noise problems with the FT-8500 series when used in their Toyota truck. I have a Nissan which has noise problems on the standard AM band so this ignition noise issue could affect my mobile use. I have a FT-51R which picks us some noise when used in the Nissan. What are the differences between the FT-5200 series and FT-8500 radios? Comments are appreciated!

Thanks....
asimonin@acca.nmsu.edu
---Las Cruces, NM---
Engineering, converting science into technology

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3785. Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5lpkkg$g2h@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 175033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings, BA lovers!

I picked up a Johnson Viking II this weekend at the Fort Worth swap meet for the paltry sum of $25. It's all there and in restorable condition. What I didn't get was a manual and schematic. Anyone have a book on the Viking II that I can borrow and copy? I promise to treat it carefully and return it promptly, and I'll pay all of the postage costs both ways. I'd prefer to do the copying myself.

Thanks and 73!

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Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net
211 Addison Place Web: http://www.qsl.net/k5dh
PO Box 328 Home: (817) 497-5365
Lake Dallas, Texas 75065-0328 Work: (972) 462-2033

3786. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705198640.AA864048122@newrout.si.com>
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Today's Topics:
2m tuners?
Aerotron HF Amplifier Info wanted...
Astron RS-35M, good idea???
For Sale: Kenwood TS 430s ++++
FS: Computers CHEAP
FS: Hammarlund HQ-170
FS: Kenwood AT-200 Antenna Tuner
FS:Ten-Tec Paragon
FS: TS-530
FS: Yaesu Y0-101 Monitor Scope
FS Yaesu FT990 AC Model=20
FT-50 modification
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
ICOM IC-T22A Tips/Trics/Mods
Illegal Transmission
LOOKING FOR BS-8 FOR SM220
Mods!!!! members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Question when were TS-940's made
SB-220 Manuals
Simplex Phone Patch???
Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?
WTB DRAKE MN75 Manual
wtb yaesu MH1B8
WTD: PS50 & SP430

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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.
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Date: Mon, 19 May 97 03:44:12 GMT
From: ROT13xr6nyz@ybbc.pbzROT13 (Matt Mendenhall)
Subject: 2m tuners?

In article <337F3151.3FE2@ucr.campus.mci.net>,
Robert Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net> wrote:
>I need a 2m tuner for an antenna that is only partially resonate on th=
is
>band. If you know something on this, i.e. what's available ect please=

>let me know. I'm using a munibond antenna that stops being resonant a=
t
>about 146 MHz. It's too narrow banded for repeater work and I don't
>want to put up an other antenna. Got any ideas? Thanks....
>
>
> Bob....

I bought the MFJ 2M/220 antenna tuner. At around $80, it's a little pri=
cey,=20
but it works well. It's first application was in loading up the mountin=
g pole=20
for a roadside assistance callbox as the antenna for a hidden transmitt=
er. (I=20
bought it to place in my ammo can transmitter for just such occasions.)=

Matt Mendenhall

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##
The things we do # Reply to:
to avoid spam. # ke6alm
die.evil.spambot.#.@loop.com
##

Bobcode: KHtd luHo E!(ECSd) m2 CPEVWc B-74 Od LmM Ss++C++++++ T-- A6AT =
H9omec
b20

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 08:27:38 -0700
From: Bob Curry <bobcurry@sprintmail.com>
Subject: Aerotron HF Amplifier Info wanted...

I have an Aerotron HF linear amplifier Model # 951.5KA --
I need schematic or a copy of the Tech manual. Any information
would be appreciated. Will pay for copying and mailing.
Thanks in advance.

73 BoBc WB4JLD

Date: 19 May 1997 03:30:04 GMT
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

"Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote:
>Hello,
> I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I re=
alize it
is
>more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I n=
eed
>more amps in the future. I have three questions:
>1)is this a good power supply?
>2)is my thinking sound as far as future expansion goes or should I sav=
e
>some money and get a smaller power supply?
>3)will I be popping 15amp house breakers with this or does it depend o=
n
>what is running off the power supply? right now I have two computer on=
this
>circuit and no way to run a new outlet, I could turn one off when on t=
he
>air but one computer I will need.
>
>73's and thanks for your help. Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
>--=20
>"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.=20
>Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
>Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, =
any
>and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is constru=
ed
>as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.
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Eric:

I have been running an RS35M since 1993.=20
I also bought mine with extra capacity in mind.
When you draw 35 amps, that does not mean that you are drawing that muc=
h on the=20
120 volt circuit that supplies it. I run my supply on a 15 amp circuit,=
with a=20
computer, and other things on the same circuit, and have never had any =
problems.

Astron makes some very nice power supplies.
You may want to take a look at their switching power supplies.
I bought one for my IC706. it is about the same size as the 706, and ve=
ry light=20
weight. It puts out 20 amp continuous, and 25 intermittant. I think the=

model #
is=20
SS25. there is also one that puts out more, 35amp intermittant, I think=
=2E
The 20 amp one was around $100-$125.
Apparently not too many people know about the switchers made by Astron =
yet. They
have=20
been out only a few months, I believe.

Bought mine at Amateur Electronic Supply.

73 de Thomas W9FL

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 19:43:47 -0500
From: Mark or Lou Roy <markr@ESSLINK.COM>
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TS 430s ++++

Kenwook TS 430s in mint condition- hasn't been used in 10 years, but=20=
=0Arealligned (5/13/97) and tuned by Ham Central (New York) proof of
service will be included. Radio has FM and AM boards installed- also CW=

filter. Also, have matching 430 power supply and speaker and up/down
matching Kenwook desk top microphone. In addition, have high power
Dentron Super Tuner and MSJ swr/power meter. Will sell as total packag=
e
price or will sell components separate. For more information, includin=
g
prices, email to markr@esslink.com
Lou

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:07:05 -0700
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Subject: FS: Computers CHEAP

Hello!

I have 2 computers for sale or trade with HF equipment.

486 DX4-100mhz CPU Includes: 15" monitor; CDROM; microphone; multi medi=
a
speakers; 210megabyte hard drive; 8 meg RAM; mini tower case....many
extras......
Asking $650.00=20

IBM PS2 computer. Includes monitor, mouse, printer, manuals etc. some
software included. Great for packet work.Excellent condition
Asking $500.00 OBO

Please call me at (702) 647-4446 or (702) 595-6901 cellular. Call me
anytime. I really want to sell both computers.
Will trade both for HF rig preferably mobile HF(ICOM or Alinco)
--=20
Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/ =20
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * AAR9BA@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net

Date: 19 May 97 04:14:12 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Hammarlund HQ-170

Hammarlund HQ-170 with clock, (working). All original, complete=20
knobs, etc. Works good & is in excellent condition. Has orginal
owner's manual. $250, plus shipping from zipcode 28227.
704-545-9368.
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Date: 19 May 97 04:14:18 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Kenwood AT-200 Antenna Tuner

Kenwood AT-200 antenna tuner/SWR/Power meter. Handles
200 watts output. Matches TS-820 transceiver. Comes=20
with orginal owner's manual. $110 plus UPS shipping
from zipcode 28227.

73 de Bill, N4DH
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:22:43 -0700
From: "Tom J. Mullins" <kc4loy2@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: FS:Ten-Tec Paragon

<BASE HREF=3D"file:///C|/NETCOM/NETSCAPE/PARAGON.HTM">

> Hi, and thanks for reading this message... I need to sell this HF Rig=
!!
>=20
> TEN-TEC PARAGON W/MATCHING POWER SUPPLY,TEN-TEC DESK
> MIC,SOFTWARE,MANUALS,EVERYTHING...
>=20
> RIG HAS ALL OF THE FILTERS, 6.0/2.4/1.8/.50/.25..
> RIG HAS AN RS-232 PORT, VOICE CARD,AND AN ADD-ON ALC-ALERT RESET BUTT=
ON.
> ALL HAS BEEN FACTORY INSTALLED.. VERY NICE RIG, LOTS OF BUTTONS..
> MODES =3D AM/FM/LSB/USB/CW/TUNE....
> SPEECH PROCESSOR,N/BLANKER,QSK,AGC,ATTENUATOR,TONE SELECT,DIGITAL
> READ-OUT,CAN ALSO DISPLAY YOUR CALLSIGN,CLOCK... WILL BE A NICE START=
ER
> RIG FOR A DX'ER.... ALSO ON THE BACK OUTLETS, R C A PLUGS, RCA PLUGS =
FOR
> THE AMPLIFIER IF YOU ADD ONE, I DONT HAVE AN AMP...
> THATS ABOUT IT FOR NOW... THE ASKING PRICE FOR THE PARAGON $1500.00=

>=20
> ANSWER :: KC4LOY2@IX.NETCOM.COM or KC4LOY@JUNO.COM or KC4LOY@USA.NE=
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>=20
> I WILL PAY SHIPPING.. TNX, TOM J. MULLINS
> 997 BEAVER HILLS DR.
> BETHLEHEM,GA. 30620

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:53:46 -0400
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Subject: FS: TS-530

Hello,

For Sale: =20

Kenwood TS-530, 160-10 meter HF transciever. Includes WARC bands.
200 watts.

MC-50 microphone.

Original owner, original box and manuals.

Excellent condition.

$400

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim
WA5VPW

--=20

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: 19 May 97 04:14:15 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Yaesu Y0-101 Monitor Scope

Yaesu Y0-101 Monitor scope with orginal owner's manual.
Looks nice & works perfect. $160 plus UPS shipping from
zipcode 28227.

73 de Bill, N4DH
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 11:11:23 +0100
From: Keith Hales <Keith@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Subject: FS Yaesu FT990 AC Model=20

Hi, and thanks for reading this news item. I have a Yaesu FT990 AC mode=
l
tranceiver for sale, which also has the 500 CW filter fitted. The rig
was purchased in December 1996 and is in very good condition with no
marks or scratches and complete with all plugs and manual. The asking
price is =A31350 including carraige in mainland UK. If you are interest=
ed
and would like to get further info then I can be contacted on=20
01432 276545 or via E-Mail which I check every other day.

73
=20
Keith Hales G0RQF QTHR.

Date: 19 May 1997 04:58:25 GMT
From: "Lucas Y. Barlow" <lucas@color-country.net>
Subject: FT-50 modification

It shouldn't hurt it if you do it quickly and don't let it get to hot.

Larry Chambers <corky@sunline.net> wrote in article
<3372554A.35BA@sunline.net>...
> If you attempt to do the cap/mars modification on the Ft-50 using a
> soldering iron. Will it damage the radio at all. For example put smal=
l
> charge through the radio and perhaps fry some of the components insid=
e.
> If so how would do it without messing up the radio.
> Thanks for all your help
> Larry
>=20

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 04:10:00 GMT
From: mdwatt@usit.net (Marty Watt)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On 18 May 1997 13:08:36 GMT, dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net -
KE4YDY) wrote:

>While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
>advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
>and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.=

Big difference -- Mil Spec is a standard set by others, ISO900x is a
certification based on a self-imposed standard, the standard itself
not being an item on which judgement is passed.

What's the difference you ask?

ISO900x means that there is some quality control procedures in place
and they are being followed by the manufacturer. The designation,
much as the manfacturer's would like for you to believe otherwise,
does not mean superior or better quality -- only that a quality
system is in place and is being followed. It may be poor quality
control, but if they have quality control and it is being followed,
they can recieve the ISO designations.

Much the same way with hospital accreditations (my area of
expertise) -- the Joint Commission for the Accreditation of
Healthcare Organizations doesn't assess the *success* of the
policies, nor the *quality* of the policies -- just their existence
and documentation that they are being followed.

72 es 73 de=20
Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #2031 - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 20:08:58 +0100
From: Gavin Stirling <gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk>
Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Yep the therapy must have worked ;-)

Only kidding steve!!

Gav, requesting a pint of fresh milk from your goat please.
GM0WDD

In message <19970518153200.LAA01768@ladder02.news.aol.com>
nitramham@aol.com (Nitramham) writes:=20

> WHAT? The great know-it-all hersheysquirtman asking for someone else=
's
> opinion? Will wonders never cease?

> still here----hehehehe
> Love nit

> P.S. I still have your goat tied up in my back yard.

> Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
> From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 17:03:44 -0400
> Message-ID: <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>

> I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the =
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> Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
> I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Date: 19 May 1997 04:48:47 GMT
From: jprocyk@direct.ca (Ian Procyk)
Subject: ICOM IC-T22A Tips/Trics/Mods

Hello I'm interested in buying one of these units myself. It wouldn't =
mind an=20
overview. =20

Some of the things I'm concerned about:

It it pocket sized how long is it?
how big is the antenna, from the pictures I have seen it looks pretty b=
ig!
batteries, does it take ni-cads?

The rest is up to you. =20

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 03:46:34 GMT
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Subject: Illegal Transmission

On Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:04 -0700, "Robert (Bob) Diaz"
<cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>
>Yes, I'd love to see the laws change where one MUST show proof that th=
ey
>have a ham license before they could purchase any ham transmitters. A=
s for
>mail order, if I place a phone order as KF6JHG, the call sign database=

>will have my address. If I want them to ship to another address, then=
=20
>a fax (or photocopy) of the license would be required.
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>I'll guess that Radio Shack wouldn't like that law. It might cut a li=
ttle
>into their sales. However it would cut down on the sales of equipment=
to
>the jammers and jerks.
>
Wouldn't even put a dent in it.

>such a law would slow or stop most of them.

Not likely.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

Date: 17 May 1997 14:40:32 GMT
From: ktheo7707@aol.com (KTheo7707)
Subject: LOOKING FOR BS-8 FOR SM220

WTB BS-8 FOR SM220 THANKS KTHEO7707@AOL.COM

Date: 14 May 1997 00:21:23 GMT
From: bucherj@aol.com (BucherJ)
Subject: Mods!!!! members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

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Jamie Bucher

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 10:22:57 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: Question when were TS-940's made

I just got a Kenwood TS-940S/At serial number 7 mil and am trying to
figure out how old it is. When did they stop making this model. Please
post and thanks for all responces.

73's
Bob

Date: 19 May 1997 05:25:05 GMT
From: dwshock@access.usa.net (Doug Shock)
Subject: SB-220 Manuals

I was given an SB-220 by my Dad but he lost the manuals.I sure could us=
e
them. Anybody have the operating manual on the SB-220?E-mail me with an=
y
info.dwshock@usa.net
Thanks!!!
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73 de "Its not who asked the question but =20
AA0UF/Doug what the question was that counts." =

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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 10:55:54 -0700
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Subject: Simplex Phone Patch???

Are the Simplex phone patches worth the money? Do the have any range?=20=
=0AWhat about quality of sound. Any experiences that you've had would b=
e=20
helpful.

Thanks in advance.

Lee H
KC5ZRR

Date: 18 May 1997 17:24:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

I have expanded tx and would like to have cell restoration please help =
if
you can,

thx, Jimmy

Date: 18 May 1997 20:46:37 GMT
From: "Mark Bryant" <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Subject: WTB DRAKE MN75 Manual

I would like to buy a Drake MN75 manual. Please email with condition a=
nd
price.=20

Thanks

Mark=20

Date: 18 May 1997 14:17:01 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>
Subject: wtb yaesu MH1B8

hi, i am looking for a hand mic model MH1B8
for a yaesu ft-890..990 etc
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:34:06 GMT
From: paul@s-wizard.demon.co.uk (wizard)
Subject: WTD: PS50 & SP430

Above equipment wanted

Thanks
Paul L
Derbyshire, UK

email : paul@s-wizard.demon.co.uk
www :http://www.s-wizard.demon.co.uk
tel :01246 850 850 =20

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Mon, 19 May 1997 02:46:57 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Mon, 19 May 97 02:46:56 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #550
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3787. WTB DRAKE RV75/R7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: liber.fab@iol.IT
Message-ID: <v01530504afa5f130dc37@[195.45.6.88]>
Source record: 175035

Hello everybody,
offer top $ for a good RV75.
Same offer for one nice R7/R7A.

Thanks, Fabio

3788. FS Icom IC736 $1350.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <n8zjn@your-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6498$768a1a20$3bb182d0@default>
Source record: 175036

I have for sale an Icom 736 bought as Demo in Sept. 96, only used on 6M. This is an HF + 6M rig w/built in tuner 160-6, 100 watts output all bands also has a built in PS. I have Box,Manual and will ship Fed-Ex CONUS for $1350.00. Tnx.

Kevin Bishop 73
de N8ZJN EM79xk
50-1296 MHz

3789. FS MFJ DSP FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3380C9A8.165A@erols.com>
Source record: 175037

I have a MFJ DSP filter (MFJ-784B) in excellent condition. I am asking $150.

Send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

3790. "Almost a Newbie" req's help selecting equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommy <Tommy@erinacht.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1N6L7GAb6MgzEwzy@erinacht.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 175038

Hello,

I'm not yet licenced, and hence not even new to the world of Amateur
Radio. I do intend to be, however, and would like some information on
what equipment you recommend and (importantly) why you recommend it.
Cost (ukp) and availability would also help, if possible.

Searching magazines for adverts is not quite the same as hearing users'
views.

I will understand electronic terms but probably not radio 'slang'.

Thanks for your time and help.

--
Thomas Plunkett

Electronic Engineer
(Does *your* company need me? I'm open to offers)

3791. Re: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <semann@nr.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3380D83F.5485@nr.infi.net>
Source record: 175039

> Mark Mansfield wrote:
> >
> > I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> > Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> > selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and

snip!

I called Heath Co. in 1995 (got their # through directory assistance)
and obtained photocopies of origional manuals. They ran about $25 a
piece! The invoice does not have a telephone number but the adr is

HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

The manuals I bought from them had a 1963 copyright date.

Steve, N4EY

3792. What do you'll think about the Kenwood TM-261A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nathan Price <Nathan=Price%NA=Hou%Contractors@netgate.compaq.com>
Message-ID: <01bc649e$1983a700$41411cac@nprice.na.hou.compaq.com>
Source record: 175040

Hi!

I'm looking to buy my first Ham Radio. I was wondering if any of you can offer any advise. I was thinking about a Kenwood TM-261A. Is this a good starter? Is $269.95 a good price?

Thanks,

Nathan Price
nate@neosoft.com

3793. Heath manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <semann@nr.infi.net>
Message-ID: <3380DA7C.4D83@nr.infi.net>
Source record: 175041

Manuals may still be available from Heath. I purchased two photocopies
of manuals from them in Oct. '95 after tracking them down through
directory asistance. The address on my invoice is
HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022.
Sorry, but the phone number is not listed on the invoice. The copies
cost me about $25 each and were for manuals copyrighted 1963.

Steve, N4EY

3794. FS: Collins S-Line (WE)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Peters <soundimp@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <01bc647e$600309c0$0b1822c7@gkittocrege.crefs.capital.ge.com>
Source record: 175042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Collins Winged S Line for sale including the following:

75S1 / 32S1 / 312B4 / 516F2 all in CCA VG condition...All aligned and tested by Bud (K7RMT) 6 months ago. Firm price of $1000 for all. Buyer pays for UPS Versapack FOB Dallas. For more info email to soundimp@pobox.com
73's Bob K1JNN/5

3795. Trade Office 97 Pro for ham related items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpasquini@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520010700.VAA19800@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175043

I have one Office 97 Professional (competitve upgrade) that I'd be
interested in TRADING for or towards any amateur radio related items.
Specifically, I'm looking for a KPC-3 Plus TNC, Alinco DJ-G5TH accessories
or a new 20amp power supply, but I'd be willing to entertain any offers.
Let me know what you've got to trade! <g>

Thanks es 73 de Joe, N2NOU

3796. PD 8010 Installation - Twists

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdnaumann@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520014500.VAA23315@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175044

Who has the trick of the trade to install the PD 8010 multi-band dipole antenna without any twists, and stay that way in the air? There must be a trick that I don't know. It can be perfect on the ground, but when you put it up, it seems impossible. Any ideas would certainly be appreciated. Send me an e-mail to PDNAUMANN@AOL.COM Thanks Paul KD0X.

3797. FS: Yaesu Y0-101 Monitor Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM
Message-ID: <199705190414.VAA15163@mailbox2.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 175071

Yaesu Y0-101 Monitor scope with orginal owner's manual.
Looks nice & works perfect. $160 plus UPS shipping from
zipcode 28227.

73 de Bill, N4DH

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Bill Richarz <N4DH> ex WA4VAF | Internet: bill.richarz@transprt.com
10035 Little Creek Rd. | Packet: N4DH@W4BFB.#CLT.NC.USA.NA
Charlotte, NC 28227 | Phone: (704) 545-9368
HomePage: http://www.transprt.com/public/wricharz/index.htm
Alternate Email: n4dh@juno.com
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3798. FS: Kenwood AT-200 Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM
Message-ID: <199705190414.VAA15162@mailbox2.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 175072

Kenwood AT-200 antenna tuner/SWR/Power meter. Handles
200 watts output. Matches TS-820 transceiver. Comes
with orginal owner's manual. $110 plus UPS shipping
from zipcode 28227.

73 de Bill, N4DH

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Bill Richarz <N4DH> ex WA4VAF | Internet: bill.richarz@transprt.com
10035 Little Creek Rd. | Packet: N4DH@W4BFB.#CLT.NC.USA.NA
Charlotte, NC 28227 | Phone: (704) 545-9368
HomePage: http://www.transprt.com/public/wricharz/index.htm
Alternate Email: n4dh@juno.com
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3799. FS: Hammarlund HQ-170

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM
Message-ID: <199705190414.VAA17260@mailbox1.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 175073

Hammarlund HQ-170 with clock, (working). All original, complete
knobs, etc. Works good & is in excellent condition. Has orginal
owner's manual. $250, plus shipping from zipcode 28227.
704-545-9368.

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3800. Re: Simplex Phone Patch???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970519060101.CAA11482@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175074

Simplex patches can go as far as you can. Plus certain ones can be "attached to a repeter" just by tuning it in. Sound quality is perfect. Just like a repeter located. auto-patch. I have the CS-900 for sale. Best thing is, you are in control of the patch and it's use. It's between you and the FCC. It's also much more private because you can tune it to any frequency you prefer and change it often. Here's my ad.

The one I have for sale is the best thing going. Not because I have it for sale, but that is the truth. CSI makes the patch you want because it covers all the things you will run into. The CS-900 is a VOX Simplex patch. But, that doesn't mean it can't work with/on a (duplex) Repeater. See the following.

CSI CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect). Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed at base. 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Built in programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if someone is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile across circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with nice base antenna, more height or an amplifier. Ever more range through a repeater. Just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (A club could run this patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a LOW COST spare 2m (220 or whatever). Easy volume adjustments and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, YOU are the control operator. Plus, a long list of other professional features. With a cross-banding rig in your car, you can go all over town making AND RECIEVING calls on simplex with your HT on low power 440! Set it to ringout, send DTMF (touch tone) code or use a silent PL tone, sent to your HT. Imaculate $299

So, this is a computer system working as your patch not just a complicated curcuit. The is the deluxe, everything has been thought out kind of patch. It's made into a small box about the size of a mobile rig. I know you will LOVE it.

I also have the following for sale by the way......

$149 - Mother board, INTEL PENTIUM 90 mhz,*PCI* & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade your computer today. Takes 72 pin memory. (see PCI card below). Like new with intel manual.

$59 - Card - SVGA *PCI* high quality video. **$39** with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem with manuals **$10** with MB & Video card.

3801. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <3380cc70.48712543@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175075

On Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:04 -0700, "Robert (Bob) Diaz"
<cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>
>Yes, I'd love to see the laws change where one MUST show proof that they
>have a ham license before they could purchase any ham transmitters. As for
>mail order, if I place a phone order as KF6JHG, the call sign database
>will have my address. If I want them to ship to another address, then
>a fax (or photocopy) of the license would be required.
>
>
>I'll guess that Radio Shack wouldn't like that law. It might cut a little
>into their sales. However it would cut down on the sales of equipment to
>the jammers and jerks.
>
Wouldn't even put a dent in it.

>such a law would slow or stop most of them.

Not likely.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

3802. Re: 2m tuners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROT13xr6nyz@ybbc.pbzROT13
Message-ID: <5lotjh$q44@usenet88.supernews.com>
Source record: 175076

In article <337F3151.3FE2@ucr.campus.mci.net>,
Robert Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net> wrote:
>I need a 2m tuner for an antenna that is only partially resonate on this
>band. If you know something on this, i.e. what's available ect please
>let me know. I'm using a munibond antenna that stops being resonant at
>about 146 MHz. It's too narrow banded for repeater work and I don't
>want to put up an other antenna. Got any ideas? Thanks....
>
>
> Bob....

I bought the MFJ 2M/220 antenna tuner. At around $80, it's a little pricey,
but it works well. It's first application was in loading up the mounting pole
for a roadside assistance callbox as the antenna for a hidden transmitter. (I
bought it to place in my ammo can transmitter for just such occasions.)

Matt Mendenhall

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##
The things we do # Reply to:
to avoid spam. # ke6alm
die.evil.spambot.#.@loop.com
##

Bobcode: KHtd luHo E!(ECSd) m2 CPEVWc B-74 Od LmM Ss++C++++++ T-- A6AT H9omec b20

3803. FS: computers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Message-ID: <337FFDC5.3D1A@anv.net>
Source record: 175077

I have 2 computers for sale.

1. 486DX4-100 CPU with Monitor. Includes CDROM; 8 meg RAM; microphone;
multi media powered speakers; many extras....
$650.00 OBO

2. IBM PS2 386 computer with monitor and printer. Excellent condition.
Some software installed.
$500.00 OBO

I will take any reasonable offers or trades for HF equipment.

Pls call: (702) 647-4446 home or (702) 595-6901 cellular....

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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * AAR9BA@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net

3804. ## ICOM AH-2 ANTENNA TUNER - MANUAL NEED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dragans@eunet.yu
Message-ID: <5lphhk$7mq$2@SOLAIR3.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 175078

Hi there,

I need a manual for Icom AH-2 antenna tuner. If anyone may help please
send me an e-mail.

Regards,

Dragan Stojanovic <> dragans@eunet.yu

3805. Wanted Kendwood 440SAT,450SAT,TS50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: VisualBasic <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <33807E81.86C@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 175079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a Kenwood 450SAT,440SAT or TS50 for new hams.
Also a Icom 751A or 735. Please E-Mail price and condition.
E-Mail to 74364.207@CompuServe.com, you must type in E-Mail address
and cannot use reply.

3806. ICOM706MKII Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Serge Scorset <efa@infoboard.be>
Message-ID: <3380571C.791E@infoboard.be>
Source record: 175080

Hi every OM's,

I'm working for a telecommunication department in a engineering school in Belgium Europe. I have an ICOM IC 706 MKII for 2 weeks now. What a wonderful transceiver !!! but we need to have to possibility to transmit from 1.6 mhz to 54 mhz inclusive to realize our antenna tests.

This modification is possible on the first version of the transceiver - I've found it but the PC board seems to be different on this new version. We have to take out a single diode (d59) near the 9 mhz ssb filter but I can't see exactly what to do in the new one ...

Could somebody help me ??? 73's
for ON5FE Guy.

my e-mail : efa@infoboard.be

3807. Re: Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338057C6.2636@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175081
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dean Hemphill, K5DH wrote:
> Greetings, BA lovers!
> I picked up a Johnson Viking II this weekend at the Fort Worth swap
> meet for the paltry sum of $25. It's all there and in restorable
> condition. What I didn't get was a manual and schematic. Anyone
> have a book on the Viking II that I can borrow and copy? I promise
> to treat it carefully and return it promptly, and I'll pay all of
> the postage costs both ways. I'd prefer to do the copying myself.
>
> Thanks and 73!
> Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net

Good Morning Dean -- In case no comes forward with the manual, you can
find several vendors who specialize in manuals at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageaae.html
At least one of these has the manual you seek, but cost is about what u
paid for the rig!!

Keep the Boat Anchors Afloat
73
Rod in San Diego

--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3808. Re: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5lpl79$g2h@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 175082

I've been using the same Astron RS-35M since I bought it new in 1984. I run all of my gear on it at one time! I've had only one problem, and it was minor. The on/off switch contacts welded themselves in the ON position. I have a master on/off switch for the station, so I just ignored the bad power switch on the RS-35M for several years. Eventually, I replaced it with a better switch. I also added some heavy duty 5-way binding posts to the front panel for quicker power connections for temporary use (I still use the big bolts on the back panel for permanent connections to my main gear). All in all, I'd say there is probably not a more reliable p/s on the market than the Astron line. You cannot go wrong with an Astron.

I would AVOID the cheap Pyramid supplies... junk!

73,
Dean K5DH

3809. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705198640.AA864049730@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 175083

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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Today's Topics:
Any HTs with Rcv Attenuator?
Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!
Comments on HTX-202 (2 msgs)
FS: TS430s
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
IC-775DSP
Icom T22 mods?
Simplex Phone Patch???
Two Vibroplex Original bugs SOLD

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.
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Date: 17 May 1997 21:45:23 GMT
From: n2ah@sprynet.com
Subject: Any HTs with Rcv Attenuator?

Does anyone know of an HT that has a selectable receive attenuator? Seems like
it should be easy enough
to include one and it would permit operation with a roof-top antenna without a
lot of intermod.

Any info on this would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Art Harris, N2AH
n2ah@sprynet.com

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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 19:07:48 GMT
From: desmith@telalink.net (Doug Smith)
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Subject: Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug) wrote:
>One day the supply stopped working. The only visible symptom was a blown
>5A fuse. The repeater was fine (indicating no catastrophic line surge had
>occured to both) as a backup power supply I put in line returned it to
>service. I have PolyPhaser line & coaxial surge protection installed.

My first bet would be on a shorted rectifier diode. If it's easy, you
might disconnect everything from the positive lead of the bridge and
see if the fuse still blows; that'd eliminate a bunch of other
possibilities.

If it's not easy, I'd just take an ohmmeter to the diodes.

73 Doug

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:35:10 -0700
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

Holmes wrote:
>
> Personally, I would save up a little more cash and get a *much* better
> HT. I have had over amateur HT's, and the best yet is the Yaesu FT-50RD.
> I bought it last month for only $349 from Ham Radio Outlet in Atlanta
> (comes with two battery packs). And no, I don't work for any electronics
> supplier.
>
> The HTX-202 & -404 are both good rigs, and I think their major strength is
> the fact that they are designed for operation only in their respective
> bands (2m & 440). This provides a much better front end on the rigs and I
> have to say from experience that mine seem to be immune to intermod.
>
> I don't know exactly what you are looking for, but I choose HT's based on
> performance, not just features. Later....

With all due respect, to say something is "better" is subject to what's
important to the person. _BOTH_ units are very good.

If smaller size and dual bands are critical to a person, then the Yaesu
FT-50RD is the better unit.

However, if low cost and an easy to operate unit are important to a person,
then the Radio Shack HTX-202 is ideal for that person.

My friend Bill (W6DIV) owns a Yaesu FT-50RD. He likes the small size and
dual band ability.

I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it sure
does what I want it to do.

I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's a matter
of what factors are critical to them:

Cost
Single or Dual Band
Size & Weight of the unit
. . .

73,

Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 20:34:57 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

On 19 May 1997, Forrest T. Charnock wrote:

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> : Size & Weight of the unit
> : . . .
>
> 4th: Are you really going to use out-of-band recieve?
> ^^^^^^

Although I love my HTX 202, out-of-band receive is the reason I'm looking for
a new primary HT. Weather changes can be a great thing to hear about
when you travel. Other than that though, I can' complain about the RS HT.

> ***
> Olin Physical Lab Wake Forest University Winston-Salem, NC
> * * * http://www.wfu.edu/~charnoft KE4RJG * * *
> All science is either physics or stamp collecting. --Ernest Rutherford
>
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Date: 19 May 97 07:25:47 GMT
From: faxtrac@ix3.ix.NETcom.COM (J.W.)
Subject: FS: TS430s

markr@ESSLINK.COM

Please sdvise of prices. tnx jeff faxtrac@ix.netcom.com

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 03:07:38 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY wrote:
>> While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
>> advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
>> and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Actually, I believe ISO9000 and its components, such as ISO9002, are
not product specs in any form. They are process certifications (for
manufacturing, serivice, etc.), and are simply a certification that
you have a quality system in place whereby you (1) say what your
process is (2) document it (3) follow it (4) document that you
followed it. You could make cement lifejackets by ISO9002 as long as
you follow these guidelines. This is not a knock on the Kenwood radio
at all, but as one who has gone through the ISO9000 certification
process, I must point out that it does not in any way assure good
products.

Don Davis

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 21:51:05 GMT
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold")
Subject: IC-775DSP

In article <MPG.de41e3738e3db2b989683@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
no.spam@anytime.at.all "John C. Smith" writes:

> 2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire,
> that can accommodate 200w?

I'm not sure what `remotely tuned' implies. But if you include
automatic tuning in that, then you may be interested to know that I
learned from SGC at Dayton this year that the company has now upped
the rating on the SG-230 to 200w. This rating change is based solely
upon more recent testing and analysis and not on any component
changes, and so this higher rating applies to SG-230's already put
into the field under the previous 150w rating.

If in doubt, check with the company.

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 21:16:43 +0200
From: "Stein H. Hansen" <shansen@online.no>
Subject: Icom T22 mods?

Does anyone know how to modify a Icom T22A or E?

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- Stein H. Hansen

Date: 19 May 1997 02:01:12 GMT
From: kc4srn@aol.com (KC4SRN)
Subject: Simplex Phone Patch???

Simplex patches can go as far as you can. Plus certain ones can be "attached to a repeter" just by tuning it in. Sound quality is perfect. Just like a repeter located. auto-patch. I have the CS-900 for sale. Best thing is, you are in control of the patch and it's use. It's between you and the FCC. It's also much more private because you can tune it to any frequency you prefer and change it often. Here's my ad.

The one I have for sale is the best thing going. Not because I have it for sale, but that is the truth. CSI makes the patch you want because it covers all the things you will run into. The CS-900 is a VOX Simplex patch. But, that doesn't mean it can't work with/on a (duplex) Repeater. See the following.

CSI CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect). Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not needed at base. 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Built in programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if someone is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile across circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with nice base antenna, more height or an amplifier. Ever more range through a repeater. Just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (A club could run this patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a LOW COST spare 2m (220 or whatever). Easy volume adjustments and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, YOU are the control operator. Plus, a long list of other professional features. With a cross-banding rig in your car, you can go all over town making AND RECIEVING calls on simplex with your HT on low power 440! Set it to ringout, send DTMF (touch tone) code or use a silent PL tone, sent to your HT. Imaculate $299

So, this is a computer system working as your patch not just a complicated curcuit. The is the deluxe, everything has been thought out kind of patch. It's made into a small box about the size of a mobile rig. I know you will LOVE it.

I also have the following for sale by the way......

$149 - Mother board, INTEL PENTIUM 90 mhz,*PCI* & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade your computer today. Takes 72 pin memory. (see PCI card below). Like new with intel manual.

$59 - Card - SVGA *PCI* high quality video. **$39** with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem with manuals **$10** with MB & Video card.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:01:09 -0600
From: markust@lx.net
Subject: Two Vibroplex Original bugs SOLD

The two bugs that I listed earlier today are sold, Thanks, Markus

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End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #551
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Received: from esseye.si.com by newrout.si.com (ccMail Link to SMTP R8.00.00)
; Mon, 19 May 97 09:46:57 -0500
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via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wTSps-0009ewC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Mon, 19 May 1997 09:50:48 -0400 (EDT)
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id xma008320; Mon, 19 May 97 09:50:42 -0400
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA27085 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 04:52:10 -0700 (PDT)
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:30:44 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA04601
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:30:40 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191130.EAA04601@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:30:39 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #551
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

--simple boundary--

3810. RE: HRO is excellent, IMHO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970519071413143 18@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175084

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>>...I have had nothing short of excellent results over the
>> last three years shopping at HRO...

And so have the vast majority of their clients/customers, Don.

--------------------------------------------------------------------------
Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
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3811. WTB stancor trans pc8412,ps8415

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: we300b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970519144800.KAA00224@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175085

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will swap or purchase these
thanks michael payne
2813319217
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3812. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <190597155334355Epostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175086

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa21407;
19 May 97 15:52 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA27102 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 04:52:21 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05365
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:44 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05312
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191136.EAA05312@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3813. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <190597155335355Fpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175087

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa21407;
19 May 97 15:52 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA27102 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 04:52:21 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05365
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:44 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05312
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191136.EAA05312@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3814. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <190597155334355Cpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175088

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa21407;
19 May 97 15:52 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA27102 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 04:52:21 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05365
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:44 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05312
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191136.EAA05312@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3815. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33816bd8.4562305@news.capital.net>
Source record: 175089

>Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
><337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
>> Good morning,
>>
>> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
>> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
<nonsense snipped>

Better take heed, Charlie. The last guy (Ted Nutcase) who badmouthed
HRO here nearly got sued.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

3816. Cheaper source of Radio Shack Rotor.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5lpq5u$ma1@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 175090

Radio shack sells a TV antenna rotor for $65 (page 135 or the R/S
catalog) which many helpful HAMs have said should work fine for a
lightweight 6 foot Yagi for 2m/440. Thanks to all who responded.

Radio Shack often applies a price increase along with there name on such
items.
Can this item be purchased for less? I have heard this rotor can be
purchased as low as $35 but I don't know where.

If you know of a Mail order source with lower prices PLEASE E-mail me
there phone number and any other info (like the model number and price)
you think may help.

Better living through technology!

73

TNIC@IDT.NET

3817. ICOM IC-32A MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlaidlaw@slip.net
Message-ID: <33806f26.135674459@news.rfci.net>
Source record: 175091

Does anybody have any mods for this radio, thanks.

3818. Re: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <338068da.20677618@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 175092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net> wrote:

:Hello,
:
:For Sale:
:
:Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.

Althought the receiver can be tuned right down to 0 Mhz
the manual only states that it works down to 200 Khz.
Does your R-1000 actually receive to any worthwhile
degree in the 100 to 200 Khz range?

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

3819. Re: Simplex Phone Patch???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray LaRue <"raylarue@gte.net"@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5lpth8qus5@news9.gte.net>
Source record: 175093

Lee H. wrote:
>
> Are the Simplex phone patches worth the money? Do the have any range?
> What about quality of sound. Any experiences that you've had would be
> helpful.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Lee H
> KC5ZRR

Lee,
Although I'm using it now, mine worked quite well. I was very pleased
with it. Other circumstances, (took tower down), stopped me using it.
I have a CES if you are interested. Used it with a Johnson PPL 6000 (25
watts). Got reliable 15-20 miles out it with a 65' tower and a 6 db
omni antenna.

3820. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Carlson <carlson@en.com>
Message-ID: <33807A71.7107@en.com>
Source record: 175094

orion@xyzcapital.net wrote:
>
> >Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
> ><337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> >> Good morning,
> >>
> >> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> >> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
> <nonsense snipped>
>
> Better take heed, Charlie. The last guy (Ted Nutcase) who badmouthed
> HRO here nearly got sued.
> --
> 73,
> Butch
>
> To send mail
> delete xyz
> from my address.

When you get sued for voicing your opinion, we've got a real problem,
dont we?
--

E-Mail: carlson@en.com
Digital Display Pager: http://www.usamobile.com/epage.html
Use the pager number above to send text message!

3821. Motorola Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <~steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6404$5afb59c0$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>
Source record: 175095
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.swap

Looking for the following Motorola stuff:

TLE1713A or TLE1714A 75 Watt Power Amplifier
TLN4669B Line Driver Module
TLN4662A Squelch Gate Module

Have the following stuff for sale for PA above:

TRN8583A/TLE1933A 250W Power Amp
TRN6567A/TPN1168A Power Supply for above
TPN1167A Power Supply Filter Deck for above

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73 de N3WUU
~steves@clark.net (remove the tilde for email replies)

3822. Need Heath IM102 DMM Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvr@pclink.com
Message-ID: <33805b53.233592@news.protocom.com>
Source record: 175096

Hi,

I bought a IM102 digital multimeter at an electronic flea market and need the calibration instructions and a schematic. I would really like to get this working for my test bench. Would be happy to pay for mailing and copying costs if you can help me!

Thanks in advance,

Bob

3823. Re: modifications to TH-79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33808427.790D2FE5@primenet.com>
Source record: 175097

Vik Bajaj wrote:
>
> Are there any software modifications that can be done to the TH-79A
> (i.e. without cutting microscopic surface mount components)?
>

There are several mods which involve removing diodes. If you aren't
interested in that, cutting the green wire which is accessable by
removing the ctscc module will give a modest increase in coverage
(118-174, 420-450). Reset the microprocessor afterwards.

Bob

--
Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

3824. Kenwood TM-V7A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: greg@snoopy.gwr.com
Message-ID: <5lq2i0$cb9$1@news.en.com>
Source record: 175098

Greetings,

I picked up a TM-V7A in Dayton. I was wondering if anyone knows of any mods to extend the transmit on it. Thanks.

Greg

3825. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam R. Acevedo" <adam@abacuswave.com>
Message-ID: <01bc647a$15659da0$26b461cc@Arachnid.abacuswave.com>
Source record: 175099

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test
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3826. Tek 603 Manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mne@cmu.edu
Message-ID: <33808cbc.8919172@fs7.ece.cmu.edu>
Source record: 175100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi. I need either a copy of, or a whole manual for the tektronix 603
XY display

Its the one with analog storage mode.

I got 2 at Dayton, one work, the other needs calibration

If I can't get a manual, I'd sell the one which needs cal

Matt
N2MJI
mne@cmu.edu

3827. UHF antenna plans

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mucky@eonet.com
Message-ID: <864065197.26389@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175101
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,

I hope this is posted in the correct newsgroup.

I live about 30 mile from the nearest uhf translator.

Well, channel 25 is very ghosty. Sooo I am hoping to make an antenna.

Does anyone out there, have plans to build a UHF antenna?

If so would you e-mail me the plans?

Thank you,

The White Knight

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3828. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: cvoid@netcom.com
Message-ID: <cvoid-1905971118270001@axolotl.macromedia.com>
Source record: 175102

In article <337FB6CB.51A1@ibm.net>, mfeldmn@ibm.net wrote:

> Charlie Durand wrote:
>
> [attack on HRO snipped]
>
> Charlie,
>
> My experience with HRO in Sunnyvale, CA is exactly the opposite of what
> you describe. They've been nothing if not helpful, and let me
> experiment with various radios even when they knew I wasn't ready to
> make a purchase. I have no complaints.

Neither do I. They've always been helpful, and have never treated me (a
'no-code' tech until yesterday) badly.

--
Christian Void /T71 | "I don't like it, and I'm sorry I | V/M/Research, Inc.
cvoid@netcom.com | ever had anything to do with it." | P.O. Box 170213
Tel. 1+415-998-0774 | -Erwin Schrodinger (1887-1961) | SF, CA 94117-0213
* PGP v2.3a Public Key Available Via Finger *
WWW: http://www.morphine.com/cvoid/

3829. WTB: ICOM 27H or Equivalent unit!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: macmike@netnitco.NET
Message-ID: <199705191845.NAA32761@mail1.nitco.com>
Source record: 175103

I would like to find a 2 Meter Mobile 50+ that has PL and many memories.
Anyone have anything for sale cheap??

___
/ \ Mike Hughes
O/_____\O 211 Woodland Drive
/_____/\ Lowell, IN 46356
(>> (_) <<) (219)696-3637 H (219)696-2436 Office
| _/ | <macmike@netnitco.net>
\ |^| / Preacher for Prairie Street Church of Christ
\|^|/ ETL List Manager to subscribe Write:
|^| ETL-request@genesis.acu.edu
|_| Looking for a Place to Preach Write:
ETL-churchlook@genesis.acu.edu

3830. TH-78 cloning mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Havener <mhavener@peinc.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6487$7619dbe0$e5deb7ce@qe-001>
Source record: 175104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I've heard that the TH-78 can be set to a clone mode, just like the TH-79.
Has anybody else heard this, and if so what is the procedure for entering
this mode.

Thanks,
Mike Havener / KE6FJT
mhavener@ni.net
http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

3831. ICOM2710 or Kenwood V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9nvh@bluemarble.net
Message-ID: <864072303.211@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175105

I have read many good reviews abot the V7A but am now wondering how this radio stacks up against the icom 2710H.

Has anyone used both of these radios (kenwood V7A and Icom 2710H) and if so could you give your honest opinion of each...

I am mainly interested in the intermod rejection performance of the two radios.....Also, wonder if both have equal features in the crossband repeat modes, like:
full and half duplex (where radio sends only one way on either frequency or both ways),
transmit hang time options,
transmit time out options,
ability to change frequency from the remote transmitter.

I would seem that the kenwood gives the most bang for the buck (free tone squelch, alpha numerics, ect).

Any advice is appreciated.....Thanks

Todd Snyder (KB9NVH)

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3832. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spam Crusher <root@ftp.japan.com>
Message-ID: <3380B652.69D8EBD@ftp.japan.com>
Source record: 175106

AL7OQ wrote:
> you describe. They've been nothing if not helpful, and let me
> experiment with various radios even when they knew I wasn't ready to
> make a purchase. I have no complaints.

Yah. I've ordered stuff from them through the UPS (MFJ939E
tuner) and bought small dollar stuff at the store. They
were always polite. I will say that the time I was actually
in the store there were a lot of customers for the number
of employees at the counter, so I did have to wait a couple
of minutes to get service, but I didn't find that particularly
annoying ("Gee, I'll go check out this new rig...cool.").

The time I was in the store they did not ask for my ham
call, so they couldn't have possibly known my license
class.

I've also had good luck with Universal Radio in Columbus, OH.

Drew

3833. FS ACC RC850 CONTROLLER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33809EA8.230C@pacbell.net>
Source record: 175107

I have for sale or trade a ACC RC850 controller.It has the latest
firmware upgrade and has all the options,display cabinet,computer
interface,book and etc.$1500
AL

3834. F/S TS-930 Parts only

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970519.155441.7615.0.w5rg@juno.com>
Source record: 175108

I have for sale a TS-930 that has been hit by lighting, this is a parts only radio, I also have a new face plate that goes with the rig. $100. plus shipping

73s Bob w5rg@juno.com

3835. Re: Ham-Equip Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970519.155441.7615.1.w5rg@juno.com>
Source record: 175109

I have for sale a TS-930 that has been hit by lighting, this is a parts radio only, also has a new face plate,asking $100 plus shipping 73s Bob 405-321-9829 or w5rg@juno.com

3836. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS! NOT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5lqedg$ts@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 175110

I agree HRO is top notch. They are the only retailer I know who has a price list on there web page. Just put in the make and model and you get todays price! Check it at http://www.hamradio.com

I have purchased many times from HRO and gotten very fast delivery and the best price I could find.

You are obviously pissed about something but I dont think HRO deserves a bad rap

AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net> wrote:
: Charlie Durand wrote:

: [attack on HRO snipped]

: Charlie,

: My experience with HRO in Sunnyvale, CA is exactly the opposite of what
: you describe. They've been nothing if not helpful, and let me
: experiment with various radios even when they knew I wasn't ready to
: make a purchase. I have no complaints.

: Obviously, YMMV.

: 73,
: Martin
: AL7OQ

3837. Re: Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmc@qnet.com
Message-ID: <5lqh3qich1@mandolin.qnet.com>
Source record: 175111
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <338057C6.2636@ix.netcom.com>,
AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>Dean Hemphill, K5DH wrote:
>> Greetings, BA lovers!
>> I picked up a Johnson Viking II this weekend at the Fort
Worth swap
>> meet for the paltry sum of $25. It's all there and in
restorable
>> condition. What I didn't get was a manual and schematic.
Anyone
>> have a book on the Viking II that I can borrow and copy?
I promise
>> to treat it carefully and return it promptly, and I'll
pay all of
>> the postage costs both ways. I'd prefer to do the
copying myself.
>>
>> Thanks and 73!
>> Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net
>---
>Good Morning Dean -- In case no comes forward with the
manual, you can
>find several vendors who specialize in manuals at URL:
>http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageaae.html
>At least one of these has the manual you seek, but cost is
about what u
>paid for the rig!!
>
>Keep the Boat Anchors Afloat
>73
>Rod in San Diego

Hi, all:
Don Beehler lists "service information" (may not be an
original-type manual -- my S-38 stuff turned out to be a
copy of Sam's, plus Ad info) at a mere $6.00 plus postage
for either Viking II or Viking II "CDC," whatever that is.

Don Beehler
456 Bennett Street
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

(716) 694-8447

Hope this helps.

73
John WA6QPL

3838. FS: ICOM RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: JIM BALES <jbales@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6499$6bb18060$690503d0@jbales.iland.net>
Source record: 175112

I still have the two Icom's that I'm trying to help a widow sell, must
sell. They are as follows:

IC 271a- almost new like condition with manual and original box $425.00
shipped
IC 471a- very nice condition, has small scratches on case, has build in
P.S., manual and original box $450.00
prices include shipping in conusa
Owner was a non smoker

tks & 73
jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net

3839. Motorola MT500 - Need Manual!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4lhp@digicron.com
Message-ID: <5lqho6$iu2@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Wanted:

Manual for Motorola MT500 HT, model # H33BBU3124AN. Copies OK too.
I'll gladly pay S & H for a copy or an original.

Thanks! Please reply via email.

Matthew, KF4LHP

3840. FS KENWOOD TS450S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3380C93E.62EF@erols.com>
Source record: 175114

I have a TS 450S in excellent condition. It includes an automatic
antenna tuner, a SSB filter and a CW filter. I have modified it for
increased TX frequencies and increased front end sensitivity.
I am asking $950 with the filter or $825 without the filters.

Please send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

3841. WT Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5lqjk6hri2@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 175115

Looking for a Kenwood TH-79A

I have for trade a Hewlett Packard 24" Pen Plotter.

This is a large plotter used for making maps and blue prints.

Please let me know if there is any interest.

Dave

dgsholar@gte.net

3842. Kenwood TS-60S 6 m All Mode TRCVR: experience wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se
Message-ID: <5lqjdc$o2d@minox.tripnet.se>
Source record: 175116

Anyone having experience from the TS-60S? Impression?
Is the AGC selectable between slow and fast (in RX mode)?

Please, send a copy of your answer via email to Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se

73's de SM6FYQ/Ulf

3843. SB-220 Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwshock@access.usa.net
Message-ID: <5loo7h$qu5$3@shiva.usa.net>
Source record: 175117

I was given an SB-220 by my Dad but he lost the manuals.I sure could use
them. Anybody have the operating manual on the SB-220?E-mail me with any
info.dwshock@usa.net
Thanks!!!
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73 de "Its not who asked the question but
AA0UF/Doug what the question was that counts."

3844. Icom IC-T7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher C. Sigsbee" <rpenguin@cdsnet.net>
Message-ID: <3380FD10.2C4E@cdsnet.net>
Source record: 175118

Looking for any and all mods to the Icom IC-T7A. Thanks!
-Chris

3845. Re: ICOM706MKII Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33810D7D.49C8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175119

Serge Scorset wrote:
>
> Hi every OM's,
>
> I'm working for a telecommunication department in a engineering school
> in Belgium Europe. I have an ICOM IC 706 MKII for 2 weeks now. What a
> wonderful transceiver !!! but we need to have to possibility to
> transmit from 1.6 mhz to 54 mhz inclusive to realize our antenna tests.
>
> This modification is possible on the first version of the transceiver -
> I've found it but the PC board seems to be different on this new
> version. We have to take out a single diode (d59) near the 9 mhz ssb
> filter but I can't see exactly what to do in the new one ...
>
> Could somebody help me ??? 73's
> for ON5FE Guy.
>
> my e-mail : efa@infoboard.be

I saw a posting from another Ham saying to remove Diode # 116, 118 ,119
This will give you TX from .5 to 60 MHZ and TX from 136 to 174 MHZ.
I have not tried this and am only reposting this info from a previous
posting that I saw on this Newsgroup. Do this at your own risk.

3846. Alinco ALX-2T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bacidoy@nac.net
Message-ID: <337FD41A.2112@nac.net>
Source record: 175120

After three fine days at the Dayton Hamvention I found myself a great deal. A good bussiness man who had a bos full of Alinco alx-2t' at a price that could not be passed up however I don't seem to be able to find any specs on the radio. such as the pin out of the speaker/mic or all the functions of the buttons.

If any one knows anything about this radio please send me an email to

justin@nac.net

Thanks.

3847. Re: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Bates <rbates@wco.com>
Message-ID: <337F915C.47AE@wco.com>
Source record: 175214

dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY wrote:
>
> On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:
>
> >Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
> >with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
> >well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
> >equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
> >TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
> >admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
> >about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
> >course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
> >wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
> >What's your opinion?
> >
> >Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
> >
> >KE6IZS
> >Mobile Radio Tech
>
> I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the
> car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My
> only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a
> speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I
> really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker
> location and the wind noise.
>
> Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on
> dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the
> audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But
> I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.
>
> You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that
> you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced
> Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and
> can usually get back to them.
>
> While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
> advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
> and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.
>
> Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:
>
> 1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it

> when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you
> turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice.
>
> 2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many
> operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In
> day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the
> night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other
> ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.
>
> I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only
> one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When
> listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute
> automaticly regardless of which is primary.
>
> Good luck Joshua!!
>
> Dave - KE4YDY

And don't forget that it doesn't clone either. >: Of course it can be programmed (and stored) on a computer like the commercial versions, but they clone and this one won't. Check out http://www.acsys.com for info, the TV-V7 version is out now. I have no affiliation with anyone except the fire department.

Nice radio by the way, I like that you can split the incoming and outgoing PL tones (finally).

Rick

3848. Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Message-ID: <01bc63f8$1cdfcec0$3008aacf@viking.add-inc.com>
Source record: 175215

Hello,
I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I realize it is more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I need more amps in the future. I have three questions:
1)is this a good power supply?
2)is my thinking sound as far as future expansion goes or should I save some money and get a smaller power supply?
3)will I be popping 15amp house breakers with this or does it depend on what is running off the power supply? right now I have two computer on this circuit and no way to run a new outlet, I could turn one off when on the air but one computer I will need.

73's and thanks for your help. Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
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3849. Re: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc63fc$31c47bc0$28d1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175216

Go for it. I bought a VS50M 7 years ago. It has served well for whatever
comes in and out of the shack.
I currently power my TS870 HF rig. and all my VHF and UHF stuff (since I
never xmit simultaneously)
so 1) yes it is a good pwr supply, 2) sound thinking - you can never have
too much 12VDC capacity,
3) No, it is not a significant 12VAC drain to pop breakers.

Have fun es Gud DX

cheers

Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote in article
<01bc63f8$1cdfcec0$3008aacf@viking.add-inc.com>...
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>

3850. Re: Comments on HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: charnoft@wfu.edu
Message-ID: <5locth$s96@f1n1.spenet.wfu.edu>
Source record: 175217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

Robert (Bob) Diaz (cqbdiaz@pacbell.net) wrote:
:
: I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it sure
: does what I want it to do.
:
:
: I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's a matter
: of what factors are critical to them:
:
: Cost
: Single or Dual Band
: Size & Weight of the unit
: . . .

4th: Are you really going to use out-of-band recieve?
^^^^^^
****
Olin Physical Lab Wake Forest University Winston-Salem, NC
* * * http://www.wfu.edu/~charnoft KE4RJG * * *
All science is either physics or stamp collecting. --Ernest Rutherford

3851. Conversion?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <337fbdf9.17346248@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 175218

The FT-990 and the TS-570D(S) Are both these rigs double conversion
RX?? Tnx and 73

N1MSV

3852. Re: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5lofm7$fnr@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175219

dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY wrote:
>> While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
>> advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
>> and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Actually, I believe ISO9000 and its components, such as ISO9002, are not product specs in any form. They are process certifications (for manufacturing, serivice, etc.), and are simply a certification that you have a quality system in place whereby you (1) say what your process is (2) document it (3) follow it (4) document that you followed it. You could make cement lifejackets by ISO9002 as long as you follow these guidelines. This is not a knock on the Kenwood radio at all, but as one who has gone through the ISO9000 certification process, I must point out that it does not in any way assure good products.

Don Davis

3853. Re: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <5lohfs$gdm@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 175220

"Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote:
>Hello,
> I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I realize it is
>more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I need
>more amps in the future. I have three questions:
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>

Eric:

I have been running an RS35M since 1993.
I also bought mine with extra capacity in mind.
When you draw 35 amps, that does not mean that you are drawing that much on the 120 volt circuit that supplies it. I run my supply on a 15 amp circuit, with a computer, and other things on the same circuit, and have never had any problems.

Astron makes some very nice power supplies.
You may want to take a look at their switching power supplies.
I bought one for my IC706. it is about the same size as the 706, and very light weight. It puts out 20 amp continuous, and 25 intermittant. I think the model # is SS25. there is also one that puts out more, 35amp intermittant, I think.
The 20 amp one was around $100-$125.
Apparently not too many people know about the switchers made by Astron yet. They have been out only a few months, I believe.

Bought mine at Amateur Electronic Supply.

73 de Thomas W9FL

3854. Re: Ignition/generator noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338272DC.4@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174971

Deano wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of information on the net regarding
> ignition/generator noise? Field day is approaching and the subject
> came up.

> C. Dean Norris, K7NO
> e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com
>

HF MOBILE NOISE ELIMINATION

In my experience, there are three parts to the job of installing HF mobile in a vehicle: Installing the radio, installing the antenna, and suppressing noise. Of the three, suppressing noise is probably the hardest.

The first question is what kind of noise you are experiencing. If it sounds like a popping noise, and gets louder when you accelerate, it is probably ignition noise. If it is a hash type noise, it is probably an electric motor. The engine fans on my Tercel were very bad, but only ran in traffic, so I just lived with it. I was told that .001uf caps, short leads, from the motor to ground would help, but never did it. Some electric fuel pumps can be very noisy.

One test to see if the noise is coming from the power cable or the antenna is to disconnect the antenna. If you still have noise, work on the power cable. If the noise goes away, the power is OK, focus on suppressing noise at the source. If you connect the radio power cable directly to the battery, you will probably not experience noise on the power cable. (Don't forget to fuse both plus and minus at the battery for safety). Heavy cable is advisable; I would not use anthing smaller than 12 ga, and some people use welding cable.

I assume here that you have broad-band noise across various bands. If you have a single frequency birdie, you probably have noise from the computer crystal.

You might check to be sure that you have resistor plugs and wires before starting more serious work. Also, be sure that your noise blanker is on, although most radios do not have super-effective noise blankers.

On a 1979 Honda Civic with points, I used resistor plugs and wires, which solved the problem, but meant that I had to change the points every 5000 miles or so, as the iginition system was designed for resistor wires only, and if the ignition system was not perfect, the

car ran poorly.

On a 1985 Toyota Tercel, I had tremendous luck suppressing ignition noise by buying heavy copper tubular braid, and slipping it over the spark plug wires. I built a copper box that covered most of the distributor, bonded the braid to the box, and then bonded the box to the block, keeping the wires short. This was a day and night improvement, and I never felt the need to do any more ignition noise suppression.

On a 1996 Subaru Legacy, I again built a copper box, and bought more tubular braid. However, I only got an improvement of about 2 S-units. I needed more, especially on 40 meters, so I ran two ground wires from the exhaust pipe to the chassis. This was probably worth more than 2 S-units, and finished the job to my satisfaction.

If you are systematic, you should be able to identify the source of any problems and correct them.

A couple of other notes on HF mobile installations. Don Johnson, W6AAQ wrote the book, 40+5 YEARS OF HF MOBILEERING. Try to get a copy. I use the Hustler antenna system, and find it adequate except on 75 m. If you plan to operate 75m, consider a WB5TYD Texas Bug Catcher or a Screwdriver antenna. Unless you have an automatic or remote tuning system, the antenna bandwidth on 75m will probably be only about 50kc or so. I have never invested the time and effort required to achieve a satisfactory 75m installation.

Good luck
Richard Ferguson, KA0DXM
Boulder Colorado
November 19, 1996
raferguson@worldnet.att.net

3855. F.S. MFJ antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
Message-ID: <864183180.21844@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

For Sale: 1-MFJ Deluxe Versa Tuner II (model 948). Unit in very good condition and includes manual. Asking $75.00 and I will ship anywhere in the lower 48.

Chris M.
kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
313-753-5526

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3856. Icom service manual wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
Message-ID: <864183338.21905@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

Need a service manual for the Icom 551D (all mode 6 meter rig).
Thanks for your time.

Chris M.
kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
313-753-5526

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3857. TenTec Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfree36675@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521030100.XAA11449@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174974

Does anyone have any comments (good or bad) on the 2 meter to 6 meter transverter that TENTEC sells. Looks like a good way to move into 6 meter FM and the price is not too bad. Let me know.

73's
Chuck
WD0ASJ

3858. fuel pump noise?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: brianr@cajunnet.com
Message-ID: <864186411.23503@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174975

hello crew, need info to solve electric fuel pump noise
i'm receiving on my kenwood ts 50.the truck is a 1990 nissan
truck,no other noise but from pump....any help e-mail me
brian@cajunnet.com

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3859. Re: Astatis D-104 Impedence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <33826A1B.550F@chatlink.com>
Source record: 174976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

John,

I would reccomend that rather than use a matching transformer (tried that), that you build a simple single transistor preamp that has a high impedance input, and low impedance output.

The D-104 is about 5K ohms, but depending on age, actual element, and condition, could realy be anywhere from 1K to 10K ohms and still be good.

If you don't have access to a schematic for the preamp, e-mail me and I'll send you one.

Ron, N7TAW

John B. Lawrence wrote:
>
> I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
> to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
> the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
> input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).
>
> John KE6TGN

3860. RE: "Almost a Newbie" req's help selecting equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970520154952144405@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 174977

>>...what equipment you recommend and (importantly) why you recommend
>> it.

Thomas -

NO ONE can answer your request with specific equipment recommendations.
Because we have NO IDEA what is happening in your geographic region.

It is time to join your local Amateur Radio association or club. THERE
is where you will find the BEST information as to what is happening for
you in your locale.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

3861. Re: HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970520154952144406@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 174978

REALISTIC HTX-202 Summary of Button Functions

A/LOCK/CA
PTT + A.....Transmit DTMF A.....page 33
F + LOCK.....Keyboard lock.....page 19
CA.....Calling memory.....page 20

B/P-SC/PR
PTT + B.....Transmit DTMF B.....page 33
F + P-SC.....Priority scan.....page 22
PR.....Priority memories.....page 22

C/M-WR/MR
PTT + C.....Transmit DTMF C.....page 33
F + W-MR.....Memory write.....pages 20-23
MR.....Standard memories.....page 23

D/M->VFO/VF/CLR
PTT + D.....Transmit DTMF D. Follow with 1-5 to
send a DTMF sequence.....pages 33 & 34
F + M->VFO.....Write memory to VFO.....pages 20-23
VF.....VFO mode.....page 16
CLR.....Clear partially entered freq in VFO mode...page 16

1/T-SQL
PTT + 1.....Transmit DTMF 1.....page 33
PTT + T-SQL.....Tone squelch.....page 28
1.....In Standard Memory mode, first digit of
selecting memory 10, 11, or 12.....page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16
In Priority Memory mode,
select Priority Memory 1.....page 22

4/D-SQL
PTT + 4.....Transmit DTMF 4.....page 33
F + D-SQL.....DTMF-squelch.....page 34
4.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 4...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

7/SAVE
PTT + 7.....Transmit DTMF 7.....page 33
F + SAVE.....Power save option.....page 31
7.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 7...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

*/ \/SC
PTT + *.....Transmit DTMF *.....page 33

F + \/SC.....In VFO mode, scan down the selected range..page 30
\/SC.....In VFO, Priority Memory or Standard Memory mode
scan down.....pages 17, 22 & 23
In memory-set mode, next menu item.....page 26

2/DTMF
PTT + 2.....Transmit DTMF 2.....page 33
F + DTMF.....Store DTMF memory sequence.....page 33
2.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 2...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16
In Priority Memory mode,
select Priority Memory 2.....page 22

5/BEEP
PTT + 5.....Transmit DTMF 5.....page 33
F + BEEP.....Key entry beep.....page 19
5.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 5...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

8/M-SET
PTT + 8.....Transmit DTMF 8.....page 33
F + M-SET.....In VFO mode, memory set.....page 26
In Standard, Priority, Calling Memory,
change options for memory channel.....page 21
8.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 2...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

0/V-SC
PTT + 0.....Transmit DTMF 0.....page 33
F + V-SC.....Vacant scan.....page 19
0.....In Standard Memory mode, select 1st digit
of memory 1.....page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

3/ +/-
PTT + 3.....Transmit DTMF 3.....page 33
F + +/-.....Duplex offset.....page 18
3.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 3...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16
In Priority Memory mode,
select Priority Memory 3.....page 22

6/REV
PTT + 6.....Transmit DTMF 6.....page 33
F + REV.....Reverse transmit & receive freqs.....page 31
6.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 6...page 23

(Continued to next message)

3862. Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrhodes@iti2.net
Message-ID: <3381d95c.607492842@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 174979

A friend told me about a problem with the Kenwood V7A microphone and said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just ordered the V7A from HRO Denver yesterday and none of the people there had heard of any microphone problems or mods.

3863. FS: KW TS450SAT $750.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <33823150.471@nwlink.com>
Source record: 174980

I have for sale a mint cond Kenwood TS450SAT. Comes with Power-cord,
hand-mic, manual, box. The internal tuner and installed 1.8 ssb/filter.
I want $750.00 + shipping fees.

Mark KB7OID Tacoma Washington 206 581-9907 mchaous@nwlink.com

3864. Kenwood DSP10 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ltbmp$f9b$4@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 174981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Kenwood DSP10 (not DSP100)

Optional DSP unit for Kenwood TS950S.

Make your Plain 950S a 950SD.

Used on test bench, very low hrs.

$250 shipped cont. u.s. Thansk, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

3865. TRUNKtrackers SHIP !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G. Chatten" <gchatten@universalsewing.com>
Message-ID: <33824F93.3386@universalsewing.com>
Source record: 174982

Advanced Digital Systems of St. Louis, Inc.:
<a href=http://www.advdig.com>
now has stock of the new BC235XLT and is shipping units starting this week. The wait is over - check out a reasonable price (with free UPS ground shipping in the USA)

3866. FS or trade: TS830s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic Rosenthal <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <33822E28.7BF9@nospam.com>
Source record: 174983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Do NOT reply directly to this message!! Address is a fake. My real email address is: rakefet@rakefet.com

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For SALE, price reduced: TS830s, two optional CW filters, excellent working and cosmetic condition, with Shure 444 desk mike and operation and service manuals: $450 plus shipping. Or TRADE for a linear amplifier - what do you have?

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Do NOT reply directly to this message!! Address is a fake. My real email address is: rakefet@rakefet.com

Vic Rosenthal K2VCO (Fresno CA)

3867. Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Meyer <bobrf@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <338215BA.24A2@fuse.net>
Source record: 174984

subscribe

3868. Have you modified your Icom ic2sat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Dickason <dickason@dickason-pc.eng.mc.xerox.com>
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.864149342.22930.dickason@testclone.eng.mc.xerox.com>
Source record: 174985

I recently attempted to modify my Icom IC2SAT following instructions I've seen posted on the net. I got the diode from Icom and was ready to install it. According to the plan, I should have an empty spot for it right next to an IC. Well, I already have a diode next to my IC,but there is any empty spot to the right of that one, so that's were I put the diode. The CPU seemed to lock up and I couldn't transmit on any frequency, even 144-148. I took the diode out and was back to the regular transmit range.

The other part of the mod mentions a non-surface mount diode on a separate circuit board for the ptt switch. I don't seem to have a diode here, but the docs also say these are sometimes left out at the factory.

If anyone has done this mod, please contact me and tell me what I'm doing wrong. Thanks.

jon_dickason@wb.xerox.com

3869. Morse Pocket Trainer Help Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbritt@visi.net
Message-ID: <33810c9d.1437329@news.visi.net>
Source record: 174986

I have a deluxe Pocket Morse Code trainer made by Computer Aided Technology. If anyone has one of these I need to know the mode off of the instruction sheet. I know how to set the speed and I know mode 3 is QSO and mode 6 is Groups. I forgot the rest. Thanks.....

rbritt@visi.net

73
W4MCD

3870. Re: Yagi not above roof worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5lr4gp$9ru@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 174987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

gain is gain and the small lower elevation of the yagi should not meen anything. Norman N8RGR

3871. Re: Icom Z1A intermod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <33820864.2571844@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 174988

David Mueller <dmuel19@mail.idt.net> wrote:

>I just recently picked up a reconditioned Icom Z1A and like the radio.
>I am just concerned about an interference issue. I drive in/out of metro
>Chicago and when I get in the heart of the city, around alot of trucks,
>businesses etc. I sometimes hear alot of intermod noise. I can tell that
>it is not coming from the repeter I am monitoring. It will sometimes
>overpower the repeater signal. Its attached to my Cushcraft CS270M dual
>band antenna. SWR is 1.1 across both bands.
>
>The question is is it the radio not being slective enough or something
>else?
>
>Anyone have any things to try to isolate.
>
>Dave..KB9POU

Hi, Dave

I think you're getting normal performance - you're expecting too much from a handie-talkie to reject intermod near the downtown Chicago area - one of the most intense RF areas on the country. HTs have minimum room for filters, and the Z-1 (and most other HTs) are designed for wide receive coverage, making available filtering less effective. Some mobile radios would do a better job (but some are notorious for poor intermod rejection).

You have two options - a band PASS filter, or a band REJECT filter, and there are several now on the market to solve problems just like yours.

The bandpass filter will be connected between your radio and your antenna, and will allow only the amateur band signals into the HT. The commercial signals that now cause you a problem will be either much weaker, or gone altogether... but you also won't be able to receive anything outside the ham band (including NOAA weather on 162.55 MHz).

And I've seen band reject filters, tuned to the 152 MHz area, designed to eliminate just the frequent (and very annoying) pager signals that are a very common source of intermod interference in ham receivers. IF that's where most of your problem is coming from, a reject filter will quiet the intermod, but still let you hear the other commercial traffic outside the ham band.

Say hi to my old friends on CFMC (146.76) in Chicago...

73,
Gary KN4AQ (formerly WA9NSO)

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Gary Pearce AVID/Video Editor kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Cary, NC Franklin Video Ham Radio:
(919) 380-9944 Raleigh, NC KN4AQ

3872. FS: Kenwood TS-830s Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: vidgames@netcom.com
Message-ID: <vidgamesEAHoyH.D74@netcom.com>
Source record: 174989

THIS CORRECTS AN EARLIER POSTING WITH A GLARING TYPO IN IT. APOLOGIES...

I have a Kenwood TS-830S transceiver for sale (it doesn't appear to have any add-ons). Price is best offer above $350 plus shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it if you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack (former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably in fine working order. E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
=-=-=-=-=
If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blame.

3873. Re: TH-78 cloning mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wankeri@xerox.com
Message-ID: <3380f072.5098083@news.alt.net>
Source record: 174990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If I remeber right. Its hold down the power on button and at the same
time hold down the 0 key.

Wanker

On 19 May 1997 19:02:31 GMT, "Mike Havener" <mhavener@peinc.com>
wrote:

>I've heard that the TH-78 can be set to a clone mode, just like the TH-79.
>Has anybody else heard this, and if so what is the procedure for entering
>this mode.
>
>Thanks,
>Mike Havener / KE6FJT
>mhavener@ni.net
>http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

3874. Re: Heath manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjm@totcon.com
Message-ID: <5lquf2$g9j@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 174991

Heathkit ph # 606)925-5899 8am-4pm est. Mon.-Fri.

>Manuals may still be available from Heath. I purchased two photocopies
>of manuals from them in Oct. '95 after tracking them down through
>directory asistance. The address on my invoice is
> HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
> 455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
> BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022.
>Sorry, but the phone number is not listed on the invoice. The copies
>cost me about $25 each and were for manuals copyrighted 1963.

>Steve, N4EY

3875. Re: Ham-Equip Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970519.205400.7615.0.w5rg@juno.com>
Source record: 174992

The TS-930 parts radio has been sold, Thanks very much Bob.

3876. Re: UHF antenna plans

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc64c4$03dfd6a0$34d1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good for you in wanting to make your own antenna! Channel 25 has an audio carrier freq at 541.25 MHz (video extends 4.5MHz below). The ARRL handbook and the ARRL Antenna handbook have how-to-build articles for antennas in the 70cm (420-450MHz) band. They include yagis, corner reflectors, etc. the build-to examples give frequency/dimension guides that will make it very easy for you to build
one for 540 MHz instead (it will be a little smaller than the ham freq versions).

If you can't (or don't want to) buy one (handbook) -- the local library (community or university) will have a copy.

30 miles isn't tooooo bad for those frequencies (depending on terrain), so anything should improve. Ghosts are typically from
reflections so you might benefit from directivity more than gain.

Go ahead an experiment -- remember the age old quote "All antennas work - some just better than others"

Cheers

mucky@eonet.com wrote in article <864065197.26389@dejanews.com>...
> Hi,
>
> I hope this is posted in the correct newsgroup.
>
> I live about 30 mile from the nearest uhf translator.
>
> Well, channel 25 is very ghosty. Sooo I am hoping to make an antenna.
>
> Does anyone out there, have plans to build a UHF antenna?
>
> If so would you e-mail me the plans?
>
> Thank you,
>
> The White Knight
>
> ----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet
>

3877. FS - Yeasu 2m HT with accessorys $95.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: pigeon@usa.net
Message-ID: <5lrbeq$ccb@snews5.zippo.com>
Source record: 174994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

for sale.....
yeasu FT-208r 2m HT, with the drop-in NC-8 110vac
power supply + rapid charger, and a YM-24A hand-mic.
this ht's battery needs replacing, but it works great
in the drop-in-power-supply-stand. also has rubber
antenna. puts out 3 watts on high, has LCD display,
and i think 10 memorys.
need $95. for the lot, + $5 for shipping in USA

email-me..... n8lmt@avci.net

Ron Sibbitt
5885 Galbraith Line Road
Croswell, MI 48422

3878. FS - Yeasu 2m FM HT with Accessorys $95.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@avci.net>
Message-ID: <5lrdbs$ccb@snews5.zippo.com>
Source record: 174995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

yeasu FT-208r 2m HT, with the drop-in NC-8 110vac
power supply + rapid charger, and a YM-24A hand-mic.
this ht's battery needs replacing, but it works great
in the drop-in-power-supply-stand. also has rubber
antenna. puts out 3 watts on high, has LCD display,
and i think 10 memorys.
need $95. for the lot, + $5 for shipping in USA

email-me..... n8lmt@avci.net

Ron Sibbitt
5885 Galbraith Line Road
Croswell, MI 48422

3879. HAM EQUIPMENT FOR SALE (20 May)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com
Message-ID: <33819fb7.920213@news.cpu.net>
Source record: 174996

Following is an updated list of Ham gear I'm parting with. The
prices are negotiable, and I'm mainly interested in
selling everything on this list, so there will be some bargains.
Manuals and documentation furnished where available. Here's the list:

1. CDR Rotor Control Box. Series 4516, for use with HAM-M rotators.
$20.00, plus $5.00 UPS freight.

2. Complete RTTY, CW and ASCII digital station. INFO-TECH M-300C
Keyboard.
Transmits RTTY, CW and ASCII at all normal speeds and shifts.
INFO-TECH
M-200F, RTTY/CW/ASCII Demodulator. Copies all standard speeds and
shifts,
and has video output, printer support, etc. Taxan 14" Amber Video
Monitor.
Complete system $200.00, plus $25.00 UPS freight.

3. "Digi-Designer" Work Station. Complete digital IC test and
construction
aid, with internal clock, (1 to 100K speeds), four logic switches, two

pulsers, IC test and assembly block. Built in 110VAC power supply,
(TTL
voltages output). $25.00, and $5.00 UPS freight.

4. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic "Memory Keyer". $20.00, $5.00 UPS freight.

5. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic Keyer, with built in clock and 10 minute
timer. $20.00, $5.00 UPS freight.

6. 5-Volt, 1 Amp, "Calectro" Regulated TTL Power Supply. $10.00,
$3.00
UPS freight.

7. HAL SPT-2 "Spectra-Tune" Digital Tuning scope. Ideal for tuning
RTTY,
AMTOR, PACTOR, Clover, CW, etc., signals. Absolutely mint condition.
$75.00,
plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

8. "Hustler" MO-2 Folding Mobile Antenna Mast. $10.00, $3.00 UPS
Freight.

9. New Kenwood PG-2 DC Power Cable. Fits TM201, TM211, TM401, TM411,

TM2530/2550/2570, TR8400/9500, TR751, TS670, R600/1000/2000. $5.00,
plus

$3.00 UPS freight.

10. Sencore Calibrated Field Strength Meter, Model 704B. Covers 54 to
220 MHz. In excellent condition. $80.00, plus $20.00 UPS shipping.

11. Drake 7073DM Hand Held Microphone. $10.00, $4.00 UPS freight.

12. New Radio Shack Dynamic Hand Held Microphone, with 5-pin DIN type connector. $5.00, and $3.00 UPS freight.

13. Sold.

14. Sold.

15. Sold.

16. "Swan" SWR-1Aa Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS freight.

17. "Siltronix" SWR-2, Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS freight.

18. Forty-foot Rohn 25 Ham tower, with a HyGain TH-3 "Thunderbird" 10-15-20 Meter Beam antenna. Telex "Tail Twister" Heavy Duty Rotor, and Control Station. Three element two-meter beam, and Ringo Ranger two-meter vertical antenna, installed on tower. Pick up only in Rapid City, SD. Bargain priced at $700.00 firm.

19. HAL Communications PCI-3000 PC Computer Board. Excellent digital communications, (RTTY, CW, ASCII and AMTOR). Complete documentation.
Bargain priced at $175.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

20. Sold.

21. Heathkit IT-741D Logic Probe. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS shipping.

22. Heathkit "Cantenna", 1KW Dummy Load. $20.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

23. Epson MX80F/T Tractor Feed Dot Matrix Printer, with roll paper adapter. $50.00, plus $10.00 UPS shipping.

24. New "Pro-AM" Two-Meter Mobile Antenna, (surface mount). $15.00, plus
$5.00 UPS shipping.

25. Sencore Digital Volt Meter. $10.00, plus $5.00 UPS shipping.

26. "QST" Magazines. January 1974 to March 1997, complete, 288 issues! $50.00, plus $20.00 UPS shipping.

27. "Ham Radio" magazines. Bound editions for years 1976 and 1977. $10.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

28. CY-1300 Oscilloscope. Military surplus and makes a good RTTY,
AMTOR, Clover, monitor. $10.00, $10.00 UPS shipping.

73.....and thanks.....Dick, K0VKH

Best Regards!
S. Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
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(605)343-6127
EMail = k0vkh@rushmore.com

3880. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2005971449245406postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174997

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20 May 97 14:48 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA22098 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 04:22:06 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA17909
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:11:58 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA17880
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:11:52 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201111.EAA17880@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 04:11:51 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #558
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2005971449235405postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174998

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20 May 97 14:48 BST
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Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA17880
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Date: Tue, 20 May 97 04:11:51 PDT
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Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #558
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3882. Help: Mods for FT208R????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dss@cnwl.igs.net
Message-ID: <5ls2kt$q3f$1@nntp.igs.net>
Source record: 174999

Does anyone now of mods that will increase the recieve capabilities of the FT208R allowing it to receive the marine band? Any help appreciated. Stan VA3DS

3883. WTB: HP8161A Manual (full docs)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: EOD <eodevice@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5lqsmu$t8p@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175045
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.engr.semiconductors

Hello,

I'm looking for a manual (including repair info) for
an HP8161A programmable pulse generator.

If you have info, please contact:

Dan
eodevice@ix.netcom.com

Thanks.

3884. Selloff list: IBM laptop, SW portable, scanners, 10M allmode, 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5lr078$1i7a@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 175046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.CB,rec.radio.scanner

Selling the following:

Genuine IBM PS2 laptop 386, 8meg, 100meg, VGA mono, loaded w/software, 3 BPs, 2 P/S, plus 2 Kodak Diconix 150 printers, new soft case for system, lots of extras, nice shape, trade for ham gear or make offers

Realistic DX440 SW portable, BFO, memories, digital, clock/timer, new AC adapter, absolutely like new in the box $100

Pro-62 handheld scanner, 200 ch, blocked 800 mhz, charger, no box, VGC, $125

Ranger AR3500 10M allmode, 30W, speech processor amd CW boards factory installed, scanning mike, manuals, 26-30 mhz., original box, EC, $225

Tempo S-1 2M thunmbwheel HT, 1.5W, charger, very nice condition, batt. pack EC, $85

BC147XLT scanner, VGC, $50

Realistic TRC232 40 ch handheld CB, top of the line, like new in the box with about 4 hours use, $95

all plus shipping, MO/cert. only.

email replies please

3885. Re: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc64c0$868cbcc0$34d1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175047

In addition to the VS50 supply I bought (which has run flawlessly with no problems) I bought
a pyramid 12 amp supply (for the packet stuff). It litteraly blew-up within a few hours of being on.
Turns out that the rectified DC voltage presented to the filter cap was way over the max ratings
of the electrolytic. I replaced the cap -- and it has run for years since then, but.....how many
others had smoke and flame?

cheers Rick W4RP

Dean Hemphill, K5DH <k5dh@qsl.net> wrote in article
<5lpl79$g2h@sf18.dseg.ti.com>...
> I've been using the same Astron RS-35M since I bought it new in 1984.
> I run all of my gear on it at one time! I've had only one problem,
> and it was minor. The on/off switch contacts welded themselves in
> the ON position. I have a master on/off switch for the station, so
> I just ignored the bad power switch on the RS-35M for several years.
> Eventually, I replaced it with a better switch. I also added some
> heavy duty 5-way binding posts to the front panel for quicker power
> connections for temporary use (I still use the big bolts on the back
> panel for permanent connections to my main gear). All in all, I'd
> say there is probably not a more reliable p/s on the market than the
> Astron line. You cannot go wrong with an Astron.
>
> I would AVOID the cheap Pyramid supplies... junk!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>
>

3886. IC-2700H Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdgrantii@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520040400.AAA07384@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175048

Is there a modification for the IC-2700H to receive 800 MHZ???

Please e-mail me at RDGRANTII@AOL.COM with a reply.. THANKS!!

KC5CYQ

3887. IC 706 - modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Haroldo Santos Filho <hsf@nutecnet.com.br>
Message-ID: <01bc64e3$2e3f85c0$bc0ef1c8@default>
Source record: 175049

Could anyone help me sending the modification circuit for Icon 706?
I�ll be thanked for the attention.
Bye!
Haroldo - PP1 HS - Advanced Class
Brazil - South America

3888. Yaseu FT920 VS. Icom 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lou Roppoli <lour@necom.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc64d6$8ed78840$5854eccd@lou>
Source record: 175050

I'm considering purchasing one of these two rigs...Anyone have any info for me!!!
I know the Icom is more money but the Yaseu seems to have a lot of features.

What about Quality....

3889. Private auto patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: childoking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520081600.EAA22233@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175051

Clear long range comunications now alow you to take calls on simplex. You are the control operator. It's between you and the FCC alone.
FOR SALE - CS-900 Simplex auto interconect. Vox and delay. Speed dials. Lock-outs (441,911,1-,976). Call waiting. CW IDer. DTMF or bell rings. Works great through a cross-bander. Monoband is all that's needed. Natural conversations. Range is as far as you can otherwise comunicate. Cleaner sound than a cell phone. NO per minute charges. $379

3890. $450 YEASU 901DM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: childoking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520082701.EAA22603@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175052

FT-901DM. AM FM SSB CW FSK. AC or DC. Keyer. APF CW filter. SSB filters. VOX. TUNER. DIGITAL DISPLAY. ANALOG DISPLAY. Soild State plug in modular. Two tube higher quality finals. Meter. All kinds of inputs and outputs on the back. Very sensitive ans seletive reciver. High output power. 100W. All this for $450.

3891. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705208641.AA864126305@newrout.si.com>
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Today's Topics:
Any Saturn car owners here? Question!
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HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Jamboree On The Air - 1997?
WTB:SX-117 parts and HX-20
WTT: VHF MAXTRAC FOR UHF

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Date: Mon, 19 May 97 11:07:33 GMT
From: Tom@astro.net
Subject: Any Saturn car owners here? Question!

I just bought and recieved a new Saturn SL. I want to put my Kenwood 241a
in her now. Theres a spot in the sterio console but there are metal brackets
preventing the rig from going all the way in so it's flush with the front
panel. Also, if you have an SL where do you run the battery wires through the
firewall? Any help appreciated!

73!

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division
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My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

Date: 19 May 97 12:32:24 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Astron RS-35M, good idea??? (2 msgs)
Comments on HTX-202
Conversion?
Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?
FS: ITC Cart Machines
FS Kenwood TS-60 (3 msgs)
HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ... (2 msgs)
Illegal Transmission (2 msgs)
Looking for manual for Heathkit
Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?
Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?
Yeasu FT-736R

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Date: 19 May 1997 01:56:25 GMT
From: "Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Hello,
I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I realize it is
more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I need
more amps in the future. I have three questions:
1)is this a good power supply?
2)is my thinking sound as far as future expansion goes or should I save

some money and get a smaller power supply?
3)will I be popping 15amp house breakers with this or does it depend on
what is running off the power supply? right now I have two computer on this
circuit and no way to run a new outlet, I could turn one off when on the
air but one computer I will need.

73's and thanks for your help. Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
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Date: 19 May 1997 02:28:07 GMT
From: "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Go for it. I bought a VS50M 7 years ago. It has served well for whatever
comes in and out of the shack.
I currently power my TS870 HF rig. and all my VHF and UHF stuff (since I
never xmit simultaneously)
so 1) yes it is a good pwr supply, 2) sound thinking - you can never have
too much 12VDC capacity,
3) No, it is not a significant 12VAC drain to pop breakers.

Have fun es Gud DX

cheers

Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote in article
<01bc63f8$1cdfcec0$3008aacf@viking.add-inc.com>...
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Date: 19 May 1997 02:12:01 GMT
From: charnoft@wfu.edu (Forrest T. Charnock)
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

Robert (Bob) Diaz (cqbdiaz@pacbell.net) wrote:
:
: I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it sure
: does what I want it to do.
:
:
: I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's a matter
: of what factors are critical to them:
:
: Cost
: Single or Dual Band
: Size & Weight of the unit
: . . .

4th: Are you really going to use out-of-band recieve?
^^^^^^
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Olin Physical Lab Wake Forest University Winston-Salem, NC
* * * http://www.wfu.edu/~charnoft KE4RJG * * *
All science is either physics or stamp collecting. --Ernest Rutherford

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Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 02:44:09 GMT
From: gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell)
Subject: Conversion?

The FT-990 and the TS-570D(S) Are both these rigs double conversion
RX?? Tnx and 73

N1MSV

Date: 18 May 1997 19:57:18 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?

You might want to check Sears. They have a bunch of chargers and a
few have a switch position for deep cycle batteries. I have seen chargers
at Walmart with the same feature. --- Steve N9ROU

Date: 18 May 1997 22:49:52 GMT
From: jasensteve@aol.com (JasenSteve)
Subject: FS: ITC Cart Machines

For Sale: one of the the most reliable pieces of equipment
ever made for radio...

ITC MONO CART player/recorder

mono machines, with manual, service records
new heads were installed during pre-storage overhaul
outstanding condition

TWO machines are available

$150 each + shipping. firm. US Funds.

Also available: tapecaster 150 player/recorder
reel to reel circa late 50's early 60's
panasonic personal 4track circa 1970's?

e-mail serious inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
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Date: 17 May 1997 19:58:28 GMT
From: "Michael Mello" <kq7e@sprynet.com>
Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

Sounds like the hardware (if it's rusty, that's you're problem) is acting
as a non-linear rectifier. When the different transmitters key, the RF
mixes in the rusty joints, and you now have some rather spectacular, albeit
unwanted, RF products floating around. These may not be evident on UHF.

I had a Phelps Dodge Station Master in a fiberglass radome go bad, and
would produce the same results. What died were a few of the antenna
elements inside the radome, which is really a PITA to get into. They were
intermittent, flexed about, and whenever the TX keyed up, generated
crackles, noises, and non-linear products all over God's creation. Same
effect. So, that's two things to look at, rusty hardware (replace it, bond
around it, etc) or bad antenna (take it down and fix/replace it).

Now, if you are using the DB Products, (say a DB214) you'll definitely want
to bond the top mast to the bottom mast with a few pieces of good braid.
The two pieces, while fitting into one another, do get corrosion in the
joint, and give the same wonderful noise problems.

Good luck!

73, Mike N5MJ (ex KQ7E)

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>
> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing. Here is the scenario.
> We were donated a spot on a wooden utily pole which sticks out of the
> ground (the earth here is rock with a couple inches of soil over it)
> about 85 ft. There are 4x4 wooden cross arm systems at a couple places
> on the pole. At each cross arm there are 2) 4x4's bolted through the
> pole with u-clamps at the ends. This is where the 2" pipes are clamped to
> 4x4's for the antenna mounting. All 4 UHF machines work well. No noise.
> The VHF one does not. If the wind blows, the noise gets so strong it
> kicks incoming signals right out of the repeater. We have checked all
> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was
> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal
> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire which
> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is that
> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current,
> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If every
> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the
> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded
> "cracklies"?? How can we get a decent RF ground for VHF in the earth
> on top of this mountain? Any ideas would be more than greatly
> appreciated. Thanks for your help.
>
> George
>
> gworth@ibm.net
> s, and
> can usually get back to them.
>
> While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
> advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
> and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.
>
> Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:
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> when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you
> turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice.
>
> 2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many
> operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In
> day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the
> night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other
> ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.
>
> I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only

> one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When
> listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute
> automaticly regardless of which is primary.
>
> Good luck Joshua!!
>
> Dave - KE4YDY

And don't forget that it doesn't clone either. >: Of course it can be programmed (and stored) on a computer like the commercial versions, but they clone and this one won't. Check out http://www.acsys.com for info, the TV-V7 version is out now. I have no affiliation with anyone except the fire department.

Nice radio by the way, I like that you can split the incoming and outgoing PL tones (finally).

Rick

Date: 18 May 1997 13:08:36 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

I <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>
I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the

audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But
I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that
you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced
Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and
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automaticly regardless of which is primary.

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 15:15:04 GMT
From: jjm@shore.net (jjm@shore.net)
Subject: Illegal Transmission

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys
>cigarettes.

I've yet to see someone transmit through a cigarette.

> And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
>possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license before
>they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ham
>bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who wants to
>break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedicated,
>and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who asks,
>"May I please see your Ham license?"

>What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.

You are asking amateur radio dealers to become policmen then? It's not up to dealers to determine or to enforce any rules on who can and cannot operate transmitting equipment. And, not all hams carry copies of their amateur licenses when they go into retail establishments...do you refuse to sell to them? This is bucket 'o worms material.

Also, not ALL illegal transmissions are caused by unlicensed operators. I'd venture to say the vast majority of illegal transmissions are caused by licensed individuals or groups. Either for some political agenda, personal vendetta or the like. With more and more folks getting into the hobby we are going have a wider diversity of personalities -- good and bad. MORE - this means of both types - hence a greater number of infractions.

I have worked in the amateur retail business. I have sold transmitting equipment to unlicensed individuals. There was and is no law telling me to do otherwise. As a matter of fact it was my understanding I would have been breaking laws by refusing to sell to anyone.

We (as hams) don't really like this but for now there is not much we can do about it except to remain self-policing and to do what it takes - legally - to squelch these unhappy, psychologically challenged persons.

This same topic seems to come up about every six months or so and has been hash and rehashed. If you want to use analogies, etc. what about someone with a Technician license? Not a Tech Plus mind you. Should that person be prohibited from owning a piece HF equipment? They don't have a license for it.... Should radios be manufactured for each class of amateur license? So, when you upgrade your ticket you have to upgrade your equipment also? If someone plans to become a ham, why can't they have the transmitting equipment already in their possession? There are a lot of things to think about. This truly can be a bucket 'o worms.

The ideas of this text are mine alone and in no way reflect the opinions or policies of any company or companies I may contract with or be employed by. Any editing of this text nullifies its context.

Jim, WK1V
ex-KA5MWD, N1CLS, KB1LW, HL9ZF
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Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:04 -0700
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>

Subject: Illegal Transmission

Jimmy Kahn wrote:
>
> Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys
> cigarettes. And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
> possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license before
> they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ham
> bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who wants to
> break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedicated,
> and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who asks,
> "May I please see your Ham license?"
>
> What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.
>
> 73,
> Jimmy Kahn, WA2ILK

Yes, I'd love to see the laws change where one MUST show proof that they
have a ham license before they could purchase any ham transmitters. As for
mail order, if I place a phone order as KF6JHG, the call sign database
will have my address. If I want them to ship to another address, then
a fax (or photocopy) of the license would be required.

I'll guess that Radio Shack wouldn't like that law. It might cut a little
into their sales. However it would cut down on the sales of equipment to
the jammers and jerks.

I'm sure that some Bozo who wants to buy the equipment will find a way
around the system, but such a law would slow or stop most of them.

73,

Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 16:00:58 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought
> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly

> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark
I saw an advertisement in the classified ads of QST where the Heath manuals can be obtained. They claimed to be the only authorized source of the manuals, but I kind of doubt if the copyright could be valid anymore. Brian

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 21:18:37 GMT
From: majestic@nildram.co.uk (Mike MJ-12)
Subject: Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?

Can anyone please advise on the subject of programming a Motorola Radius GP300 VHF synthesized handset with a PC, is it possible ? can an interface be constructed ? any advice or addresses where I can obtain this information is much appreciated, Mike.

"The best way to predict the
future is to invent it...."
majestic@nildram.co.uk

Date: 18 May 1997 17:44:03 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

why are you so mean? you probly listen to cell conversations all the time so dont give us that crap!

Date: 18 May 97 23:19:39 GMT
From: ve1rj@ns.sympatico.CA (Bill McFadden)
Subject: Yeasu FT-736R

I am wondering if anyone has any answers to a question I have about the FT-736R.

I have just put in the 6M module and have played around a bit with the scanning option on the rig. I want to be able to scan from say 50.100 to 50.200. During my research I have to have the squelch up in order for it to scan properly. Playing with the RF gain and the Squelch I was able to get it to scan satisfactorly and it is able to pick up weak stations and stop scanning. I am using the pause button in so it only pauses for 5 secs then carries on. Stopping almost immediately again because of the signal. This is good because I know someone is on there.
However, my biggest problem is the bloody beep it makes when stopping the scan, when starting over the scan (using pms) or even when hitting buttons.

Is there anyway in turning this beep off?

Tx in advance

Bill (VE1RJ)

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Date: 19 May 1997 03:41:39 GMT
From: "Rocco Conte" <rocco@superior.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.

Is the problem them or you. I have asked many questions of the people
at HRO and never had any problems. The sales people have always been
super and the service has been the same.
I guess that you had a bad day and took it out on them????

Rocco

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:12 -0400
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Jim wrote:
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> Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
> >
> > I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the Air
> > event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate
> > next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> > planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
> >
> > 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
> >
> > QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
> >
> > http://www.3doptics.com
> Ron,
>
> JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.
>
> It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, you
> can plan your JOTA activities for any year
>
> I hope that you have a good time on it.
>
> 73,
>
> Jim, ZL2APE,
> New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
> jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Thanks to all who pointed me in the right direction on the JOTA. The
local scouts are really excited about this and we definitely will be on
the air in October.

73 de WA1UWZ

Date: 16 May 1997 11:26:21 -0600
From: msix@mack.rt66.com (John W7ZFB)
Subject: WTB:SX-117 parts and HX-20

SX-117 any condx or parts:
s-meter/s-meter bracket/xtals/top&bottom cover
any or all!!!
Heathkit HX-20 mobile transmitter

email phone - will call for details.

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73 - John W7ZFB at msix@rt66.com
Snail -
Fone -

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 07:46:21 -0400
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: WTT: VHF MAXTRAC FOR UHF

I have a VHF 16 Freq 25Watt maxtrac I would like to trade for a UHF
Maxtrac/Radius of the same specs. Can program the VHF before shippment.

Tom

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
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Today's Topics:
4-SALE VHF & UHF
For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)
FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901
FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)
FS: R-1000 Receiver
FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901
FS Kenwood TS-60
FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options
FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?
Hammarlund HQ-100
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
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NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R
NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE
Need IC-25a repaired/replaced
News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr
TS50S wanted
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
Vibroplex Parts on eBay
WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter
WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus
Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B.
MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR
PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled mobile
transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal
controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. @ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used W/HX-300V .
Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. @ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - 6 channel.
No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig
indoors. @ $ 75.00

2EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO BOX.
May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1 EA 70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in
factory box
@ $25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held portables.
(Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. @ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

AMATEUR.DOC

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT
From: sra@pluto.njcc.com (Seth)
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)
dual battery rapid charger
spare standard battery
3 function speaker mic
clip on case
modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler
KB2WLU
sra@pluto.njcc.com
Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for
sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. Price
is $235.00 + shipping.

73's
Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.
Original owner, original box and manuals.
Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net

http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig
box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.
This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx
Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT
From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>
Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig
>
> Yeasu FT2500M
> Icom IC-2000
> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I can tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice features, plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any rig I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one ham's opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:
>
> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.
>
> 73's
> Craig
> --
> **
> * Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
> * Civil Engineering Student *
> * University of New Hampshire *
> * ph. (603)862-7804 *
> * *
> * mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
> * http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
> * *
> ***********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT
From: "Pat Wilson" <pw@i2020.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to 2 pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

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> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
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Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
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>

Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. Please
help.

thx,
Jimmy
n3wiw
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT
From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt (Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)
Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!
I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives of,
but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a schematic
to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer
to
the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic or
to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)
Thanks in advance
73' de CT2FYW
Pedro

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Pedro Gabriel Almeida
e-mail : pga@cc.fc.ul.pt
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HAM : CT2FYW 145.55 434.55 R4 R2X
... e sempre que o Homem sonha,
o mundo pula e avanca ...
Antonio Gedeao
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Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT
From: "John Scott Mackey" <jmackey@com.mcn.net>
Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our group is
out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix or
replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver is good
but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact me.

John Mackey
KA5IDI
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To detour spamers: reply to this message
by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the following address:
jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25
From: 218@sandh.com
Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for
messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look for,
News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that
contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested in
messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a search
expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any
messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely
automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search
expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex
expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

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http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes both UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs binary files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they are available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of newsgroups, selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for the missing parts, and rebuilds the entire file when the last part arrives. It even combines parts found on different days and in different newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send e-mail messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your phone line only when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up the phone when it is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and news servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read messages and view pictures while it downloads and decodes more messages.

News Rover was designed and written by real-life Usnet newsgroup junkies! With News Rover the news is ready when you are!

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News Rover is getting rave reviews...

D.G. says: I downloaded News Rover last night... I ordered this morning. I don't know how much time I saved. I give your product two thumbs up!!!

T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, and it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my 100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, but I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

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Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.)
Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's upcoming (Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ (I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT
From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)
Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510) 236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT
From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com (Greg Maddux)
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer <k5wim@voyageronline.net> wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV antenna
on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works fine. I
haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no spam>"@bellsouth.net>
Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=dqw401949

Mary
mary.evans@bellsouth.net
remove <no spam> to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT
From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim Sheffield)
Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -
the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49
mobile bracket.

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me
at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT
From: davide70@aol.com (DavidE70)
Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a
manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does anyone

know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* (about 40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, I'd appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- me or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 16:24:54 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705182324.QAA06403@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 18 May 97 16:24:48 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:15 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Today's Topics:
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Antenna for condo with re
Astatis D-104 Impedence
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less Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.
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Which Dual Band HT?? (2 msgs)
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WTB: 500hz filter for ts50
WTB: Icom R1
wtb dualband mobile
Yaesu FT 767 GX

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the officia=
l
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT
From: adavydov1@aol.com (ADavydov1)
Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 meter HT for
$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and manual. The ve=
ry
first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from the
power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I soldered=
it
back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, and
closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the unit
won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. Then =
I
tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and a=
ll
I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in the
right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the anten=
na
wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If anyone=

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very poor
access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo S1 H=
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is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,
ADavydov1@aol.com
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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Co=
mm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days ago. =20

Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? same
thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too much... I am sure
we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=20
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph (Walter Cang)
Subject: Antenna for condo with re
=0D=0D=0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I woul=
d like to
know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? I'v=
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heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net (John B. Lawrence)
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700
From: satdish@primenet.com (Barny)
Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "down=
converters" - microwave reception components for applications world-wid=
e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest line=
of
>satellite television products in the
>world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite
>operators, distributors and dealers around the
>world.=20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they =
were
>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer
>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The =
high
>performance Ku-Band product line is
>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and DB=
S
>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, =
Inc.
>is ready to serve your satellite television
>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=B9s Web Site at=20
>http://www.calamp.com

>--=20
>Esther Goodman
>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom! <g>
I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories
http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=20
http://www.satwarehouse.com/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =20
Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =20
http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400
From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam (Michael P. Deignan)
Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>,
Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com> wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently h=
and
>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse =
to
>> die. =20
>

>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this Extra=

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and 3.70=
0
>to 3.725.=20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't c=
ount!

MD
--=20
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
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-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>
Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern Calif=
=2E

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT
From: w2up@bellatlantic.net (Barry Kutner)
Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at
Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,
built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable offers
considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT
From: vidgames@netcom.com (Andy Eddy)
Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 pl=
us
shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
if
you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack
(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably i=
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fine working order.=20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right =
now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
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If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blam=
e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT
From: Goode@centuryinter.net (Goode)
Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but w=
as=20
rejected. please answer asap.
73's
james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
> in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
> 25 watts
> 5 memory channels
> scan
> touchtone mic
> mobil bracket
> manual
> box
>=20
> this rig has worked flawless for me
> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=20
> bought new radio
> will ship cont U.S.
> price.....130.00
> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's
Craig
--=20
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* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *=20
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
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**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

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>What's your opinion?
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>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
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>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the
car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My
only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a
speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I
really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker
location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on
dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the
audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But
I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that
you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced
Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and
can usually get back to them. =20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it
when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you
turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many
operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In
day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the
night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other
ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only
one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When
listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute
automaticly regardless of which is primary. =20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400
From: Trevor <corky@sunline.net>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>=20
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the A=
ir
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate=

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
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> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
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> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
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> http://www.3doptics.com
The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a
link which you may find helpful
http://www.ocbsa.org/troop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org> wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and on=
e HT
:600 model.
:
:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use)
:without interfering with commerical folks?
:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them lega=
lly?
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Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham
frequencies.
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Barry

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>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about=
to=20
>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for =
$4.=20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
--=20
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like comment=
s
good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both regularly.=

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband a=
nd=20
one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like =

a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,
Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

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>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics in
the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be
applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along with,
not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of
the radios you listed do.

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>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like=
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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but rather a
feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one
band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set
the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two
meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.
Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don
regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700
From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency an=
d training nets.=20
Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as exp=
erienced ones. =20
It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS repea=
ter freqs. =20
Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this fe=
ature were more=20
generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area, consider=
radios that can=20
be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =20
Neil AB4YK.=20
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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to s=
tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com> wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as=20
:Standard, ADI, or ???=20
:
:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in=20
:a good, basic HT.=20
=20
You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to
148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio
since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out
of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out
of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation
and possible accidental out of band txing.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT
From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>
Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=20
Jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net
tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700
From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>
Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please
email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto
hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>
Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

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Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT
From: "Seu-login" <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=B4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=B4s
Geraldo-PY2VZU

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id RAA19527
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 17:29:14 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705190029.RAA19527@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 18 May 97 17:29:13 PDT
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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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; Mon, 19 May 97 12:21:57 -0500
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Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wTVFs-0009ezC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Mon, 19 May 1997 12:25:48 -0400 (EDT)
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Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05312
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT
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Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3893. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705208641.AA864127064@newrout.si.com>
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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.
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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 22:00:21 GMT
From: cmos@microserve.net (cmos)
Subject: Address for Herdbach and Rademan in PA

On Thu, 15 May 1997 06:32:25 -0700, "John T. Young"
<jtyoung@u.washington.edu> wrote:

>Anyone have the address or phone # for Herdbach and Rademan of PA? I need
>their catalogue. Many thanks, John, K7JY, Seattle.
>
16 Roland Ave.
Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054

1-800-848-8001
http://www.herbach.com

Date: 19 May 1997 13:39:53 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

I've been using the same Astron RS-35M since I bought it new in 1984.
I run all of my gear on it at one time! I've had only one problem,
and it was minor. The on/off switch contacts welded themselves in
the ON position. I have a master on/off switch for the station, so
I just ignored the bad power switch on the RS-35M for several years.
Eventually, I replaced it with a better switch. I also added some
heavy duty 5-way binding posts to the front panel for quicker power
connections for temporary use (I still use the big bolts on the back
panel for permanent connections to my main gear). All in all, I'd
say there is probably not a more reliable p/s on the market than the
Astron line. You cannot go wrong with an Astron.

I would AVOID the cheap Pyramid supplies... junk!

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 11:55:23 GMT
From: gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell)
Subject: Conversion?

The FT-990 and the TS-570D(S) Are both rigs double conversion RX??

Tnx and 73 N1MSV

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:07:27 -0700
From: "Ray S. Linton" <linton@mhv.net>

Subject: DR1200 CTCSS Tone?

I have an Alinco DR1200 Data Radio. Is it supposed to have
tone encode/decode? The manual implies yes, and the display
indicates ENC or ENC/DEC but no tone is emitted.

I have tried it on several known CTCSS repeaters plus my HT
which has decode. No luck. Do I need an additional board
or does my radio have a problem?

Thanks and 73
Ray, N2SPF

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 00:14:13 -0700
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Subject: FS: computers

I have 2 computers for sale.

1. 486DX4-100 CPU with Monitor. Includes CDROM; 8 meg RAM; microphone;
multi media powered speakers; many extras....
$650.00 OBO

2. IBM PS2 386 computer with monitor and printer. Excellent condition.
Some software installed.
$500.00 OBO

I will take any reasonable offers or trades for HF equipment.

Pls call: (702) 647-4446 home or (702) 595-6901 cellular....

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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * AAR9BA@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net

Date: 19 May 1997 21:17:48 GMT
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Subject: FS: Icom IC728 Station

Hello all,

I have a new in the box IC728, purchased in February, along with
the AT160 auto tuner, UI7 AM/FM module, and the FL100 500hz CW
filter.

This is a full featured 100W rig, 100Khz to 30Mhz, triple
conversion receiver, AM/FM/CW/SSB, passband tuning, speech

processor, programmable tuning steps, NB/PreAmp/Attenuator, the
works. All in a compact package. I paid $1650, asking $1250.

All items are new, in the box, and complete.

Thanks es 73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6
drasmussen@eosintl.com
(619) 434-6135

Date: 19 May 1997 21:14:20 GMT
From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>
Subject: FS: ICOM RADIOS

I still have the two Icom's that I'm trying to help a widow sell, must
sell. They are as follows:

IC 271a- almost new like condition with manual and original box $425.00
shipped
IC 471a- very nice condition, has small scratches on case, has build in
P.S., manual and original box $450.00
prices include shipping in conusa
Owner was a non smoker

tks & 73
jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net

Date: 19 May 1997 21:13:58 GMT
From: "Kevin " <n8zjn@your-net.com>
Subject: FS Icom IC736 $1350.00

I have for sale an Icom 736 bought as Demo in Sept. 96, only
used on 6M. This is an HF + 6M rig w/built in tuner 160-6, 100
watts output all bands also has a built in PS. I have Box,Manual
and will ship Fed-Ex CONUS for $1350.00. Tnx.

Kevin Bishop 73
de N8ZJN EM79xk
50-1296 MHz

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:42:22 -0400
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Subject: FS KENWOOD TS450S

I have a TS 450S in excellent condition. It includes an automatic
antenna tuner, a SSB filter and a CW filter. I have modified it for
increased TX frequencies and increased front end sensitivity.
I am asking $950 with the filter or $825 without the filters.

Please send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:44:08 -0400
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Subject: FS MFJ DSP FILTER

I have a MFJ DSP filter (MFJ-784B) in excellent condition. I am asking
$150.

Send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Date: 20 May 97 01:40:21 GMT
From: w5rg@juno.COM (Bob Gibson)
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest

The TS-930 parts radio has been sold, Thanks very much Bob.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:31:51 -0400
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

William Nolle wrote:
>
> Charlie Durand wrote:
> >
> > Good morning,
> >
> > I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
> >
> > I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> > make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> > business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> > service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> > basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> > customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> > taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> > feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> > if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> > I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> > "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> > the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> > questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> > Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> > and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> > walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with

> > the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> > Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> > you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> > order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> > level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> > why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> > do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
> >
> > Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> > technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> > percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>
> Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
> --
> Bill

I feel the same way as you about the attitude of the sales staff. The
funny thing is that the NEW SALESPEOPLE have a much more friendly
attitude than the salespeople who have been there for a while. I think
that is because the salespeople who have been around really want out but
can't land a better job. So they languish at HRO and take out their
frustrations on the NEW HAMS.I have ordered just recently and had a
positive experience with a New Salesman. BOB FERRARO (owner of HRO)
should dump the salespeople with attitudes or send them to therapy.

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:40 GMT
From: pkluwe@aol.com (PKluwe)
Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing...

Have the repeater users try "GAS-X." It can prove to be most helpful in
these situations...

73, Paul, W8ZO

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 15:19:00 GMT
From: dlaidlaw@slip.net (D. Laidlaw)
Subject: ICOM IC-32A MOD

Does anybody have any mods for this radio, thanks.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:23:28 -0700
From: "Christopher C. Sigsbee" <rpenguin@cdsnet.net>
Subject: Icom IC-T7A

Looking for any and all mods to the Icom IC-T7A. Thanks!
-Chris

Date: 19 May 1997 17:27:28 GMT
From: greg@snoopy.gwr.com (Greg)
Subject: Kenwood TM-V7A Mods

Greetings,

I picked up a TM-V7A in Dayton. I was wondering if anyone knows of any
mods to extend the transmit on it. Thanks.

Greg

Date: 19 May 1997 22:15:08 GMT
From: Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se (Ulf Lange)
Subject: Kenwood TS-60S 6 m All Mode TRCVR: experience wanted

Anyone having experience from the TS-60S? Impression?
Is the AGC selectable between slow and fast (in RX mode)?

Please, send a copy of your answer via email to Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se

73's de SM6FYQ/Ulf

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:46:23 -0400
From: Steve <semann@nr.infi.net>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

> Mark Mansfield wrote:
> >
> > I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> > Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> > selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and

snip!

I called Heath Co. in 1995 (got their # through directory assistance)
and obtained photocopies of origional manuals. They ran about $25 a
piece! The invoice does not have a telephone number but the adr is

HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

The manuals I bought from them had a 1963 copyright date.

Steve, N4EY

Date: 19 May 1997 09:48:00 -0700
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
Subject: modifications to TH-79

Vik Bajaj wrote:
>
> Are there any software modifications that can be done to the TH-79A
> (i.e. without cutting microscopic surface mount components)?
>

There are several mods which involve removing diodes. If you aren't interested in that, cutting the green wire which is accessable by removing the ctscc module will give a modest increase in coverage (118-174, 420-450). Reset the microprocessor afterwards.

Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 21:47:25 GMT
From: kf4lhp@digicron.com (Matthew Sadler, KF4LHP)
Subject: Motorola MT500 - Need Manual!

Wanted:

Manual for Motorola MT500 HT, model # H33BBU3124AN. Copies OK too.
I'll gladly pay S & H for a copy or an original.

Thanks! Please reply via email.

Matthew, KF4LHP

Date: 19 May 1997 21:45:01 GMT
From: pdnaumann@aol.com (PDNAUMANN)
Subject: PD 8010 Installation - Twists

Who has the trick of the trade to install the PD 8010 multi-band dipole antenna without any twists, and stay that way in the air? There must be a trick that I don't know. It can be perfect on the ground, but when you put it up, it seems impossible. Any ideas would certainly be appreciated. Send me an e-mail to PDNAUMANN@AOL.COM Thanks Paul KD0X.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:25:59 GMT
From: mne@cmu.edu (Matt Ettus)
Subject: Tek 603 Manual needed

Hi. I need either a copy of, or a whole manual for the tektronix 603
XY display

Its the one with analog storage mode.

I got 2 at Dayton, one work, the other needs calibration

If I can't get a manual, I'd sell the one which needs cal

Matt
N2MJI
mne@cmu.edu

Date: 19 May 1997 19:02:31 GMT
From: "Mike Havener" <mhavener@peinc.com>
Subject: TH-78 cloning mode

I've heard that the TH-78 can be set to a clone mode, just like the TH-79.
Has anybody else heard this, and if so what is the procedure for entering
this mode.

Thanks,
Mike Havener / KE6FJT
mhavener@ni.net
http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 00:30:22 GMT
From: Wankeri@xerox.com (Wanker)
Subject: TH-78 cloning mode

If I remeber right. Its hold down the power on button and at the same
time hold down the 0 key.

Wanker

On 19 May 1997 19:02:31 GMT, "Mike Havener" <mhavener@peinc.com>
wrote:

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>mhavener@ni.net
>http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

Date: 19 May 1997 21:07:26 GMT
From: jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini)
Subject: Trade Office 97 Pro for ham related items

I have one Office 97 Professional (competitve upgrade) that I'd be
interested in TRADING for or towards any amateur radio related items.
Specifically, I'm looking for a KPC-3 Plus TNC, Alinco DJ-G5TH accessories
or a new 20amp power supply, but I'd be willing to entertain any offers.
Let me know what you've got to trade! <g>

Thanks es 73 de Joe, N2NOU

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 13:34:32 GMT
From: kiprc@tenet.edu (Kip Chatterson)
Subject: Transverter for Icom 735?

Is there something avalible like this?
I am also interested in computer interface for this rig.
Does anyone have more information on this rig?

Thanks much in advance.
kiprc@tenet.edu

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 21:46:11 GMT
From: "Nathan Price" <Nathan=Price%NA=Hou%Contractors@netgate.compaq.com>
Subject: What do you'll think about the Kenwood TM-261A?

Hi!

I'm looking to buy my first Ham Radio. I was wondering if any of you can
offer any advise. I was thinking about a Kenwood TM-261A. Is this a good
starter? Is $269.95 a good price?

Thanks,

Nathan Price
nate@neosoft.com

Date: 18 May 1997 08:07:35 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: WTB: Service Manual KW TS-940S

Contact Van at :

wb0nzv@aol.com

Date: 19 May 1997 22:18:46 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: WT Trade

Looking for a Kenwood TH-79A

I have for trade a Hewlett Packard 24" Pen Plotter.

This is a large plotter used for making maps and blue prints.

Please let me know if there is any interest.

Dave

dgsholar@gte.net

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id UAA20251
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 20:05:09 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705200305.UAA20251@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 20:05:04 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #557
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3894. Alinco DJ-560 Manual - Mods - Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: phoenix_2600 <phoenix_2600@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bc64c8$137c95e0$LocalHost@phoenix01>
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HELP ME PLEASE

I own an Alinco DJ-560 which is a pretty useful piece of equipment, now I want to know if anyone out there has a manual for this
Scanning equipment if so drop me a reply on alt.radio.scanner.uk I will appriciate that.

Now for those of you in alt.????hack???? who are wondering why I've posted this on your NG here it is,
I need to know how to interface my scanner with the serial port on my machine
purpose simply to monitor data transmissions on some channels which I have tracked down.

I simply need the schematics or the theory between taking what we all know as data in an audio format and
processing it into rs232 so that software such as terminal with abit of fiddling will be able to interpret what
is flowing over this frequency.

All replys post to alt.radio.scanner.uk thank all in advance

Phoenix Ashes

3895. What is the purpose of a grid dip meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph234@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520123801.IAA00400@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175057

Someone told me that a grid dip meter would function as well as a bug detector (electronic :-)) at a much lower price. Is this true?

<mailto:ralph234@aol.com>

Please explain.

Thanks,

Ralph
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Northern Research - Information Retrieval Specialists
http://www.galaxycorp.com/NorthernResearch
Who's REALLY going out with your daughter!!

3896. Kenwood TM-261 mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mountain@nac.net
Message-ID: <864130375.6295@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175058

Does anyone know if and how the Kenwood TM-261 can be modified for out of band operation. One of ourt local rescue squad members has this rig and wants to add their freq to it.

thanks

Eric
KC2AEJ

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3897. Re: What do you'll think about the Kenwood TM-261A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5ls6pl$mmq@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 175059

In article <01bc649e$1983a700$41411cac@nprice.na.hou.compaq.com>,
Nathan=Price%NA=Hou%Contractors@netgate.compaq.com says...
>
>I'm looking to buy my first Ham Radio. I was wondering if any of you can
>offer any advise. I was thinking about a Kenwood TM-261A. Is this a good
>starter? Is $269.95 a good price?

I have a TM-261A in my pickup, and I like it. I bought mine for $269.95
back in January of this year.

73,
Dean K5DH

3898. Re: SB-220 Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Terry G. Glagowski" <GlagowskiT@acm.org>
Message-ID: <3381A2A2.352A@acm.org>
Source record: 175060

Doug Shock wrote:
>
> I was given an SB-220 by my Dad but he lost the manuals.I sure could use
> them. Anybody have the operating manual on the SB-220?E-mail me with any
> info.dwshock@usa.net
> Thanks!!!
> --
> 73 de "Its not who asked the question but
> AA0UF/Doug what the question was that counts."
> _____
>

Doug,
I have an SB-220 and the manual.
If you can't find what you need on the web or net,
EMAIL me and let's see if I can get you a photocopy.

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Terry G. Glagowski, PhD. EMAIL: Terry_Glagowski@bose.com
Electronic Products Dev. WWW: N/A at this time
Bose Corporation, MS 15E LOCATION: Lightning Offices, near left corner
The Mountain PHONE: (508) 766-6979 FAX: (508) 879-3711
Framingham, MA 01701 AMATEUR: W1TR USAF MARS: AFA1DI, former
AFA5BP

3899. Re: Yagi not above roof worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Huntting <stan@mutadv.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6520$47639a40$0ae983cc@t430>
Source record: 175061
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

norman <norsan@bright.net> wrote in article
<5lr4gp$9ru@cletus.bright.net>...
> gain is gain and the small lower elevation of the yagi should not meen
> anything. Norman N8RGR

Rubbish!

A yagi's gain is only achieved by focusing the radiated energy in the desired direction. As a yagi's height above ground becomes very small the take-off angle approaches the vertical and there is very little directivity in azimuth. At that point, it looks very much like a dipole at the same height. To make matters worse, at low heights the yagi's feedpoint impedance diverges from 50 ohms even more than does the dipole resulting in higher losses.

A low yagi can be good for the owner's ego, but only if he doesn't ask too many questions! ;-)

Stan

Stan Huntting KF0IA
Email: stan@mutadv.com
Fax: 303 444 2314
KaWin home page: http://www.mutadv.com/kawin/
Postal address: 4655 Pleasant Ridge Rd.,
Boulder, CO 80301-1731, USA

3900. Re: Any Parts Source for Heathkit?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: oxyura@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520134001.JAA04399@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175062

I just contacted Heathkit at http://www.heathkit.com and they said that they do not support their kits anymore. If anyone hears differently please E-mail me as I need parts.

William Lund
oxyura@aol.com

3901. What do you think of the ICOM 756?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph M Zawodny <J.M.Zawodny@LaRC.NASA.gov>
Message-ID: <3381A774.45E9@LaRC.NASA.gov>
Source record: 175063

Howdy,

I'm thinking of getting an ICOM 756 and would like to
hear all of the bad thinks that users have encountered with
this rig. My main uses will be on 10m and 6m CW & SSB. I am
particularly interested in comments relating to the DSP and
whether it does anything to reduce noise or if it is only an
audio filter.

Thanks & 73

KO4LW
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(757) 864-2681 (757) 864-2671 FAX http://wwwp.exis.net/~zawodny

3902. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2005971449215404postmaster@emarkt.com>
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #558
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3903. Re: When to Power Down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5lsb42$9kd@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175065

Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com> wrote:

>dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan) wrote:
>>In article <3371b7a8.53758393@newshost.capecod.net>, gareth@capecod.net
>>(Gareth Crispell) wrote:
>>
>>>There is much debate over how often one should turn their computer
>>>off. Some say once a day, some say almost never and so on. Does anyone
>>>know how this applies to modern solid state rigs. Is it ok to leave
>>>them on for days at a time or even weeks? Is it better to power down
>>>everytime you leave the shack. What is the story here??
>>
>>I have three computers that have never been turned off in three years. I
>>do turn the monitors off when I QRT for the night, but the CPUs and disks
>>stay powered up. I find the thermal shock of
>>heating/cooling/heating/cooling much more disruptive than simply leaving
>>things warm and humming along.
>>
>>73, Dick
>>--
>>Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada

It is a little better if you have autosaves on your backup disks, and
if you have thermo shutdown in case of fan failure, or other causes
of heat buildup.

>I just retired as production manager of the local daily paper, where
>among other things I was responsible for operation/maintenance of all
>computer systems - consisting of about 50 PCs and about 20 Macs. We
>*NEVER* turned them off, but did run screen savers on many of the color
>monitors. These sets would typically run about 5 years between failures,
>and most failures were cooling fans - followed by keyboards and monitors,
>then hard drives - in that order.

How does that relate with the national average of static electricity
and dust fight for cause-of-failure nos 1 and 2?

>I think the key rule for an individual user would be that if your
>computer is used an hour or so EVERY DAY, it would be best to just leave
>it on - but some sort of surge protector is recommended. In this
>scenario, I would also leave the monitor on, but use a screen saver to
>even out wear and tear on screen coatings. There are mixed
>recommendations on merely turning down the contrast to darken the screen.

>Oh yeah, by the way, those few computers in our business that WERE turned
>off regularly, failed MORE OFTEN than those left on continuously...

Inrush current is a killer.
>--
>Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
>===
>Liberalism: The concept that those having more of anything
>than you, are "wealthy", and morally required to share
>that "wealth" with the less successful (you).
>===
>Anyone proposing to rob Peter to pay Paul can count on
>the support of Paul...
>===

unless Paul sees himself on the way up the ladder.
In which case he will defend Peter.

Hope is the motivator of the world.

Lou Hinshaw
WB0NRU

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

3904. Re: HF Equipment comments wanted please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5lsb46$9kd@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 175066

davidho@one.net (David Ho (AF4BH)) wrote:

>On Fri, 09 May 1997 00:30:49 GMT, pcl36587@alfa.ist.utl.pt (Pedro
>Delgado) wrote:

>> Maker Model Aprox price in USD
>>
>> Alinco DX-70TH 969.95
>> Icom IC-707 759.95
>> Kenwood TS-50S 849.95
>> Yaesu FT-840 899.95
>>
>[DELETED]
>>
>> Receiver performance is very important to me...with all the signals you can get
>>in the HF bands, and interference from strong adjacent stations, its no good to
>>pay top $$$ for a radio if it can't receive well - of these models, which one do
>>you consider to have the best receiver circuitry ?
>>

>I'll cast a vote for the Alinco. I've never used it but have heard
>good things about the rig and I like that extra band of 6M.

>> The Alinco seems to be a very good buy...has FM and 6 meter band already
>>included in the price - for the price, it looks too good to be true when
>>compared with other rigs of the same price range.
>>
>> The Icom seems to have a more sensitive and selective receiver.
>>

>[DELETED]

>For the price around US$1000, I'll be tempted to look into the used
>gear marktet for some rigs that are a little bit older but with more
>bells and wistles.

>The Kenwood TS-850 has one of the hottest receiver out there for the
>longest time. It has been a good and solid perfomer in the
>competition class. A local ham store has the rig selling for under US
>$1200. You might find better deal if you look around.

>Good luck in your search.

>Best 73!

>de AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
>David Ho

>davidho@one.net

Then again, you might take a hint from the audio buffs and go modular, I.E., separate transmitter and receiver, and a TR switch to hiik them up. You can even go a step further and make your own. That CAN be done cheaper than by giving your money away out of your country. You will learn a lot also.

It is just a thought.

Lou Hinshaw
WB0NRU

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

3905. Ignition/generator noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.com
Message-ID: <3381afa9.1570062@news.syspac.com>
Source record: 175067

Does anyone know of information on the net regarding
ignition/generator noise? Field day is approaching and the subject
came up.

TIA

cdn

C. Dean Norris, K7NO
e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com

3906. FS:Very nice Yaesu FT1000 Station!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5lr96p$s2b1@peach.america.net>
Source record: 175068

I have a single owner FT1000 station for 2500.00 shipped in the lower 48 states and insured. I have all the boxes and the station includes a SP5 speaker and the BPF1 module. It has all the current updates and software. The unit is in excellent condition other than two small scratches on the bottom form running patch cords. The sides. top and front are spotless. If intrested in this nice station please call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me at jsjones@rbnet.com. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

3907. FS:Kenwood TS120-S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles B." <beaudrlt@polarnet.com>
Message-ID: <3381CAF6.3D9E@polarnet.com>
Source record: 175069

I have a great HF rig for sale.
This rig operates and looks like it is new!

Has digital readout, USB,LSB,CW operating modes.
Comes with desk mic, hand mic, DC power cable, and
original manual an schematics.

If you are interested please e'mail me at:
beaudrlt@polarnet.com

Thank you,
Charles B.

3908. Re: Ignition/generator noise / GM Fuel Pump Noise Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6528$a2de34e0$42a745cf@enterprise>
Source record: 175070

There was a pretty good thread on the subject a few months ago on this group. Talk centered on auto computer noise and fuel pump noise in newer GM/Ford cars.

FYI The GM Electromagnetic Compatibility folks were at Dayton and we had a nice long talk about noise. (I think I was happier to see them than they were to see me). More to come as I go through the list of things they gave me to do. There is a new part for GM fuel pumps which may help.

Mark Bryant

Deano <dnorris@k7no.com> wrote in article
<3381afa9.1570062@news.syspac.com>...
> Does anyone know of information on the net regarding
> ignition/generator noise? Field day is approaching and the subject
> came up.
>
> TIA
>
> cdn
>
>
> C. Dean Norris, K7NO
> e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com
>
>

3909. FS: HF Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6527$e9cd3140$465ab5cf@wfairclo.netcom.ca>
Source record: 175121
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dentron Clipperton L HF amplifier for sale. 160-10m Excellent condition.
Low hours and never driven hard. $750.00 CDN plus shipping.

Thanks for reading.

Walter - VE3EN

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Walter Fairclough
Manotick, Ontario
wfairclo@netcom.ca

3910. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2005971525535966postmaster@emarkt.com>
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:16:21 -0700 (PDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA18349
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:16:14 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201116.EAA18349@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 04:16:14 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3911. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2005971525545969postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175123

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1997 04:22:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA18370
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:16:21 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA18349
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:16:14 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201116.EAA18349@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 04:16:14 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3912. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2005971525545967postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175124

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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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3913. MFJ 9420 rig--opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu
Message-ID: <5lsab8$7e3@newsgate.duke.edu>
Source record: 175125

Been looking at the MFJ-9420 in their catalog; it's a 20-m
non-digital SSB transceiver, single conversion, 12 w output.

I've been thinking that that rig might be a lot of fun to play
with in the car. Hey, I know 100 watts to a dipole isn't the
hot ticket on 20, so 12 watts to a mobile antenna might be worse.
But does anybody out there own one of these rigs? Does it work
well? Is it fun? Can you really use it on 20, or are you
too overpowered?

Appreciate any responses from 9420 owners. Tnx!
--Ken

Ken Kuzenski AC4RD kuzen001@acpub.duke.edu
jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu Fidonet: 1:3641/1.1

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Your mileage may vary.

3914. SWR reading on MFJ 941B Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles W. Baetsen" <charlesb@abelcomputers.com.DontSendCrap>
Message-ID: <01bc6527$d266e5a0$4d75e1cc@charlesb>
Source record: 175126

I just picked up a MFJ 941B (not an E) antenna tuner at Dayton. Does anyone out there, have a manual for it? In paticular I would like to know how to tell whether or not the meter is reading power or SWR. There appears to be no switches on it to switch to select which it is reading.

Charles...

3915. Petiton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KA8YKK <KA8YKK@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3381B450.79E5@concentric.net>
Source record: 175127

Amateur Radio Operators
From the State of Michigan

We the Amateur Radio operators from the State of Michigan do hereby agree to continue to abide by all the rules of Amateur Radio. We pledge to improve the amateur radio bands, and teach new hams joining the hobby the correct operating procedures which should be followed on the amateur bands. By doing this, we are petitioning the American Radio Relay League in our fight to help clean up the language on the Amateur bands, and are looking for civility/politeness in conversations. By showing our support in this petition, we are hoping that the American Radio Relay League can help us fight the language that we are hearing on these bands.

We are asking the American Radio Relay League to help in this clean up by: Hosting several national forums on this problem, and how it can be addressed, We are looking for a promise from the ARRL to report on how enforcement is currently done. We are also looking for a promise from the ARRL to create a sort of self enforcement mechanism, and possibly create a large fine mechanism that will generate enough money to help correct this problem. We realize there is such a thing as freedom of speech but, there are also the words such as civility, and politeness.

I Deborah K. Kirkbride KA8YKK am asking all amateurs in the State of Michigan to please sign this petition, and send it to me at the following address: 1315 Center Avenue, Apartment #1 Bay City, MI 48708. I will in turn when enough signatures are gathered be sending all petitions received to the ARRL.

Please make copies of this petition and pass it along to other clubs, and Amateurs in you area. Please help me in this fight to get the Amateur Bands back on the right track and keep them there.

If you are not from the State of Michigan please feel free to download this off my web page http://www.concentric.net/~ka8ykk change the state name to fit your own and get this started in your own state. You can forward them to me and I would be more than happy to submit them to the ARRL with the State of Michigan.

Thanks
Debbie Kirkbride KA8YKK

ka8ykk@concentric.net

3916. FS: GARMIN GP38 GPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3381B2FA.5CB9@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Garmin GP38, never used (well once just to see if it worked)
for sale. $90 plus shipping. No CODs.

Tom

3917. Re: Yagi not above roof worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3381B926.7E24@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Stan Huntting wrote:
>
> norman <norsan@bright.net> wrote in article
> <5lr4gp$9ru@cletus.bright.net>...
> > gain is gain and the small lower elevation of the yagi should not meen
> > anything. Norman N8RGR
>
> Rubbish!
>
> A yagi's gain is only achieved by focusing the radiated energy in the
> desired direction. As a yagi's height above ground becomes very small the
> take-off angle approaches the vertical and there is very little directivity
> in azimuth. At that point, it looks very much like a dipole at the same
> height. To make matters worse, at low heights the yagi's feedpoint
> impedance diverges from 50 ohms even more than does the dipole resulting in
> higher losses.
>
> A low yagi can be good for the owner's ego, but only if he doesn't ask too
> many questions! ;-)
>
> Stan
> ----------
> Stan Huntting KF0IA
> Email: stan@mutadv.com
> Fax: 303 444 2314
> KaWin home page: http://www.mutadv.com/kawin/
> Postal address: 4655 Pleasant Ridge Rd.,
> Boulder, CO 80301-1731, USA

Whats low refer to? In terms of wavelength what is considerd low? A 2 meter or 440 yagi is gonna have to be pretty low for this to be a problem?

3918. a question on the Galaxy V, mk III

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb099@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <5lse3s$9ag@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 175130

I recently inherited my dad's old Galaxy V, mkIII (silent key,
WB8ETH), and I was wondering what people out there know about it....

From the wold bands, 73's

--
"All our times have come. Here but now they're gone. Seasons don't fear the
reaper / Nor do the wind, the sun or the rain. And we can be like they are.
(Come on baby) Don't fear the reaper."
--Blue Oyster Cult "(DON'T FEAR) THE REAPER"

3919. <<FS: 6AZ8 NOS PHILLIPS>>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rh3333@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970520150401.LAA10069@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175131

I have NEW PHILLIPS/EGC USA MADE - 6AZ8 available for immediate shippment.
DON'T MISS this opportunity to buy this often hard to find tube -
at a VERY reasonable cost:

1-9 each - $7.00 each
10-24 each - $6.50 each
25-49 each - $6.00 each
50-100 each - $5.00 each

+$5 per order shipping +$4.75 per order if shipped COD
For Larger Quanity Discounts Please Email me for special quotes

3920. Kenwood V7A vs Icom 2710 questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Early Riser <kb9nvh@bluemarble.net>
Message-ID: <3381A9A5.574@bluemarble.net>
Source record: 175132

Hi...I was reading that you own the new TM-V7A and I saw that you really like it....

I have one question...have/can you used the unit for cross banding in full duplex and half duplex....

I just bought the Icom 2710 but now find that it
1)has no alpha numerics
2)Does not include tone squelch and code squelch
3)Cross banding can be accomplished through a cryptic sequence of button pushes..(but still dont know if it can work both in full and half duplex.

Anyway...I may return the radio (bought yesterday in Dayton) and get a Kenwood instead. The deciding factor is if the V7A can Cross band.

Please, your help with this would be very much appreciated.....

(both radios were $509 + tax in Dayton)....bet I pay more to exchange if the dealer will even do it.........

Thanks again for you help...Todd Snyder (KB9NVH)

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:

> I've not actually seen the text for enabling cross-band repeat on the
> 2710, but on several other Icom models, including my 2350H, here's the
> sequence:
>
> Happy cross-banding!
>
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
> Gaylord, MI
>
> Early Riser <kb9nvh@bluemarble.net> wrote in article
> <337F1EB4.67E9@bluemarble.net>...
> > Can anyone tell me how to crossband with my new IC2710..I have
> followed
> >

Thanks Chad, Well I found the 2710 sequence on Deja News. Its a very similar sequence to yours....(press the VHF and UHF and the SET key at one time (and also the LOW key for zero hang time)

Press SET to disable cross banding..

I'm still wrestling with the idea of tradeing the 2710 for a kenwood TM-V7A. The features of the V7A are similar to the 2710 and the V7A includes the tone squelch and DTMF squelch...($140 dollar value from ICOM). The V7A also includes alphanumerics.

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Thanks again...Todd (KB9NVH)

David Sholar wrote:

>>TODD - Z1A - you ought to trade that to me for something.

> Haha...no way....love that little radio....its served me well as an
> all purpose radio.

I use the heck out of it and its given me no problems yet...

> On the V7A - Kenwood has a preamp in the standard mode, however you
> can
> use something called AIP (advanced intercept point), that really cuts
> down on the intermod.
>
Humm....so are you saying that Most of your intermod problems (when they occur) are elimiated by the AIP?

I just purchased (two days ago) a icom 2710 and am considering trading it for the V7A because it seems like a much better value...I just wonder what I give up to get all the free features of the Kenwood....I have heard that intermod is worse on the kenwoods than on the Icoms....wonder if this is true????

Thanks for your personal experience....sorry I cant give up my Z1A.....

Todd Snyder (KB9NVH)

Dave wrote:

>
> I don't really need any, as I never transmit out of band or anything,
> but for some reason if it's there, I like to make the mod.
>
hahaha...well...I havent made the mods yet either but one of these days it may become an issue
a friend has a book with the mods in it here it is (but you need a picture to do it)...

800Mhz recieve - install Q12 and Q16 chip of 2F unit (icom part #UN9110)
expanded transmit - Loacte and remove Diode D15
Expanded recieve - Press and hold [B] and [#] and turn on power AND install Q12 and Q16
Cross Band repeat - Set freqs, Press [FUNC] and [D] and turn radio off. Press [MONI] and
[RPT] and [#] and turn radio on. An 'L' appears on the display
Cross Band off - press [MONI] and [RPT] and turn radio ON

Mod book to buy call 818-843-4080

Wonder why the cross band info is not in the official book...like its a secret or something...hummmm
Are the cross banding instructions included in the Kenwoods instruction book?

See ya Later.....Careful with the mods....

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
>
> Now, it won't do that unless they happen to be working the repeater
>with tone encode, set to exactly what my mobile is set to, which
>happens to be 103.5 Hz, arbitrarily, just so people won't kick my
>mobile into transmit.

I've learned to rely on my tone squelch on my HT...Keeps DX that occasionally
comes in from far off repeaters (on the same local repeater freq) from breaking my squelch.
The other use I have found for the tone squelch option is that it enables you to discover a repeaters tone....very helpful when traveling and
you want to get into a repeater you find along the way that has PL enabled

>I'm not located in a big city, and there are only a
>handful of people around with UHF equipment, and I'm currently the
>only one running cross-band with the dual-band equipment, so I've
>kinda got the whole band to myself right now. In the larger cities,
> where there's more UHF activity, it would be a different story.

Yep..same here....440 band is nearly empty.

> Good luck with your decision between the Icom and the Kenwood.
>I love mine, and I didn't really like the look of the V7A, so
>I didn't even think of changing from my 2350. I did, however,
>see that 2710 in the inside front cover of one of the magazines
>I get (not sure, maybe QST or the AES catalog...) and that was quite
>a thrilling rig to look at. I'm jealous -- I'd love one of those,
>but for now my 2350 is working quite nicely for me.

Well..this is certainly a hard decision to make...but I cant find
anything
that the 2710 does that the V7A doesnt do..but the V7A includes options
that cost extra
in the ICOM (DTMF squelch and tone squelch)..Those that have bought it
(V7A) seem real
thrilled with the look after they get it installed..I personally like
the dot matrix
screen (as opposed to the segmented display of all the rest). They all
say that the
interface is very intuitive and by that virtue you end up using more
features that go
ignored on other rigs (just due to the difficulty of getting to them).
But one of the best
features I find of the V7A is the 4 setup memories that let you set up
the radio with completly
different settings and frequencies for different areas you might travel
to...Not sure of all the
specifics but I think that if you travel to different areas often you
can set up that areas frequencies
to be used when you are there..when you get home you just switch back..

The V7A also has Alpah numerics (which I have learned to rely on with
my HT).

I still am just unsure about the front end of each and how well each is
with intermod....Ive got reports
from guys from NY close to manhatten and they get intermod on the
kenwood..(but not like an HT)..I just need to get
an ICOM report from someone in the same area....

Thanks for all your help....still deciding in Bloomington, IN

Todd (KB9NVH)

> I bought the Alinco 610. I got this one because I could remotely
> control frequency and memory selection by using the keypad on my ht. I
> have a 440 ht and use it for crosbanding back through the vehicle when
> I am on the fringe of coverage. It works fine but I would like to get
> a dual band ht. this would be handy at times..

Hummm....I was thinking that they all did this (with the DTMF option).
the 2710 does and the V7A does too...

Humm....still deciding....I'm about sure I'm gonna trade my 2710 for
the V7A....but intermod performance is still the question....I need
some direct comparison between the icom and the kenwood.....

Thanks for you help....Todd (KB9NVH)

3921. kenwood V7A vs IC2710 replies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Early Riser <kb9nvh@bluemarble.net>
Message-ID: <3381A9F8.7EE0@bluemarble.net>
Source record: 175133

> Hi...I was reading that you own the new TM-V7A and I saw that you really
> like it....
>
> I have one question...have/can you used the unit for cross banding in
> full duplex and half duplex....

Todd - Yes the V7A will Crossband repeat. If you mean by hald duplex:
will only crossband repeat one direction - yes you can lock it so that
for example: receive on 2 meters and transmit on 440 only. Also - it
will crossband repeat full duplex - so that for example - signal in on 2
meters goes out on 440. Then signal in on 440 goes out on 2 meters.

The function to invoke crossband repeat is fairly easy.

>
> I just bought the Icom 2710 but now find that it
> 1)has no alpha numerics - KENWOOD HAS ALPHA + NUMERICS AT SAME TIME.
> 2)Does not include tone squelch and code squelch
> 3)Cross banding can be accomplished through a cryptic sequence of button
> pushes..(but still dont know if it can work both in full and half
> duplex.
>
> Anyway...I may return the radio (bought yesterday in Dayton) and get a
> Kenwood instead. The deciding factor is if the V7A can Cross band.
>
> Please, your help with this would be very much appreciated.....
>
> (both radios were $509 + tax in Dayton)....bet I pay more to exchange if
> the dealer will even do it.........
>

THAT IS A GOOD PRICE. I PAID 559.00 FOR MY V7A AT THE RALEIGH, NC
HAMFEST. BUT DAYTON ALWAYS HAS GOOD PRICES.

GOOD LUCK ON THE TRADE. I THINK YOU WILL BE VERY HAPPY WITH THE V7A.
> Thanks again for you help...Todd Snyder (KB9NVH)

DAVE

TODD - Z1A - you ought to trade that to me for something.

On the V7A - Kenwood has a preamp in the standard mode, however you can
use something called AIP (advanced intercept point), that really cuts
down on the intermod.

I live in Raleigh Durham Chapel Hill area. There are only a few places
where I'm really affected by intermod. It has not been a problem for

me, but Kenwwod seems to have addressed it well for those who do have this problem.

I'd talk to Kenwood if I were you. They have e-mail on their web page now, and got back to me with in a couple of days.

I have two Icom Z1A's and want one more.

Dave

Todd Snyder wrote:
>
> Just one more question...
>
> I was told by a salesman at HRO that the Kenwood doesnt have quite the
> front end that the ICOM has and that intermod is more of a problem
> with the Kenwood than the ICOM. (he volunteered that the V7A was
> better than past kenwoods in this area).
>
> What has your experience been with this?.....Do you live near a big
> city?
>
> I find myself up in indianapolis many times and intermod on my icom HT
> (Z1A) is terrrible.....so intermod could be a problem for me...
>
> Thanks again.....Todd Snyder (KB9NVH)

Todd

> > Haha...no way....love that little radio....its served me well as an
> > all purpose radio.
I don't blame you a bit. I just got a second one last week. Get this... I traded a Yaesu FT-50 for the Icom. I know Icom Z1A's have dropped a little in price, but I paid 309 for the FT-50 and 500.00 for my first Z1A, plus the guy paid me 50.00 on top. So I got a deal, and bought the second on just to have a spare and backup.

> I use the heck out of it and its given me no problems yet...
I've had no problems either. But I do forget where I got the mod for it. Do you know where any mods for this radio are?

I don't really need any, as I never transmit out of band or anything, but for some reason if it's there, I like to make the mod.

> > On the V7A - Kenwood has a preamp in the standard mode, however you
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> > use something called AIP (advanced intercept point), that really cuts
> > down on the intermod.
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> Humm....so are you saying that Most of your intermod problems (when they
> occur) are elimiated by the AIP?

I haven't tried the AIP function yet, but it's there. I really don't get much intermod. Next time I do, I'll try it, but it's rare for me. Since I'm new to the area I don't know if that is a function of how well the radio works, or just that the area is relatively free intermod. But the feature is there, so Kenwood addressed in this rig. I just don't have personal experience.

I wouldn't give up the Z1A either.

Dave

As far as one-way and two-way cross-banding, that can be controlled via the tone decode unit that you have to buy (UT-104). Here's how mine is set up:

Local repeater pair: 146.820 output, 146.220 input

My mobile is set to: VHF: 146.220, with tone decode set to arbitrary freq.
UHF: 446.675, with decode set to 67.0 Hz.

My HT is set to: VHF: 146.820, for monitoring the repeater output.
UHF: 446.675, with 67.0 HZ tone encode.

I normally only have the VHF band "on" on my HT while monitoring. Then, if I want to use the radio, I flip on the UHF band too so I can cross-band. I save some battery by only running one band most of the time on the HT. And I save my mobile some TX work by not making it re-transmit everything it hears on the repeater OUTPUT (that'll kill a CAR battery fairly quickly).

The 2350H can only two-way cross band, unless you encode using tone squelch. Before I installed the tone decode module, my mobile would auto-matically cross-band anyone's 2-meter signal on the repeater input (146.22) that it could hear. Now, it won't do that unless they happen to be working the repeater with tone encode, set to exactly what my mobile is set to, which happens to be 103.5 Hz, arbitrarily, just so people won't kick my mobile into transmit.

Viola! I've suddenly created a one way cross-bad repeater. If the radio would one-way repeat, I wouln't have had to buy the tone squelch unit to achieve this.
Like you said, the 2710 allows one way cross-banding, as well as two-way.

Unless you have to worry about someone accidentally stumbling upon your UHF simplex frequency and using it, you won't even need tone decode. I'm not located in a big city, and there are only a handful of people around with UHF equipment, and I'm currently the only one running cross-band with the dual-band equipment, so I've kinda got the whole band to myself right now. In the larger cities, where there's more UHF activity, it would be a different story.

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73 and best of luck,

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
Gaylord, MI

-----Original Message-----
From: Early Riser [SMTP:kb9nvh@bluemarble.net]
Sent: Monday, May 19, 1997 7:45 PM
To: Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
Subject: Re: Help Crossbanding IC2710??????

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Thanks again...Todd (KB9NVH)

AWESOME - I never knew the Z1A would cross-band repeat. Not that I'd use it often on an HT, but that' great. I was looking hard at a Kenwood TH 79 because it would.

Thanks so much!!

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Early Riser wrote:
>
> Dave wrote:
>
> >
> > I don't really need any, as I never transmit out of band or anything,
> > but for some reason if it's there, I like to make the mod.
> >
> hahaha...well...I havent made the mods yet either but one of these days
> it may become an issue
> a friend has a book with the mods in it here it is (but you need a
> picture to do it)...
>
> 800Mhz recieve - install Q12 and Q16 chip of 2F unit (icom part
> #UN9110)
> expanded transmit - Loacte and remove Diode D15
> Expanded recieve - Press and hold [B] and [#] and turn on power AND
> install Q12 and Q16
> Cross Band repeat - Set freqs, Press [FUNC] and [D] and turn radio off.
> Press [MONI] and
> [RPT] and [#] and turn radio on. An 'L' appears on
> the display
> Cross Band off - press [MONI] and [RPT] and turn radio ON
>
> Mod book to buy call 818-843-4080
>
> Wonder why the cross band info is not in the official book...like its a
> secret or something...hummmm
> Are the cross banding instructions included in the Kenwoods instruction
> book?
>
> See ya Later.....Careful with the mods....

To turn my one of my Z1A's (the one that already has mod's) off for Cross band repeat I had to:

Press [MONI] and [RPT] and [#] and turn radio on.

"L" flashes when ever Crossband is active.

Are the cross banding instructions included in the Kenwoods instruction book?

YES - the Kenwood fully spells it out.

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I bought the Alinco 610. I got this one because I could remotely control frequency and memory selection by using the keypad on my ht. I have a 440 ht and use it for crosbanding back through the vehicle when I am on the fringe of coverage. It works fine but I would like to get a dual band ht. this would be handy at times..
Good luck

Ken N4HWL

3922. Alinco DJ-580T/Programing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Hogue <dXhogue@richnet.net>
Message-ID: <3381F0EE.6D79@richnet.net>
Source record: 175134

Has anyone heard of a means of using a computer link to program a DJ-580T.
(It's awful easy to reset them!)

I heard there was via the SP/Mic jacks, but, have not been able to find anything in WWW sites, newsgroups, or old magazine articles.

Thanks,
Dave WD8RWW

3923. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705208641.AA864143388@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 175135

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Today's Topics:
$450 YEASU 901DM
2E26 Tubes Tubes-4 Sale
Alinco ALX-2T
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas
FS:Very nice Yaesu FT1000 Station!
Heath manuals
IC-2700H Mod
IC 706 - modifications
Morse Pocket Trainer Help Needed
Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II
Private auto patch
Revised Price, Kenwood HF with options
UHF antenna plans
Yagi not above roof worth it?

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Date: 20 May 1997 04:27:13 GMT
From: childoking@aol.com (ChildOKing)
Subject: $450 YEASU 901DM

FT-901DM. AM FM SSB CW FSK. AC or DC. Keyer. APF CW filter. SSB filters=
=2E
VOX. TUNER. DIGITAL DISPLAY. ANALOG DISPLAY. Soild State plug in modula=
r.
Two tube higher quality finals. Meter. All kinds of inputs and outputs =
on
the back. Very sensitive ans seletive reciver. High output power. 100W.=
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All this for $450.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 16:59:03 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Subject: 2E26 Tubes Tubes-4 Sale

I HAVE A QUANTITY OF TUBE TYPE 2E26 FOR SALE. ALL BRAND NEW IN RCA
BOXES.

I WOULD LIKE TO SELL SAME SINCE I NO LONGER USE THESE.

I WOULD ENTERTAIN OFFERS. QUANTITY AVAILABLE COULD RUN TO 100 EACH.

JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 00:16:26 -0400
From: bacidoy@nac.net
Subject: Alinco ALX-2T

After three fine days at the Dayton Hamvention I found myself a great
deal. A good bussiness man who had a bos full of Alinco alx-2t' at a
price that could not be passed up however I don't seem to be able to
find any specs on the radio. such as the pin out of the speaker/mic or
all the functions of the buttons.

If any one knows anything about this radio please send me an email to=20=
=0A
justin@nac.net

Thanks.

Date: 20 May 97 12:05:02 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: stev=
e dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Mon, 19 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 554=

Today's Topics:
Any Saturn car owners here? Question!
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Jamboree On The Air - 1997?
WTB:SX-117 parts and HX-20
WTT: VHF MAXTRAC FOR UHF

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Date: Mon, 19 May 97 11:07:33 GMT
From: Tom@astro.net
Subject: Any Saturn car owners here? Question!

I just bought and recieved a new Saturn SL. I want to put my Kenwood=
241a=20
in her now. Theres a spot in the sterio console but there are metal bra=
ckets=20
preventing the rig from going all the way in so it's flush with the fro=
nt=20
panel. Also, if you have an SL where do you run the battery wires throu=
gh the=20
firewall? Any help appreciated!

73!

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.=20
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!
=20
Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS =20
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division =20
=20
My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:=20
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html =
=20
=20
Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET! =20

Date: 19 May 97 12:32:24 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: stev=
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Ham-Equip Digest Sun, 18 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 549=

Today's Topics:
Astron RS-35M, good idea??? (2 msgs)
Comments on HTX-202
Conversion?
Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?
FS: ITC Cart Machines
FS Kenwood TS-60 (3 msgs)
HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ... (2 msgs)
Illegal Transmission (2 msgs)
Looking for manual for Heathkit
Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?
Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?
Yeasu FT-736R

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Date: 19 May 1997 01:56:25 GMT
From: "Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Hello,
I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I rea=
lize it is
more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I ne=
ed
more amps in the future. I have three questions:
1)is this a good power supply?
2)is my thinking sound as far as future expansion goes or should I save=

some money and get a smaller power supply?
3)will I be popping 15amp house breakers with this or does it depend on=

what is running off the power supply? right now I have two computer on =
this
circuit and no way to run a new outlet, I could turn one off when on th=
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air but one computer I will need.

73's and thanks for your help. Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
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Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, a=
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and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is construe=
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as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.

Date: 19 May 1997 02:28:07 GMT
From: "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Go for it. I bought a VS50M 7 years ago. It has served well for whate=
ver
comes in and out of the shack.
I currently power my TS870 HF rig. and all my VHF and UHF stuff (since =
I
never xmit simultaneously)
so 1) yes it is a good pwr supply, 2) sound thinking - you can never h=
ave
too much 12VDC capacity,
3) No, it is not a significant 12VAC drain to pop breakers.

Have fun es Gud DX

cheers

Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote in article
<01bc63f8$1cdfcec0$3008aacf@viking.add-inc.com>...
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Date: 19 May 1997 02:12:01 GMT
From: charnoft@wfu.edu (Forrest T. Charnock)
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

Robert (Bob) Diaz (cqbdiaz@pacbell.net) wrote:
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: I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it su=
re=20
: does what I want it to do.=20
:=20
:=20
: I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's =
a matter
: of what factors are critical to them:
:=20
: Cost
: Single or Dual Band
: Size & Weight of the unit
: . . .

4th: Are you really going to use out-of-band recieve?
^^^^^^
**=
**
Olin Physical Lab Wake Forest University Winston-Salem, =
NC
* * * http://www.wfu.edu/~charnoft KE4RJG * * *=
=20
All science is either physics or stamp collecting. --Ernest Rutherfor=
d

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 02:44:09 GMT
From: gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell)
Subject: Conversion?

The FT-990 and the TS-570D(S) Are both these rigs double conversion
RX?? Tnx and 73

N1MSV

Date: 18 May 1997 19:57:18 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?

You might want to check Sears. They have a bunch of chargers and a =

few have a switch position for deep cycle batteries. I have seen charge=
rs=20
at Walmart with the same feature. --- Steve N9ROU

Date: 18 May 1997 22:49:52 GMT
From: jasensteve@aol.com (JasenSteve)
Subject: FS: ITC Cart Machines

For Sale: one of the the most reliable pieces of equipment
ever made for radio...

ITC MONO CART player/recorder

mono machines, with manual, service records
new heads were installed during pre-storage overhaul
outstanding condition

TWO machines are available

$150 each + shipping. firm. US Funds.

Also available: tapecaster 150 player/recorder
reel to reel circa late 50's early 60's=

panasonic personal 4track circa 1970's?=

e-mail serious inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket=

mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
--
****
Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.

Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
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Date: 17 May 1997 19:58:28 GMT
From: "Michael Mello" <kq7e@sprynet.com>
Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

Sounds like the hardware (if it's rusty, that's you're problem) is acti=
ng

as a non-linear rectifier. When the different transmitters key, the RF=

mixes in the rusty joints, and you now have some rather spectacular, al=
beit
unwanted, RF products floating around. These may not be evident on UHF=
=2E =20

I had a Phelps Dodge Station Master in a fiberglass radome go bad, and
would produce the same results. What died were a few of the antenna
elements inside the radome, which is really a PITA to get into. They w=
ere
intermittent, flexed about, and whenever the TX keyed up, generated
crackles, noises, and non-linear products all over God's creation. Sam=
e
effect. So, that's two things to look at, rusty hardware (replace it, =
bond
around it, etc) or bad antenna (take it down and fix/replace it). =20

Now, if you are using the DB Products, (say a DB214) you'll definitely =
want
to bond the top mast to the bottom mast with a few pieces of good braid=
=2E=20
The two pieces, while fitting into one another, do get corrosion in the=

joint, and give the same wonderful noise problems.

Good luck!

73, Mike N5MJ (ex KQ7E)

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>.=
=2E.
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>=20
> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" no=
ise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing. Here is the scenario.=

> We were donated a spot on a wooden utily pole which sticks out of the=

> ground (the earth here is rock with a couple inches of soil over it)
> about 85 ft. There are 4x4 wooden cross arm systems at a couple place=
s
> on the pole. At each cross arm there are 2) 4x4's bolted through the
> pole with u-clamps at the ends. This is where the 2" pipes are clampe=
d to
> 4x4's for the antenna mounting. All 4 UHF machines work well. No nois=
e.
> The VHF one does not. If the wind blows, the noise gets so strong it
> kicks incoming signals right out of the repeater. We have checked all=

> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was=

> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal
> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire whic=
h
> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is th=
at
> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current=
,
> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If ever=
y
> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the=

> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded
> "cracklies"?? How can we get a decent RF ground for VHF in the earth
> on top of this mountain? Any ideas would be more than greatly
> appreciated. Thanks for your help.
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> George
>=20
> gworth@ibm.net
> s, and
> can usually get back to them.
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> advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
> and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world=
=2E
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> Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:
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> 1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left i=
t
> when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you
> turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice.
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> 2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many
> operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In=

> day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the=

> night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other=

> ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band=
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> one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When
> listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute
> automaticly regardless of which is primary.
>=20
> Good luck Joshua!!

>=20
> Dave - KE4YDY

And don't forget that it doesn't clone either. >: Of course it can be=

programmed (and stored) on a computer like the commercial versions, but=

they clone and this one won't. Check out http://www.acsys.com for info=
,
the TV-V7 version is out now. I have no affiliation with anyone except=

the fire department.

Nice radio by the way, I like that you can split the incoming and
outgoing PL tones (finally).

Rick

Date: 18 May 1997 13:08:36 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

I <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go=

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served m=
e
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercia=
l
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with th=
e
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but =
I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...=

>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>
I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the
car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My
only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a
speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I
really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker

location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and can usually get back to them. =20

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Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 15:15:04 GMT
From: jjm@shore.net (jjm@shore.net)
Subject: Illegal Transmission

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys=

>cigarettes.

I've yet to see someone transmit through a cigarette.

> And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
>possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license befor=
e
>they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ha=

m
>bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who wants =
to
>break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedicate=
d,
>and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who asks=
,
>"May I please see your Ham license?"

>What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.

You are asking amateur radio dealers to become policmen then? It's
not up to dealers to determine or to enforce any rules on who can and
cannot operate transmitting equipment. And, not all hams carry copies
of their amateur licenses when they go into retail establishments...do
you refuse to sell to them? This is bucket 'o worms material.

Also, not ALL illegal transmissions are caused by unlicensed
operators. I'd venture to say the vast majority of illegal
transmissions are caused by licensed individuals or groups. Either
for some political agenda, personal vendetta or the like. With more
and more folks getting into the hobby we are going have a wider
diversity of personalities -- good and bad. MORE - this means of both
types - hence a greater number of infractions.

I have worked in the amateur retail business. I have sold
transmitting equipment to unlicensed individuals. There was and is no
law telling me to do otherwise. As a matter of fact it was my
understanding I would have been breaking laws by refusing to sell to
anyone.

We (as hams) don't really like this but for now there is not much we
can do about it except to remain self-policing and to do what it takes
- legally - to squelch these unhappy, psychologically challenged
persons. =20

This same topic seems to come up about every six months or so and has
been hash and rehashed. If you want to use analogies, etc. what about
someone with a Technician license? Not a Tech Plus mind you. Should
that person be prohibited from owning a piece HF equipment? They
don't have a license for it.... Should radios be manufactured for
each class of amateur license? So, when you upgrade your ticket you
have to upgrade your equipment also? If someone plans to become a
ham, why can't they have the transmitting equipment already in their
possession? There are a lot of things to think about. This truly can
be a bucket 'o worms.

The ideas of this text are mine alone and in no way reflect the
opinions or policies of any company or companies I may contract with
or be employed by. Any editing of this text nullifies its context.

Jim, WK1V
ex-KA5MWD, N1CLS, KB1LW, HL9ZF
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Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:04 -0700
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Subject: Illegal Transmission

Jimmy Kahn wrote:
>=20
> Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone bu=
ys
> cigarettes. And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't =
it
> possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license bef=
ore
> they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the =
Ham
> bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who want=
s to
> break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedica=
ted,
> and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who as=
ks,
> "May I please see your Ham license?"
>=20
> What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.
>=20
> 73,
> Jimmy Kahn, WA2ILK

Yes, I'd love to see the laws change where one MUST show proof that the=
y
have a ham license before they could purchase any ham transmitters. As=
for
mail order, if I place a phone order as KF6JHG, the call sign database
will have my address. If I want them to ship to another address, then =

a fax (or photocopy) of the license would be required.

I'll guess that Radio Shack wouldn't like that law. It might cut a lit=
tle
into their sales. However it would cut down on the sales of equipment =
to
the jammers and jerks.

I'm sure that some Bozo who wants to buy the equipment will find a way =

around the system, but such a law would slow or stop most of them.

73,

Bob KF6JHG

--=20

If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start =

of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM =

programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 16:00:58 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>=20
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought=

> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark
I saw an advertisement in the classified ads of QST where the Heath
manuals can be obtained. They claimed to be the only authorized source=

of the manuals, but I kind of doubt if the copyright could be valid
anymore. Brian

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 21:18:37 GMT
From: majestic@nildram.co.uk (Mike MJ-12)
Subject: Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?

Can anyone please advise on the subject of programming a Motorola
Radius GP300 VHF synthesized handset with a PC, is it possible ?
can an interface be constructed ? any advice or addresses where I can
obtain this information is much appreciated, Mike. =20

"The best way to predict the
future is to invent it...."
majestic@nildram.co.uk=20

Date: 18 May 1997 17:44:03 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)

Subject: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

why are you so mean? you probly listen to cell conversations all the
time so dont give us that crap!

Date: 18 May 97 23:19:39 GMT
From: ve1rj@ns.sympatico.CA (Bill McFadden)
Subject: Yeasu FT-736R

I am wondering if anyone has any answers to a question I have about=20
the FT-736R.

I have just put in the 6M module and have played around a bit with=20
the scanning option on the rig. I want to be able to scan from say=20
50.100 to 50.200. During my research I have to have the squelch up in=20=
=0Aorder for it to scan properly. Playing with the RF gain and the=20
Squelch I was able to get it to scan satisfactorly and it is able to=20=
=0Apick up weak stations and stop scanning. I am using the pause button=
=20
in so it only pauses for 5 secs then carries on. Stopping almost=20
immediately again because of the signal. This is good because I know=20=
=0Asomeone is on there.
However, my biggest problem is the bloody beep it makes when stopping=20=
=0Athe scan, when starting over the scan (using pms) or even when=20
hitting buttons.=20

Is there anyway in turning this beep off?

Tx in advance

Bill (VE1RJ)

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 1997 03:41:39 GMT
From: "Rocco Conte" <rocco@superior.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>=20
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Ra=
dio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>=20
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reaso=
n I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me the=
ir
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the=

> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good ab=
out
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel=
as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. =
If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already k=
now
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people=
at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,=

> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I=

> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up w=
ith
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I.=
"=20
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They h=
ave
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mai=
l
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not s=
ure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way the=
y
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>=20
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-c=
ode
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see wh=
at
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operato=
rs.

Is the problem them or you. I have asked many questions of the people
at HRO and never had any problems. The sales people have always been
super and the service has been the same.
I guess that you had a bad day and took it out on them????

Rocco
=20

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:12 -0400
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Jim wrote:
>=20
> Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
> >
> > I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the=
Air
> > event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participa=
te
> > next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> > planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
> >
> > 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
> >
> > QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
> >
> > http://www.3doptics.com
> Ron,
>=20
> JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.
>=20
> It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, yo=
u
> can plan your JOTA activities for any year
>=20
> I hope that you have a good time on it.
>=20
> 73,
>=20
> Jim, ZL2APE,
> New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
> jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Thanks to all who pointed me in the right direction on the JOTA. The
local scouts are really excited about this and we definitely will be on=

the air in October.

73 de WA1UWZ

Date: 16 May 1997 11:26:21 -0600
From: msix@mack.rt66.com (John W7ZFB)
Subject: WTB:SX-117 parts and HX-20

SX-117 any condx or parts:
s-meter/s-meter bracket/xtals/top&bottom cover
any or all!!!
Heathkit HX-20 mobile transmitter

email phone - will call for details.

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73 - John W7ZFB at msix@rt66.com

Snail -=20
Fone -=20

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 07:46:21 -0400
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: WTT: VHF MAXTRAC FOR UHF

I have a VHF 16 Freq 25Watt maxtrac I would like to trade for a UHF
Maxtrac/Radius of the same specs. Can program the VHF before shippment.=

Tom

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 07:28:09 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: FS:Very nice Yaesu FT1000 Station!

I have a single owner FT1000 station for 2500.00 shipped in the lower
48 states and insured. I have all the boxes and the station includes a
SP5 speaker and the BPF1 module. It has all the current updates and
software. The unit is in excellent condition other than two small
scratches on the bottom form running patch cords. The sides. top and
front are spotless. If intrested in this nice station please call me
at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me at jsjones@rbnet.com. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

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Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:55:57 -0400
From: Steve <semann@nr.infi.net>
Subject: Heath manuals

Manuals may still be available from Heath. I purchased two photocopies=

of manuals from them in Oct. '95 after tracking them down through
directory asistance. The address on my invoice is
HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022.
Sorry, but the phone number is not listed on the invoice. The copies
cost me about $25 each and were for manuals copyrighted 1963.

Steve, N4EY

Date: 20 May 1997 00:04:05 GMT
From: rdgrantii@aol.com (RDGRANT II)
Subject: IC-2700H Mod

Is there a modification for the IC-2700H to receive 800 MHZ???

Please e-mail me at RDGRANTII@AOL.COM with a reply.. THANKS!!

KC5CYQ

Date: 20 May 1997 05:58:08 GMT
From: "Haroldo Santos Filho" <hsf@nutecnet.com.br>
Subject: IC 706 - modifications

Could anyone help me sending the modification circuit for Icon 706?
I=B4ll be thanked for the attention.
Bye!
Haroldo - PP1 HS - Advanced Class
Brazil - South America

Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 02:32:21 GMT
From: rbritt@visi.net (Richard Brittingham)
Subject: Morse Pocket Trainer Help Needed

I have a deluxe Pocket Morse Code trainer made by Computer Aided
Technology. If anyone has one of these I need to know the mode off of
the instruction sheet. I know how to set the speed and I know mode 3
is QSO and mode 6 is Groups. I forgot the rest. Thanks.....

rbritt@visi.net

73
W4MCD

Date: Mon, 19 May 97 21:11:08 GMT
From: jmc@qnet.com (JMcAulay)
Subject: Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II

In article <338057C6.2636@ix.netcom.com>,
AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>Dean Hemphill, K5DH wrote:=20
>> Greetings, BA lovers!
>> I picked up a Johnson Viking II this weekend at the Fort=20
Worth swap
>> meet for the paltry sum of $25. It's all there and in=20
restorable
>> condition. What I didn't get was a manual and schematic.=20
Anyone
>> have a book on the Viking II that I can borrow and copy?=20
I promise
>> to treat it carefully and return it promptly, and I'll=20
pay all of
>> the postage costs both ways. I'd prefer to do the=20
copying myself.
>>=20
>> Thanks and 73!
>> Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net
>---

>Good Morning Dean -- In case no comes forward with the=20
manual, you can
>find several vendors who specialize in manuals at URL:
>http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageaae.html
>At least one of these has the manual you seek, but cost is=20
about what u
>paid for the rig!!
>
>Keep the Boat Anchors Afloat
>73
>Rod in San Diego

Hi, all:
Don Beehler lists "service information" (may not be an=20
original-type manual -- my S-38 stuff turned out to be a=20
copy of Sam's, plus Ad info) at a mere $6.00 plus postage=20
for either Viking II or Viking II "CDC," whatever that is. =20
=20
Don Beehler=20
456 Bennett Street
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

(716) 694-8447

Hope this helps.

73
John WA6QPL

Date: 20 May 1997 04:16:08 GMT
From: childoking@aol.com (ChildOKing)
Subject: Private auto patch

Clear long range comunications now alow you to take calls on simplex. Y=
ou
are the control operator. It's between you and the FCC alone.
FOR SALE - CS-900 Simplex auto interconect. Vox and delay. Speed dials.=

Lock-outs (441,911,1-,976). Call waiting. CW IDer. DTMF or bell rings.
Works great through a cross-bander. Monoband is all that's needed. Natu=
ral
conversations. Range is as far as you can otherwise comunicate. Cleaner=

sound than a cell phone. NO per minute charges. $379

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:20:46 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: Revised Price, Kenwood HF with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 5/18/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,=20
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 950=20

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766 =20

Date: 20 May 1997 02:18:27 GMT
From: "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: UHF antenna plans

Good for you in wanting to make your own antenna! Channel 25 has an au=
dio
carrier freq at 541.25 MHz (video extends 4.5MHz below). The ARRL hand=
book
and the ARRL Antenna handbook have how-to-build articles for antennas i=
n
the 70cm (420-450MHz) band. They include yagis, corner reflectors, etc.=

the build-to examples give frequency/dimension guides that will make it=

very easy for you to build
one for 540 MHz instead (it will be a little smaller than the ham freq=

versions).

If you can't (or don't want to) buy one (handbook) -- the local library=

(community or university) will have a copy.

30 miles isn't tooooo bad for those frequencies (depending on terrain),=
so
anything should improve. Ghosts are typically from
reflections so you might benefit from directivity more than gain.=20

Go ahead an experiment -- remember the age old quote "All antennas work=
-
some just better than others"

Cheers

mucky@eonet.com wrote in article <864065197.26389@dejanews.com>...
> Hi,
>=20
> I hope this is posted in the correct newsgroup.
>=20
> I live about 30 mile from the nearest uhf translator.
>=20
> Well, channel 25 is very ghosty. Sooo I am hoping to make an antenna.=

>=20
> Does anyone out there, have plans to build a UHF antenna?
>=20
> If so would you e-mail me the plans?
>=20
> Thank you,
>=20
> The White Knight
>=20
> ------------------=3D=3D=3D=3D Posted via Deja News =3D=3D=3D=3D----=

> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet
>=20

Date: 20 May 1997 03:07:05 GMT
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Subject: Yagi not above roof worth it?

gain is gain and the small lower elevation of the yagi should not meen =

anything. Norman N8RGR

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3924. Re: MFJ 9420 rig--opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5lsnb2$6t3@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 175136

In article <5lsab8$7e3@newsgate.duke.edu>, jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu says...
>
>Been looking at the MFJ-9420 in their catalog; it's a 20-m
>non-digital SSB transceiver, single conversion, 12 w output.
>I've been thinking that that rig might be a lot of fun to play
>with in the car. Hey, I know 100 watts to a dipole isn't the
>hot ticket on 20, so 12 watts to a mobile antenna might be worse.
>But does anybody out there own one of these rigs? Does it work
>well? Is it fun? Can you really use it on 20, or are you
>too overpowered?

I don't own a 9420 myself, but the QST review on it last year
was quite favorable. I've heard a couple of them on the air,
and they sounded good (when the KW+ boys weren't stomping on
them).

As a full-time QRPer, I can tell you that it's a real kick to
operate with low power, and it's a big-time challenge, but be
prepared for some serious frustration. It is just about not
possible to compete with the big guys on SSB when operating
QRP (actually, it's darn hard even with 100 Watts). However,
the contacts you do make will be far more rewarding than the
ones you make with a KW, which is like shooting fish in a
barrel. Try it! If you do buy the 9420, be sure to also get
the CW adaptor and try some QRP CW (much easier than QRP SSB).

73 / 72,
Dean K5DH/QRP -- "all QRP, all the time!"

3925. Icom W32 Mods Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wvkirk@juno.com
Message-ID: <3381e265.637049@news.kanza.net>
Source record: 175137

Anyone aware of any mods for the Icom W-32 HT. I am most interested in extended receive. I have no need for additional transmit. Any help appreciated.

3926. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705208641.AA864145668@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 175138

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Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Date: 20 May 97 12:05:07 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Mon, 19 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 553

Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas (2 msgs)

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:11 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Sun, 18 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 547

Today's Topics:
4-SALE VHF & UHF
For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)
FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901
FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)
FS: R-1000 Receiver
FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901
FS Kenwood TS-60
FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options
FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?
Hammarlund HQ-100
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R
NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE
Need IC-25a repaired/replaced
News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr
TS50S wanted
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
Vibroplex Parts on eBay
WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter
WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus
Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B. MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled mobile transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna. Brand new in factory box. @ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used W/HX-300V . Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. @ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - 6 channel. No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig indoors. @ $ 75.00

2EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO BOX. May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1 EA 70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in factory box
@ $25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held portables. (Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. @ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

AMATEUR.DOC

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT
From: sra@pluto.njcc.com (Seth)
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)
dual battery rapid charger
spare standard battery
3 function speaker mic
clip on case
modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler
KB2WLU
sra@pluto.njcc.com
Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for
sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. Price
is $235.00 + shipping.

73's
Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.
Original owner, original box and manuals.
Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig
box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.
This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx
Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163

e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT
From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>
Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig
>
> Yeasu FT2500M
> Icom IC-2000
> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I can
tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice features,
plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any rig
I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one ham's
opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:
>
> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

>
> 73's
> Craig
> --
> **
> * Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
> * Civil Engineering Student *
> * University of New Hampshire *
> * ph. (603)862-7804 *
> * *
> * mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
> * http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
> * *
> **********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT
From: "Pat Wilson" <pw@i2020.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to 2
pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the

> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>

Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>

Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. Please
help.

thx,
Jimmy
n3wiw
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT
From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt (Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)
Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!
I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives of,
but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a schematic
to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer
to
the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic or
to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)
Thanks in advance
73' de CT2FYW
Pedro

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+---+
Pedro Gabriel Almeida
e-mail : pga@cc.fc.ul.pt
fax+data+voice : +351 1 938 88 60 28800/14400 8N1
CB : CALIMERO (CQS8351) CH26
HAM : CT2FYW 145.55 434.55 R4 R2X
... e sempre que o Homem sonha,
o mundo pula e avanca ...
Antonio Gedeao
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Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT
From: "John Scott Mackey" <jmackey@com.mcn.net>
Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our group is
out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix or
replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver is good
but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact me.

John Mackey
KA5IDI
--
To detour spamers: reply to this message
by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the following address:
jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25
From: 218@sandh.com
Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look for, News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested in messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a search expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes both UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs binary files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they are available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of newsgroups, selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for the missing parts, and rebuilds the entire file when the last part arrives. It even combines parts found on different days and in different newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send e-mail messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your phone line only when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up the phone when it is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and news servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read messages and view pictures while it downloads and decodes more messages.

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News Rover is getting rave reviews...

D.G. says: I downloaded News Rover last night... I ordered this morning. I don't know how much time I saved. I give your product two thumbs up!!!

T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, and it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my 100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, but I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

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Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.)
Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's upcoming
(Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ (I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT
From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)
Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)
236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT
From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com (Greg Maddux)
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer
<k5wim@voyageronline.net> wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV antenna
on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works fine. I
haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no spam>"@bellsouth.net>
Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=dqw401949

Mary
mary.evans@bellsouth.net
remove <no spam> to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT
From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim Sheffield)
Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -
the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49
mobile bracket.

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me
at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT
From: davide70@aol.com (DavidE70)
Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a
manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does anyone
know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* (about
40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, I'd
appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- me
or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

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via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wTHJ9-0009lvC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sun, 18 May 1997 21:32:15 -0400 (EDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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Date: Sun, 18 May 97 16:24:48 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:15 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Today's Topics:
**********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT***********
ADI AT-600: What's Going On?
Antenna for condo with re
Astatis D-104 Impedence
California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "downconverter=
s" - microwave reception components for applications world-wide in Wire=
less Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.
Code Quick Question
FS: ACC-8850 Controller
FS: Desk mic
FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver
FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

Hammarlund HQ-100
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
Jamboree On The Air - 1997?
Motorola HT
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SO much for customer service!
Which Dual Band HT?? (2 msgs)
Which HT to start with? (2 msgs)
WTB: 500hz filter for ts50
WTB: Icom R1
wtb dualband mobile
Yaesu FT 767 GX

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the officia=
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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT
From: adavydov1@aol.com (ADavydov1)
Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 meter HT for
$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and manual. The ve=
ry
first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from the
power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I soldered=
it
back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, and
closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the unit
won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. Then =
I
tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and a=
ll
I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in the
right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the anten=
na
wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If anyone=

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very poor
access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo S1 H=
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is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,
ADavydov1@aol.com
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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Co=
mm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days ago. =20

Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? same
thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too much... I am sure
we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=20
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph (Walter Cang)
Subject: Antenna for condo with re
=0D=0D=0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I woul=
d like to
know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? I'v=
e
heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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S TAGLIN

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net (John B. Lawrence)
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700
From: satdish@primenet.com (Barny)
Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "down=
converters" - microwave reception components for applications world-wid=
e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest line=
of
>satellite television products in the
>world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite
>operators, distributors and dealers around the
>world.=20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they =
were
>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer
>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The =
high
>performance Ku-Band product line is
>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and DB=
S
>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, =
Inc.
>is ready to serve your satellite television
>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=B9s Web Site at=20
>http://www.calamp.com

>--=20
>Esther Goodman
>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom! <g>
I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories
http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=20
http://www.satwarehouse.com/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =20
Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =20
http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400
From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam (Michael P. Deignan)
Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>,
Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com> wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently h=
and
>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse =
to
>> die. =20
>
>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this Extra=

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and 3.70=
0
>to 3.725.=20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't c=
ount!

MD
--=20
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
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-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>
Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern Calif=
=2E

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT
From: w2up@bellatlantic.net (Barry Kutner)
Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at
Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,
built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable offers
considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT
From: vidgames@netcom.com (Andy Eddy)
Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 pl=
us
shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
if
you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack
(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably i=
n
fine working order.=20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right =
now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
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If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blam=
e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT
From: Goode@centuryinter.net (Goode)
Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but w=
as=20
rejected. please answer asap.
73's
james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
> in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)

> 25 watts
> 5 memory channels
> scan
> touchtone mic
> mobil bracket
> manual
> box
>=20
> this rig has worked flawless for me
> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=20
> bought new radio
> will ship cont U.S.
> price.....130.00
> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's
Craig
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* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *=20
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* * =
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**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go=

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served m=
e
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercia=
l
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with th=

e
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but =
I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...=

>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and can usually get back to them. =20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute automaticly regardless of which is primary. =20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400
From: Trevor <corky@sunline.net>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
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> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the A=
ir
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate=

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>=20
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>=20
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>=20
> http://www.3doptics.com
The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a
link which you may find helpful
http://www.ocbsa.org/troop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org> wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and on=
e HT
:600 model.
:
:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use)
:without interfering with commerical folks?
:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them lega=
lly?
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Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham
frequencies.
=20
Barry

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Date: 17 May 1997 22:32:36 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for m=
y=20
100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the=20=
=0APanasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experie=
nce=20
with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I=
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don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, b=
ut=20
I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 06:53:31 -0700
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
Subject: SO much for customer service!

In article <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconnect.com>, toms@inconnect.inconnect.=
com
(Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Robert Langston wrote:
>
>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about=
to=20
>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for =
$4.=20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
--=20
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like comment=
s
good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both regularly.=

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband a=
nd=20
one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like =

a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,
Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote:

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>good, bad and otherwise on the following:

>Alinco DJ-G5

>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics in
the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be
applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along with,
not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of
the radios you listed do.

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and=20
>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like=
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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but rather a
feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one
band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set
the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two
meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.
Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don
regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700
From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>

Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency an=
d training nets.=20
Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as exp=
erienced ones. =20
It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS repea=
ter freqs. =20
Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this fe=
ature were more=20
generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area, consider=
radios that can=20
be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =20
Neil AB4YK.=20
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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to s=
tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com> wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as=20
:Standard, ADI, or ???=20
:
:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in=20
:a good, basic HT.=20
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You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to
148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio
since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out
of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out
of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation
and possible accidental out of band txing.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT
From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>
Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=20
Jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net
tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700
From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>
Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please
email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto
hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>
Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT
From: "Seu-login" <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=B4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=B4s
Geraldo-PY2VZU

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3927. Re: Tek 603 Manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@emails.org
Message-ID: <3381e4c5.19178656@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 175139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Manuals may be found for this, via:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mega/manuals.htm

On Mon, 19 May 1997 17:25:59 GMT, mne@cmu.edu (Matt Ettus) wrote:

>Hi. I need either a copy of, or a whole manual for the tektronix 603
>XY display
>
>Its the one with analog storage mode.
>
>I got 2 at Dayton, one work, the other needs calibration
>
>If I can't get a manual, I'd sell the one which needs cal
>
>Matt
>N2MJI
>mne@cmu.edu
>

3928. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 22:00:21 GMT
From: cmos@microserve.net (cmos)
Subject: Address for Herdbach and Rademan in PA

On Thu, 15 May 1997 06:32:25 -0700, "John T. Young"
<jtyoung@u.washington.edu> wrote:

>Anyone have the address or phone # for Herdbach and Rademan of PA? I need
>their catalogue. Many thanks, John, K7JY, Seattle.
>
16 Roland Ave.
Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054

1-800-848-8001
http://www.herbach.com

Date: 19 May 1997 13:39:53 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

I've been using the same Astron RS-35M since I bought it new in 1984.
I run all of my gear on it at one time! I've had only one problem,
and it was minor. The on/off switch contacts welded themselves in
the ON position. I have a master on/off switch for the station, so

I just ignored the bad power switch on the RS-35M for several years. Eventually, I replaced it with a better switch. I also added some heavy duty 5-way binding posts to the front panel for quicker power connections for temporary use (I still use the big bolts on the back panel for permanent connections to my main gear). All in all, I'd say there is probably not a more reliable p/s on the market than the Astron line. You cannot go wrong with an Astron.

I would AVOID the cheap Pyramid supplies... junk!

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 11:55:23 GMT
From: gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell)
Subject: Conversion?

The FT-990 and the TS-570D(S) Are both rigs double conversion RX??

Tnx and 73 N1MSV

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:07:27 -0700
From: "Ray S. Linton" <linton@mhv.net>
Subject: DR1200 CTCSS Tone?

I have an Alinco DR1200 Data Radio. Is it supposed to have tone encode/decode? The manual implies yes, and the display indicates ENC or ENC/DEC but no tone is emitted.

I have tried it on several known CTCSS repeaters plus my HT which has decode. No luck. Do I need an additional board or does my radio have a problem?

Thanks and 73
Ray, N2SPF

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 00:14:13 -0700
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Subject: FS: computers

I have 2 computers for sale.

1. 486DX4-100 CPU with Monitor. Includes CDROM; 8 meg RAM; microphone; multi media powered speakers; many extras....
$650.00 OBO

2. IBM PS2 386 computer with monitor and printer. Excellent condition. Some software installed.
$500.00 OBO

I will take any reasonable offers or trades for HF equipment.

Pls call: (702) 647-4446 home or (702) 595-6901 cellular....

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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * AAR9BA@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net

Date: 19 May 1997 21:17:48 GMT
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Subject: FS: Icom IC728 Station

Hello all,

I have a new in the box IC728, purchased in February, along with
the AT160 auto tuner, UI7 AM/FM module, and the FL100 500hz CW
filter.

This is a full featured 100W rig, 100Khz to 30Mhz, triple
conversion receiver, AM/FM/CW/SSB, passband tuning, speech
processor, programmable tuning steps, NB/PreAmp/Attenuator, the
works. All in a compact package. I paid $1650, asking $1250.

All items are new, in the box, and complete.

Thanks es 73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6
drasmussen@eosintl.com
(619) 434-6135

Date: 19 May 1997 21:14:20 GMT
From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>
Subject: FS: ICOM RADIOS

I still have the two Icom's that I'm trying to help a widow sell, must
sell. They are as follows:

IC 271a- almost new like condition with manual and original box $425.00
shipped
IC 471a- very nice condition, has small scratches on case, has build in
P.S., manual and original box $450.00
prices include shipping in conusa
Owner was a non smoker

tks & 73
jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net

Date: 19 May 1997 21:13:58 GMT
From: "Kevin " <n8zjn@your-net.com>
Subject: FS Icom IC736 $1350.00

I have for sale an Icom 736 bought as Demo in Sept. 96, only
used on 6M. This is an HF + 6M rig w/built in tuner 160-6, 100
watts output all bands also has a built in PS. I have Box,Manual
and will ship Fed-Ex CONUS for $1350.00. Tnx.

Kevin Bishop 73
de N8ZJN EM79xk
50-1296 MHz

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:42:22 -0400
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Subject: FS KENWOOD TS450S

I have a TS 450S in excellent condition. It includes an automatic
antenna tuner, a SSB filter and a CW filter. I have modified it for
increased TX frequencies and increased front end sensitivity.
I am asking $950 with the filter or $825 without the filters.

Please send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:44:08 -0400
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Subject: FS MFJ DSP FILTER

I have a MFJ DSP filter (MFJ-784B) in excellent condition. I am asking
$150.

Send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Date: 20 May 97 01:40:21 GMT
From: w5rg@juno.COM (Bob Gibson)
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest

The TS-930 parts radio has been sold, Thanks very much Bob.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:31:51 -0400
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

William Nolle wrote:
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> Charlie Durand wrote:
> >
> > Good morning,
> >
> > I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
> >
> > I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> > make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> > business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> > service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> > basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> > customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> > taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> > feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> > if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> > I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> > "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> > the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> > questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> > Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> > and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> > walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> > the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> > Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> > you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> > order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> > level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> > why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> > do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
> >
> > Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> > technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> > percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>
> Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
> --
> Bill

I feel the same way as you about the attitude of the sales staff. The
funny thing is that the NEW SALESPEOPLE have a much more friendly
attitude than the salespeople who have been there for a while. I think
that is because the salespeople who have been around really want out but
can't land a better job. So they languish at HRO and take out their
frustrations on the NEW HAMS.I have ordered just recently and had a
positive experience with a New Salesman. BOB FERRARO (owner of HRO)
should dump the salespeople with attitudes or send them to therapy.

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:40 GMT
From: pkluwe@aol.com (PKluwe)
Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing...

Have the repeater users try "GAS-X." It can prove to be most helpful in
these situations...

73, Paul, W8ZO

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 15:19:00 GMT
From: dlaidlaw@slip.net (D. Laidlaw)
Subject: ICOM IC-32A MOD

Does anybody have any mods for this radio, thanks.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:23:28 -0700
From: "Christopher C. Sigsbee" <rpenguin@cdsnet.net>
Subject: Icom IC-T7A

Looking for any and all mods to the Icom IC-T7A. Thanks!
-Chris

Date: 19 May 1997 17:27:28 GMT
From: greg@snoopy.gwr.com (Greg)
Subject: Kenwood TM-V7A Mods

Greetings,

I picked up a TM-V7A in Dayton. I was wondering if anyone knows of any
mods to extend the transmit on it. Thanks.

Greg

Date: 19 May 1997 22:15:08 GMT
From: Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se (Ulf Lange)
Subject: Kenwood TS-60S 6 m All Mode TRCVR: experience wanted

Anyone having experience from the TS-60S? Impression?
Is the AGC selectable between slow and fast (in RX mode)?

Please, send a copy of your answer via email to Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se

73's de SM6FYQ/Ulf

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:46:23 -0400
From: Steve <semann@nr.infi.net>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

> Mark Mansfield wrote:
> >
> > I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> > Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> > selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and

snip!

I called Heath Co. in 1995 (got their # through directory assistance)
and obtained photocopies of origional manuals. They ran about $25 a
piece! The invoice does not have a telephone number but the adr is

HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

The manuals I bought from them had a 1963 copyright date.

Steve, N4EY

Date: 19 May 1997 09:48:00 -0700
From: Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
Subject: modifications to TH-79

Vik Bajaj wrote:
>
> Are there any software modifications that can be done to the TH-79A
> (i.e. without cutting microscopic surface mount components)?
>

There are several mods which involve removing diodes. If you aren't
interested in that, cutting the green wire which is accessable by
removing the ctscc module will give a modest increase in coverage
(118-174, 420-450). Reset the microprocessor afterwards.

Bob

--
Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 21:47:25 GMT
From: kf4lhp@digicron.com (Matthew Sadler, KF4LHP)
Subject: Motorola MT500 - Need Manual!

Wanted:

Manual for Motorola MT500 HT, model # H33BBU3124AN. Copies OK too.
I'll gladly pay S & H for a copy or an original.

Thanks! Please reply via email.

Matthew, KF4LHP

Date: 19 May 1997 21:45:01 GMT
From: pdnaumann@aol.com (PDNAUMANN)
Subject: PD 8010 Installation - Twists

Who has the trick of the trade to install the PD 8010 multi-band dipole
antenna without any twists, and stay that way in the air? There must be a
trick that I don't know. It can be perfect on the ground, but when you
put it up, it seems impossible. Any ideas would certainly be appreciated.
Send me an e-mail to PDNAUMANN@AOL.COM Thanks Paul KD0X.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:25:59 GMT
From: mne@cmu.edu (Matt Ettus)
Subject: Tek 603 Manual needed

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XY display

Its the one with analog storage mode.

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If I can't get a manual, I'd sell the one which needs cal

Matt
N2MJI
mne@cmu.edu

Date: 19 May 1997 19:02:31 GMT
From: "Mike Havener" <mhavener@peinc.com>
Subject: TH-78 cloning mode

I've heard that the TH-78 can be set to a clone mode, just like the TH-79.
Has anybody else heard this, and if so what is the procedure for entering
this mode.

Thanks,
Mike Havener / KE6FJT
mhavener@ni.net

http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 00:30:22 GMT
From: Wankeri@xerox.com (Wanker)
Subject: TH-78 cloning mode

If I remeber right. Its hold down the power on button and at the same
time hold down the 0 key.

Wanker

On 19 May 1997 19:02:31 GMT, "Mike Havener" <mhavener@peinc.com>
wrote:

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>
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>Mike Havener / KE6FJT
>mhavener@ni.net
>http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

Date: 19 May 1997 21:07:26 GMT
From: jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini)
Subject: Trade Office 97 Pro for ham related items

I have one Office 97 Professional (competitve upgrade) that I'd be
interested in TRADING for or towards any amateur radio related items.
Specifically, I'm looking for a KPC-3 Plus TNC, Alinco DJ-G5TH accessories
or a new 20amp power supply, but I'd be willing to entertain any offers.
Let me know what you've got to trade! <g>

Thanks es 73 de Joe, N2NOU

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 13:34:32 GMT
From: kiprc@tenet.edu (Kip Chatterson)
Subject: Transverter for Icom 735?

Is there something avalible like this?
I am also interested in computer interface for this rig.
Does anyone have more information on this rig?

Thanks much in advance.
kiprc@tenet.edu

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 21:46:11 GMT
From: "Nathan Price" <Nathan=Price%NA=Hou%Contractors@netgate.compaq.com>
Subject: What do you'll think about the Kenwood TM-261A?

Hi!

I'm looking to buy my first Ham Radio. I was wondering if any of you can
offer any advise. I was thinking about a Kenwood TM-261A. Is this a good
starter? Is $269.95 a good price?

Thanks,

Nathan Price
nate@neosoft.com

Date: 18 May 1997 08:07:35 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: WTB: Service Manual KW TS-940S

Contact Van at :

wb0nzv@aol.com

Date: 19 May 1997 22:18:46 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: WT Trade

Looking for a Kenwood TH-79A

I have for trade a Hewlett Packard 24" Pen Plotter.

This is a large plotter used for making maps and blue prints.

Please let me know if there is any interest.

Dave

dgsholar@gte.net

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Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #560
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

--simple boundary--

3929. EOARC Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <3381e816.8831525@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 175141
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Everyone is invited to vistit the new Home Page of The Eastern Ozarks
Amateur Radio Club (EOARC) located at:

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/6073/

Information about up-coming events (like our Fox Hunt!) and more will
be found there.

Take Care & 73

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

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Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****
HAmPS Coordinator
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/7067
****

3930. How do you open Yaesu Battery Pack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb2k@access.digex.net
Message-ID: <864152022.26489@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175142

The battery pack (FNB-25) on my FT-530 died, so I picked up a replacement inset at Dayton. Trouble is I can't seem to figure out how to crack open the shell without sever damage.

Does anyone know how to open the FNB-25 battery pack without destroying it?

Any advice appreciated.

Thanks and 73,
John - WB2K
wb2k@access.digex.net

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3931. Swap: CN-410m > CN460m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <3381F6C2.12AB@whidbey.net>
Source record: 175143

I have a new Daiwa CN-410m that I would like to trade for a Daiwa 460m
if you are interested;

John S. W7JCS
jstilson@whidbet.net

3932. Re: Icom W32 Mods Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3381F830.4EA9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175144

wvkirk@juno.com wrote:
>
> Anyone aware of any mods for the Icom W-32 HT. I am most interested in
> extended receive. I have no need for additional transmit. Any help
> appreciated.

Might check the Radio Mods links at the INDEX URL below.

73
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

3933. F.S. SB-220 in mint condition!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McDowell ~ N0WCF <jeff@saturn.flipag.net>
Message-ID: <3381FDEF.4BC@saturn.flipag.net>
Source record: 175145

This amplifier literally looks brand new and has been covered since new, full output from tubes. Unmodified in stock condition. Non smoker! Boxed and ready to go, with original manual. Will sell for $550. firm plus shipping.

Jeff McDowell, N0WCF
Call 561-374-9810 almost any time.
jeff@saturn.flipag.net

3934. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <200597194945097Dpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175146

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa16342;
20 May 97 19:49 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id HAA03325 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 07:22:06 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18604
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:34 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18580
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:29 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191353.GAA18580@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 06:53:28 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #555
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3935. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <200597194946097Epostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175147

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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20 May 97 19:49 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id HAA03325 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 07:22:06 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18604
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:34 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18580
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:29 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191353.GAA18580@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 06:53:28 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #555
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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...rest of message truncated
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3936. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <200597194947097Fpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175148

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa16342;
20 May 97 19:49 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id HAA03325 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 07:22:06 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18604
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:34 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18580
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:29 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191353.GAA18580@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 06:53:28 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #555
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3937. Alinco DJ-G5, any mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Smith <gsmith@dnaco.net>
Message-ID: <5lr8trhbs1@pike.dnaco.net>
Source record: 175149

Does anyone know where to find the mods for extended RX/TX for the =
ALinco DJ-G5? Grego, N8PPZ

3938. FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <33820868.295551@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 175150

Any new 920 owners please post any comments pro or con. I am sure many readers would appreciate your efforts.

Tnx and 73 N1MSV

3939. Value of Heathkit Single Bander Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mto@world.std.com
Message-ID: <864053539.13286@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175151

Hi,

I have a Heathkit HW-12 SSB transceiver that I assembled from kit form back in the 60's. It always worked perfectly, but the last I used it was about 15 yrs ago. I still have the manuals and homebrew ps for it. I'm thinking now of selling it, passing it on. I've been out of touch with the ham radio world for years now.

Anyone have any estimates of what such a unit might be worth these days? What would be a fair asking price? Is such old equipment still valued?

It's the HW-12, btw, for 75 meters. Covers 3.8 - 4.0 Mhz.

Please reply to my email address. Thanks.

Mike
W1FSB
mto@world.std.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3940. Test Please do not read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <338211c2.2689512@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 175152

Test

.....at the dawn of the New Age of Man,
they will abide with us.
Their glory and fire will burn like
sparks among the stubble!

Gareth

3941. FS: Packet Setup for $25 shipped!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobra295@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5lt7ai$jqk@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 175153
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Packet setup for $25

I have for sale a Bell 202 modem, plus all the parts
and instructions to put this on the air for packet
use. It works much like the new BayComm modems, and
in fact uses the same software. The modem is external
and plugs into the wall. All parts are included to
wire your HT or mobile radio. Basically, the only
thing you have to do is create the cable to go from
the modem to the radio using the supplied components
to detect the PTT and feed the audio. Also a regular
old 25pin cable is needed for between the computer
and the modem. You don't need to be an EE to figure
out this little homebrew project, but a simple knowledge
of soldering, etc. is suggested. A good amount of literature is
included with articles from ham radio magazines as well as
schematics on how to make the patch cable. I'm
reselling this item as I bought it myself a few months
ago for the same price. I plugged in the modem to the
wall, and it turns on and appears to work fine. After
I received the equipment, I never got the chance to
make the cable and get it on the air since. At this
point, my packet connections on the radio are being
used by an autopatch, so I don't really have the means
to use this item conveniently. It can't compete with
high-end TNC's, but hopefully someone else
can use it to get started on packet for a low price.
Included is the software, modem, parts, literature, and
schematics. I ship only USPS, and only in the CONUS
with a prepaid USPS MO. If you would like to purchase
or have a question, please email reply me. Thanks.

3942. Amplifier repairs in Chicago area?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Little <little@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <338222A1.68@ameritech.net>
Source record: 175154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I need to have some amplifiers worked on as I have neither the
equipment, time, or manuals to work on them myself at the moment.
The amps are made by Mirage, KLM, and Tokyo Hy-Power and
cover 2, 220, and 432. They may only need minor adjustment,
but I'd like to get them checked out and ready to go for the
upcoming VHF QSO Party and have other areas I need to spend
my time (such as building antennas, wiring harnesses, antenna
supports, radio supports, power and battery arrangements, etc.)
for my rover entry. I'm in the northwest suburbs of Chicago
and willing to drive a bit to take them some place that
can work on them quickly and do a good job. AES is too back
logged to do the work. Any suggestions greatly appreciated.

73,
Todd
N9MWB

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Unsolicited business offers sent to my e-mail address will be considered
a request for me to proofread the offer and in turn reimburse me $500
for my time and effort for each offer received. Receipt of said e-mail
constitutes acceptance of this offer. Let dick@durbin.senate.gov
and senator@moseley-braun.senate.gov know what you think of e-mail SPAM.
Support the anti-Spam amendment, see http://www.cauce.org/

3943. R7 PARTS WANTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve3uwc@travel-net.com
Message-ID: <5lsucg$jo0$1@goblin.uunet.ca>
Source record: 175155

Thank you for reading this post. I do not know the proper name for the part I am looking for but I will describe it the best I can.

I am looking for the part of the R7 antenna that the coax connects to. This unit is box shaped and also connects to the antenna itself.

Please reply with price and location.

Mike Parent
VE3UWC/KD4DIO

3944. Re: HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970520154952144407@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 175156

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In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

9/M-CLR
PTT + 9.....Transmit DTMF 9.....page 33
F + M-CLR.....Memory clear.....page 31
9.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 9...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

#/ /\SC
PTT + #.....Transmit DTMF #.....page 33
F + /\SC.....In VFO mode, scan up the selected range....page 30
/\SC.....In VFO, Priority Memory or Standard Memory mode,
scan up.....pages 17, 22 & 23
In memory-set mode, previous menu item.....page 26

F/M/PTT/L all located on the side of the unit with the PTT button

F.....Select the 2nd function of a key.....page 5
M.....Monitor a channel without squelch,
In Standard, Priority or Calling memory,
display memory's programmed options.....page 25
PTT.....Push-to-talk (transmit button).....page 18
L.....Turn on the light for 5 seconds.....page 15
F + L.....Turn on the light until you press L again..page 15

-end-

3945. Re: F.S. SB-220 in mint condition!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338208BC.637D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 175157

Jeff McDowell ~ N0WCF wrote:
>
> This amplifier literally looks brand new and has been covered since new,
> full output from tubes. Unmodified in stock condition. Non smoker! Boxed
> and ready to go, with original manual. Will sell for $550. firm plus
> shipping.
>
> Jeff McDowell, N0WCF
> Call 561-374-9810 almost any time.
> jeff@saturn.flipag.net
Jeff;

I'll buy it if you still have it. Let me know so we can make
arrangements for shipping.

73's
Bob

3946. Re: Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6572$2d55b500$f090f5ce@wa6vse.fast.net>
Source record: 175158

PLEASE stop spewing dozens of these messages each day
to the rec.radio.amateur.* newsgroup hierarchy ...

postmaster@emarkt.COM wrote in article
<200597194947097Fpostmaster@emarkt.com>...
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mailbox1.ucsd.edu (8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id HAA03325 for
<ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May 1997 07:22:06 -0700 (PDT)
> Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18604
> sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
> Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:34 -0700 (PDT)
> Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
> Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
> Precedence: List
> X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
> Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id GAA18580
> sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
> Mon, 19 May 1997 06:53:29 -0700 (PDT)
> Message-Id: <199705191353.GAA18580@noc.ucsd.edu>
> Date: Mon, 19 May 97 06:53:28 PDT
> From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
> Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
> Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
> Precedence: List
> Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #555
> To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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3947. YAESU FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ltb6h$f9b$1@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale;
XF-8.2HCN CW narrow filter for Yaesu FT102
XF-8.2GA AM filter for Yaesu FT102
XF8.2HC cw filter for Yaesu FT102
XF10GS am filter for FT980,901,902,107,707,101zd

All filters are new/old stock and never soldered into a radio.

Price is $60 each includung shipping to cont u.s.

Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

3948. ICOM FL52A filter 4sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ltb9l$f9b$2@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175160

for sale, FL52a filter, never soldered into a radio, as new condx

$100 shipped cont. u.s.

Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

3949. Bird Slugs 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ltbgu$f9b$3@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For sale;
50E 400-1000mhz 50watt slug
100D 200-500mhz 100watt slug

$45 each shipped cont. u.s.

Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com
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3950. Ameritron QSK5-PC 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ltbrh$f9b$5@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 175162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale;
Ameritron QSK5-PC qsk kit for most ameritron amps.
New in box, never installed
$200 shipped cont. u.s.
Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com
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3951. WTB Heath IB101 Freq Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: d888888@juno.com
Message-ID: <5lte1m$9bq@tracy.protocom.com>
Source record: 175163

Hi,

I want to buy an old Heath IB101 frequency counter. Need not be
working, but must be inexpensive.

Please respond via email.

Thanks,

Bob

3952. F.S. Yeasu microphone MD-1C.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McDowell ~ N0WCF <jeff@saturn.flipag.net>
Message-ID: <3382454C.7347@saturn.flipag.net>
Source record: 175164

This microphone works great, just has one little scuff on the left side of the vertical chrome shaft. Otherwise in perfect condition. Will sell for $75 firm including shipping.

Jeff McDowell, N0WCF
Call 561-374-9810 almost any time.
jeff@saturn.flipag.net

3953. WTB: 220 MHz Directional Coupler...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Morley" <endeavor@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <33824CE7.76EB@ultranet.com>
Source record: 175165

Hi,

I'm looking for a stand-alone directional coupler for measuring the power output of a 220 MHz transmitter. Kenwood used to make a modular SWR/Wattmeter with separate directional coupler(s). Something like this would be perfect for my application. Please e-mail me directly at: endeavor@ultranet.com.

Thanks for reading and best 73's

John KA1JMF

3954. FS: KENWOOD VFO-820

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521014001.VAA03182@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175166

FOR SALE: I HAVE A CLEAN KENWOOD VFO-820, WITH MANUAL THAT I WILL SHIP
FEDEX FOR $90. STEVE W1SN

3955. FS: KENWOOD SP-820 SPKR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521014200.VAA03439@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175167

FOR SALE: I HAVE A CLEAN KENWOOD SP-820 SPEAKER THAT HAS THE AUDIO
FILTERS. PRICE $85, THIS INCLUDES FEDEX SHIPPING. STEVE W1SN

3956. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705208641.AA864161083@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 175168

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="TextItem.txt"

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2m tuners?
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas (2 msgs)
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II
TS 130 product detector
Wanted Kendwood 440SAT,450SAT,TS50
WTB DRAKE RV75/R7

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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.
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Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 12:41:15 GMT
From: dragans@eunet.yu (Dragan Stojanovic)
Subject: ## ICOM AH-2 ANTENNA TUNER - MANUAL NEED ##

Hi there,

I need a manual for Icom AH-2 antenna tuner. If anyone may help please
send me an e-mail.

Regards,

Dragan Stojanovic <> dragans@eunet.yu

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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 09:41:53 -0700
From: Robert Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Subject: 2m tuners?
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Bob....

Date: 19 May 97 14:22:02 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the officia=
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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Mon, 19 May 97 03:44:12 GMT
From: ROT13xr6nyz@ybbc.pbzROT13 (Matt Mendenhall)
Subject: 2m tuners?

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Robert Dashoff <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net> wrote:
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>want to put up an other antenna. Got any ideas? Thanks....
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> Bob....

I bought the MFJ 2M/220 antenna tuner. At around $80, it's a little pri=
cey,=20
but it works well. It's first application was in loading up the mountin=
g pole=20
for a roadside assistance callbox as the antenna for a hidden transmitt=
er. (I=20
bought it to place in my ammo can transmitter for just such occasions.)=

Matt Mendenhall

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##
The things we do # Reply to:
to avoid spam. # ke6alm
die.evil.spambot.#.@loop.com
##

Bobcode: KHtd luHo E!(ECSd) m2 CPEVWc B-74 Od LmM Ss++C++++++ T-- A6AT =
H9omec
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 08:27:38 -0700
From: Bob Curry <bobcurry@sprintmail.com>
Subject: Aerotron HF Amplifier Info wanted...

I have an Aerotron HF linear amplifier Model # 951.5KA --
I need schematic or a copy of the Tech manual. Any information
would be appreciated. Will pay for copying and mailing.

Thanks in advance.

73 BoBc WB4JLD

Date: 19 May 1997 03:30:04 GMT
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

"Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote:
>Hello,
> I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I re=
alize it
is
>more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I n=
eed
>more amps in the future. I have three questions:
>1)is this a good power supply?
>2)is my thinking sound as far as future expansion goes or should I sav=
e
>some money and get a smaller power supply?
>3)will I be popping 15amp house breakers with this or does it depend o=
n
>what is running off the power supply? right now I have two computer on=
this
>circuit and no way to run a new outlet, I could turn one off when on t=
he
>air but one computer I will need.
>
>73's and thanks for your help. Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
>--=20
>"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.=20
>Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
>Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, =
any
>and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is constru=
ed
>as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.
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Eric:

I have been running an RS35M since 1993.=20
I also bought mine with extra capacity in mind.
When you draw 35 amps, that does not mean that you are drawing that muc=
h on the=20
120 volt circuit that supplies it. I run my supply on a 15 amp circuit,=
with a=20
computer, and other things on the same circuit, and have never had any =
problems.

Astron makes some very nice power supplies.
You may want to take a look at their switching power supplies.
I bought one for my IC706. it is about the same size as the 706, and ve=
ry light=20
weight. It puts out 20 amp continuous, and 25 intermittant. I think the=
model #
is=20
SS25. there is also one that puts out more, 35amp intermittant, I think=
=2E
The 20 amp one was around $100-$125.
Apparently not too many people know about the switchers made by Astron =
yet. They
have=20
been out only a few months, I believe.

Bought mine at Amateur Electronic Supply.

73 de Thomas W9FL

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 19:43:47 -0500
From: Mark or Lou Roy <markr@ESSLINK.COM>
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TS 430s ++++

Kenwook TS 430s in mint condition- hasn't been used in 10 years, but=20=
=0Arealligned (5/13/97) and tuned by Ham Central (New York) proof of
service will be included. Radio has FM and AM boards installed- also CW=

filter. Also, have matching 430 power supply and speaker and up/down
matching Kenwook desk top microphone. In addition, have high power
Dentron Super Tuner and MSJ swr/power meter. Will sell as total packag=
e
price or will sell components separate. For more information, includin=
g
prices, email to markr@esslink.com
Lou

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:07:05 -0700
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Subject: FS: Computers CHEAP

Hello!

I have 2 computers for sale or trade with HF equipment.

486 DX4-100mhz CPU Includes: 15" monitor; CDROM; microphone; multi medi=
a
speakers; 210megabyte hard drive; 8 meg RAM; mini tower case....many
extras......
Asking $650.00=20

IBM PS2 computer. Includes monitor, mouse, printer, manuals etc. some
software included. Great for packet work.Excellent condition
Asking $500.00 OBO

Please call me at (702) 647-4446 or (702) 595-6901 cellular. Call me
anytime. I really want to sell both computers.
Will trade both for HF rig preferably mobile HF(ICOM or Alinco)
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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/ =20
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * AAR9BA@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net

Date: 19 May 97 04:14:12 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Hammarlund HQ-170

Hammarlund HQ-170 with clock, (working). All original, complete=20
knobs, etc. Works good & is in excellent condition. Has orginal
owner's manual. $250, plus shipping from zipcode 28227.
704-545-9368.
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Date: 19 May 97 04:14:18 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Kenwood AT-200 Antenna Tuner

Kenwood AT-200 antenna tuner/SWR/Power meter. Handles
200 watts output. Matches TS-820 transceiver. Comes=20
with orginal owner's manual. $110 plus UPS shipping
from zipcode 28227.

73 de Bill, N4DH
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:22:43 -0700
From: "Tom J. Mullins" <kc4loy2@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: FS:Ten-Tec Paragon

<BASE HREF=3D"file:///C|/NETCOM/NETSCAPE/PARAGON.HTM">

> Hi, and thanks for reading this message... I need to sell this HF Rig=
!!
>=20
> TEN-TEC PARAGON W/MATCHING POWER SUPPLY,TEN-TEC DESK
> MIC,SOFTWARE,MANUALS,EVERYTHING...
>=20
> RIG HAS ALL OF THE FILTERS, 6.0/2.4/1.8/.50/.25..
> RIG HAS AN RS-232 PORT, VOICE CARD,AND AN ADD-ON ALC-ALERT RESET BUTT=
ON.
> ALL HAS BEEN FACTORY INSTALLED.. VERY NICE RIG, LOTS OF BUTTONS..
> MODES =3D AM/FM/LSB/USB/CW/TUNE....
> SPEECH PROCESSOR,N/BLANKER,QSK,AGC,ATTENUATOR,TONE SELECT,DIGITAL
> READ-OUT,CAN ALSO DISPLAY YOUR CALLSIGN,CLOCK... WILL BE A NICE START=
ER
> RIG FOR A DX'ER.... ALSO ON THE BACK OUTLETS, R C A PLUGS, RCA PLUGS =
FOR
> THE AMPLIFIER IF YOU ADD ONE, I DONT HAVE AN AMP...
> THATS ABOUT IT FOR NOW... THE ASKING PRICE FOR THE PARAGON $1500.00=

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> ANSWER :: KC4LOY2@IX.NETCOM.COM or KC4LOY@JUNO.COM or KC4LOY@USA.NE=
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>=20
> I WILL PAY SHIPPING.. TNX, TOM J. MULLINS
> 997 BEAVER HILLS DR.
> BETHLEHEM,GA. 30620

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:53:46 -0400
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Subject: FS: TS-530

Hello,

For Sale: =20

Kenwood TS-530, 160-10 meter HF transciever. Includes WARC bands.
200 watts.

MC-50 microphone.

Original owner, original box and manuals.

Excellent condition.

$400

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim
WA5VPW

--=20

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: 19 May 97 04:14:15 GMT
From: bill.richarz@transprt.COM (Bill Richarz)
Subject: FS: Yaesu Y0-101 Monitor Scope

Yaesu Y0-101 Monitor scope with orginal owner's manual.
Looks nice & works perfect. $160 plus UPS shipping from
zipcode 28227.

73 de Bill, N4DH
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 11:11:23 +0100
From: Keith Hales <Keith@g0rqf.demon.co.uk>
Subject: FS Yaesu FT990 AC Model=20

Hi, and thanks for reading this news item. I have a Yaesu FT990 AC mode=
l
tranceiver for sale, which also has the 500 CW filter fitted. The rig
was purchased in December 1996 and is in very good condition with no
marks or scratches and complete with all plugs and manual. The asking
price is =A31350 including carraige in mainland UK. If you are interest=
ed
and would like to get further info then I can be contacted on=20
01432 276545 or via E-Mail which I check every other day.

73
=20
Keith Hales G0RQF QTHR.

Date: 19 May 1997 04:58:25 GMT
From: "Lucas Y. Barlow" <lucas@color-country.net>
Subject: FT-50 modification

It shouldn't hurt it if you do it quickly and don't let it get to hot.

Larry Chambers <corky@sunline.net> wrote in article
<3372554A.35BA@sunline.net>...
> If you attempt to do the cap/mars modification on the Ft-50 using a
> soldering iron. Will it damage the radio at all. For example put smal=
l
> charge through the radio and perhaps fry some of the components insid=
e.
> If so how would do it without messing up the radio.
> Thanks for all your help
> Larry
>=20

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 04:10:00 GMT
From: mdwatt@usit.net (Marty Watt)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On 18 May 1997 13:08:36 GMT, dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net -
KE4YDY) wrote:

>While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
>advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
>and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.=

Big difference -- Mil Spec is a standard set by others, ISO900x is a
certification based on a self-imposed standard, the standard itself
not being an item on which judgement is passed.

What's the difference you ask?

ISO900x means that there is some quality control procedures in place
and they are being followed by the manufacturer. The designation,
much as the manfacturer's would like for you to believe otherwise,
does not mean superior or better quality -- only that a quality
system is in place and is being followed. It may be poor quality
control, but if they have quality control and it is being followed,
they can recieve the ISO designations.

Much the same way with hospital accreditations (my area of
expertise) -- the Joint Commission for the Accreditation of
Healthcare Organizations doesn't assess the *success* of the
policies, nor the *quality* of the policies -- just their existence
and documentation that they are being followed.

72 es 73 de=20
Marty, KM7W

Jackson, Tennessee e-mail: mdwatt@usit.net
http://www.public.usit.net/mdwatt
"The Curmudgeon's Corner"
NorCal #2031 - ARCI #7514 - QRP-L #953 - AK/QRP #098 - Grid EM55oq
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 20:08:58 +0100
From: Gavin Stirling <gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk>
Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920

Yep the therapy must have worked ;-)

Only kidding steve!!

Gav, requesting a pint of fresh milk from your goat please.
GM0WDD

In message <19970518153200.LAA01768@ladder02.news.aol.com>
nitramham@aol.com (Nitramham) writes:=20

> WHAT? The great know-it-all hersheysquirtman asking for someone else=
's
> opinion? Will wonders never cease?

> still here----hehehehe
> Love nit

> P.S. I still have your goat tied up in my back yard.

> Subject: ICOM 756 vs Yasue FT-920
> From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> Date: Fri, 09 May 1997 17:03:44 -0400
> Message-ID: <33739130.1D76@ix.netcom.com>

> I am about to make a purchase in the near future. I am comparing the =
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> Icom 756 verses the Yaesu FT-920. Both radios cost about $1900.
> I would appreciate any comments that would help me make a decision.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Date: 19 May 1997 04:48:47 GMT
From: jprocyk@direct.ca (Ian Procyk)
Subject: ICOM IC-T22A Tips/Trics/Mods

Hello I'm interested in buying one of these units myself. It wouldn't =
mind an=20
overview. =20

Some of the things I'm concerned about:

It it pocket sized how long is it?
how big is the antenna, from the pictures I have seen it looks pretty b=
ig!
batteries, does it take ni-cads?

The rest is up to you. =20

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 03:46:34 GMT
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Subject: Illegal Transmission

On Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:04 -0700, "Robert (Bob) Diaz"
<cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>
>Yes, I'd love to see the laws change where one MUST show proof that th=
ey
>have a ham license before they could purchase any ham transmitters. A=
s for
>mail order, if I place a phone order as KF6JHG, the call sign database=

>will have my address. If I want them to ship to another address, then=
=20
>a fax (or photocopy) of the license would be required.
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>
>I'll guess that Radio Shack wouldn't like that law. It might cut a li=
ttle
>into their sales. However it would cut down on the sales of equipment=
to
>the jammers and jerks.
>
Wouldn't even put a dent in it.

>such a law would slow or stop most of them.

Not likely.
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73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

Date: 17 May 1997 14:40:32 GMT
From: ktheo7707@aol.com (KTheo7707)
Subject: LOOKING FOR BS-8 FOR SM220

WTB BS-8 FOR SM220 THANKS KTHEO7707@AOL.COM

Date: 14 May 1997 00:21:23 GMT
From: bucherj@aol.com (BucherJ)
Subject: Mods!!!! members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

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Jamie Bucher

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 10:22:57 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: Question when were TS-940's made

I just got a Kenwood TS-940S/At serial number 7 mil and am trying to
figure out how old it is. When did they stop making this model. Please
post and thanks for all responces.

73's
Bob

Date: 19 May 1997 05:25:05 GMT
From: dwshock@access.usa.net (Doug Shock)
Subject: SB-220 Manuals

I was given an SB-220 by my Dad but he lost the manuals.I sure could us=
e
them. Anybody have the operating manual on the SB-220?E-mail me with an=
y
info.dwshock@usa.net
Thanks!!!
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73 de "Its not who asked the question but =20
AA0UF/Doug what the question was that counts." =

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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 10:55:54 -0700
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Subject: Simplex Phone Patch???

Are the Simplex phone patches worth the money? Do the have any range?=20=
=0AWhat about quality of sound. Any experiences that you've had would b=
e=20
helpful.

Thanks in advance.

Lee H
KC5ZRR

Date: 18 May 1997 17:24:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

I have expanded tx and would like to have cell restoration please help =
if
you can,

thx, Jimmy

Date: 18 May 1997 20:46:37 GMT
From: "Mark Bryant" <bryant@sohobusiness.com>
Subject: WTB DRAKE MN75 Manual

I would like to buy a Drake MN75 manual. Please email with condition a=
nd
price.=20

Thanks

Mark=20

Date: 18 May 1997 14:17:01 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>
Subject: wtb yaesu MH1B8

hi, i am looking for a hand mic model MH1B8
for a yaesu ft-890..990 etc
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:34:06 GMT
From: paul@s-wizard.demon.co.uk (wizard)
Subject: WTD: PS50 & SP430

Above equipment wanted

Thanks
Paul L
Derbyshire, UK

email : paul@s-wizard.demon.co.uk
www :http://www.s-wizard.demon.co.uk
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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 May 1997 21:45:23 GMT
From: n2ah@sprynet.com
Subject: Any HTs with Rcv Attenuator?

Does anyone know of an HT that has a selectable receive attenuator? Seems like it should be easy enough
to include one and it would permit operation with a roof-top antenna without a lot of intermod.

Any info on this would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Art Harris, N2AH
n2ah@sprynet.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 19:07:48 GMT
From: desmith@telalink.net (Doug Smith)
Subject: Astron RS-20M Be Dead..Hep Me!

Doug@E_Fresh.net (Mr. Doug) wrote:
>One day the supply stopped working. The only visible symptom was a blown
>5A fuse. The repeater was fine (indicating no catastrophic line surge had
>occured to both) as a backup power supply I put in line returned it to
>service. I have PolyPhaser line & coaxial surge protection installed.

My first bet would be on a shorted rectifier diode. If it's easy, you
might disconnect everything from the positive lead of the bridge and
see if the fuse still blows; that'd eliminate a bunch of other
possibilities.

If it's not easy, I'd just take an ohmmeter to the diodes.

73 Doug

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:35:10 -0700
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

Holmes wrote:
>
> Personally, I would save up a little more cash and get a *much* better
> HT. I have had over amateur HT's, and the best yet is the Yaesu FT-50RD.
> I bought it last month for only $349 from Ham Radio Outlet in Atlanta
> (comes with two battery packs). And no, I don't work for any electronics
> supplier.
>
> The HTX-202 & -404 are both good rigs, and I think their major strength is
> the fact that they are designed for operation only in their respective
> bands (2m & 440). This provides a much better front end on the rigs and I
> have to say from experience that mine seem to be immune to intermod.
>
> I don't know exactly what you are looking for, but I choose HT's based on
> performance, not just features. Later....

With all due respect, to say something is "better" is subject to what's important to the person. _BOTH_ units are very good.

If smaller size and dual bands are critical to a person, then the Yaesu FT-50RD is the better unit.

However, if low cost and an easy to operate unit are important to a person, then the Radio Shack HTX-202 is ideal for that person.

My friend Bill (W6DIV) owns a Yaesu FT-50RD. He likes the small size and dual band ability.

I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it sure does what I want it to do.

I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's a matter of what factors are critical to them:

Cost
Single or Dual Band
Size & Weight of the unit
. . .

73,

Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 20:34:57 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

On 19 May 1997, Forrest T. Charnock wrote:

> Robert (Bob) Diaz (cqbdiaz@pacbell.net) wrote:
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> : Size & Weight of the unit
> : . . .

>
> 4th: Are you really going to use out-of-band recieve?
> ^^^^^^

Although I love my HTX 202, out-of-band receive is the reason I'm looking for
a new primary HT. Weather changes can be a great thing to hear about
when you travel. Other than that though, I can' complain about the RS HT.

> **
> Olin Physical Lab Wake Forest University Winston-Salem, NC
> * * * http://www.wfu.edu/~charnoft KE4RJG * * *
> All science is either physics or stamp collecting. --Ernest Rutherford
>
>
>

Date: 19 May 97 07:25:47 GMT
From: faxtrac@ix3.ix.NETcom.COM (J.W.)
Subject: FS: TS430s

markr@ESSLINK.COM

Please sdvise of prices. tnx jeff faxtrac@ix.netcom.com

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 03:07:38 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY wrote:
>> While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
>> advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
>> and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Actually, I believe ISO9000 and its components, such as ISO9002, are
not product specs in any form. They are process certifications (for
manufacturing, serivice, etc.), and are simply a certification that
you have a quality system in place whereby you (1) say what your
process is (2) document it (3) follow it (4) document that you
followed it. You could make cement lifejackets by ISO9002 as long as
you follow these guidelines. This is not a knock on the Kenwood radio
at all, but as one who has gone through the ISO9000 certification
process, I must point out that it does not in any way assure good
products.

Don Davis

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 21:51:05 GMT
From: tgold@microvst.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold")

Subject: IC-775DSP

In article <MPG.de41e3738e3db2b989683@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
no.spam@anytime.at.all "John C. Smith" writes:

> 2. Anyone know of a good, remotely tuned antenna tuner for a long wire,
> that can accommodate 200w?

I'm not sure what `remotely tuned' implies. But if you include
automatic tuning in that, then you may be interested to know that I
learned from SGC at Dayton this year that the company has now upped
the rating on the SG-230 to 200w. This rating change is based solely
upon more recent testing and analysis and not on any component
changes, and so this higher rating applies to SG-230's already put
into the field under the previous 150w rating.

If in doubt, check with the company.

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 21:16:43 +0200
From: "Stein H. Hansen" <shansen@online.no>
Subject: Icom T22 mods?

Does anyone know how to modify a Icom T22A or E?

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- Stein H. Hansen

Date: 19 May 1997 02:01:12 GMT
From: kc4srn@aol.com (KC4SRN)
Subject: Simplex Phone Patch???

Simplex patches can go as far as you can. Plus certain ones can be
"attached to a repeter" just by tuning it in. Sound quality is perfect.
Just like a repeter located. auto-patch. I have the CS-900 for sale. Best
thing is, you are in control of the patch and it's use. It's between you
and the FCC. It's also much more private because you can tune it to any
frequency you prefer and change it often. Here's my ad.

The one I have for sale is the best thing going. Not because I have it for
sale, but that is the truth. CSI makes the patch you want because it
covers all the things you will run into. The CS-900 is a VOX Simplex
patch. But, that doesn't mean it can't work with/on a (duplex) Repeater.
See the following.

CSI CS-900 VOX SIMPLEX (or repeater) AUTO TELEPHONE PATCH (Interconnect).
Makes your HT like a Cell Phone. Works extremely well. Dual-bander not
needed at base. 90 speed dials, two level safety codes. Built in

programable keypad and volume adjustments. Needs only a mic and audio out conection on any base radio (or HT). Phone line plugs right into the back. Multiple and flexible options like notification if someone is on the base phone, and when they are done. Range over 15 miles simplex (30 mile across circle) on 2m band. More simplex range with nice base antenna, more height or an amplifier. Ever more range through a repeater. Just tune the rig to a wide coverage repeater (A club could run this patch from a home). Connects to any rig so use it with a LOW COST spare 2m (220 or whatever). Easy volume adjustments and BUILT-IN keypad. Of course CW ID makes it legal. Dispach and selective calling too. It's your choice, YOU are the control operator. Plus, a long list of other professional features. With a cross-banding rig in your car, you can go all over town making AND RECIEVING calls on simplex with your HT on low power 440! Set it to ringout, send DTMF (touch tone) code or use a silent PL tone, sent to your HT. Imaculate $299

So, this is a computer system working as your patch not just a complicated curcuit. The is the deluxe, everything has been thought out kind of patch. It's made into a small box about the size of a mobile rig. I know you will LOVE it.

I also have the following for sale by the way......

$149 - Mother board, INTEL PENTIUM 90 mhz,*PCI* & ISA bus with CPU and fan. Upgrade your computer today. Takes 72 pin memory. (see PCI card below). Like new with intel manual.

$59 - Card - SVGA *PCI* high quality video. **$39** with above motherboad!

$29 - 14.4K fax modem with manuals **$10** with MB & Video card.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:01:09 -0600
From: markust@lx.net
Subject: Two Vibroplex Original bugs SOLD

The two bugs that I listed earlier today are sold, Thanks, Markus

-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:11:23 -0400
From: AL7OQ <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Charlie Durand wrote:

[attack on HRO snipped]

Charlie,

My experience with HRO in Sunnyvale, CA is exactly the opposite of what
you describe. They've been nothing if not helpful, and let me
experiment with various radios even when they knew I wasn't ready to
make a purchase. I have no complaints.

Obviously, YMMV.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ

Date: 19 May 1997 13:29:52 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II

Greetings, BA lovers!

I picked up a Johnson Viking II this weekend at the Fort Worth swap meet for the paltry sum of $25. It's all there and in restorable condition. What I didn't get was a manual and schematic. Anyone have a book on the Viking II that I can borrow and copy? I promise to treat it carefully and return it promptly, and I'll pay all of the postage costs both ways. I'd prefer to do the copying myself.

Thanks and 73!

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Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net
211 Addison Place Web: http://www.qsl.net/k5dh
PO Box 328 Home: (817) 497-5365
Lake Dallas, Texas 75065-0328 Work: (972) 462-2033

Date: 12 May 97 15:21:22 GMT
From: turner@safety.ICS.UCI.EDU (Clark Savage Turner WA3JPG)
Subject: TS 130 product detector

Anyone have a 130 where they replaced the cheap diodes in the product detector circuit with the schottky diodes? I have a 130V where they were replaced, and the audio out of it is a bit rough. I have used the little cap on the board to try to balance the detector, but can't get in the range, it seems to want very, very small values to get the audio smoother. Any thoughts? I suppose I could just get a very, very small cap and stuff it in there in place of the variable (and may do that), but wonder if I should understand what is going on.

Clark
WA3JPG

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 09:23:29 -0700
From: VisualBasic <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Subject: Wanted Kendwood 440SAT,450SAT,TS50

Looking for a Kenwood 450SAT,440SAT or TS50 for new hams.
Also a Icom 751A or 735. Please E-Mail price and condition.

E-Mail to 74364.207@CompuServe.com, you must type in E-Mail address
and cannot use reply.

Date: 19 May 97 13:40:44 GMT
From: liber.fab@iol.IT (Fabio Liberatori)
Subject: WTB DRAKE RV75/R7

Hello everybody,
offer top $ for a good RV75.
Same offer for one nice R7/R7A.

Thanks, Fabio

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3957. Chevy S-10 noise, HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kevin duplantis <kevind@communique.net>
Message-ID: <33825C0E.7C@communique.net>
Source record: 175169

I have a very bad noise problem on my Chevy SS-10. i am using an Alinco DX-70 with wires run to hte batt. The problem is ignition and some computer noise. Also I noiticed an audible tone comming from the altinator when you turn the key forward to the almost start position, it's getting into the radio at about 5 to 6 Mhz. HELP!!!!

THANKS,

KEVIN

3958. F.S. Midland 6 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
Message-ID: <864182966.21705@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

For Sale: 1-Midland commercial mobile with remote head. 100 watts, 80 channel eeprom memory (preprogrammed with amateur frequencies, list included), 3 scan options. Includes microphone, mounting brackets and Midland speaker. In very good condition, asking $235.00 and I will ship anywhere in the lower 48.

Chris M.
kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
313-753-5526

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

3959. WTB: CW XTALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Rimsa <srimsa@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <3383E4C1.5D54@eclipse.net>
Source record: 174821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello!

I am interested in buying crystals (FT-243 style) for the CW segments of 80, 40 and 15 meters at a reasonable price. Especially interested in 40M rocks 7.045 - 7.010
Let me know what you have. Will pay shipping. Thanks for reading this posting.

73's

Steve

reply to: srimsa@eclipse.net

3960. dxbase - interface to hamcall

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick258@popd.ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.ded7e54e499a7a798968e@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello All -- How do I set up Buckmaster Hamcall to work with dxbase 4.6 so I can look up info on contacts with the "shift F7" option. Thanks Rick n5vvb Please reply to rick258@ix.netcom.com

3961. Re: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Hansen" <hansen@ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <33837008.3F39@ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 174823

Dean Hemphill, K5DH wrote:
>
> I've been using the same Astron RS-35M since I bought it new in 1984.
> I run all of my gear on it at one time! I've had only one problem,
> and it was minor. The on/off switch contacts welded themselves in
> the ON position. I have a master on/off switch for the station, so
> I just ignored the bad power switch on the RS-35M for several years.
> Eventually, I replaced it with a better switch. I also added some
> heavy duty 5-way binding posts to the front panel for quicker power
> connections for temporary use (I still use the big bolts on the back
> panel for permanent connections to my main gear). All in all, I'd
> say there is probably not a more reliable p/s on the market than the
> Astron line. You cannot go wrong with an Astron.
>
> I would AVOID the cheap Pyramid supplies... junk!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH

I agree with Dean. I'm also curious as to where he got the replacement switch. Mine is bad too. I suspect if I called Astron I could get a replacement but haven't gotten around to it.

My Astron failed when it was about a year old. Then I couldn't run anything in the shack since I had consolidated all my power supplies into one 35M. I was beginning to wonder if this was a mistake until I called Astron. I described the symptoms to them and they said that of course they'd be willing to do a repair on it, but they suspected it was a bad voltage regulator chip that I could buy at Radio Shack for a buck if I would prefer to do that rather than send it back to them. They told me where to find it and I was pleased to find it was socketed. I went down to RS, bought a new one for about a buck and was back on the air within an hour. I really appreciate the fact that Astron didn't treat me like a dolt.

I also agree with Dean's opinion on the pyramid supplies. Stay away from them. I had one with a bad transformer once and it wasn't pretty.

73, John

3962. Re: a question on the Galaxy V, mk III

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Hansen" <hansen@ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <338370E7.4267@ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 174824

Adam Trent Phillips wrote:
>
> I recently inherited my dad's old Galaxy V, mkIII (silent key,
> WB8ETH), and I was wondering what people out there know about it....
>
> From the wold bands, 73's
>
> --
> "All our times have come. Here but now they're gone. Seasons don't fear the
> reaper / Nor do the wind, the sun or the rain. And we can be like they are.
> (Come on baby) Don't fear the reaper."
> --Blue Oyster Cult "(DON'T FEAR) THE REAPER"

I owned one for years and loved it. When the finals are new it made
about 500 watts with a pretty good receiver for its era. The Mark III
was the last one made before the changed the style to the GT-550
which had a different box.

It's about the same vintage as the Swan 500 (late 60s). Enjoy it, it
will be a collectable some day.

73, John WA0PTV
hansen@ait.fredonia.edu

3963. FS Motorola Spectras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: K Schultz <n9str@fwi.com>
Message-ID: <33832953.44E6@fwi.com>
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From - Wed May 21 09:55:59 1997
Message-ID: <338325DD.3716@fwi.com>
Date: Wed, 21 May 1997 09:42:05 -0700
From: K Schultz <n9str@fwi.com>
Reply-To: n9str@fwi.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0 (Win16; I)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.ham-radio.swap
Subject: Motorola Spectras
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
NNTP-Posting-Host: fw2-13.fwi.com
Lines: 5
Path: news.fwi.com!fw2-13.fwi.com

I have 3 900 Mhz trunked 30w Spectras for sale.
No accessories.
$175 each or all 3 for $450 or trade?
Looking for older hf or 2m/440 mobiles.
Please E-mail if interested.
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3964. FS Motorola Spectras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: K Schultz <n9str@fwi.com>
Message-ID: <33832B9B.4F7E@fwi.com>
Source record: 174826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have 3 900 Mhz trunked 30w Spectras.
No accessories.
$175 each or all 3 for $450.
Will consider trade?
Looking for older hf rig or 2m/440 mobile.
Please E-mail if interested.

3965. Re: WTB:Mercury Paddles!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsielke@pobox.com
Message-ID: <338584dc.12067633@news.cyberenet.net>
Source record: 174827

"Steve Massey" <N6TT@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Im looking to buy the Mercury Paddles by N2DAN --- Steve Nurkiewicz
>I will pay a good price....
>
>Steve N6TT

Good Luck. Steve became a SK yesterday.

_ _ _ _ _ ___ John L. Sielke n4js@amsat.org n4js@pobox.com
| \| || | | _ | |/ __| n4js@n4js.ampr.org NJ Grid:FM29LN
| .` ||_ _|| || |__ \ http://www.qsl.net/n4js
|_|_| |_| __/ |___/ NJ-QRP #57 QRP-L #884 QRP-ARCI #9328
NE-QRP #507 G-QRP #9544 NorCal #1989 QCWA FISTS #2781

3966. helpful new florida website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: htreetrunk@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <5m01v2$mpa@tesla.netline.net>
Source record: 174828

organizations or business trips, meetings plans, family vacations, etc. in Florida are well handled by the people at www.floridatime.com check out and bookmark this site for future reference.

3967. FT-1000 ROM Version?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <33839E39.7E24@ntplx.net>
Source record: 174829

Wonder if anyone knows the current ROM version of the FT-1000?
Mine is version 6.00, and I wanted to know if there have been any
updates since 6.00 and if so what they are? - Thanks!

Rick, N1SQJ

3968. Re: Yaseu FT920 VS. Icom 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Brown <equinox@itl.net>
Message-ID: <33836002.13B8@itl.net>
Source record: 174830

Lou Roppoli wrote:
>
> I'm considering purchasing one of these two rigs...Anyone have any info for
> me!!!
> I know the Icom is more money but the Yaseu seems to have a lot of
> features.
>
> What about Quality....

FT920 info on our www pages.
I personally think it's better and cheaper than the 756 even thou it is
Audio DSP.
GREAT RADIO!......running one here.
Geoff
http://user.itl.net/~equinox/ft920.html

3969. Re: Telephone number for International Crystal Mfg?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Doyle <doyle@DELETE_THIS.primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3383C6F6.7CA5B616@DELETE_THIS.primenet.com>
Source record: 174831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dean Hemphill K5DH wrote:
>
> Anyone have International Crystal's telephone number?
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH

See:

http://www.icmfg.com/

73,
Bob WA3TGF

3970. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705218642.AA864212365@newrout.si.com>
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Today's Topics:
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HAM EQUIPMENT FOR SALE (20 May)
Tek 603 Manual needed
Yaseu FT920 VS. Icom 756

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Date: 20 May 97 16:31:58 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Date: 20 May 97 12:17:42 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Mon, 19 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 557

Today's Topics:
Address for Herdbach and Rademan in PA
Astron RS-35M, good idea???
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Icom IC-T7A
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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 22:00:21 GMT
From: cmos@microserve.net (cmos)
Subject: Address for Herdbach and Rademan in PA

On Thu, 15 May 1997 06:32:25 -0700, "John T. Young"
wrote:

>Anyone have the address or phone # for Herdbach and Rademan of PA? I need
>their catalogue. Many thanks, John, K7JY, Seattle.
>
16 Roland Ave.
Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054

1-800-848-8001
http://www.herbach.com

Date: 19 May 1997 13:39:53 GMT
From: k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH)
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

I've been using the same Astron RS-35M since I bought it new in 1984.
I run all of my gear on it at one time! I've had only one problem,
and it was minor. The on/off switch contacts welded themselves in
the ON position. I have a master on/off switch for the station, so
I just ignored the bad power switch on the RS-35M for several years.
Eventually, I replaced it with a better switch. I also added some
heavy duty 5-way binding posts to the front panel for quicker power
connections for temporary use (I still use the big bolts on the back
panel for permanent connections to my main gear). All in all, I'd
say there is probably not a more reliable p/s on the market than the
Astron line. You cannot go wrong with an Astron.

I would AVOID the cheap Pyramid supplies... junk!

73,
Dean K5DH

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 11:55:23 GMT
From: gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell)
Subject: Conversion?

The FT-990 and the TS-570D(S) Are both rigs double conversion RX??

Tnx and 73 N1MSV

Date: Tue, 13 May 1997 18:07:27 -0700
From: "Ray S. Linton"
Subject: DR1200 CTCSS Tone?

I have an Alinco DR1200 Data Radio. Is it supposed to have
tone encode/decode? The manual implies yes, and the display
indicates ENC or ENC/DEC but no tone is emitted.

I have tried it on several known CTCSS repeaters plus my HT
which has decode. No luck. Do I need an additional board
or does my radio have a problem?

Thanks and 73
Ray, N2SPF

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 00:14:13 -0700
From: Noel Lozada
Subject: FS: computers

I have 2 computers for sale.

1. 486DX4-100 CPU with Monitor. Includes CDROM; 8 meg RAM; microphone;
multi media powered speakers; many extras....
$650.00 OBO

2. IBM PS2 386 computer with monitor and printer. Excellent condition.
Some software installed.
$500.00 OBO

I will take any reasonable offers or trades for HF equipment.

Pls call: (702) 647-4446 home or (702) 595-6901 cellular....

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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * AAR9BA@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net

Date: 19 May 1997 21:17:48 GMT
From: Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6 <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Subject: FS: Icom IC728 Station

Hello all,

I have a new in the box IC728, purchased in February, along with
the AT160 auto tuner, UI7 AM/FM module, and the FL100 500hz CW
filter.

This is a full featured 100W rig, 100Khz to 30Mhz, triple
conversion receiver, AM/FM/CW/SSB, passband tuning, speech
processor, programmable tuning steps, NB/PreAmp/Attenuator, the
works. All in a compact package. I paid $1650, asking $1250.

All items are new, in the box, and complete.

Thanks es 73's,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6
drasmussen@eosintl.com
(619) 434-6135

Date: 19 May 1997 21:14:20 GMT
From: "JIM BALES"
Subject: FS: ICOM RADIOS

I still have the two Icom's that I'm trying to help a widow sell, must
sell. They are as follows:

IC 271a- almost new like condition with manual and original box $425.00 shipped
IC 471a- very nice condition, has small scratches on case, has build in P.S., manual and original box $450.00
prices include shipping in conusa
Owner was a non smoker

tks & 73
jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net

Date: 19 May 1997 21:13:58 GMT
From: "Kevin "
Subject: FS Icom IC736 $1350.00

I have for sale an Icom 736 bought as Demo in Sept. 96, only used on 6M. This is an HF + 6M rig w/built in tuner 160-6, 100 watts output all bands also has a built in PS. I have Box,Manual and will ship Fed-Ex CONUS for $1350.00. Tnx.

Kevin Bishop 73
de N8ZJN EM79xk
50-1296 MHz

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:42:22 -0400
From: rcuffee
Subject: FS KENWOOD TS450S

I have a TS 450S in excellent condition. It includes an automatic antenna tuner, a SSB filter and a CW filter. I have modified it for increased TX frequencies and increased front end sensitivity.
I am asking $950 with the filter or $825 without the filters.

Please send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:44:08 -0400
From: rcuffee
Subject: FS MFJ DSP FILTER

I have a MFJ DSP filter (MFJ-784B) in excellent condition. I am asking $150.

Send replies to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Date: 20 May 97 01:40:21 GMT
From: w5rg@juno.COM (Bob Gibson)
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest

The TS-930 parts radio has been sold, Thanks very much Bob.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:31:51 -0400
From: hershman
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

William Nolle wrote:
>
> Charlie Durand wrote:
> >
> > Good morning,
> >
> > I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
> >
> > I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> > make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> > business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> > service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> > basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> > customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> > taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> > feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> > if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> > I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> > "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> > the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> > questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> > Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> > and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> > walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> > the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> > Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> > you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> > order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> > level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> > why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> > do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
> >
> > Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> > technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> > percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>
> Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
> --
> Bill

I feel the same way as you about the attitude of the sales staff. The
funny thing is that the NEW SALESPEOPLE have a much more friendly
attitude than the salespeople who have been there for a while. I think
that is because the salespeople who have been around really want out but
can't land a better job. So they languish at HRO and take out their
frustrations on the NEW HAMS.I have ordered just recently and had a
positive experience with a New Salesman. BOB FERRARO (owner of HRO)
should dump the salespeople with attitudes or send them to therapy.

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:40 GMT
From: pkluwe@aol.com (PKluwe)

Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

George Worth wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
> Chupa Cabara
>> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing...

Have the repeater users try "GAS-X." It can prove to be most helpful in
these situations...

73, Paul, W8ZO

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 15:19:00 GMT
From: dlaidlaw@slip.net (D. Laidlaw)
Subject: ICOM IC-32A MOD

Does anybody have any mods for this radio, thanks.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:23:28 -0700
From: "Christopher C. Sigsbee"
Subject: Icom IC-T7A

Looking for any and all mods to the Icom IC-T7A. Thanks!
-Chris

Date: 19 May 1997 17:27:28 GMT
From: greg@snoopy.gwr.com (Greg)
Subject: Kenwood TM-V7A Mods

Greetings,

I picked up a TM-V7A in Dayton. I was wondering if anyone knows of any
mods to extend the transmit on it. Thanks.

Greg

Date: 19 May 1997 22:15:08 GMT
From: Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se (Ulf Lange)
Subject: Kenwood TS-60S 6 m All Mode TRCVR: experience wanted

Anyone having experience from the TS-60S? Impression?
Is the AGC selectable between slow and fast (in RX mode)?

Please, send a copy of your answer via email to Ulf.Lange@tripnet.se

73's de SM6FYQ/Ulf

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:46:23 -0400
From: Steve
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

> Mark Mansfield wrote:
> >
> > I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.

> > Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> > selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and

snip!

I called Heath Co. in 1995 (got their # through directory assistance)
and obtained photocopies of origional manuals. They ran about $25 a
piece! The invoice does not have a telephone number but the adr is

HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022

The manuals I bought from them had a 1963 copyright date.

Steve, N4EY

Date: 19 May 1997 09:48:00 -0700
From: Bob Nielsen
Subject: modifications to TH-79

Vik Bajaj wrote:
>
> Are there any software modifications that can be done to the TH-79A
> (i.e. without cutting microscopic surface mount components)?
>

There are several mods which involve removing diodes. If you aren't
interested in that, cutting the green wire which is accessable by
removing the ctscc module will give a modest increase in coverage
(118-174, 420-450). Reset the microprocessor afterwards.

Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 21:47:25 GMT
From: kf4lhp@digicron.com (Matthew Sadler, KF4LHP)
Subject: Motorola MT500 - Need Manual!

Wanted:

Manual for Motorola MT500 HT, model # H33BBU3124AN. Copies OK too.
I'll gladly pay S & H for a copy or an original.

Thanks! Please reply via email.

Matthew, KF4LHP

Date: 19 May 1997 21:45:01 GMT
From: pdnaumann@aol.com (PDNAUMANN)

Subject: PD 8010 Installation - Twists

Who has the trick of the trade to install the PD 8010 multi-band dipole antenna without any twists, and stay that way in the air? There must be a trick that I don't know. It can be perfect on the ground, but when you put it up, it seems impossible. Any ideas would certainly be appreciated. Send me an e-mail to PDNAUMANN@AOL.COM Thanks Paul KD0X.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 17:25:59 GMT
From: mne@cmu.edu (Matt Ettus)
Subject: Tek 603 Manual needed

Hi. I need either a copy of, or a whole manual for the tektronix 603 XY display

Its the one with analog storage mode.

I got 2 at Dayton, one work, the other needs calibration

If I can't get a manual, I'd sell the one which needs cal

Matt
N2MJI
mne@cmu.edu

Date: 19 May 1997 19:02:31 GMT
From: "Mike Havener"
Subject: TH-78 cloning mode

I've heard that the TH-78 can be set to a clone mode, just like the TH-79. Has anybody else heard this, and if so what is the procedure for entering this mode.

Thanks,
Mike Havener / KE6FJT
mhavener@ni.net
http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 00:30:22 GMT
From: Wankeri@xerox.com (Wanker)
Subject: TH-78 cloning mode

If I remeber right. Its hold down the power on button and at the same time hold down the 0 key.

Wanker

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>mhavener@ni.net
>http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

Date: 19 May 1997 21:07:26 GMT
From: jpasquini@aol.com (JPasquini)
Subject: Trade Office 97 Pro for ham related items

I have one Office 97 Professional (competitve upgrade) that I'd be
interested in TRADING for or towards any amateur radio related items.
Specifically, I'm looking for a KPC-3 Plus TNC, Alinco DJ-G5TH accessories
or a new 20amp power supply, but I'd be willing to entertain any offers.
Let me know what you've got to trade!

Thanks es 73 de Joe, N2NOU

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 13:34:32 GMT
From: kiprc@tenet.edu (Kip Chatterson)
Subject: Transverter for Icom 735?

Is there something avalible like this?
I am also interested in computer interface for this rig.
Does anyone have more information on this rig?

Thanks much in advance.
kiprc@tenet.edu

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 21:46:11 GMT
From: "Nathan Price"
Subject: What do you'll think about the Kenwood TM-261A?

Hi!

I'm looking to buy my first Ham Radio. I was wondering if any of you can
offer any advise. I was thinking about a Kenwood TM-261A. Is this a good
starter? Is $269.95 a good price?

Thanks,

Nathan Price
nate@neosoft.com

Date: 18 May 1997 08:07:35 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: WTB: Service Manual KW TS-940S

Contact Van at :

wb0nzv@aol.com

Date: 19 May 1997 22:18:46 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: WT Trade

Looking for a Kenwood TH-79A

I have for trade a Hewlett Packard 24" Pen Plotter.

This is a large plotter used for making maps and blue prints.

Please let me know if there is any interest.

Dave

dgsholar@gte.net

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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 20:05:09 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Mon, 19 May 97 20:05:04 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #557
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA22759 for ; Tue, 20 May 1997 04:52:28 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA19930
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:30:59 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA19899
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:30:53 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201130.EAA19899@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 04:30:51 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #560
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 21 May 97 06:15:57 GMT
From: hr3tfd@tropicohn.COM (Todd DeWire)
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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charset="iso-8859-1"

I've recently made purchases with HRO. The salesmen was very polite and =
helpful. I'll buy there again.
Todd DeWire, HR3TFD

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Date: Tuesday, May 20, 1997 11:50 AM

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559

Ham-Equip Digest Tue, 20 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 559

Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 20 May 97 12:05:07 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =
dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Mon, 19 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 553

Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas =
(2 msgs)

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 19 May 97 12:32:11 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =
dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Sun, 18 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 547

Today's Topics:
4-SALE VHF & UHF
For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)
FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901
FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)
FS: R-1000 Receiver
FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901
FS Kenwood TS-60
FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options
FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?
Hammarlund HQ-100
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R
NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE
Need IC-25a repaired/replaced
News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr
TS50S wanted
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
Vibroplex Parts on eBay
WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter
WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus
Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON
Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B.
MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR
PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled =
mobile =20
transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ =
$75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - =
Xtal
controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and =
rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. =
@ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used =
W/HX-300V .
Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. =
@ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - =
6 channel. =20
No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig
indoors. =
@ $ 75.00

2EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW =
- NO BOX. =20
May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1 EA 70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in
factory box =20
@ $25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
=
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held =
portables. =20
(Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. =
@ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

AMATEUR.DOC

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT
From: sra@pluto.njcc.com (Seth)
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)
dual battery rapid charger
spare standard battery
3 function speaker mic
clip on case
modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler
KB2WLU
sra@pluto.njcc.com
Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4"
Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for
sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. Price
is $235.00 + shipping.

73's
Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400
From: Jim Finney
Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:=20

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.
Original owner, original box and manuals.
Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4"
Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig
box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.
This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx
Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv"
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766=20

Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT
From: "Mike white"
Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig
>
> Yeasu FT2500M
> Icom IC-2000
> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I =
can
tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice =
features,
plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any rig
I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one ham's
opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT
From: Steve Ellington
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:
>
> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.
>
> 73's
> Craig
> --
> **
> * Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
> * Civil Engineering Student *
> * University of New Hampshire *
> * ph. (603)862-7804 *
> * *
> * mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
> * http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
> * *
> **********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT
From: "Pat Wilson"
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code =
tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to =
2
pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham =
Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason =
I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me =
their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good =
about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel =
as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. =
If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already =
know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people =
at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,

> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up =
with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They =
have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not =
sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a =
no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see =
what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class =
operators.
>

Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>

Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. =
Please
help.

thx,=20
Jimmy
n3wiw
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT
From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt (Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)
Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!
I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives of,
but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a schematic
to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer
to
the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic or
to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)
Thanks in advance
73' de CT2FYW
Pedro

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| Pedro Gabriel Almeida =
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| e-mail : pga@cc.fc.ul.pt =
|
| fax+data+voice : +351 1 938 88 60 =
28800/14400 8N1 |
| CB : CALIMERO (CQS8351) CH26 =
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| HAM : CT2FYW 145.55 =
434.55 R4 R2X |
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| o mundo pula e avanca ... =
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| Antonio Gedeao =
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Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT
From: "John Scott Mackey"
Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our group =
is
out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix =
or
replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver is =

good
but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact me.

John Mackey
KA5IDI
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To detour spamers: reply to this message
by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the following address:
jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25
From: 218@sandh.com
Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 =
0517040010 FRK

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for
messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look =
for,
News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that
contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested =
in
messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a =
search
expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any
messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely
automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search
expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex
expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables
newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy
newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you
choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes =
both
UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs =
binary
files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they =
are

available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help
you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even
use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of =
newsgroups,
selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates
automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for the missing
parts, and rebuilds the entire file when the last part arrives.
It even combines parts found on different days and in different
newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send e-mail messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your phone line only
when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up the phone when it
is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and news servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read messages and view
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News Rover was designed and written by real-life Usnet newsgroup =
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News Rover is getting rave reviews...

D.G. says: I downloaded News Rover last night... I ordered this morning. =
I
don't know how much time I saved. I give your product two thumbs up!!!

T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, =
and
it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my
100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the
Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience
with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I
don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
but
I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.)
Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's =
upcoming
(Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ (I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT
From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)
Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)
236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT
From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com (Greg Maddux)
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer
wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they =
did
>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this =
antenna is
>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV antenna
on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works fine. I
haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans"@bellsouth.net>
Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=3Ddqw401949

Mary
mary.evans@bellsouth.net
remove to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT
From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim Sheffield)
Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -
the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.=20

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49
mobile bracket.=20

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me
at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT
From: davide70@aol.com (DavidE70)
Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a
manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does anyone
know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* =
(about
40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, I'd
appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- =
me
or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

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for ; Sun, 18 May 1997 =
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; Sun, 18 May 1997 17:22:09 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id QAA06652
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 16:25:29 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id QAA06403
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 16:24:54 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705182324.QAA06403@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 18 May 97 16:24:48 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:15 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =
dallas

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the =
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l
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT
From: adavydov1@aol.com (ADavydov1)
Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 meter HT for
$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and manual. The =
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first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from the
power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I =
soldered=3D
it
back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, and
closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the unit

won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. Then =
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I
tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and =
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I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in the
right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the =
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wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If =
anyone=3D

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very poor
access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo S1 =
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is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,
ADavydov1@aol.com
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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini =
Co=3D
mm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days ago. =3D20

Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? same
thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too much... I am sure
we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=3D20
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph (Walter Cang)
Subject: Antenna for condo with re
=3D0D=3D0D=3D0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I =

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d like to
know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? =
I'v=3D
e
heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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* OLXWin 1.00b * DO NOT BEND, FOLD, STAPLE, OR IN ANY WAY MUTILATE =
THI=3D
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Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net (John B. Lawrence)
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700
From: satdish@primenet.com (Barny)
Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of =
"down=3D
converters" - microwave reception components for applications =
world-wid=3D
e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest =
line=3D
of
>satellite television products in the
>world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite
>operators, distributors and dealers around the
>world.=3D20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they =
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were
>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer
>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The =
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high

>performance Ku-Band product line is
>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and =
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S
>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=3D20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, =
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Inc.
>is ready to serve your satellite television
>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=3DB9s Web Site at=3D20
>http://www.calamp.com

>--=3D20
>Esther Goodman
>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom!
I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories
http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=3D20
http://www.satwarehouse.com/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =3D20
Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =3D20
http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400
From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam (Michael P. Deignan)
Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>,
Mark Saunders wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently =
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and
>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse =
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to
>> die. =3D20
>
>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this =
Extra=3D

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and =
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>to 3.725.=3D20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=3D20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't =
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ount!

MD
--=3D20
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
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-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO"
Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern =
Calif=3D
=3D2E

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT
From: w2up@bellatlantic.net (Barry Kutner)
Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at
Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,
built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable offers
considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT
From: vidgames@netcom.com (Andy Eddy)
Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 =
pl=3D
us
shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
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if
you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack
(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably =
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n
fine working order.=3D20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right =
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now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
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If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to =
blam=3D
e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT
From: Goode@centuryinter.net (Goode)
Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but =
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as=3D20
rejected. please answer asap.
73's
james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
> in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
> 25 watts
> 5 memory channels
> scan
> touchtone mic
> mobil bracket
> manual
> box
>=3D20
> this rig has worked flawless for me
> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=3D20
> bought new radio
> will ship cont U.S.
> price.....130.00
> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey"
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's
Craig
--=3D20
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* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *

* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *=3D20
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* * =
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**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to =
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>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served =
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>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood =
commercia=3D
l
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with =
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>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but =
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I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" =
radio...=3D

>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the
car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My
only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a
speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I
really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker
location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=3D20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and can usually get back to them. =3D20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =3D20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute automaticly regardless of which is primary. =3D20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400
From: Trevor
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
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> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the =
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ir
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to =
participate=3D

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
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> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>=3D20
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>=3D20
> http://www.3doptics.com

The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a
link which you may find helpful
http://www.ocbsa.org/troop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and =
on=3D
e HT
:600 model.
:
:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use)
:without interfering with commerical folks?
:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them =
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lly?
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Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham
frequencies.
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Barry

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return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 22:32:36 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for =
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100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw =
the=3D20=3D
=3D0APanasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any =
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with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? =
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don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
b=3D
ut=3D20
I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 06:53:31 -0700
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
Subject: SO much for customer service!

In article <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconnect.com>, =
toms@inconnect.inconnect.=3D
com
(Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Robert Langston wrote:
>
>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not =
about=3D
to=3D20
>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for =
=3D
$4.=3D20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
--=3D20
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like =
comment=3D
s
good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both =
regularly.=3D

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband =
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nd=3D20
one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like =
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a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,
Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)

Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote:

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>good, bad and otherwise on the following:

>Alinco DJ-G5

>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics in
the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be
applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along with,
not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of
the radios you listed do.

>BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband =
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and=3D20
>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds =
like=3D
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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but rather a
feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one
band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set
the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two
meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.
Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don
regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700
From: Neil Spokes
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency =
an=3D
d training nets.=3D20
Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as =
exp=3D
erienced ones. =3D20
It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS =
repea=3D
ter freqs. =3D20

Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this =
fe=3D
ature were more=3D20
generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area, =
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radios that can=3D20
be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =3D20
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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to =
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tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as=3D20
:Standard, ADI, or ???=3D20
:
:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in=3D20
:a good, basic HT.=3D20
=3D20
You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to
148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio
since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out
of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out
of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation
and possible accidental out of band txing.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT
From: "JIM BALES"
Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=3D20
Jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net
tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700
From: Hendrik Susanto
Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please
email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto
hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT
From: "John Doe"
Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT
From: "Seu-login"
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=3DB4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=3DB4s
Geraldo-PY2VZU

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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via sendmail with smtp
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:44 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05312
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191136.EAA05312@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559
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I've recently made purchases with HRO. The salesmen was very polite =
and=20
helpful. I'll buy there again.

Todd DeWire, HR3TFD

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup =
<Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Date: Tuesday, May 20, 1997 11:50 AM

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559

Ham-Equip=20
Digest =
Tue, 20=20
May 97 Volume 97 : Issue =
559

Today's Topics:

cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =
dallas

Send Replies or notes for publication to: <Ham-Equip@UCSD.Edu>

Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu=
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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory=20
"mailarchives/ham-equip".

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the =
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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. =
So=20
there.

Date: 20 May 97 12:05:07 GMT

From: administrator_at_=
sia-mal@newrout.si.COM

Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =

dallas

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Ham-Equip=20
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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:11 GMT

From: administrator_at_=
sia-mal@newrout.si.COM

Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =

dallas

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Ham-Equip=20
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May 97 Volume 97 : Issue =
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Today's Topics:

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4-SALE VHF & UHF

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For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

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FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

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FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

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FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

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Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

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SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

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TS50S wanted

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TV antenna rotor strong enough?

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Vibroplex Parts on eBay

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WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

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WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

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Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

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So=20
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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400

From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>

Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B.

MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. =
OR

PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA=20
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70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled=20
mobile &=
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bsp;

transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).

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nbsp; =20
(USED) &=
nbsp; &n=
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p;=20
@ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST =
LISTING)*

1EA- &nb=
sp; =20
HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal

controlled &nb=
sp; &nbs=
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by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.

Brand &n=
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new in factory=20
box. &nb=
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@ $100.00

1EA- &nb=
sp; =20
CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used=20
W/HX-300V &nbs=
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Brand new (No=20
Box). &n=
bsp; =20
@ $40.00

1EA- &nb=
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Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.

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@ $10.00

1EA- &nb=
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70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - 6=20
channel. =
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No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig

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bsp; &nb=
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@ $ 75.00

2EA- &nb=
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70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO=20
BOX. &nb=
sp;

May be used W/ 70-230B or=20
Equi. &n=
bsp; =20
@ $ 25.00

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70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in

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factory=20

box &nbs=
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@ $25.00

1EA- &nb=
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70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.

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@ $ 20.00

1EA- &nb=
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70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held=20
portables. &nb=
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(Nicad NOT=20
included). &nb=
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@ $ 5.00

1EA- &nb=
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Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.

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@ $ 20.00

CONTACT: =
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JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK

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jkmtl@total.net

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514-694-3838

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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT

From: sra@pluto.njcc.com =
(Seth)

Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

dual battery rapid charger

spare standard battery

3 function speaker mic

clip on case

modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler

KB2WLU

sra@pluto.njcc.com

Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT

From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)

Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500

From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>=

Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for

sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. =
Price

is $235.00 + shipping.

73's

Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT

From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)

Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400

From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>

Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.

Original owner, original box and manuals.

Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney

jpf@southeast.net

904-223-6020 =
evenings

904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney

WA5VPW

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Jim Finney

jpf@southeast.net

http://users.southeast.net/~jpf<=
/A>

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500

From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>=

Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig

box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.

This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx

Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500

From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>

Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile =
bracket

mike and power cord.

$650 shipped

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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV

15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.

Silver Point Tn. 38582

(615) 858-4163

e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org

http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv

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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT

From: whowell@ici.net (William H. =

Howell)

Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6=20
meters &=
nbsp; =20
4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,

YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net =20
or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, =
Norton MA=20
02766

Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT

From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>

Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig

>

> Yeasu FT2500M

> Icom IC-2000

> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I =
can

tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice =
features,

plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any =
rig

I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one =
ham's

opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT

From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>

Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:

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> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

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> 73's

> Craig

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Craig T. Bailey,=20
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> **********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT

From: "Pat Wilson" <pw@i2020.net>

Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code =
tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to =
2

pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> =
wrote in=20
article

<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...

> Good morning,

>

> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham=20
Radio

> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...

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> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of =
money. =20
The reason I

> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me =
their

> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great=20
customer

> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a =
daily

> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also =
do it so=20

the

> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good=20
about

> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't =
walk=20
out

> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in =
I feel=20
as

> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just=20
looking. If

> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse =
with=20
a

> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As =
if I=20
should already know

> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask=20
intelligent

> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales =
people=20
at

> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my =
money,

> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya =
know? =20
Well I

> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't =
put up=20
with

> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will=20
I."

> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. =
They=20
have

> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself =
hate=20
mail

> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my =
money. =20

The

> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. =
I'm not=20
sure

> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way =
they

> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.

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> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a=20
no-code

> technician. They almost throw up. It would be =
interesting to=20
see what

> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class=20
operators.

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Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT

From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - =
KE4YDY)

Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not =
to=20
go

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has =
served=20
me

>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood=20
commercial

>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with =
the

>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have =
to

>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that =
crazy

>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" =
(not-mil-spec=20

of

>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem =
OK, but=20
I

>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the =
"right"=20
radio...

>What's your opinion?

>

>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.

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>KE6IZS

>Mobile Radio Tech

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Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT

From: icron69@aol.com =
(Icron69)

Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. =20
Please

help.

thx,

Jimmy

n3wiw

n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT

From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt=20
(Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)

Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!

I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives =
of,

but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a =
schematic

to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer

to

the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic =
or

to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)

Thanks in advance

73' de CT2FYW

Pedro

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Antonio Gedeao |

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Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT

From: "John Scott Mackey" <jmackey@com.mcn.net>

Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our =
group=20
is

out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix =
or

replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver =
is=20
good

but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact =
me.

John Mackey

KA5IDI

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To detour spamers: reply to this message

by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the =
following=20
address:

jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25

From: 218@sandh.com

Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 =
0517040010=20
FRK

Automate your =
collecting=20
research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups =
for

messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to =
look=20
for,

News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages =
that

contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are =
interested=20
in

messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a =
search

expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect =
any

messages that match the search expression. This searching is =
completely

automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The =
search

expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be =
complex

expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables

newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy

newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups =
you

choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It =
decodes=20
both

UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs =
binary

files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, =
work,=20
and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached =
files=20
so that they are

available for instant access when =
you are=20
ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types =
(UUencoded and=20
MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected =
thumbnail=20
size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or =
exclude=20
criteria to help

you find a needle in a haystack and =

eliminate spam. You can even

use complex selection expressions =
with AND,=20

OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest =
groups," each=20
with sets of newsgroups,

selection expressions, message =
database,=20
and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and =
eliminates=20
duplicates

automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for =
the=20
missing

parts, and rebuilds the entire file =
when=20
the last part arrives.

It even combines parts found on =
different=20
days and in different

newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send =
e-mail=20
messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your =
phone=20
line only

when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up =
the=20
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up!!!

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today,=20
and

it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT

From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com =
(Steven=20
Umbach)

Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA =
monitor for=20
my

100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw =
the

Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any =
experience

with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? =
I

don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
but

I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any =
help. ---=20

Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT

From: frog207lillypads@juno.com=20
(Ed G.)

Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's=20
upcoming

(Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ =
; =20
(I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT

From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)

Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)

236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT

From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com=20
(Greg Maddux)

Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer

<k5wim@voyageronline.net>=20
wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but =
said they=20
did

>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this =
antenna=20
is

>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.

>

>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If =
your=20
antenna is very

>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be =
sure

>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that =
Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV =
antenna

on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works =
fine. =20
I

haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500

From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no =
spam>"@bellsouth.net>

Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!

http://www.=
ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=3Ddqw401949

Mary

mary.evans@bellsouth.net
=

remove <no spam> to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT

From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim=20
Sheffield)

Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -

the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49

mobile bracket.

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT

From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve =
Jones)

Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me

at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, =
DE-KS4HK,=20
Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT

From: davide70@aol.com =
(DavidE70)

Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a

manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does =
anyone

know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* =
(about

40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, =
I'd

appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- =
me

or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

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sd.edu>;=20
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

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Precedence: List

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Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id QAA06403

sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

Sun, 18 May 1997 16:24:54 =
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noc.ucsd.edu>

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 16:24:48 PDT

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:15 GMT

From: administrator_at_=
sia-mal@newrout.si.COM

Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =

dallas

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S1 HT***********

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"mailarchives/ham-equip".

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text

herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the =
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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. =
So=20
there.

Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT

From: adavydov1@aol.com =
(ADavydov1)

Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 =
meter HT=20

for

$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and =
manual. The=20
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first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from =
the

power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I=20
soldered=3D

it

back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, =
and

closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the =
unit

won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. =
Then=20
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I

tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and =
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I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in =
the

right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the=20
anten=3D

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wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If=20
anyone=3D

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very =
poor

access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo =
S1=20
H=3D

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is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,

ADavydov1@aol.com

=3D20

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT

From: masa@writeme-x.com =
(Masa)

Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com=20
(N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini =
Co=3D

mm's

>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is=20
1-800-666-0908

>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days =
ago. =20
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Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? =

same

thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too =
much... I am=20
sure

we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda

Masa@WriteMe-X.com

http://www.geocities.com=
/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=3D20

Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT

From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph=20
(Walter Cang)

Subject: Antenna for condo with re

=3D0D=3D0D=3D0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna =
restrictions. I=20
woul=3D

d like to

know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? =

I'v=3D

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heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still =
available

since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day =
telescopic

antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of

coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed

areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC

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THI=3D

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Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT

From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net =
(John B.=20
Lawrence)

Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig =
due

to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of

the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike

input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700

From: satdish@primenet.com =
(Barny)

Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of=20
"down=3D

converters" - microwave reception components for applications=20
world-wid=3D

e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) =
wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest =
line=3D

of

>satellite television products in the

>world. These products have become the preferred choice of =
satellite

>operators, distributors and dealers around the

>world.=3D20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as =
they =3D

were

>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer

>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! =
The =3D

high

>performance Ku-Band product line is

>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and =
DB=3D

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>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=3D20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California =
Amplifier, =3D

Inc.

>is ready to serve your satellite television

>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=3DB9s Web Site at=3D20

>http://www.calamp.com

>--=3D20

>Esther Goodman

>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom! =
<g>

I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories

http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=3D20

http://www.satwarehouse.com=
/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =3D20

Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =3D20

http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400

From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamat=
ion.com.nospam=20
(Michael P. Deignan)

Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com&g=
t;,

Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com> =
wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about =
the

>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a =
gently=20
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and

>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths =
that=20
refuse =3D

to

>> die. =3D20

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>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find =
this=20
Extra=3D

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and =
3.70=3D

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>to 3.725.=3D20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=3D20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't =
c=3D

ount!

MD

--=3D20

-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have

-- with my guns.

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-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700

From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>

Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and

FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern =
Calif=3D

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de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT

From: w2up@bellatlantic.net =
(Barry=20
Kutner)

Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at

Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,

built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable =
offers

considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT

From: vidgames@netcom.com =
(Andy=20
Eddy)

Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 =
pl=3D

us

shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
=3D

if

you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack

(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably =
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fine working order.=3D20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy =
Eddy,=20
Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine

A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you =
right=20
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status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)

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If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to =
blam=3D

e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT

From: Goode@centuryinter.net=20
(Goode)

Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but =
w=3D

as=3D20

rejected. please answer asap.

73's

james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile

> in good condition (shows some mobile =
wear,not beat=20
up)

> 25 watts

> 5 memory channels

> scan

> touchtone mic

> mobil bracket

> manual

> box

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> this rig has worked flawless for me

> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=3D20

> bought new radio

> will ship cont U.S.

> price.....130.00

> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700

From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>

Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's

Craig

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**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT

From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - =
KE4YDY)

Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not =
to=20
go=3D

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has =
served=20
m=3D

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>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood=20
commercia=3D

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>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with =
th=3D

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>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have =
to

>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that =
crazy

>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" =
(not-mil-spec=20
of

>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem =
OK, but=20
=3D

I

>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the =
"right"=20
radio...=3D

>What's your opinion?

>

>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.

>

>KE6IZS

>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in =
the

car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. =
My

only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have =
a

speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I

really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my =
speaker

location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head =
on

dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking =
the

audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. =
But

I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=3D20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that

you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or =
Advanced

Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, =
and

can usually get back to them. =3D20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some =
Yaesu's

advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very =
tough

and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial =
world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left =
it

when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If =
you

turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =
=3D20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can =
store=20
many

operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night =
changes. =20
In

day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" =
low. In=20
the

night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many =
other

ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per =
band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is =
only

one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When

listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute

automaticly regardless of which is primary. =3D20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400

From: Trevor <corky@sunline.net>

Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:

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> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the =
A=3D

ir

> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to=20
participate=3D

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a =
date=20
for

> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.

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> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ

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> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099

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> http://www.3doptics.com

The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a

link which you may find helpful

http://www.ocbsa.org/t=
roop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT

From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au=20
(Barry O'Grady)

Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org>=20
wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and =
on=3D

e HT

:600 model.

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:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham =
use)

:without interfering with commerical folks?

:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them =
lega=3D

lly?

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Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham

frequencies.

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Barry

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return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 22:32:36 GMT

From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com =
(Steven=20
Umbach)

Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA =
monitor for=20
m=3D

y=3D20

100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw =
the=3D20=3D

=3D0APanasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any =
experie=3D

nce=3D20

with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? =
I=3D

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don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
b=3D

ut=3D20

I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any =
help. ---=20
Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 06:53:31 -0700

From: dick@merlin.libelle.com =
(Dick=20
Flanagan)

Subject: SO much for customer service!

In article <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconne=
ct.com>,=20
toms@inconnect.inconnect.=3D=

com

(Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Robert Langston wrote:

>

>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm =
not=20
about=3D

to=3D20

>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord =
for =3D

$4.=3D20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!

--=3D20

Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada

Visit http://www.delphi.com/electron=
ic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700

From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu

Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like =
comment=3D

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good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both =
regularly.=3D

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in =
crossband=20
a=3D

nd=3D20

one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way =
function? Sounds=20
like =3D

a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,

Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT

From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com=
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(Donald D. Davis, Jr.)

Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu =
wrote:

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>good, bad and otherwise on the following:

>Alinco DJ-G5

>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics =
in

the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be

applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along =
with,

not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of

the radios you listed do.

>BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in =
crossband=20
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>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way =
function? =20
Sounds like=3D

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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make =
assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but =
rather=20
a

feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one

band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set

the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two

meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.

Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don

regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700

From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>

Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency =
an=3D

d training nets.=3D20

Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as =
exp=3D

erienced ones. =3D20

It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS =
repea=3D

ter freqs. =3D20

Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this =
fe=3D

ature were more=3D20

generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area,=20
consider=3D

radios that can=3D20

be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =3D20

Neil AB4YK.=3D20

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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to =
s=3D

tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT

From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au=20
(Barry O'Grady)

Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>=20
wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any

:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such =
as=3D20

:Standard, ADI, or ???=3D20

:

:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) =
in=3D20

:a good, basic HT.=3D20

=3D20

You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to

148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio

since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out

of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out

of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation

and possible accidental out of band txing.

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Barry

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return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT

From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>

Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=3D20

Jim K0KM

jbales@iland.net

tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700

From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>

Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please

email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto

hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT

From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>

Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile

let me know what you have

monte

k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT

From: "Seu-login" <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=3DB4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=3DB4s

Geraldo-PY2VZU

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548

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via sendmail with smtp

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for <steve_dallas_at_si=
a-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>;=20
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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU

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noc.ucsd.edu>

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 17:29:13 PDT

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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for <steve_dallas_at_si=
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

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noc.ucsd.edu>

Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 12:57:51 GMT
From: k0vkh@rushmore.com (Dick Uhrmacher)
Subject: HAM EQUIPMENT FOR SALE (20 May)

Following is an updated list of Ham gear I'm parting with. The
prices are negotiable, and I'm mainly interested in
selling everything on this list, so there will be some bargains.
Manuals and documentation furnished where available. Here's the list:

1. CDR Rotor Control Box. Series 4516, for use with HAM-M rotators.
$20.00, plus $5.00 UPS freight.

2. Complete RTTY, CW and ASCII digital station. INFO-TECH M-300C
Keyboard.
Transmits RTTY, CW and ASCII at all normal speeds and shifts.
INFO-TECH
M-200F, RTTY/CW/ASCII Demodulator. Copies all standard speeds and
shifts,
and has video output, printer support, etc. Taxan 14" Amber Video
Monitor.
Complete system $200.00, plus $25.00 UPS freight.

3. "Digi-Designer" Work Station. Complete digital IC test and
construction
aid, with internal clock, (1 to 100K speeds), four logic switches, two

pulsers, IC test and assembly block. Built in 110VAC power supply, (TTL
voltages output). $25.00, and $5.00 UPS freight.

4. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic "Memory Keyer". $20.00, $5.00 UPS freight.

5. Homebrew WB4VVF Iambic Keyer, with built in clock and 10 minute
timer. $20.00, $5.00 UPS freight.

6. 5-Volt, 1 Amp, "Calectro" Regulated TTL Power Supply. $10.00, $3.00
UPS freight.

7. HAL SPT-2 "Spectra-Tune" Digital Tuning scope. Ideal for tuning RTTY,
AMTOR, PACTOR, Clover, CW, etc., signals. Absolutely mint condition. $75.00,
plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

8. "Hustler" MO-2 Folding Mobile Antenna Mast. $10.00, $3.00 UPS
Freight.

9. New Kenwood PG-2 DC Power Cable. Fits TM201, TM211, TM401, TM411,

TM2530/2550/2570, TR8400/9500, TR751, TS670, R600/1000/2000. $5.00, plus
$3.00 UPS freight.

10. Sencore Calibrated Field Strength Meter, Model 704B. Covers 54 to
220 MHz. In excellent condition. $80.00, plus $20.00 UPS shipping.

11. Drake 7073DM Hand Held Microphone. $10.00, $4.00 UPS freight.

12. New Radio Shack Dynamic Hand Held Microphone, with 5-pin DIN type
connector. $5.00, and $3.00 UPS freight.

13. Sold.

14. Sold.

15. Sold.

16. "Swan" SWR-1Aa Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS
freight.

17. "Siltronix" SWR-2, Power and SWR Meter. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS
freight.

18. Forty-foot Rohn 25 Ham tower, with a HyGain TH-3
"Thunderbird" 10-15-20 Meter Beam antenna. Telex "Tail Twister"
Heavy Duty Rotor, and Control Station. Three element two-meter
beam, and Ringo Ranger two-meter vertical antenna, installed on
tower. Pick up only in Rapid City, SD. Bargain priced at $700.00
firm.

19. HAL Communications PCI-3000 PC Computer Board. Excellent
digital communications, (RTTY, CW, ASCII and AMTOR). Complete
documentation.
Bargain priced at $175.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

20. Sold.

21. Heathkit IT-741D Logic Probe. $15.00, plus $4.00 UPS shipping.

22. Heathkit "Cantenna", 1KW Dummy Load. $20.00, plus $7.50 UPS
shipping.

23. Epson MX80F/T Tractor Feed Dot Matrix Printer, with roll
paper adapter. $50.00, plus $10.00 UPS shipping.

24. New "Pro-AM" Two-Meter Mobile Antenna, (surface mount). $15.00,
plus
$5.00 UPS shipping.

25. Sencore Digital Volt Meter. $10.00, plus $5.00 UPS shipping.

26. "QST" Magazines. January 1974 to March 1997, complete, 288
issues! $50.00, plus $20.00 UPS shipping.

27. "Ham Radio" magazines. Bound editions for years 1976 and
1977. $10.00, plus $7.50 UPS shipping.

28. CY-1300 Oscilloscope. Military surplus and makes a good RTTY,
AMTOR, Clover, monitor. $10.00, $10.00 UPS shipping.

73.....and thanks.....Dick, K0VKH

Best Regards!
S. Dick Uhrmacher, K0VKH
212 S. 48th Street, Rapid City, SD 57702
(605) 343-6127
Email = k0vkh@juno.com

212 S. 48th Street
Rapid City, SD 57702-1902
(605)343-6127
EMail = k0vkh@rushmore.com

Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 17:52:39 GMT
From: no.spam@emails.org (Bry C)
Subject: Tek 603 Manual needed

Manuals may be found for this, via:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mega/manuals.htm

On Mon, 19 May 1997 17:25:59 GMT, mne@cmu.edu (Matt Ettus) wrote:

>Hi. I need either a copy of, or a whole manual for the tektronix 603
>XY display
>
>Its the one with analog storage mode.

>
>I got 2 at Dayton, one work, the other needs calibration
>
>If I can't get a manual, I'd sell the one which needs cal
>
>Matt
>N2MJI
>mne@cmu.edu
>

Date: 20 May 97 04:28:46 GMT
From: "Lou Roppoli"
Subject: Yaseu FT920 VS. Icom 756

I'm considering purchasing one of these two rigs...Anyone have any info for
me!!!
I know the Icom is more money but the Yaseu seems to have a lot of
features.

What about Quality....

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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 12:21:22 -0700 (PDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 11:24:28 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201824.LAA05437@noc.ucsd.edu>

Date: Tue, 20 May 97 11:23:56 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #564
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3971. Dayton Hamvention 505DSP Winner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Hugueny <kachina@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6627$f272d1a0$9250b6c6@les>
Source record: 174833

ANNOUNCEMENT - RESULTS OF PRIZE DRAWING

Kachina wishes to congratulate Terry England, N9TL, who won a free 505DSP computer-controlled HF transceiver with 505AT automatic antenna tuner. The drawing was held at 12 noon on Sunday, 18 May at Kachina's Dayton Hamvention booth. The prize radio will be shipped in July.

Terry, get ready to enjoy an entirely new HF radio experience! Thanks to all others who entered our prize drawing.

73,
Kachina Communications, Inc.

Al Hugueny, N6YY
Marketing Manager

Internet Web Site: http://www.kachina-az.com

3972. Updated Pages

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: asperges@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <338d4568.8907340@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 174834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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June Edition - Amateur Radio Pages:

http://www.innotts.co.uk/~asperges/

Info, text, links, news, RealAudio.
Suitable for all levels of entry

Updated.
73 de Jeremy G4NJH

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3973. Re: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5lvk8e$8au$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 174835

Could someone please stop this thing! A simple software configuration problem is creating a monster that will choke and kill the Internet as we know it if it is allowed to replicate for much longer!

Steve

3974. Re: Telephone number for International Crystal Mfg?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralph234@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521201700.QAA07301@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174836

Found the following:

International Crystal Mfg. Co., Inc.

Oklahoma City, OK 73126-0330 USA
800-725-1426
FAX: 800-322-9426

Quartz Crystals, Oscillators: TCXO, VCXO, Test. Crystal Accessories.

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Northern Research - Information Retrieval Specialists
http://www.galaxycorp.com/NorthernResearch
Who's REALLY going out with your daughter!!

3975. IC 2710H Mod wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Boyce <jim_boyce@eee.org>
Message-ID: <33834E40.1412@eee.org>
Source record: 174837

Just bought the Icom 2710H (nice rig). If you have the mod to expand
the tx/rx, please e-mail me. Tnx!
jim_boyce@eee.org

3976. Re: Alpha 89 !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5lvlc1$7pd2@peach.america.net>
Source record: 174838

Check out the Alpha 91B also, I have had mine for two months and love it and while I am not knocking the 89 the 91B has seen a few biftime Dxpeditions as well and you will save a 1000.00 to buy other ham shack goodies, 73, Stevewz1u@aol.com (WZ1U) wrote:

>Hello, I just wanted to say to you, buy an Alpha89. I just received my new
>Alpha 89 and I have to say its the best you can buy. The quality and power
>its puts out is fantastic. Well good luck on your choise of amplifiers.
>Wz1u Steve

3977. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33875ba0.14394284@news.capital.net>
Source record: 174839

On Wed, 21 May 1997 05:45:34 -0600, fred@inti.net wrote:

> Well there's always the option of upgrading to extra class unless you
>feel hopelessly locked into whatever class of license you do hold! A
>common malady with no-coders.

Arrogance seems to be a common malady with some Extras.

--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

3978. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <21059721192545B3postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174840

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa23084;
21 May 97 21:17 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA08242 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 21 May
1997 04:22:05 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA04604
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:21:27 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA04571
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:21:10 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705211121.EAA04571@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 21 May 97 04:21:09 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #571
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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...rest of message truncated
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3979. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <21059721192445B2postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174841

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

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1997 04:22:05 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA04604
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:21:27 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA04571
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:21:10 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705211121.EAA04571@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 21 May 97 04:21:09 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #571
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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...rest of message truncated
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3980. Re: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdr@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EAJwEF.4z3@world.std.com>
Source record: 174842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> On 12 May 1997 04:29:18 GMT, Gary Moore <76170.1701@CompuServe.COM> wrote:
> >>>Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?

> >How are YOU being harmed by people who transmit out of band? How is

> Because of lawbreakers like that, we have a ban on 10m amplifiers. Because

I'll agree lawbreakers should be thrown in jail or at least regularly repeatably predictably have their gear confiscated early and often enough that there would be some disincentives.

However.

One does not need MARS/CAP authorizations to use the AT-600's keyboard mod. There are several good and lawful reasons for owning a transceiver with wide-open TX/RX.

One is as a cheap signal generator for test equipment that is always in Coax, never in an antenna. (This is how Cable companies get away with using "our" frequencies, remember?)

The more relevant one to Hams is building transverters to bands one is licensed on. Wide open from 100-200 and 400-500 gives rather more flexibility in picking up-converter LO frequencies than that which is required of matching the narrow range of a type-accepted transceiver.

[NOTE: Follow-up-to: set to r.r.a.equipment; if commenting on this paragraph or below, please redirect to r.r.a.homebrew which I've cross-posted. -- n1vux]

Both of these require a low-power setting or an attenuator. If the manufacturer wants to justify legal use of this keyboard mode, a keyboard setting for 50uW output (exciter only) would be a good one.

If I was optimistic about having time to get into uWave bands anytime soon, I'd be rushing out to buy one of these (and would have grabbed that HP signal generator for 7-11GHz at the last MIT :-)...

I'm wondering if a really wide open transceiver like this would make a multi-band transverter possible, using band-switched resonators like are used on multi-band HF rigs? I'm guess the reason this wasn't done in the past was the switch leads would have too much stray reactance, but with microwave switching diodes perhaps all the band modules could be laid out together? Probably wouldn't fit ... [see r.r.a.h note above!]

73 de N1VUX BPL with Tech-No-Code
QST TO ALL NO-CODERS: Subscribe to QST and let your ARRL elected officials
know you'll be voting in the next division and section elections.
--
Bill Ricker N1VUX wdr@world.std.com "The freedom of the press belongs
http://world.std.com/~wdr to those who own one."--A.J.Liebling

3981. Re: WANTED: 5.12 MHz Crystal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: sig@file.com
Message-ID: <33839097.5FA5@file.com>
Source record: 174843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mike Cat wrote:
>
> I am looking for a 5.12 crystal. Form factor irrelevant. I need it for
> a mod to an old ICOM 22-S to make it operate within the 2 Meter packet
> radio frequencies.
>
> I am willing to spend a few dollars, but not as much as a brand new one
> (custom made) will cost.

Cheap skate eh? We are of the same cloth. Didn't know if you wanted to
get in the packet "area" or if you needed exactly 5.12 but, Mouser has
microprocessor xtals for about $1.25 ea. in the following:

5.068
5.185

Or of course JAN for about $15.

Tim Hynde - KA8DDZ - hynde@flash.net
Equipment NorCal 40A, NorCal 38 Special, Dipoles

3982. RF Application P-2000A experiences?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mccarths@lcm.macomb.lib.mi.us
Message-ID: <5ltkuddfk2@news.tln.lib.mi.us>
Source record: 174921

Would like to talk to anyone using RF Applications P-2000A to see how they like it. Comparison to the Nye RF power monitor would be nice.

Thanks,
Sean

3983. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705218642.AA864212356@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 174922

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Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Date: 20 May 97 16:49:47 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Tue, 20 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 558=

Today's Topics:
$450 YEASU 901DM
2E26 Tubes Tubes-4 Sale
Alinco ALX-2T
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas
FS:Very nice Yaesu FT1000 Station!
Heath manuals
IC-2700H Mod
IC 706 - modifications
Morse Pocket Trainer Help Needed
Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II
Private auto patch
Revised Price, Kenwood HF with options
UHF antenna plans
Yagi not above roof worth it?
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Date: 20 May 1997 04:27:13 GMT
From: childoking@aol.com (ChildOKing)
Subject: $450 YEASU 901DM

FT-901DM. AM FM SSB CW FSK. AC or DC. Keyer. APF CW filter. SSB filters=
=2E
VOX. TUNER. DIGITAL DISPLAY. ANALOG DISPLAY. Soild State plug in modula=
r.
Two tube higher quality finals. Meter. All kinds of inputs and outputs =
on
the back. Very sensitive ans seletive reciver. High output power. 100W.=

All this for $450.

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 16:59:03 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Subject: 2E26 Tubes Tubes-4 Sale

I HAVE A QUANTITY OF TUBE TYPE 2E26 FOR SALE. ALL BRAND NEW IN RCA
BOXES.

I WOULD LIKE TO SELL SAME SINCE I NO LONGER USE THESE.

I WOULD ENTERTAIN OFFERS. QUANTITY AVAILABLE COULD RUN TO 100 EACH.

JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 00:16:26 -0400
From: bacidoy@nac.net
Subject: Alinco ALX-2T

After three fine days at the Dayton Hamvention I found myself a great
deal. A good bussiness man who had a bos full of Alinco alx-2t' at a
price that could not be passed up however I don't seem to be able to
find any specs on the radio. such as the pin out of the speaker/mic or
all the functions of the buttons.

If any one knows anything about this radio please send me an email to=20=
=0A

justin@nac.net

Thanks.

Date: 20 May 97 12:05:02 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: stev=
e dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Mon, 19 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 554=

Today's Topics:
Any Saturn car owners here? Question!
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Jamboree On The Air - 1997?
WTB:SX-117 parts and HX-20
WTT: VHF MAXTRAC FOR UHF

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Mon, 19 May 97 11:07:33 GMT
From: Tom@astro.net
Subject: Any Saturn car owners here? Question!

I just bought and recieved a new Saturn SL. I want to put my Kenwood=
241a=20
in her now. Theres a spot in the sterio console but there are metal bra=
ckets=20
preventing the rig from going all the way in so it's flush with the fro=
nt=20
panel. Also, if you have an SL where do you run the battery wires throu=
gh the=20
firewall? Any help appreciated!

73!

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.=20
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!
=20
Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS =20
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division =20
=20
My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:=20
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html =
=20
=20
Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET! =20

Date: 19 May 97 12:32:24 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: stev=
e dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Sun, 18 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 549=

Today's Topics:
Astron RS-35M, good idea??? (2 msgs)
Comments on HTX-202
Conversion?
Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?
FS: ITC Cart Machines
FS Kenwood TS-60 (3 msgs)
HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ... (2 msgs)
Illegal Transmission (2 msgs)
Looking for manual for Heathkit
Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?
Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?
Yeasu FT-736R

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 19 May 1997 01:56:25 GMT
From: "Viking" <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Hello,
I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I rea=
lize it is
more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I ne=
ed
more amps in the future. I have three questions:
1)is this a good power supply?
2)is my thinking sound as far as future expansion goes or should I save=

some money and get a smaller power supply?
3)will I be popping 15amp house breakers with this or does it depend on=

what is running off the power supply? right now I have two computer on =
this
circuit and no way to run a new outlet, I could turn one off when on th=
e
air but one computer I will need.

73's and thanks for your help. Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
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"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.=20
Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, a=
ny
and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is construe=
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as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.

Date: 19 May 1997 02:28:07 GMT
From: "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Astron RS-35M, good idea???

Go for it. I bought a VS50M 7 years ago. It has served well for whate=
ver
comes in and out of the shack.
I currently power my TS870 HF rig. and all my VHF and UHF stuff (since =
I
never xmit simultaneously)
so 1) yes it is a good pwr supply, 2) sound thinking - you can never h=
ave
too much 12VDC capacity,
3) No, it is not a significant 12VAC drain to pop breakers.

Have fun es Gud DX

cheers

Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote in article
<01bc63f8$1cdfcec0$3008aacf@viking.add-inc.com>...
> Hello,
> I am looking at buying this power supply for my Icom 706. I r=
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is
> more than I need for that but I wanted to be able to use it should I =
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> more amps in the future. I have three questions:
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> as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.
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Date: 19 May 1997 02:12:01 GMT
From: charnoft@wfu.edu (Forrest T. Charnock)
Subject: Comments on HTX-202

Robert (Bob) Diaz (cqbdiaz@pacbell.net) wrote:
:=20
: I own a Radio Shack HTX-202. It may not be small or sexey, but it su=
re=20
: does what I want it to do.=20
:=20
:=20
: I guess that when someone asks, "What's the "best" HT to buy?" It's =
a matter

: of what factors are critical to them:
:=20
: Cost
: Single or Dual Band
: Size & Weight of the unit
: . . .

4th: Are you really going to use out-of-band recieve?
^^^^^^
**=
**
Olin Physical Lab Wake Forest University Winston-Salem, =
NC
* * * http://www.wfu.edu/~charnoft KE4RJG * * *=
=20
All science is either physics or stamp collecting. --Ernest Rutherfor=
d

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 02:44:09 GMT
From: gareth@capecod.net (Gareth Crispell)
Subject: Conversion?

The FT-990 and the TS-570D(S) Are both these rigs double conversion
RX?? Tnx and 73

N1MSV

Date: 18 May 1997 19:57:18 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Deep Cycle Battery Charger Manufacturers?

You might want to check Sears. They have a bunch of chargers and a =

few have a switch position for deep cycle batteries. I have seen charge=
rs=20
at Walmart with the same feature. --- Steve N9ROU

Date: 18 May 1997 22:49:52 GMT
From: jasensteve@aol.com (JasenSteve)
Subject: FS: ITC Cart Machines

For Sale: one of the the most reliable pieces of equipment
ever made for radio...

ITC MONO CART player/recorder

mono machines, with manual, service records
new heads were installed during pre-storage overhaul
outstanding condition

TWO machines are available

$150 each + shipping. firm. US Funds.

Also available: tapecaster 150 player/recorder
reel to reel circa late 50's early 60's=

panasonic personal 4track circa 1970's?=

e-mail serious inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket=

mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
--
****
Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:50:18 -0500
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Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

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http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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Date: 17 May 1997 19:58:28 GMT
From: "Michael Mello" <kq7e@sprynet.com>
Subject: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

Sounds like the hardware (if it's rusty, that's you're problem) is acti=
ng
as a non-linear rectifier. When the different transmitters key, the RF=

mixes in the rusty joints, and you now have some rather spectacular, al=
beit
unwanted, RF products floating around. These may not be evident on UHF=
=2E =20

I had a Phelps Dodge Station Master in a fiberglass radome go bad, and
would produce the same results. What died were a few of the antenna
elements inside the radome, which is really a PITA to get into. They w=
ere
intermittent, flexed about, and whenever the TX keyed up, generated
crackles, noises, and non-linear products all over God's creation. Sam=
e
effect. So, that's two things to look at, rusty hardware (replace it, =
bond
around it, etc) or bad antenna (take it down and fix/replace it). =20

Now, if you are using the DB Products, (say a DB214) you'll definitely =
want
to bond the top mast to the bottom mast with a few pieces of good braid=
=2E=20
The two pieces, while fitting into one another, do get corrosion in the=

joint, and give the same wonderful noise problems.

Good luck!

73, Mike N5MJ (ex KQ7E)

George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>.=
=2E.
> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.

> Chupa Cabara
>=20
> Gentlemen,
> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" no=
ise
> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing. Here is the scenario.=

> We were donated a spot on a wooden utily pole which sticks out of the=

> ground (the earth here is rock with a couple inches of soil over it)
> about 85 ft. There are 4x4 wooden cross arm systems at a couple place=
s
> on the pole. At each cross arm there are 2) 4x4's bolted through the
> pole with u-clamps at the ends. This is where the 2" pipes are clampe=
d to
> 4x4's for the antenna mounting. All 4 UHF machines work well. No nois=
e.
> The VHF one does not. If the wind blows, the noise gets so strong it
> kicks incoming signals right out of the repeater. We have checked all=

> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was=

> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal
> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire whic=
h
> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is th=
at
> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current=
,
> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If ever=
y
> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the=

> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded
> "cracklies"?? How can we get a decent RF ground for VHF in the earth
> on top of this mountain? Any ideas would be more than greatly
> appreciated. Thanks for your help.
>=20
> George
>=20
> gworth@ibm.net
> s, and
> can usually get back to them.
>=20
> While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
> advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
> and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world=
=2E
>=20
> Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:
>=20

> 1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left i=
t
> when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you
> turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice.
>=20
> 2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many
> operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In=

> day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the=

> night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other=

> ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band=
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> one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When
> listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute
> automaticly regardless of which is primary.
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> Good luck Joshua!!
>=20
> Dave - KE4YDY

And don't forget that it doesn't clone either. >: Of course it can be=

programmed (and stored) on a computer like the commercial versions, but=

they clone and this one won't. Check out http://www.acsys.com for info=
,
the TV-V7 version is out now. I have no affiliation with anyone except=

the fire department.

Nice radio by the way, I like that you can split the incoming and
outgoing PL tones (finally).

Rick

Date: 18 May 1997 13:08:36 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

I <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go=

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served m=
e
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercia=
l
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with th=
e

>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but =
I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...=

>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>
I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the
car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My
only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a
speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I
really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker
location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on
dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the
audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But
I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that
you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced
Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and
can usually get back to them. =20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it
when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you
turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many
operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In
day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the
night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other
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one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When
listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute
automaticly regardless of which is primary. =20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 15:15:04 GMT
From: jjm@shore.net (jjm@shore.net)
Subject: Illegal Transmission

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>Most supermarkets in the U.S ask to see proof of age when someone buys=

>cigarettes.

I've yet to see someone transmit through a cigarette.

> And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't it
>possible that if stores required customers to show a Ham license befor=
e
>they could buy a Ham transmitter, that illegal transmissions on the Ha=
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>bands may slow down? You'll never stop the dedicated person who wants =
to
>break the law. But, there's a lot of people who may be not so dedicate=
d,
>and they might be scared off by, say the Radio Shack employee who asks=
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>"May I please see your Ham license?"

>What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.

You are asking amateur radio dealers to become policmen then? It's
not up to dealers to determine or to enforce any rules on who can and
cannot operate transmitting equipment. And, not all hams carry copies
of their amateur licenses when they go into retail establishments...do
you refuse to sell to them? This is bucket 'o worms material.

Also, not ALL illegal transmissions are caused by unlicensed
operators. I'd venture to say the vast majority of illegal
transmissions are caused by licensed individuals or groups. Either
for some political agenda, personal vendetta or the like. With more
and more folks getting into the hobby we are going have a wider
diversity of personalities -- good and bad. MORE - this means of both
types - hence a greater number of infractions.

I have worked in the amateur retail business. I have sold
transmitting equipment to unlicensed individuals. There was and is no
law telling me to do otherwise. As a matter of fact it was my
understanding I would have been breaking laws by refusing to sell to
anyone.

We (as hams) don't really like this but for now there is not much we
can do about it except to remain self-policing and to do what it takes
- legally - to squelch these unhappy, psychologically challenged
persons. =20

This same topic seems to come up about every six months or so and has
been hash and rehashed. If you want to use analogies, etc. what about
someone with a Technician license? Not a Tech Plus mind you. Should
that person be prohibited from owning a piece HF equipment? They
don't have a license for it.... Should radios be manufactured for
each class of amateur license? So, when you upgrade your ticket you
have to upgrade your equipment also? If someone plans to become a
ham, why can't they have the transmitting equipment already in their
possession? There are a lot of things to think about. This truly can
be a bucket 'o worms.

The ideas of this text are mine alone and in no way reflect the
opinions or policies of any company or companies I may contract with
or be employed by. Any editing of this text nullifies its context.

Jim, WK1V
ex-KA5MWD, N1CLS, KB1LW, HL9ZF
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Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:04 -0700
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Subject: Illegal Transmission

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> cigarettes. And it DOES prevent some minors from smoking. So, isn't =
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> "May I please see your Ham license?"

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> What about mail order? Require a photocopy of a Ham license.
>=20
> 73,
> Jimmy Kahn, WA2ILK

Yes, I'd love to see the laws change where one MUST show proof that the=
y
have a ham license before they could purchase any ham transmitters. As=
for
mail order, if I place a phone order as KF6JHG, the call sign database
will have my address. If I want them to ship to another address, then =

a fax (or photocopy) of the license would be required.

I'll guess that Radio Shack wouldn't like that law. It might cut a lit=
tle
into their sales. However it would cut down on the sales of equipment =
to
the jammers and jerks.

I'm sure that some Bozo who wants to buy the equipment will find a way =

around the system, but such a law would slow or stop most of them.

73,

Bob KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start =

of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM =

programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 16:00:58 -0500
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Subject: Looking for manual for Heathkit

Mark Mansfield wrote:
>=20
> I have a friend who is looking for a manual for a Heathkit product.
> Does anyone happen to have contact info for the company who is now
> selling the manuals? I've seen it posted here in the past and thought=

> I had saved it but it turns out I didn't. Any help would be greatly
> appriciated!
> Thanks,
> Mark
I saw an advertisement in the classified ads of QST where the Heath
manuals can be obtained. They claimed to be the only authorized source=

of the manuals, but I kind of doubt if the copyright could be valid anymore. Brian

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 21:18:37 GMT
From: majestic@nildram.co.uk (Mike MJ-12)
Subject: Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?

Can anyone please advise on the subject of programming a Motorola Radius GP300 VHF synthesized handset with a PC, is it possible ? can an interface be constructed ? any advice or addresses where I can obtain this information is much appreciated, Mike. =20

"The best way to predict the
future is to invent it...."
majestic@nildram.co.uk=20

Date: 18 May 1997 17:44:03 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: Why Are There NO Mods for FT-8000R?

why are you so mean? you probly listen to cell conversations all the time so dont give us that crap!

Date: 18 May 97 23:19:39 GMT
From: ve1rj@ns.sympatico.CA (Bill McFadden)
Subject: Yeasu FT-736R

I am wondering if anyone has any answers to a question I have about=20 the FT-736R.

I have just put in the 6M module and have played around a bit with=20 the scanning option on the rig. I want to be able to scan from say=20 50.100 to 50.200. During my research I have to have the squelch up in=20= =0Aorder for it to scan properly. Playing with the RF gain and the=20 Squelch I was able to get it to scan satisfactorly and it is able to=20= =0Apick up weak stations and stop scanning. I am using the pause button= =20
in so it only pauses for 5 secs then carries on. Stopping almost=20 immediately again because of the signal. This is good because I know=20= =0Asomeone is on there.
However, my biggest problem is the bloody beep it makes when stopping=20= =0Athe scan, when starting over the scan (using pms) or even when=20 hitting buttons.=20

Is there anyway in turning this beep off?

Tx in advance

Bill (VE1RJ)

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 1997 03:41:39 GMT
From: "Rocco Conte" <rocco@superior.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>=20
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Ra=
dio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>=20
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reaso=
n I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me the=
ir
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the=

> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good ab=
out
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel=
as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. =
If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already k=
now
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people=
at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,=

> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I=

> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up w=
ith
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I.=
"=20
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They h=
ave
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mai=
l
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not s=
ure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way the=
y
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>=20

> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-c=
ode
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see wh=
at
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operato=
rs.

Is the problem them or you. I have asked many questions of the people
at HRO and never had any problems. The sales people have always been
super and the service has been the same.
I guess that you had a bad day and took it out on them????

Rocco
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Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:51:12 -0400
From: "Ronald D. Lucier" <optics3d@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Jim wrote:
>=20
> Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
> >
> > I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the=
Air
> > event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participa=
te
> > next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> > planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
> >
> > 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
> >
> > QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
> >
> > http://www.3doptics.com
> Ron,
>=20
> JOTA this year is on the 18th and 19th October.
>=20
> It is _ALWAYS_ on the third full weekend of October. Knowing this, yo=
u
> can plan your JOTA activities for any year
>=20
> I hope that you have a good time on it.
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> 73,
>=20
> Jim, ZL2APE,
> New Zealand National Organiser for JOTA,
> jim.parnell@nzart.org.nz

Thanks to all who pointed me in the right direction on the JOTA. The
local scouts are really excited about this and we definitely will be on=

the air in October.

73 de WA1UWZ

Date: 16 May 1997 11:26:21 -0600
From: msix@mack.rt66.com (John W7ZFB)
Subject: WTB:SX-117 parts and HX-20

SX-117 any condx or parts:
s-meter/s-meter bracket/xtals/top&bottom cover
any or all!!!
Heathkit HX-20 mobile transmitter

email phone - will call for details.

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73 - John W7ZFB at msix@rt66.com
Snail -=20
Fone -=20

Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 07:46:21 -0400
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: WTT: VHF MAXTRAC FOR UHF

I have a VHF 16 Freq 25Watt maxtrac I would like to trade for a UHF
Maxtrac/Radius of the same specs. Can program the VHF before shippment.=

Tom

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Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #554
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 07:28:09 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: FS:Very nice Yaesu FT1000 Station!

I have a single owner FT1000 station for 2500.00 shipped in the lower
48 states and insured. I have all the boxes and the station includes a
SP5 speaker and the BPF1 module. It has all the current updates and
software. The unit is in excellent condition other than two small
scratches on the bottom form running patch cords. The sides. top and
front are spotless. If intrested in this nice station please call me
at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me at jsjones@rbnet.com. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

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Date: Mon, 19 May 1997 18:55:57 -0400
From: Steve <semann@nr.infi.net>
Subject: Heath manuals

Manuals may still be available from Heath. I purchased two photocopies=

of manuals from them in Oct. '95 after tracking them down through
directory asistance. The address on my invoice is
HEATH REPLACEMENT PARTS
455 RIVERVIEW DRIVE
BENTON HARBOR, MI 49022.
Sorry, but the phone number is not listed on the invoice. The copies
cost me about $25 each and were for manuals copyrighted 1963.

Steve, N4EY

Date: 20 May 1997 00:04:05 GMT
From: rdgrantii@aol.com (RDGRANT II)
Subject: IC-2700H Mod

Is there a modification for the IC-2700H to receive 800 MHZ???

Please e-mail me at RDGRANTII@AOL.COM with a reply.. THANKS!!

KC5CYQ

Date: 20 May 1997 05:58:08 GMT
From: "Haroldo Santos Filho" <hsf@nutecnet.com.br>
Subject: IC 706 - modifications

Could anyone help me sending the modification circuit for Icon 706?
I=B4ll be thanked for the attention.
Bye!
Haroldo - PP1 HS - Advanced Class
Brazil - South America

Date: Tue, 20 May 1997 02:32:21 GMT
From: rbritt@visi.net (Richard Brittingham)
Subject: Morse Pocket Trainer Help Needed

I have a deluxe Pocket Morse Code trainer made by Computer Aided
Technology. If anyone has one of these I need to know the mode off of
the instruction sheet. I know how to set the speed and I know mode 3
is QSO and mode 6 is Groups. I forgot the rest. Thanks.....

rbritt@visi.net

73
W4MCD

Date: Mon, 19 May 97 21:11:08 GMT
From: jmc@qnet.com (JMcAulay)
Subject: Need manual and schematic for Johnson Viking II

In article <338057C6.2636@ix.netcom.com>,
AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>Dean Hemphill, K5DH wrote:=20
>> Greetings, BA lovers!
>> I picked up a Johnson Viking II this weekend at the Fort=20
Worth swap
>> meet for the paltry sum of $25. It's all there and in=20
restorable
>> condition. What I didn't get was a manual and schematic.=20
Anyone
>> have a book on the Viking II that I can borrow and copy?=20
I promise
>> to treat it carefully and return it promptly, and I'll=20
pay all of
>> the postage costs both ways. I'd prefer to do the=20
copying myself.
>>=20
>> Thanks and 73!
>> Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH Email: k5dh@qsl.net
>---
>Good Morning Dean -- In case no comes forward with the=20
manual, you can
>find several vendors who specialize in manuals at URL:
>http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageaae.html
>At least one of these has the manual you seek, but cost is=20
about what u
>paid for the rig!!
>
>Keep the Boat Anchors Afloat
>73
>Rod in San Diego

Hi, all:
Don Beehler lists "service information" (may not be an=20
original-type manual -- my S-38 stuff turned out to be a=20
copy of Sam's, plus Ad info) at a mere $6.00 plus postage=20
for either Viking II or Viking II "CDC," whatever that is. =20
=20
Don Beehler=20
456 Bennett Street
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

(716) 694-8447

Hope this helps.

73
John WA6QPL

Date: 20 May 1997 04:16:08 GMT
From: childoking@aol.com (ChildOKing)

Subject: Private auto patch

Clear long range comunications now alow you to take calls on simplex. Y=
ou
are the control operator. It's between you and the FCC alone.
FOR SALE - CS-900 Simplex auto interconect. Vox and delay. Speed dials.=

Lock-outs (441,911,1-,976). Call waiting. CW IDer. DTMF or bell rings.
Works great through a cross-bander. Monoband is all that's needed. Natu=
ral
conversations. Range is as far as you can otherwise comunicate. Cleaner=

sound than a cell phone. NO per minute charges. $379

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 16:20:46 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: Revised Price, Kenwood HF with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 5/18/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,=20
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 950=20

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766 =20

Date: 20 May 1997 02:18:27 GMT
From: "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: UHF antenna plans

Good for you in wanting to make your own antenna! Channel 25 has an au=
dio
carrier freq at 541.25 MHz (video extends 4.5MHz below). The ARRL hand=
book
and the ARRL Antenna handbook have how-to-build articles for antennas i=
n
the 70cm (420-450MHz) band. They include yagis, corner reflectors, etc.=

the build-to examples give frequency/dimension guides that will make it=

very easy for you to build
one for 540 MHz instead (it will be a little smaller than the ham freq=

versions).

If you can't (or don't want to) buy one (handbook) -- the local library=

(community or university) will have a copy.

30 miles isn't tooooo bad for those frequencies (depending on terrain),=
so
anything should improve. Ghosts are typically from
reflections so you might benefit from directivity more than gain.=20

Go ahead an experiment -- remember the age old quote "All antennas work=
-
some just better than others"

Cheers

mucky@eonet.com wrote in article <864065197.26389@dejanews.com>...
> Hi,
>=20
> I hope this is posted in the correct newsgroup.
>=20
> I live about 30 mile from the nearest uhf translator.
>=20
> Well, channel 25 is very ghosty. Sooo I am hoping to make an antenna.=

>=20
> Does anyone out there, have plans to build a UHF antenna?
>=20
> If so would you e-mail me the plans?
>=20
> Thank you,
>=20
> The White Knight
>=20
> -------------------=3D=3D=3D=3D Posted via Deja News =3D=3D=3D=3D----=

> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet
>=20

Date: 20 May 1997 03:07:05 GMT
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Subject: Yagi not above roof worth it?

gain is gain and the small lower elevation of the yagi should not meen =

anything. Norman N8RGR

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for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Tue, 20 May 1997 11:52:49 -0400 (EDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA17880
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:11:52 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Tue, 20 May 97 04:11:51 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #558
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:05:19 -0700 (PDT)
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Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #562
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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Today's Topics:
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Date: 20 May 97 17:27:42 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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Today's Topics:
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Date: 20 May 97 12:05:07 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
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Ham-Equip Digest Mon, 19 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 553

Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas (2 msgs)

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:11 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Sun, 18 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 547

Today's Topics:
4-SALE VHF & UHF
For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)
FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901
FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)
FS: R-1000 Receiver
FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901
FS Kenwood TS-60
FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options
FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?
Hammarlund HQ-100
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R
NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE
Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr
TS50S wanted
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
Vibroplex Parts on eBay
WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter
WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus
Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B.
MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR
PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled mobile
transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal
controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. @ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used W/HX-300V .
Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. @ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - 6 channel.
No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig
indoors. @ $ 75.00

2EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO BOX.
May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1 EA 70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in
factory box
@ $25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held portables.
(Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. @ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

AMATEUR.DOC

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT
From: sra@pluto.njcc.com (Seth)
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)
dual battery rapid charger
spare standard battery
3 function speaker mic
clip on case
modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler
KB2WLU
sra@pluto.njcc.com
Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. Price is $235.00 + shipping.

73's
Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.
Original owner, original box and manuals.
Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig
box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.
This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx
Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT
From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>

Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig
>
> Yeasu FT2500M
> Icom IC-2000
> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I can tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice features, plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any rig I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one ham's opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:
>
> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.
>
> 73's
> Craig
> --
> **
> * Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
> * Civil Engineering Student *
> * University of New Hampshire *
> * ph. (603)862-7804 *
> * *
> * mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
> * http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
> * *
> **********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT
From: "Pat Wilson" <pw@i2020.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to 2
pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>

Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>

Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. Please
help.

thx,
Jimmy
n3wiw
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT
From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt (Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)
Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!
I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives of,
but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a schematic
to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer
to
the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic or
to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)
Thanks in advance
73' de CT2FYW
Pedro

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HAM : CT2FYW 145.55 434.55 R4 R2X
... e sempre que o Homem sonha,
o mundo pula e avanca ...
Antonio Gedeao
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Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT
From: "John Scott Mackey" <jmackey@com.mcn.net>
Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our group is
out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix or
replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver is good
but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact me.

John Mackey
KA5IDI
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To detour spamers: reply to this message
by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the following address:
jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25
From: 218@sandh.com
Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for
messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look for,
News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that
contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested in
messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a search
expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any
messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely
automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search
expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex
expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes both UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs binary files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they are available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of newsgroups, selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates automatically.

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-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my 100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, but I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

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Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.)
Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's upcoming (Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ (I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT
From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)
Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510) 236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT
From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com (Greg Maddux)
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer <k5wim@voyageronline.net> wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV antenna
on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works fine. I
haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no spam>"@bellsouth.net>
Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=dqw401949

Mary
mary.evans@bellsouth.net
remove <no spam> to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT
From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim Sheffield)
Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -
the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49
mobile bracket.

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me
at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT
From: davide70@aol.com (DavidE70)
Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a
manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does anyone

know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* (about 40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, I'd appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- me or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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Sun, 18 May 1997 16:24:54 -0700 (PDT)
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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
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Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547
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From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Antenna for condo with re
Astatis D-104 Impedence
California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "downconverter=
s" - microwave reception components for applications world-wide in Wire=
less Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.
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Yaesu FT 767 GX

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the officia=
l
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT
From: adavydov1@aol.com (ADavydov1)
Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 meter HT for
$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and manual. The ve=
ry
first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from the
power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I soldered=
it
back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, and
closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the unit
won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. Then =
I
tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and a=
ll
I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in the
right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the anten=
na
wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If anyone=

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very poor
access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo S1 H=
T
is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,
ADavydov1@aol.com
=20

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Co=
mm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days ago. =20

Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? same
thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too much... I am sure
we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=20
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph (Walter Cang)
Subject: Antenna for condo with re
=0D=0D=0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I woul=
d like to
know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? I'v=
e
heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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S TAGLIN

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net (John B. Lawrence)
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700
From: satdish@primenet.com (Barny)
Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "down=
converters" - microwave reception components for applications world-wid=
e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest line=
of
>satellite television products in the
>world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite
>operators, distributors and dealers around the
>world.=20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they =
were
>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer
>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The =
high
>performance Ku-Band product line is
>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and DB=
S
>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, =
Inc.
>is ready to serve your satellite television
>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=B9s Web Site at=20
>http://www.calamp.com

>--=20
>Esther Goodman
>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom! <g>
I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories
http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=20
http://www.satwarehouse.com/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =20
Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =20
http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400
From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam (Michael P. Deignan)
Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>,
Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com> wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently h=
and
>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse =
to
>> die. =20
>

>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this Extra=

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and 3.70=
0
>to 3.725.=20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't c=
ount!

MD
--=20
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
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-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>
Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern Calif=
=2E

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT
From: w2up@bellatlantic.net (Barry Kutner)
Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at
Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,
built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable offers
considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT
From: vidgames@netcom.com (Andy Eddy)
Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 pl=
us
shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
if
you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack
(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably i=
n
fine working order.=20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

A E

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right =
now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
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If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blam=
e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT
From: Goode@centuryinter.net (Goode)
Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but w=
as=20
rejected. please answer asap.
73's
james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
> in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
> 25 watts
> 5 memory channels
> scan
> touchtone mic
> mobil bracket
> manual
> box
>=20
> this rig has worked flawless for me
> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=20
> bought new radio
> will ship cont U.S.
> price.....130.00
> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's
Craig
--=20
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* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *=20
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* * =
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**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go=

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served m=
e
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercia=
l
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with th=
e
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but =
I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...=

>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the
car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My
only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a
speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I
really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker
location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on
dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the
audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But
I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that
you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced
Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and
can usually get back to them. =20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's
advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough
and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it
when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you
turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many
operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In
day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the
night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other
ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only
one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When
listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute
automaticly regardless of which is primary. =20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400
From: Trevor <corky@sunline.net>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>=20
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the A=
ir
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate=

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>=20
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>=20
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>=20
> http://www.3doptics.com
The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a
link which you may find helpful
http://www.ocbsa.org/troop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org> wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and on=
e HT
:600 model.
:
:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use)
:without interfering with commerical folks?
:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them lega=
lly?
=20
Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham
frequencies.
=20
Barry

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>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about=
to=20
>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for =
$4.=20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
--=20
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like comment=
s
good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both regularly.=

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband a=
nd=20
one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like =

a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,
Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote:

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ts
>good, bad and otherwise on the following:

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>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics in
the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be
applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along with,
not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of
the radios you listed do.

>BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband =
and=20
>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like=
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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but rather a
feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one
band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set
the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two
meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.
Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don
regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700
From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency an=
d training nets.=20
Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as exp=
erienced ones. =20
It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS repea=
ter freqs. =20
Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this fe=
ature were more=20
generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area, consider=
radios that can=20
be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =20
Neil AB4YK.=20
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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to s=
tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com> wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as=20
:Standard, ADI, or ???=20
:
:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in=20
:a good, basic HT.=20
=20
You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to
148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio
since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out
of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out
of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation
and possible accidental out of band txing.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT
From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>
Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=20
Jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net
tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700
From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>
Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please
email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto
hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>
Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

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Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT
From: "Seu-login" <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=B4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=B4s
Geraldo-PY2VZU

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End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548
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; Mon, 19 May 97 07:20:17 -0500
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Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wTI0g-0009ezC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Sun, 18 May 1997 22:17:14 -0400 (EDT)
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id xma004034; Sun, 18 May 97 22:16:44 -0400
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1997 17:52:04 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id RAA19552
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 17:29:18 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id RAA19527
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 17:29:14 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705190029.RAA19527@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 18 May 97 17:29:13 PDT
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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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; Mon, 19 May 97 12:21:57 -0500
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wTVFs-0009ezC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Mon, 19 May 1997 12:25:48 -0400 (EDT)
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id xma011236; Mon, 19 May 97 12:25:28 -0400
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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA27102 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 19 May
1997 04:52:21 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05365
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:44 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05312
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705191136.EAA05312@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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; Tue, 20 May 97 12:16:29 -0500
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wTre8-0009erC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Tue, 20 May 1997 12:20:20 -0400 (EDT)
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id xma001991; Tue, 20 May 97 12:20:06 -0400
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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA22100 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 04:22:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA18370
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:16:21 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA18349
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 04:16:14 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201116.EAA18349@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 04:16:14 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="RFC822.TXT"

Received: from esseye.si.com by newrout.si.com (ccMail Link to SMTP R8.00.00)
; Wed, 21 May 97 06:54:00 -0500
Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>
Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by esseye.si.com
via sendmail with smtp
id <m0wU30B-0009iDC@esseye.si.com>
for <steve_dallas_at_sia-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>; Wed, 21 May 1997 00:27:51 -0400 (EDT)
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Received: by challenger.si.com; id AAA11887; Wed, 21 May 1997 00:27:50 -0400 (EDT)
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id xma011864; Wed, 21 May 97 00:27:28 -0400
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1997 19:22:14 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28322
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:58 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28250
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:39 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201758.KAA28250@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 10:58:34 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #563
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3985. Re: MFJ 9420 rig--opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: C SCHIOTZ <CSCHIOTZ@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3382B0B0.1D16@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174924

John Kuzenski wrote:
>
> Been looking at the MFJ-9420 in their catalog; it's a 20-m
> non-digital SSB transceiver, single conversion, 12 w output.
>
> I've been thinking that that rig might be a lot of fun to play
> with in the car. Hey, I know 100 watts to a dipole isn't the
> hot ticket on 20, so 12 watts to a mobile antenna might be worse.
> But does anybody out there own one of these rigs? Does it work
> well? Is it fun? Can you really use it on 20, or are you
> too overpowered?
>
> Appreciate any responses from 9420 owners. Tnx!
> --Ken
> ____
> Ken Kuzenski AC4RD kuzen001@acpub.duke.edu
> jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu Fidonet: 1:3641/1.1
> ____
> All standard disclaimers apply.
> Close cover before striking.
> Your mileage may vary.JOHN,
HAVE A 9420 W/CW ADAPTOR AND IT WORKS GREAT. THE ONLY PROBLEM IS THE MISSING NOISE BLANKER. TRY A PORTABLE SWL TYPE RECEIVER IN YOUR CAR TO SEE HOW BAD THE IGNITION NOISE IS, THE RIG IS FINE IN MY MERC BUT MY FORD HAS TOO MUCH NOISE.ALSO USE THE RIG INTO A HAMSTICK ON MY 22FT SAILBOAT AND OVER 50% OF CALLS ARE ANSWERED. I RECOMMEND THE RIG. K2PGB

3986. Ft-920 Performance Info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth@capecod.net
Message-ID: <3382e167.39227105@newshost.capecod.net>
Source record: 174925

If anyone has any please post.
Tnx N1MSV

3987. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970459294603postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174926

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21 May 97 4:59 BST
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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA19716 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 19:22:14 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28322
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:58 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28250
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:39 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201758.KAA28250@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 10:58:34 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #563
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3988. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970459314605postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174927

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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21 May 97 4:59 BST
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1997 19:22:14 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28322
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:58 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28250
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:39 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201758.KAA28250@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 10:58:34 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #563
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3989. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970459304604postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174928

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

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21 May 97 4:59 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA19716 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 19:22:14 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28322
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:58 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA28250
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:58:39 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201758.KAA28250@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 10:58:34 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #563
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3990. Portable Packets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6523$a3fc1a40$LocalHost@520d>
Source record: 174929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Revamping my web site I am adding more
information on my Packet Station featured in QST.
More files to help get you going.
Special links to sites in the SE Michigan area.
Weather links especially for SKYWARN.
RealAudio ABC NewsFeeds, Etc
enjoy, 73 KC8DQF Phillip
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Baycom BP-2 AX.25
"Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx.ampr.org
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3991. For Sale: Kenwood TS 430s ++++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark or Lou Roy <markr@ESSLINK.COM>
Message-ID: <3382E3EC.4CB6@ESSLINK.COM>
Source record: 174930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Kenwook TS 430s in mint condition- hasn't been used in 10 years, but realligned (5/13/97) and tuned by Ham Central (New York) proof of service will be included. Radio has FM and AM boards installed- also CW filter. Also, have matching 430 power supply and speaker and up/down matching Kenwook desk top microphone. In addition, have high power Dentron Super Tuner and MSJ swr/power meter. Will sell as total package price or will sell components separate. For more information, including prices, email to markr@esslink.com
Lou

3992. Lafayette HE-45

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "." <tboyer@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3382ECA1.6752@erols.com>
Source record: 174931

Hello to the group, and thanks for reading this post.

I was given a Lafayette HE-45 (6-mtr) xcvr. I do not know the condition of it, however , it appears to be in working condition. There is an 8-pin connector for power. I do not have this connector nor do I have a schem. to acertain the proper wiring. I am told that this is a direct to 120vac connection. There are also 6 xtal connectors and one marked VFO. I wonder if anybody knows what that connector actually holds? Is it in fact a crystal? Also, one of the xtal positions has been mod'd for a tunable circuit. I am hoping this is the VFO.

thanks for any help...

todd

email tboyer@erols.com or this group.

thanx again

3993. Swap Shops

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark or Lou Roy <markr@ESSLINK.COM>
Message-ID: <3382EAB0.672C@ESSLINK.COM>
Source record: 174932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone know of urls for radio equipment classified pages where I
can list equipment for sale, other than the newsgroups?
Thanks
Lou, KM1T
markr@esslink.com

3994. ICOM IC 706 MK2 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Serge Scorset <efa@infoboard.be>
Message-ID: <3382F01A.6FA0@infoboard.be>
Source record: 174933

Hi,

I would like to have the modification in order to transmit from 1.6 to 54 mhz
continuously on my ICOM IC706MKII transceiver. Someone told me that I have to remove
3 diodes (d116,d118&d119) on the main board. Could someone confirm ? I need to know also the exact location of these components. I need this for my job, I'm working for a
telecommunication department in an engineering school.

Thank you for your time. 73's

Erik

I have already the transformation for the first version... I have the new one MK2 ! Tnx

3995. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5lut10$su3@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 174934

I'm sorry to hear you had a bad experience with HRO. My experiences with them have been quite different.

I've been dealing with HRO for many years. Here's my experiences:

Whenever I've called them for pricing or information, they have been friendly and helpful. They've told me what I needed to know, without a hint of "talking down to me". I have never identified myself over the telephone by name, call, license class, etc. They had no idea who I was, they only knew that I needed info. They gave it to me. It didn't matter whether I was asking about an expensive HF radio (like the $2,600 Kenwood TS-870S that I ended up buying from them) or small items like a tone board or a speaker/mic.

Whenever I've called to place an order, they've been fast, friendly, and even arranged to ship the order from another store so that the UPS charges would be less (on orders under $100, that is, since they generously offer FREE shipping on ALL orders over $100, while still offering consistently low prices). Again, when I placed the order, they had no idea who I was or what license class I held, until the transaction progressed to that point. They only that knew I wanted to buy the gear, and they sold it to me, fast and friendly. I have had one of their salesmen talk me into buying a CHEAPER item than the one I had in mind (I was buying an air-cooled 50 Ohm dummy load). Either one would have worked fine, but the cheaper one saved me $10. He didn't HAVE to do this... he CARED enough to do it.

I have dealt with four different HRO stores by telephone, and two of those stores in person also (Denver and New Castle). When I was in the two stores in person, the salesmen were friendly and courteous, not only to me, but to ALL of the customers who were there. There were no-code technicians asking "dumb" questions, and receiving good answers. There were old-time Extras (like me) asking "dumb" questions, and also receiving good answers. As far as I'm concerned, they give us all customer service like it's supposed to be.

I'd suggest giving them another try. And when you do, keep in mind that your attitude is as important as theirs. If you go into this with "a chip on your shoulder", you may indeed have another bad time.

BTW, I also have no complaints with AES, but HRO's prices are usually lower. Once in a while, AES is cheaper, but they don't pay the UPS charges, so it is sometimes a "wash". In these cases, I'll buy from HRO.

73,

Dean W. Hemphill, K5DH

3996. FS: Kenwood TS-140

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Truman Williams, Jr." <nn4c@callsign.net>
Message-ID: <3382FF78.1BA2@callsign.net>
Source record: 174935

For sale: Kenwood TS-140 w/PS-430 power supply in mint condition.
$700.00 shipped from Alabama. Please email nn4c@callsign.net
Thanks.

3997. Re: HTX-404 Tx Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521145100.KAA14930@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174936

All of the info I have seen on this radio indicates that you can do neither of the mods you want to do...try doing a search on the net for HTX...I found some pages of interest....

3998. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <210597052705483Fpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174937

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa24763;
21 May 97 5:24 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA19711 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 19:22:12 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA21003
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:31:46 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA14361
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:05:19 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201705.KAA14361@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 10:05:10 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #562
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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3999. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970527074840postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174938

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

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21 May 97 5:24 BST
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Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
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Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA14361
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:05:19 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201705.KAA14361@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 10:05:10 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #562
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4000. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970527084841postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174939

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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21 May 97 5:24 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA19711 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 19:22:12 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA21003
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:31:46 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id KAA14361
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 10:05:19 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201705.KAA14361@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 10:05:10 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #562
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4001. WTB- Old broadcast and pro-audio eqpt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrplace@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <yrplace-2105970708380001@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 174940

I am interested in purchasing all kinds of compressor/ amplifiers, older microphones, mic preamps,mic mixers and other professional broadcast and recording equipment for my collection and recording studio.

Especially interested in anything by Langevin and RCA.

The older the better, and basket cases are always welcome.

Thanks in advance.

.Mark Linett
818-244-1909

4002. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105971641161897postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174941

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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21 May 97 16:40 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA08240 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 21 May
1997 04:22:04 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA03969
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:14:52 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA03916
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:14:41 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705211114.EAA03916@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 21 May 97 04:14:39 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #570
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4003. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105971641171898postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174942

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
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Original message follows:

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21 May 97 16:40 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA08240 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 21 May
1997 04:22:04 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA03969
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:14:52 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA03916
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:14:41 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705211114.EAA03916@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 21 May 97 04:14:39 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #570
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4004. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <210597164118189Apostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174943

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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA08240 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 21 May
1997 04:22:04 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA03969
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:14:52 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA03916
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:14:41 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705211114.EAA03916@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 21 May 97 04:14:39 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #570
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4005. Telephone number for International Crystal Mfg?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5luvsf$7v4@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 174944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone have International Crystal's telephone number?

73,
Dean K5DH

4006. Suggestions for general coverage transceiver wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronan <ronan@mail2.quiknet.com>
Message-ID: <33830F86.6AF2@mail2.quiknet.com>
Source record: 174945

Greetings, hamsters.

I am ronan, KB6NHQ, and have only been exposed to 2M/70cM, but now would like to move into other frequencies, namely HF.

I am looking for suggestions for a general coverage transceiver that can be used as a front end for determining the source of interferrence, as well as for conversations, etc.

There are so many models available -- I want one that I can continuously vary the frequency, maybe 'scan mode', then when I locate a source of noise, narrow the bandwidth, use a directional antenna, RDF, etc to locate the source.

So I would appreciate any thoughts from owners of rigs that can attest to the utility of such a rig. I do want to use it for normal ham operations so I want to have the capability to transmit, but it should be an ALL MODE unit.

right now I use a broadcast AM radio, my FT50R and am looking to expand my capability. I cannot afford a spectrum analyzer at this time.

thanks,

Ronan KB6NHQ.

4007. Tower/antenna 4-sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Skeating@NeOSPAMrols.com
Message-ID: <3384222a.2202474@news.erols.com>
Source record: 174946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Moving sale:

I have a 50' Wilson crank-up (Telescoping, not welded type) tower, and
Wilson System 1 5 element tribander for sale. $550

Located in northern VIRGINIA area. You pickup.
Please contact me for further info at: skeating@erols.com

4008. Schematic AEA Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wes Atchison <wes@iphase.com>
Message-ID: <338305AF.3B1E@iphase.com>
Source record: 174947

Trying to repair an AEA LA-30 HF amplifier. It runs a single 30500Z. I would like to get a copy of the manual but the schematic is the most important information. Some etch on the control circuit board was burned up. Replaced that with a wire but have not found the real problem.

Glad to pay for copying and mailing of the infomation. If you could fax the schematic that would be great.

Thanks,

Wes
WA5TKU

214-654-5296 work
214-654-5586 fax

4009. Re: How do you open Yaesu Battery Pack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521145001.KAA14823@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174948

I had the same battery pack.....could not open it without destroying it......perhaps if you have one of those Weller solder guns with the plastic cutting (melting really) tips.....Good Luck !

4010. cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Message-ID: <9705218642.AA864238486@newrout.si.com>
Source record: 174949

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Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="TextItem.txt"

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cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Date: 21 May 97 11:59:07 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="TextItem.txt"

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Today's Topics:
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Date: 20 May 97 17:27:42 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Date: 20 May 97 12:05:07 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=US-ASCII; name="TextItem.txt"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="TextItem.txt"

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Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas (2 msgs)

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:11 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="TextItem.txt"

Ham-Equip Digest Sun, 18 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 547

Today's Topics:
4-SALE VHF & UHF
For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)
FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901
FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)
FS: R-1000 Receiver
FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901
FS Kenwood TS-60
FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options
FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?
Hammarlund HQ-100
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R
NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE
Need IC-25a repaired/replaced
News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr
TS50S wanted
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
Vibroplex Parts on eBay
WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter
WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus
Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B.
MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR
PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled mobile
transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal
controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. @ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used W/HX-300V .
Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. @ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - 6 channel.
No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig
indoors. @ $ 75.00

2EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO BOX.
May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1 EA 70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in
factory box
@ $25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held portables.
(Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. @ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

AMATEUR.DOC

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT
From: sra@pluto.njcc.com (Seth)
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)
dual battery rapid charger
spare standard battery
3 function speaker mic

clip on case
modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler
KB2WLU
sra@pluto.njcc.com
Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for
sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. Price
is $235.00 + shipping.

73's
Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.
Original owner, original box and manuals.
Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig
box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.
This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx
Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
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http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT
From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>
Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig
>
> Yeasu FT2500M
> Icom IC-2000
> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I can
tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice features,
plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any rig
I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one ham's
opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:
>
> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.
>
> 73's
> Craig
> --
> **

> * Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
> * Civil Engineering Student *
> * University of New Hampshire *
> * ph. (603)862-7804 *
> * *
> * mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
> * http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
> * *
> **********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT
From: "Pat Wilson" <pw@i2020.net>
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to 2
pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a

> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>

Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>

Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. Please help.

thx,
Jimmy
n3wiw
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT
From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt (Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)
Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!
I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives of, but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a schematic to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer to
the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic or to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)
Thanks in advance
73' de CT2FYW
Pedro

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Pedro Gabriel Almeida
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CB : CALIMERO (CQS8351) CH26
HAM : CT2FYW 145.55 434.55 R4 R2X
... e sempre que o Homem sonha,
o mundo pula e avanca ...
Antonio Gedeao
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Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT
From: "John Scott Mackey" <jmackey@com.mcn.net>
Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our group is out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix or replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver is good but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact me.

John Mackey
KA5IDI
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To detour spamers: reply to this message

by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the following address:
jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25
From: 218@sandh.com
Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look for, News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested in messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a search expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes both UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs binary files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they are available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of newsgroups, selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for the missing parts, and rebuilds the entire file when the last part arrives. It even combines parts found on different days and in different newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send e-mail messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your phone line only when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up the phone when it is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and news servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read messages and view pictures while it downloads and decodes more messages.

News Rover was designed and written by real-life Usnet newsgroup junkies! With News Rover the news is ready when you are!

To learn more and download your free demonstration copy, visit:

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News Rover is getting rave reviews...

D.G. says: I downloaded News Rover last night... I ordered this morning. I don't know how much time I saved. I give your product two thumbs up!!!

T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, and it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my 100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, but I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

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Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.)
Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's upcoming (Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ (I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT
From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)
Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510) 236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT
From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com (Greg Maddux)
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer <k5wim@voyageronline.net> wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they did
>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this antenna is
>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV antenna on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works fine. I haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no spam>"@bellsouth.net>
Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=dqw401949

Mary
mary.evans@bellsouth.net
remove <no spam> to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT
From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim Sheffield)
Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -
the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49
mobile bracket.

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me
at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT
From: davide70@aol.com (DavidE70)
Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a
manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does anyone
know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* (about
40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, I'd
appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- me
or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id QAA06403
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 16:24:54 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705182324.QAA06403@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 18 May 97 16:24:48 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:15 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Today's Topics:
**********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********
ADI AT-600: What's Going On?
Antenna for condo with re
Astatis D-104 Impedence
California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "downconverter=
s" - microwave reception components for applications world-wide in Wire=
less Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.
Code Quick Question
FS: ACC-8850 Controller
FS: Desk mic
FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver
FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter
Hammarlund HQ-100
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
Jamboree On The Air - 1997?
Motorola HT
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

SO much for customer service!
Which Dual Band HT?? (2 msgs)
Which HT to start with? (2 msgs)
WTB: 500hz filter for ts50
WTB: Icom R1
wtb dualband mobile
Yaesu FT 767 GX

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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the officia=
l
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT
From: adavydov1@aol.com (ADavydov1)
Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 meter HT for
$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and manual. The ve=
ry
first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from the
power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I soldered=
it
back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, and
closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the unit
won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. Then =
I
tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and a=
ll
I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in the
right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the anten=
na
wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If anyone=

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very poor
access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo S1 H=
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is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,
ADavydov1@aol.com
=20

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Co=
mm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days ago. =20

Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? same
thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too much... I am sure
we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=20
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph (Walter Cang)
Subject: Antenna for condo with re
=0D=0D=0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I woul=
d like to
know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? I'v=
e
heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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S TAGLIN

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net (John B. Lawrence)
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of

the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700
From: satdish@primenet.com (Barny)
Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of "down=
converters" - microwave reception components for applications world-wid=
e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest line=
of
>satellite television products in the
>world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite
>operators, distributors and dealers around the
>world.=20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they =
were
>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer
>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The =
high
>performance Ku-Band product line is
>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and DB=
S
>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, =
Inc.
>is ready to serve your satellite television
>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=B9s Web Site at=20
>http://www.calamp.com

>--=20
>Esther Goodman
>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom! <g>
I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories
http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=20
http://www.satwarehouse.com/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =20
Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =20
http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400
From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam (Michael P. Deignan)
Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>,
Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com> wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently h=
and
>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse =
to
>> die. =20
>
>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this Extra=

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and 3.70=
0
>to 3.725.=20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't c=
ount!

MD
--=20
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
--
-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>
Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern Calif=
=2E

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT
From: w2up@bellatlantic.net (Barry Kutner)
Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at
Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,
built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable offers
considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT
From: vidgames@netcom.com (Andy Eddy)
Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 pl=
us
shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
if
you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack
(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably i=
n
fine working order.=20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right =
now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
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If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to blam=
e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT
From: Goode@centuryinter.net (Goode)
Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but w=
as=20
rejected. please answer asap.
73's
james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
> in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
> 25 watts
> 5 memory channels
> scan
> touchtone mic

> mobil bracket
> manual
> box
>=20
> this rig has worked flawless for me
> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=20
> bought new radio
> will ship cont U.S.
> price.....130.00
> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's
Craig
--=20
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* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
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**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go=

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served m=
e
>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercia=
l
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with th=
e
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of

>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but =
I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...=

>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and can usually get back to them. =20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute automaticly regardless of which is primary. =20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400
From: Trevor <corky@sunline.net>
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
>=20
> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the A=
ir
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to participate=

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
>=20
> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>=20
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>=20
> http://www.3doptics.com
The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a
link which you may find helpful
http://www.ocbsa.org/troop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org> wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and on=
e HT
:600 model.
:
:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use)
:without interfering with commerical folks?
:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them lega=
lly?
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Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham
frequencies.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 22:32:36 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for m=
y=20
100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the=20=
=0APanasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experie=
nce=20
with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I=
=20
don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, b=
ut=20
I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 06:53:31 -0700
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
Subject: SO much for customer service!

In article <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconnect.com>, toms@inconnect.inconnect.=
com
(Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Robert Langston wrote:
>
>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not about=
to=20
>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for =
$4.=20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
--=20
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like comment=
s
good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both regularly.=

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband a=
nd=20
one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like =

a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,
Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu wrote:

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>good, bad and otherwise on the following:

>Alinco DJ-G5

>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics in
the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be
applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along with,
not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of
the radios you listed do.

>BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband =
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>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like=
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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but rather a
feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one
band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set
the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two
meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.
Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don
regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700
From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency an=
d training nets.=20
Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as exp=

erienced ones. =20
It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS repea=
ter freqs. =20
Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this fe=
ature were more=20
generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area, consider=
radios that can=20
be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =20
Neil AB4YK.=20
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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to s=
tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com> wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as=20
:Standard, ADI, or ???=20
:
:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in=20
:a good, basic HT.=20
=20
You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to
148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio
since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out
of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out
of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation
and possible accidental out of band txing.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT
From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>
Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=20
Jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net
tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700
From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>
Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please
email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto
hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT
From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>
Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT
From: "Seu-login" <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=B4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=B4s
Geraldo-PY2VZU

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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4011. FS NYE VIKING MB-V-A 3KW. ANT. TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Rosenthall <rosenthallr@claven.fanshawec.on.ca>
Message-ID: <33831C96.3340@claven.fanshawec.on.ca>
Source record: 174950

I have a NYE VIKING MB-V-A 3KW. ANT. TUNER for sale. This tuner is the big one with all the features. It is in "mint" condition. I'm asking $500 U.S. O.B.O.

Richard VE3IAD

4012. Any mods for C468A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlmott@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521190701.PAA01911@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174951

I bought a used C468A at Hamvention, and it receives out of band, so it has been modified, are there any other modifications?

JLMott@aol.com
KF4OKL

4013. I need mods. of Kenwood TS-130-S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael Castellano <rafael@globalmail.net>
Message-ID: <33834449.0@news.arrakis.es>
Source record: 174952

Hello and thanks per read this message

I nedd the combination of diodes on RF COUNTER of Kenwood ts 130 s for to
get
the frecuency 27.500 - 28000 on switch of band in 29 position

Thanks.

Salu2

Rafael.

rafael@globalmail.net

http://www.arrakis.es/~castellano/index.htm

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Rafael.
rafael@globalmail.net
http://www.arrakis.es/~castellano/index.htm

4014. Mods for Icom IC-T2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: vaillan@ireq.ca
Message-ID: <864242503.30603@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174953

I am looking for a modification to make the IC-T2A
transmit out of band (below 144 MHz).
Thanks, Clem. VE2HQJ

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4015. Re: HF Equipment comments wanted please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <3383489f.23001374@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 174954

On Tue, 20 May 1997 13:58:15 GMT, aruder@pipeline.com (Lou or Annette Hinshaw) wrote:

>
>Then again, you might take a hint from the audio buffs and
>go modular, I.E., separate transmitter and receiver, and a
>TR switch to hiik them up. You can even go a step further
>and make your own. That CAN be done cheaper than by
>giving your money away out of your country. You will learn
>a lot also.
>
>It is just a thought.
>
>Lou Hinshaw
>WB0NRU
>
>Prolific inventor,
>Lousy Salesman,
>Incompetent businessman.
>(Typical)
>

This has shown how little you can take constructive opinions. Have I ever used any of your comments to go against you? When will you ever grow up? Poeple like you is a waste of time even to post comments on an open forum like it here.

By the way, I feel very sorry that my country happens to be the country of your US of A. Asshole! I am so suprised that you cannot go beyond the social boundary as a HAM. Get with the program, please. You can also learn a lot if you can simply accomodate other people's opinion and provide yours as a suggestive idea. This world is not only YOU to teach other people lessons, but to learn from others as you grow up.

I am proud of my heritage and my other callsign. I worked hard for that and are you just jealous of it? The more you want to bash it, the more I'll uphold my ancestors and my pride.

Go get a life, please.

No 73 to you!

de AF4BH aka VS6UE
David Ho

4016. For sale: Kenwood TM-231 w/ RC-20, 5/8 whip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: nsayer@quack.kfu.com
Message-ID: <5lvhl5$j2r$1@phoenix.kfu.com>
Source record: 174955

Kenwood TM-231 50W 2M FM xcvr for sale. Includes RC-20 remote control head and CTCSS decode module. Also included, Larson 5/8 @ 2M whip with trunk-lid mount. Working last time used, but it's been a while. Make offer.

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Nick Sayer http://www.kfu.com/~nsayer/ |
nsayer [at] quack [dot] kfu [dot] com | "Hate Crime" == "ThoughtCrime"
UNSOLICITED BULK EMAIL IS UNACCEPTABLE |
AND WILL BE CONSIDERED AS HARASSMENT |

4017. Re: R7 PARTS WANTED!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5lvl07$7cj2@peach.america.net>
Source record: 174956

Mike I have what you need tand it is brand new. E-mail me at jsjones@rbnet.com and I will sell it to cheaper than Cushcraft will and 73. You may also so call me at 540-890-1453, 73, DE-KS4HK, Steveve3uwc@travel-net.com () wrote:

>Thank you for reading this post. I do not know the proper name for
>the part I am looking for but I will describe it the best I can.

>I am looking for the part of the R7 antenna that the coax connects
>to. This unit is box shaped and also connects to the antenna
>itself.

>Please reply with price and location.

>Mike Parent
>VE3UWC/KD4DIO

4018. Re: Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5luiebkfr1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 174957

On Tue, 20 May 1997 17:09:37 GMT, jrhodes@iti2.net (John Rhodes)
wrote:

>A friend told me about a problem with the Kenwood V7A microphone and
>said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks
>up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had
>this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just
>ordered the V7A from HRO Denver yesterday and none of the people there
>had heard of any microphone problems or mods.
>
I haven't heard of it.

Having no problems so far!

Dave

4019. Re: Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5lvmd5$9s5@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 174958

The problem is real and exists. When my girlfriend even talks in my car she causes the radio to do things. I have to disable the mike to prevent it from happening.

The question I have is... Do you give up the remote control operation of the radio when Kenwood does the mod? This this thing stinks Kenwood should never have let the radio go to market with this bug. Its an even bigger annoyance to have to send the mike back for the fix (which kenwwod will do for free). Other than that single pain the radio is pretty darn good.

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: said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks
: up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had
: this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just
: ordered the V7A from HRO Denver yesterday and none of the people there
: had heard of any microphone problems or mods.

4020. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <21059721192645B4postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174959

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox2.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa23084;
21 May 97 21:17 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id EAA08242 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Wed, 21 May
1997 04:22:05 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA04604
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:21:27 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA04571
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Wed, 21 May 1997 04:21:10 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705211121.EAA04571@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Wed, 21 May 97 04:21:09 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #571
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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...rest of message truncated
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4021. WTB BOSE WAVE RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROBERT C JOHNSON <TELTEKUSA@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33836A6C.782C@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174960

WANT TO BUY BOSE WAVE RADIO IN GOOD CONDITION

BOB

4022. FS IC706 & AT180

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROBERT C JOHNSON <TELTEKUSA@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33837316.73AE@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174961

MINT IC-706 $1000 AT-180 AUTOTUNER FOR THE 706 $375

BOB

4023. Full List FS/WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33837C1A.324@primenet.com>
Source record: 174962

Full List FS/WTB

** FOR SALE **

Mirage B3016 30/160w 2m Amp $200 in Mirage box w/manual

FT-1000mp *MINT*, has processor upgrade factory installed.
Also has optional Rx 500hz and 250 Hz filters. Manual, box,
as new! There are *none* better. $2500

Selling Outbacker Perth with manual, shipping tube, etc
complete and ready to go...offers?

For sale MFJ 949e 300 watt versa tuner, multi position coax switch,
built in dummy load, *mint* cond. w/ manual, box.....$85
Used only once at a portable location...

JPS ANC-4 Noise Canceller, in box w/manual, little used $125 obo

RF Concepts 3-312 30/120w 220 Mhz brick amplifier w/preamp $200

RF Concepts 4-310 430-450 30/100w brick with preamp taken out
of box, tried once, put back in box. $275

-Brian ke7gh@primenet.com

** WANTED TO BUY **

** WTB ** Various V/UHF Transverters 50-2304Mhz and IF rigs

WTB Collector of older RTTY terminal units looking
for more to add to collection, including: Hal ST-5, ST-5000
other commercial or homebrew RTTY equipment

WTB Collector of older SSTV scan converters looking for
more to add to collection, including: Robot 400, 800 etc...
other commercial or homebrew SSTV equipment

Brian ke7gh@primenet.com >or< http://www.primenet.com/~ke7gh

4024. HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: djmd@one.net
Message-ID: <33857243.4039718@news.one.net>
Source record: 174963

I have owned these three HTs: Yaesu FT-470, FT-530, and Icom W2A. I've gotten rid of them for financial reasons, but want to get another one fairly soon. I really liked the looks of the Kenwood TH-79A(D) at the Hamvention.

Anyone have some comments on these (versus others, such as 51R and Icom T7A) ??????????

TNX, DE KB8IFZ

4025. Re: Amplifier repairs in Chicago area?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Harris <mharris@mcs.net>
Message-ID: <3382E965.4B18@mcs.net>
Source record: 174964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Try Pride Radio & Television in Wheaton, IL. Operated by the guys who
ran the Ham Radio Toy Store until February. They are quite familiar
with ham equipment, and have had no problems with repairs on my stuff.

Ask for Roberto, tell him N9SRT sent you.

630-668-9577

Good luck,

Mark Harris
N9SRT

Todd Little wrote:
>
> I need to have some amplifiers worked on as I have neither the
> equipment, time, or manuals to work on them myself at the moment.
> The amps are made by Mirage, KLM, and Tokyo Hy-Power and
> cover 2, 220, and 432. They may only need minor adjustment,
> but I'd like to get them checked out and ready to go for the
> upcoming VHF QSO Party and have other areas I need to spend
> my time (such as building antennas, wiring harnesses, antenna
> supports, radio supports, power and battery arrangements, etc.)
> for my rover entry. I'm in the northwest suburbs of Chicago
> and willing to drive a bit to take them some place that
> can work on them quickly and do a good job. AES is too back
> logged to do the work. Any suggestions greatly appreciated.
>
> 73,
> Todd
> N9MWB
>
> --
> Unsolicited business offers sent to my e-mail address will be considered
> a request for me to proofread the offer and in turn reimburse me $500
> for my time and effort for each offer received. Receipt of said e-mail
> constitutes acceptance of this offer. Let dick@durbin.senate.gov
> and senator@moseley-braun.senate.gov know what you think of e-mail SPAM.
> Support the anti-Spam amendment, see http://www.cauce.org/

4026. WTB: LL-5 Phone Patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <33839C85.125E@ntplx.net>
Source record: 174965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for an LL-5 Yaesu phone patch for SP-5 spkr.
Will consider it IN the spkr, if unwilling to seperate.
Thanks,
Rick, N1SQJ

4027. ts440 audio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimpat@blazenet.net
Message-ID: <864266854.18774@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174966

How do I remedy audio distortion on upper and lower side bands of TS440 ?
Thanks for any ideas.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4028. Re: Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33839A2A.4BA8@onramp.net>
Source record: 174967

tnic wrote:
>
> The problem is real and exists. When my girlfriend even talks in my car
> she causes the radio to do things. I have to disable the mike to prevent
> it from happening.
>
> The question I have is... Do you give up the remote control operation of
> the radio when Kenwood does the mod? This this thing stinks Kenwood should
> never have let the radio go to market with this bug. Its an even bigger
> annoyance to have to send the mike back for the fix (which kenwwod will do
> for free). Other than that single pain the radio is pretty darn good.
>
> John Rhodes <jrhodes@iti2.net> wrote:
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> : said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks
> : up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had
> : this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just
> : ordered the V7A from HRO Denver yesterday and none of the people there
> : had heard of any microphone problems or mods.

The only thing you give up is the annoyance. It seems the mike element
is hot during receive and since the radio responds to DTMF commands any
noises in the vehicle that it thinks are DTMF tones it does the
approiate action. ie: tones you hear when dialing a cellular phone, or
your girlfriends voice that hit the right tone, etc.

The modification turns off the mike element during receive, thats all.

End of problem.

I admit it is an oversight on Kenwoods part but they are trying to make
it as painless as possible.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

4029. Valley Products Co. Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcotts@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <5m0bf9$6o9@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 174968

I have a Valley Products Co. SDR 1000 receiver that i would like to convert over to EMWIN signal.

This is a receiver that will signal on the Ku-band.

I have changed the crystal and a changed some filters in the unit. But i still can not get a good data signal.

If anyone has any info on converting these data receivers, please pass it on.

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Mike Cotts - KB8SSH
mcotts@freenet.columbus.oh.us

4030. Re: ICOM IC 706 MK2 Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3383B42A.7565@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174969

I got the same mod from a guy in Italy who got the mod from the Dealer
when he purchased the radio. I Serge Scorset wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I would like to have the modification in order to transmit from 1.6 to
> 54 mhz
> continuously on my ICOM IC706MKII transceiver. Someone told me that I
> have to remove
> 3 diodes (d116,d118&d119) on the main board. Could someone confirm ? I
> need to know also the exact location of these components. I need this
> for my job, I'm working for a
> telecommunication department in an engineering school.
>
> Thank you for your time. 73's
>
> Erik
>
> I have already the transformation for the first version... I have the
> new one MK2 ! Tnx

I got the same mod fro a Ham in Italy who just purchased the Radio
from a Dealer. I have not heard a positive confirmation if the Mod
worked. I recommend waiting till more "adventurous" Hams do the Mod
successfully.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

4031. WTB: Drake 2B/2BQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <3383B4FD.618B@magg.net>
Source record: 174970

Looking for very good to mint Drake 2B and 2BQ

Dale
W4OP

4032. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hr3tfd@tropicohn.COM
Message-ID: <19970520121828.084a0e9d.in@tropicohn.com>
Source record: 175000
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

------=_NextPart_000_01BC657C.278E0460

charset="iso-8859-1"

I've recently made purchases with HRO. The salesmen was very polite and =
helpful. I'll buy there again.
Todd DeWire, HR3TFD

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Date: Tuesday, May 20, 1997 11:50 AM
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559

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Today's Topics:
cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve dallas

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Date: 20 May 97 12:05:07 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =
dallas

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Content-Disposition: attachment; filename=3D"TextItem.txt"

Ham-Equip Digest Mon, 19 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 553

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(2 msgs)

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:11 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =
dallas

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Ham-Equip Digest Sun, 18 May 97 Volume 97 : Issue 547

Today's Topics:
4-SALE VHF & UHF
For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)
FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.
FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901
FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)
FS: R-1000 Receiver
FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901
FS Kenwood TS-60
FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options
FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?
Hammarlund HQ-100
HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R
NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE
Need IC-25a repaired/replaced
News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0517040010 FRK
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr
TS50S wanted
TV antenna rotor strong enough?
Vibroplex Parts on eBay
WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter
WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus
Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400
From: JOSH KAYSON
Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B.
MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. OR
PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA - 70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled =
mobile =20
transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).
(USED) @ =
$75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST LISTING)*

1EA- HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - =
Xtal
controlled by standard C/W Nicad battery and =
rubber duck antenna.
Brand new in factory box. =
@ $100.00

1EA- CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used =
W/HX-300V .
Brand new (No Box). @ $40.00

1EA- Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.
Brand New. =
@ $10.00

1EA- 70-230B Midland Hand Held transceiver - UHF- Xtal - =
6 channel. =20
No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig
indoors. =
@ $ 75.00

2EA- 70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW =
- NO BOX. =20
May be used W/ 70-230B or Equi. @ $ 25.00

1 EA 70-C03 Midland desk top drop in charger-Brand new in
factory box =20
@ $25.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack for hand held portables.
=
@ $ 20.00

1EA- 70-B12 Midland battery pack holder for hand held =
portables. =20
(Nicad NOT included). @ $ 5.00

1EA- Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.
Used. =
@ $ 20.00

CONTACT: JOSH KAYSON: VE2JKK
E-MAIL: jkmtl@total.net
FAX: 514-335-2216
TEL(DAY): 514-335-8579
TEL(EVE): 514-694-3838

AMATEUR.DOC

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT
From: sra@pluto.njcc.com (Seth)
Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)
dual battery rapid charger
spare standard battery
3 function speaker mic
clip on case
modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler
KB2WLU
sra@pluto.njcc.com
Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4"
Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for
sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. Price
is $235.00 + shipping.

73's
Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT
From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)
Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400
From: Jim Finney
Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:=20

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.
Original owner, original box and manuals.
Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4"
Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig
box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.
This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx
Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500
From: "kf4abv"
Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile bracket
mike and power cord.
$650 shipped
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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV
15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.
Silver Point Tn. 38582
(615) 858-4163
e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org
http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv
****

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT
From: whowell@ici.net (William H. Howell)
Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6 meters 4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,
YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766=20

Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT
From: "Mike white"
Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig
>
> Yeasu FT2500M
> Icom IC-2000
> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I =
can
tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice =
features,
plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any rig
I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one ham's
opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT
From: Steve Ellington

Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:
>
> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.
>
> 73's
> Craig
> --
> **
> * Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
> * Civil Engineering Student *
> * University of New Hampshire *
> * ph. (603)862-7804 *
> * *
> * mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *
> * http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
> * *
> **********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT
From: "Pat Wilson"
Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code =
tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to =
2
pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham =
Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...

>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason =
I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me =
their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good =
about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel =
as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. =
If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already =
know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people =
at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up =
with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They =
have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not =
sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a =
no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see =
what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class =
operators.
>

Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to go
>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served me

>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood commercial
>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with the
>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy
>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" radio...
>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech
>
>

Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT
From: icron69@aol.com (Icron69)
Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. =
Please
help.

thx,=20
Jimmy
n3wiw
n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT
From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt (Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)
Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!
I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives of,
but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a schematic
to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer
to
the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic or
to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)
Thanks in advance
73' de CT2FYW
Pedro

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| Pedro Gabriel Almeida =
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| e-mail : pga@cc.fc.ul.pt =
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| fax+data+voice : +351 1 938 88 60 =
28800/14400 8N1 |
| CB : CALIMERO (CQS8351) CH26 =
|
| HAM : CT2FYW 145.55 =
434.55 R4 R2X |
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| o mundo pula e avanca ... =
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| Antonio Gedeao =
|
|____|=

Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT
From: "John Scott Mackey"
Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our group =
is
out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix =
or
replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver is =
good
but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact me.

John Mackey
KA5IDI
--
To detour spamers: reply to this message
by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the following address:
jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25
From: 218@sandh.com
Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 =
0517040010 FRK

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for
messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look =
for,
News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that
contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested =
in
messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a =
search
expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes = both
UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs = binary
files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they = are
available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of = newsgroups,
selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for the missing parts, and rebuilds the entire file when the last part arrives. It even combines parts found on different days and in different newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send e-mail messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your phone line only when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up the phone when it is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and news servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read messages and view
pictures while it downloads and decodes more messages.

News Rover was designed and written by real-life Usnet newsgroup =
junkies!
With News Rover the news is ready when you are!

To learn more and download your free demonstration copy, visit:

http://www.NewsRover.com

News Rover is getting rave reviews...

D.G. says: I downloaded News Rover last night... I ordered this morning. =
I
don't know how much time I saved. I give your product two thumbs up!!!

T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, =
and
it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for my
100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw the
Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any experience
with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? I
don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
but
I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com (Ed G.)
Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's =
upcoming
(Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ (I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT
From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)
Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)
236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT
From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com (Greg Maddux)
Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer
wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but said they =
did
>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this =
antenna is
>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.
>
>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If your antenna is very
>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be sure
>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV antenna
on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works fine. I
haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500
From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans"@bellsouth.net>
Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!
http://www.ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=3Ddqw401949

Mary
mary.evans@bellsouth.net
remove to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT
From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim Sheffield)
Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -
the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.=20

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49
mobile bracket.=20

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT
From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve Jones)
Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me
at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT
From: davide70@aol.com (DavidE70)
Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a
manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does anyone
know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* =
(about
40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, I'd
appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- =
me
or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

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via sendmail with smtp
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-0400 (EDT)
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 16:25:29 -0700 (PDT)
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id QAA06403
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 16:24:54 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705182324.QAA06403@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Sun, 18 May 97 16:24:48 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:15 GMT
From: administrator_at_sia-mal@newrout.si.COM
Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =
dallas

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Today's Topics:
**********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********
ADI AT-600: What's Going On?
Antenna for condo with re
Astatis D-104 Impedence
California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of =
"downconverter=3D
s" - microwave reception components for applications world-wide in =
Wire=3D
less Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.
Code Quick Question
FS: ACC-8850 Controller
FS: Desk mic
FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver
FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter
Hammarlund HQ-100
Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...
Jamboree On The Air - 1997?
Motorola HT
Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??
SO much for customer service!
Which Dual Band HT?? (2 msgs)
Which HT to start with? (2 msgs)
WTB: 500hz filter for ts50
WTB: Icom R1
wtb dualband mobile
Yaesu FT 767 GX

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory "mailarchives/ham-equip".

We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the =

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l
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT
From: adavydov1@aol.com (ADavydov1)
Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 meter HT for
$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and manual. The =
ve=3D
ry
first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from the
power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I =
soldered=3D
it
back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, and
closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the unit
won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. Then =
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I
tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and =
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ll
I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in the
right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the =
anten=3D
na
wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If =
anyone=3D

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very poor
access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo S1 =
H=3D
T
is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,
ADavydov1@aol.com
=3D20

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT
From: masa@writeme-x.com (Masa)
Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini =
Co=3D

mm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days ago. =3D20

Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? same
thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too much... I am sure
we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=3D20
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT
From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph (Walter Cang)
Subject: Antenna for condo with re
=3D0D=3D0D=3D0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I =
woul=3D
d like to
know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? =
I'v=3D
e
heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
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* OLXWin 1.00b * DO NOT BEND, FOLD, STAPLE, OR IN ANY WAY MUTILATE =
THI=3D
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Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT
From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net (John B. Lawrence)
Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig due
to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of
the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike
input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700
From: satdish@primenet.com (Barny)
Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of =
"down=3D

converters" - microwave reception components for applications =
world-wid=3D
e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest =
line=3D
of
>satellite television products in the
>world. These products have become the preferred choice of satellite
>operators, distributors and dealers around the
>world.=3D20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as they =
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were
>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer
>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! The =
=3D
high
>performance Ku-Band product line is
>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and =
DB=3D
S
>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=3D20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California Amplifier, =
=3D
Inc.
>is ready to serve your satellite television
>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=3DB9s Web Site at=3D20
>http://www.calamp.com

>--=3D20
>Esther Goodman
>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom!
I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories
http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=3D20
http://www.satwarehouse.com/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =3D20
Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =3D20
http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400
From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam (Michael P. Deignan)
Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com>,
Mark Saunders wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about the
>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a gently =
h=3D
and
>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths that refuse =
=3D
to
>> die. =3D20
>
>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find this =
Extra=3D

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and =
3.70=3D
0
>to 3.725.=3D20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=3D20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't =
c=3D
ount!

MD
--=3D20
-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have
-- with my guns.
--
-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO"
Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern =
Calif=3D
=3D2E

de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT
From: w2up@bellatlantic.net (Barry Kutner)
Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at
Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,
built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable offers
considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT
From: vidgames@netcom.com (Andy Eddy)
Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 =
pl=3D
us
shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
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if
you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack
(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably =
i=3D
n
fine working order.=3D20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy Eddy, Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine
A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you right =
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now
(Check for status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)
=3D3D-=3D3D-=3D3D-=3D3D-=3D3D
If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to =
blam=3D
e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT
From: Goode@centuryinter.net (Goode)
Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but =
w=3D
as=3D20
rejected. please answer asap.
73's
james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile
> in good condition (shows some mobile wear,not beat up)
> 25 watts
> 5 memory channels
> scan
> touchtone mic
> mobil bracket

> manual
> box
>=3D20
> this rig has worked flawless for me
> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=3D20
> bought new radio
> will ship cont U.S.
> price.....130.00
> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700
From: "Craig T. Bailey"
Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's
Craig
--=3D20
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* Craig T. Bailey, N1SFT *
* Civil Engineering Student *
* University of New Hampshire *
* ph. (603)862-7804 *
* *
* mailto:craig.bailey@unh.edu *=3D20
* http://pubpages.unh.edu/~ctbailey *
* * =
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Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT
From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not to =
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>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has served =
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>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood =
commercia=3D
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>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with =
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>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have to
>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that crazy

>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" (not-mil-spec of
>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem OK, but =
=3D
I
>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the "right" =
radio...=3D

>What's your opinion?
>
>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.
>
>KE6IZS
>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in the car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. My only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have a speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my speaker location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head on dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking the audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. But I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=3D20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or Advanced Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, and can usually get back to them. =3D20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some Yaesu's advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very tough and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left it when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If you turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =3D20

2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can store many operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night changes. In day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" low. In the night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many other ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is only one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute automaticly regardless of which is primary. =3D20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400
From: Trevor
Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:
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> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the =
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ir
> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to =
participate=3D

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a date for
> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.
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> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ
>=3D20
> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099
>=3D20
> http://www.3doptics.com
The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a
link which you may find helpful
http://www.ocbsa.org/troop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and =
on=3D
e HT
:600 model.
:
:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham use)
:without interfering with commerical folks?
:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them =
lega=3D
lly?
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Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham
frequencies.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 22:32:36 GMT
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com (Steven Umbach)
Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA monitor for =
m=3D
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100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw =
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=3D0APanasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any =
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with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? =
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don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
b=3D
ut=3D20
I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any help. --- Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 06:53:31 -0700
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com (Dick Flanagan)
Subject: SO much for customer service!

In article <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconnect.com>, =
toms@inconnect.inconnect.=3D
com
(Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Robert Langston wrote:
>
>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm not =
about=3D
to=3D20
>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord for =
=3D
$4.=3D20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
--=3D20
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700
From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like =
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s
good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both =
regularly.=3D

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in crossband =
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one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way function? Sounds like =
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a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,
Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com (Donald D. Davis, Jr.)
Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

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>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics in
the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be
applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along with,
not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of
the radios you listed do.

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like=3D
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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but rather a
feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one
band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set

the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two
meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.
Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don
regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700
From: Neil Spokes
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency =
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d training nets.=3D20
Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as =
exp=3D
erienced ones. =3D20
It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS =
repea=3D
ter freqs. =3D20
Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this =
fe=3D
ature were more=3D20
generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area, =
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radios that can=3D20
be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =3D20
Neil AB4YK.=3D20
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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to =
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tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au (Barry O'Grady)
Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any
:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such as=3D20
:Standard, ADI, or ???=3D20
:
:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) in=3D20
:a good, basic HT.=3D20
=3D20
You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to
148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio
since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out

of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out
of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation
and possible accidental out of band txing.
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Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT
From: "JIM BALES"
Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=3D20
Jim K0KM
jbales@iland.net
tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700
From: Hendrik Susanto
Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please
email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto
hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT
From: "John Doe"
Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile
let me know what you have
monte
k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT
From: "Seu-login"
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=3DB4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=3DB4s
Geraldo-PY2VZU

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Sun, 18 May 1997 17:29:14 -0700 (PDT)
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Date: Sun, 18 May 97 17:29:13 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)
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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
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To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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I've recently made purchases with HRO. The salesmen was very polite =
and=20
helpful. I'll buy there again.

Todd DeWire, HR3TFD

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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup =
<Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 20 May 97 12:05:07 GMT

From: administrator_at_=
sia-mal@newrout.si.COM

Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =

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For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

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FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

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FS: R-1000 Receiver

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NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

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Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

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Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 17:04:20 -0400

From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>

Subject: 4-SALE VHF & UHF

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING FOR SALE. ALL PRICES ARE U.S. DOLLARS, F.O.B.

MONTREAL, THAT IS SHIPPING CHARGES ARE EXTRA. ALL ITEMS ARE U.P.S. =
OR

PARCEL PORT SHIPABLE:

1EA=20
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70-525B Midland UHF 5 channel crystal controlled=20
mobile &=
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transciever C/W 12 volt DC cord (NO MIC).

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nbsp; =20
(USED) &=
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@ $75.00

* (ASKING PRICES HAVE BEEN REDUCED SINCE LAST =
LISTING)*

1EA- &nb=
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HX-300V - VHF Hand Held transceiver - 2 channel - Xtal

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by standard C/W Nicad battery and rubber duck antenna.

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new in factory=20
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@ $100.00

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CSA-4AB Standard drop in desk charger. May be used=20
W/HX-300V &nbs=
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Brand new (No=20
Box). &n=
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Standard deluxe carrying case for HX-300.

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No antenna , no box. C/W nicad battery. Used as test rig

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@ $ 75.00

2EA- &nb=
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70-C05 Midland desk top drop in charger. BRAND NEW - NO=20
BOX. &nb=
sp;

May be used W/ 70-230B or=20
Equi. &n=
bsp; =20
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@ $ 5.00

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Citizen Model 120D - Printer - Need small repair.

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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:44:08 GMT

From: sra@pluto.njcc.com =
(Seth)

Subject: For Sale: Kenwood TH-79A(D)

For Sale:

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

dual battery rapid charger

spare standard battery

3 function speaker mic

clip on case

modified to broaden the Tx and Rx

e-mail with an offer

Seth Adler

KB2WLU

sra@pluto.njcc.com

Princeton First Aid & Rescue Squad

Date: 18 May 1997 19:04:57 GMT

From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)

Subject: FS: ASTRON RS-35A 25Amp P.S.

Power Supply is SOLD. Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:31:33 -0500

From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>=

Subject: FS: FV-901DM remote vfo for FT-901

I have a FV-901DM remote vfo w/40 memory chanels and up/dwn scan for

sale. It is in perfect condition (not a scratch) with box/manual. =
Price

is $235.00 + shipping.

73's

Bob

Date: 18 May 1997 18:59:09 GMT

From: wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV)

Subject: FS:Kenwood HF Station (AS NEW)

All SOLD, Tnx to all who responded.

Van,

WB0NZV

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 18:54:07 -0400

From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>

Subject: FS: R-1000 Receiver

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood R-1000, 100kc-30mHz SW receiver.

Original owner, original box and manuals.

Good condition.

$250

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney

jpf@southeast.net

904-223-6020 =
evenings

904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim Finney

WA5VPW

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Jim Finney

jpf@southeast.net

http://users.southeast.net/~jpf<=
/A>

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:33:01 -0500

From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>=

Subject: FS: SP901P skpr/phone patch for FT-901

I have a SP-901P spkr/patch in new condition, with orig

box/manual/packing for sale. Price is $85.00 shipped.

This matches the Yaesu FT-901/902 series rigs.

Thbx

Bob

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 00:34:12 -0500

From: "kf4abv" <dupchurch@twlakes.net>

Subject: FS Kenwood TS-60

For sale, Kenwood TS-60 in new condition with box manual mobile =
bracket

mike and power cord.

$650 shipped

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Dale Upchurch KF4ABV

15955 Tucker Rdg. Rd.

Silver Point Tn. 38582

(615) 858-4163

e-mail kf4abv@amsat.org

http://www.qsl.net/kf4abv

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Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 22:53:28 GMT

From: whowell@ici.net (William H. =

Howell)

Subject: FS Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF and 6M with options

Must sell Kenwood HF with 6=20
meters &=
nbsp; =20
4/30/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw YG444CN,YK88C-1,

YK88S-1, SO-2 (not installed), $ 975

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA

whowell@ici.net =20
or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, =
Norton MA=20

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Date: 15 May 1997 13:05:57 GMT

From: "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com>

Subject: FT-2500M vs TM-261A vs IC-2000?

> I'm looking to buy my first "real" 2M mobile rig

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> Yeasu FT2500M

> Icom IC-2000

> Kenwood TM-261A

I have no experience with the Icom or Kenwood rigs on this list, but I =
can

tell you that the Yaesu FT2500M is a superb radio. Lots of nice =
features,

plenty of power, very rugged, and the best intermod rejection of any =
rig

I've ever used. Works very well base, mobile or packet. Just one =
ham's

opinion. Best of luck...

Disclaimer: I have no connection with Yaesu, Icom, or Kenwood.

Mike, N4PDY

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 02:01:48 GMT

From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>

Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

Craig T. Bailey wrote:

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> I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

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> 73's

> Craig

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> **********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

$75 to $120 depending on cdx and buyers mental state.

Date: 18 May 1997 23:03:09 GMT

From: "Pat Wilson" <pw@i2020.net>

Subject: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

1.... Are you a Ham?

2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.

3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.

4.... Did you act like an asshole?

5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.

6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code =
tech?

7.... I have purchased on seperate occasions, everything from an 850 to =
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pl259s and always been treated well.

8.... Have a good day.

N5PW

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> =
wrote in=20
article

<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...

> Good morning,

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> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham=20
Radio

> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...

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> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of =
money. =20
The reason I

> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me =
their

> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great=20
customer

> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a =
daily

> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also =
do it so=20
the

> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good=20
about

> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't =
walk=20
out

> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in =
I feel=20
as

> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just=20
looking. If

> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse =
with=20
a

> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As =
if I=20
should already know

> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask=20
intelligent

> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales =
people=20
at

> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my =
money,

> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya =
know? =20
Well I

> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't =
put up=20
with

> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will=20
I."

> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. =
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have

> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself =
hate=20
mail

> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my =
money. =20
The

> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. =
I'm not=20
sure

> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way =
they

> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.

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> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a=20
no-code

> technician. They almost throw up. It would be =
interesting to=20
see what

> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class=20
operators.

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Date: 18 May 1997 13:06:45 GMT

From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - =
KE4YDY)

Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not =
to=20
go

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has =
served=20

me

>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood=20
commercial

>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with =
the

>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have =
to

>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that =
crazy

>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" =
(not-mil-spec=20
of

>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem =
OK, but=20
I

>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the =
"right"=20
radio...

>What's your opinion?

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>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.

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>KE6IZS

>Mobile Radio Tech

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Date: 18 May 1997 17:36:01 GMT

From: icron69@aol.com =
(Icron69)

Subject: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. =20
Please

help.

thx,

Jimmy

n3wiw

n3wiw@clark.net

Date: 17 May 1997 14:35:24 GMT

From: pga@correio.cc.fc.ul.pt=20
(Pedro Gabriel F. L. B. Almeida)

Subject: NEED: schematics on PYE MARINE

Hi!

I just saved from junk a transceiver from PYE MARINE, it receives =
of,

but it has no transmition, tubes seem to be ok, but I need a =
schematic

to find out whats wrong with it. Please send me an e-mail, or answer

to

the group with any possible information or where to get a schematic =
or

to the seller of this equipment (in europe if possible)

Thanks in advance

73' de CT2FYW

Pedro

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Date: 17 May 1997 04:45:41 GMT

From: "John Scott Mackey" <jmackey@com.mcn.net>

Subject: Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our =
group=20
is

out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix =
or

replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver =
is=20
good

but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact =
me.

John Mackey

KA5IDI

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To detour spamers: reply to this message

by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the =
following=20
address:

jmackey@mcn.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 04:00:25

From: 218@sandh.com

Subject: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 =
0517040010=20
FRK

Automate your =
collecting=20
research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups =
for

messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to =
look=20
for,

News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages =
that

contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are =
interested=20
in

messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a =
search

expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect =
any

messages that match the search expression. This searching is =
completely

automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The =
search

expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be =
complex

expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables

newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy

newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups =
you

choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It =
decodes=20
both

UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs =
binary

files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, =
work,=20
and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached =
files=20
so that they are

available for instant access when =
you are=20
ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types =
(UUencoded and=20
MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected =
thumbnail=20
size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or =
exclude=20
criteria to help

you find a needle in a haystack and =

eliminate spam. You can even

use complex selection expressions =
with AND,=20
OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest =
groups," each=20
with sets of newsgroups,

selection expressions, message =
database,=20
and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and =
eliminates=20
duplicates

automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for =
the=20
missing

parts, and rebuilds the entire file =
when=20
the last part arrives.

It even combines parts found on =
different=20
days and in different

newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send =
e-mail=20
messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your =
phone=20
line only

when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up =
the=20

phone when it

is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and =
news=20
servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read =
messages=20
and view

pictures while it downloads and =
decodes=20
more messages.

News Rover was designed and written by real-life Usnet newsgroup =
junkies!

With News Rover the news is ready when you are!

To learn more and download your free demonstration copy, visit:

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http://www.NewsRover.com

News Rover is getting rave reviews...

D.G. says: I downloaded News Rover last night... I ordered this morning. =
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don't know how much time I saved. I give your product two thumbs =
up!!!

T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time =
today,=20
and

it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0517040010 --

Date: 17 May 1997 22:34:17 GMT

From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com =
(Steven=20
Umbach)

Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA =
monitor for=20
my

100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw =
the

Panasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any =
experience

with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? =
I

don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
but

I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any =
help. ---=20
Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 97 05:36:32 GMT

From: frog207lillypads@juno.com=20
(Ed G.)

Subject: SGC 2020 new SSB xcvr

You might want to check out the updated web page data on SGC's=20
upcoming

(Sept) new HF ssb xcvr. Picture now included along with specs.

http://www.sgcworld.com/ =
; =20
(I think I recall correctly)

Ed W7DXZ

Date: 14 May 1997 03:52:15 GMT

From: g0l0ga@aol.com (G0l0ga)

Subject: TS50S wanted

In search of a mint Kenwood TS50S. E-mail details or fax to (510)

236-3677. Thanks.

Jose Luiz

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:30:01 GMT

From: gmaddux!@apollo.ptway.com=20
(Greg Maddux)

Subject: TV antenna rotor strong enough?

On Thu, 15 May 1997 17:58:49 -0700, Mike Pfeiffer

<k5wim@voyageronline.net>=20
wrote:

>> Radio shack could not provide any specs for the antenna but =
said they=20
did

>> not recommend it for communications antennaa (even though this =
antenna=20
is

>> smaller than some of the TV antennas.

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>Just don't forget, you "get what you pay for". If =
your=20
antenna is very

>light weight, then maybe but as bad as winds can get, you can be =
sure

>your antenna/rotor won't be in the air more than 3 years. Is that =
Okay?

Aw, come on! We've used a light duty TV rotor for a HUGE TV =
antenna

on a tower. It was installed 16 years ago, and still works =
fine. =20
I

haven't even replaced the wires yet (although I should).

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:13:15 -0500

From: Mary Evans <"mary.evans<no =
spam>"@bellsouth.net>

Subject: Vibroplex Parts on eBay

New Old Stock Vibroplex parts on eBay. Over 300 pieces!

http://www.=
ebay.com/aw-cgi/item.cgi?item=3Ddqw401949

Mary

mary.evans@bellsouth.net
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remove <no spam> to reply

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 23:21:21 GMT

From: kb7et@pipeline.com (Jim=20
Sheffield)

Subject: WTB: Icom FL-52A/53A filter

Am looking for the CW filter for an IC-737A -

the FL-53A (250Hz) or FL-52A (500Hz) filter.

Also looking for CR-282 crystal unit and MB-49

mobile bracket.

Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 06:26:19 GMT

From: jsjones@rbnet.com (Steve =
Jones)

Subject: WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or plus

WTB:Ten Tec Omni VI or VI plus. Call me at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me

at jsjones@rbnet.com asap. 73, =
DE-KS4HK,=20
Steve

Date: 17 May 1997 17:12:58 GMT

From: davide70@aol.com =
(DavidE70)

Subject: Yaesu FT-901 DM info?

I just purchased a Yaesu FT-901 DM HF rig at a swapfest. Came with a

manual but there's no mention of when it was manufactured. Does =
anyone

know when they built this thing? Seems like a nice rig, but *heavy* =
(about

40 lbs). If you know when it was built and how much it retailed for, =
I'd

appreciate your sharing that info with me. (I'm curious who's older -- =
me

or it!)

Please reply by email--thanks!

Dave KB0YSN

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547

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From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #547

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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Date: 19 May 97 12:32:15 GMT

From: administrator_at_=
sia-mal@newrout.si.COM

Subject: cc:Mail Link to SMTP Undeliverable Message: Unknown user: steve =

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Today's Topics:

**********PLEASE HELP ME WITH =
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S1 HT**********

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Astatis D-104 Impedence

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Send subscription requests to: <Ham-Equip-REQUEST@UCSD.Edu=
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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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(by FTP only) from ftp.UCSD.Edu in directory=20
"mailarchives/ham-equip".

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herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the =
officia=3D

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policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. =
So=20

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Date: 17 May 1997 12:45:15 GMT

From: adavydov1@aol.com =
(ADavydov1)

Subject: **********PLEASE HELP ME WITH TEMPO S1 HT**********

Hi,

I recently atteneded a hamfest and bought a Tempo S1 2 =
meter HT=20
for

$10. The unit came with the battery, leather case, and =
manual. The=20
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first time I opened it up, I gave the unit 9.5 volts of power from =
the

power supply, and it worked. But then a wire ripped off, so I=20
soldered=3D

it

back to where I thought it would go. I charged the NiCad battery, =
and

closed up the unit. When I went to turn it on, I found that the =
unit

won't transmit, the TX LED lights up but no RF power is emmited. =
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I

tuned the radio to a local repeater which was in use at the time, and =
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I heard was the rushing static. Can someone possibly point me in =
the

right direction? I thought I might have accidentaly grounded the=20
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wire, but I went though it all again and still no diffrence. If=20
anyone=3D

has any ideas at all on this, please e-mail me, since I have very =
poor

access to the newsgroups (I have AOL.) Also any info on the Tempo =
S1=20
H=3D

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is also very welcome.

Thanks in advance,

ADavydov1@aol.com

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Date: Fri, 16 May 1997 13:42:51 GMT

From: masa@writeme-x.com =
(Masa)

Subject: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com=20
(N2YWD) wrote:

>> FCC recalled (...) AT-600

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini =
Co=3D

mm's

>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is=20
1-800-666-0908

>Good luck !

I guess that's the rumor. I bought AT-600 a couple days =
ago. =20
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Almost any tranceivers can be modified. How about Yaesu50R ? =

same

thing. I think we shouldn't focus on AT-600 too =
much... I am=20
sure

we do because of HTX-204...

Masataka Noda

Masa@WriteMe-X.com

http://www.geocities.com=
/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:=3D20

Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 07:53:00 GMT

From: walter.cang@livewire.com.ph=20
(Walter Cang)

Subject: Antenna for condo with re

=3D0D=3D0D=3D0AI recently moved to a condo with antenna =
restrictions. I=20
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d like to

know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? =

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heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still =
available

since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day =
telescopic

antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of

coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed

areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC

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* OLXWin 1.00b * DO NOT BEND, FOLD, STAPLE, OR IN ANY WAY MUTILATE =
THI=3D

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Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 10:23:25 GMT

From: ke6tgn@lightspeed.net =
(John B.=20
Lawrence)

Subject: Astatis D-104 Impedence

I recently acquired the mike but it doesn't work well with my rig =
due

to its (supposedly) high impedence. I need to know the impedence of

the mike so I can get a transformer to match it to my 600ohm mike

input on my rig (Tempo One SSB).

John KE6TGN

Date: 17 May 1997 13:36:01 -0700

From: satdish@primenet.com =
(Barny)

Subject: California Amplifier, Inc., is a leading manufacturer of=20
"down=3D

converters" - microwave reception components for applications=20
world-wid=3D

e in Wireless Cable Systems and Satellite Television systems.

esther@otn.com (Esther Goodman) =
wrote:

>California Amplifier, Inc., an ISO 9001 company, has the broadest =
line=3D

of

>satellite television products in the

>world. These products have become the preferred choice of =
satellite

>operators, distributors and dealers around the

>world.=3D20

>The Company's C-Band products have received particular praise as =
they =3D

were

>voted #1 in the Satellite Retailer

>Dealer's Choice Awards from 1991 to 1996 - six consecutive years! =
The =3D

high

>performance Ku-Band product line is

>also growing and filling the needs of existing and emerging DTH and =
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>digital Ku-Band satellite systems.=3D20

>With a full product line and offices worldwide, California =
Amplifier, =3D

Inc.

>is ready to serve your satellite television

>system needs.

>You can visit california Amplifier=3DB9s Web Site at=3D20

>http://www.calamp.com

>--=3D20

>Esther Goodman

>Over TheNet

Ever since Dennis Schwab left your company, your stock hit bottom! =
<g>

I suppose Dennis bought the biggest fishing boat on the West Coast!?

Satellite Warehouse

Our Web Sites:

DBS 18" Dish System & Accessories

http://www.dssdirectv.com

SKYCELL Satellite Telephones=3D20

http://www.satwarehouse.com=
/1sky.htm

DBS Online! =3D20

Direct Broadcast Satellite News,Programming & Products =3D20

http://www.dbs-online.com

Date: 17 May 1997 14:22:56 -0400

From: kd1hz@anomaly.ideamat=
ion.com.nospam=20
(Michael P. Deignan)

Subject: Code Quick Question

In article <337D15D7.522B@dancris.com&g=
t;,

Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com> =
wrote:

>> And if you get sucked in by the wistful articles in QST about =
the

>> benevolent Extra that cruises the novice subbands to lend a =
gently=20

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and

>> (or fist?) forget it. That is one of those urban myths =
that=20
refuse =3D

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>> die. =3D20

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>I guess that makes me an urban ledgend. You can often find =
this=20
Extra=3D

>class operator listening and calling CQ around 7.110 to 7.115 and =
3.70=3D

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>to 3.725.=3D20

Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.=3D20

Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't =
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ount!

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-- Ted Kennedy has killed more people with his car than I have

-- with my guns.

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-- If you don't like my opinions, that's just too damn bad.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 13:25:40 -0700

From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>

Subject: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and

FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern =
Calif=3D

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de Joe Orrico WB6HRO

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 22:02:41 GMT

From: w2up@bellatlantic.net =
(Barry=20
Kutner)

Subject: FS: Desk mic

For sale - Midland 22-503 desk mic, new in box, never used (won at

Dayton). This is a nice looking desk mic with adjustable gooseneck,

built in preamp, Vu meter, PTT and lock switch. All reasonable =
offers

considered. Barry W2UP

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 23:30:59 GMT

From: vidgames@netcom.com =
(Andy=20
Eddy)

Subject: FS: Howard 430 Shortwave Receiver

I have a Howard 430 receiver for sale. Price is best offer over $110 =
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shipping from the San Francisco area. I can post a digital image of it =
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if

you're interested in cosmetic condition. This is from an SK's shack

(former Advanced), and his meticulous neatness tells me it's probably =
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fine working order.=3D20

E-mail to vidgames@netcom.com.

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Andy =
Eddy,=20
Editor in Chief, Digital Diner Magazine

A digital-lifestyle publication, at a magazine seller near you =
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status updates at http://www.ddiner.com)

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If you can smile when things go wrong, you have someone in mind to =
blam=3D

e.

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 20:52:43 GMT

From: Goode@centuryinter.net=20
(Goode)

Subject: FS: Kenwood tr-7730 2 meter

is the rig still available. i am interested. tried to post to you but =
w=3D

as=3D20

rejected. please answer asap.

73's

james kc5hos

> i have for sale a kenwood tr-7730 2 meter mobile

> in good condition (shows some mobile =
wear,not beat=20
up)

> 25 watts

> 5 memory channels

> scan

> touchtone mic

> mobil bracket

> manual

> box

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> this rig has worked flawless for me

> for the past 5 years ,reason for selling=3D20

> bought new radio

> will ship cont U.S.

> price.....130.00

> monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 16:38:41 -0700

From: "Craig T. Bailey" <craig.bailey@unh.edu>

Subject: Hammarlund HQ-100

I was wondering the worth of a Hammarlund HQ-100, with a clock.

73's

Craig

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**********Civil Engineers know how to make it last!**********

Date: 18 May 1997 11:49:58 GMT

From: dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - =
KE4YDY)

Subject: Honest opinion on KENWOOD TM-V7A ...

On Tue, 13 May 1997 23:06:31 -0700, poijerfh <xxq@rfeoxx.com> wrote:

>Hi, I am ready to buy my next Rig & I am debating whether or not =
to=20
go=3D

>with the Kenwood TM-V7A... I have a Kenwood TH78a HT & it has =
served=20
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>well, but the reciever is near pathetic, I also use Kenwood=20
commercia=3D

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>equipment and I like it alot... I'm just unsure if I should go with =
th=3D

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>TM-V7A, I wonder how the receiver performs? how is Audio? I have =
to

>admit, I'm impressed by it's great looks but I 'm not all that =
crazy

>about the way it's built, seems kinda "plasticky" =
(not-mil-spec=20
of

>course), I do like the feel of the Icoms & the Standards seem =
OK, but=20
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>wanna make sure before I dish out the green it is the =
"right"=20
radio...=3D

>What's your opinion?

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>Send Email to jlgo@best.com.

>

>KE6IZS

>Mobile Radio Tech

I've had my Kenwood V7A for a month now. Mounted it day one in =
the

car and it has done great. I like the audio, and the features. =
My

only complaint about the audio is POSSIBLY my problem. I have =
a

speaker floor mounted, and when I drive 70 with the windows open, I

really have to crank it up to hear. So I'm sure it's my =
speaker

location and the wind noise.

Also - I did a remote mount the day I bought the rig. Control head =
on

dashboard and radio under dash - speaker on floor. So my liking =
the

audio may be from the use of external speaker, not internal one. =
But

I use external speaker on every rig I have except HT's.=3D20

You mentioned the receiver - the V7A has, in effect, a pre amp that

you can turn on or off for receive. Kenwood calls it AIP or =
Advanced

Intercept Point. I've had no problems in hearing far stations, =
and

can usually get back to them. =3D20

While the V7A is not built to "Mil Spec" standards as some =
Yaesu's

advertise, it is built to ISO 9002 standards. These are very =
tough

and a much sought after certification in the private/commercial =
world.

Two of the nicest features I like on the V7A:

1. There is a way to program the V7A so that no matter how you left =
it

when you turned it off, it powers up exactly the same way. If =
you

turned it off scanning, it comes back on scanning. That is nice. =
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2. There are 4 selectable "Program Modes" that you can =
store=20
many

operating features in. I use it primarily for Day/Night =
changes. =20
In

day mode, I have the display bright and the "beep tones" =
low. In=20
the

night mode - Display is dim and beeps are loud. There are many =
other

ways you can use these settings, even changing the step rate per =
band.

I don't think you will be disappointed with the V7A. There is =
only

one feature I would consider missing, that is the MUTE. When

listening to 2m and a 440 station comes on, neither band will mute

automaticly regardless of which is primary. =3D20

Good luck Joshua!!

Dave - KE4YDY

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 21:46:02 -0400

From: Trevor <corky@sunline.net>

Subject: Jamboree On The Air - 1997?

Ronald D. Lucier wrote:

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> I am looking for information on JOTA - the Scouting Jamboree on the =
A=3D

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> event. The local Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops want to=20
participate=3D

> next Fall. Can anyone tell me when this is? We need a =
date=20
for

> planning purposes. Any help would be appreciated.

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> 73 de Ron, WA1UWZ

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> QCWA#28749 - FISTS #3099

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> http://www.3doptics.com

The JOTA will be taking place in the third week of October here is a

link which you may find helpful

http://www.ocbsa.org/t=
roop319/319jota.htm

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:40 GMT

From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au=20
(Barry O'Grady)

Subject: Motorola HT

John Bowman <jbowman@efn.org>=20
wrote:

:My son is a farmer and recently acquired one Motorola GP300 and and =
on=3D

e HT

:600 model.

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:Can these units be modified for non-commerical personal (non-ham =
use)

:without interfering with commerical folks?

:What FCC licenses if any will he be reqired to obtain to use them =
lega=3D

lly?

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Chances are that only type approved radios can be used on non-ham

frequencies.

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Barry

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return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 22:32:36 GMT

From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com =
(Steven=20
Umbach)

Subject: Panasonic E-15 monitor 15" ??

I am looking to replace my six year old Compudyne SVGA =
monitor for=20
m=3D

y=3D20

100mhz pentium with Mystique video card running Windows 95. I saw =
the=3D20=3D

=3D0APanasonic E-15 monitor at Best Buy for $299. Anyone have any =
experie=3D

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with this monitor? What others should I consider in this price range? =
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don't mind spending more if I am going to see something for my money, =
b=3D

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I want to stick with a 15" monitor. Thanks for any =
help. ---=20
Steve

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 06:53:31 -0700

From: dick@merlin.libelle.com =
(Dick=20
Flanagan)

Subject: SO much for customer service!

In article <5ljeu6$gt3$1@news.inconne=
ct.com>,=20
toms@inconnect.inconnect.=3D=

com

(Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Robert Langston wrote:

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>Kindly forward your address so I may refund your money. I'm =
not=20
about=3D

to=3D20

>continue trading emails with someone looking for a $30 power cord =
for =3D

$4.=3D20

Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!

--=3D20

Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada

Visit http://www.delphi.com/electron=
ic/

Date: Sat, 17 May 1997 19:00:33 -0700

From: dirwin@imap2.asu.edu

Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

I am considering the purchase of a dual band HT, and would like =
comment=3D

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good, bad and otherwise on the following:

Alinco DJ-G5

Icom IC-W32A

Kenwood TH-79A(D)

Yaesu FT-51R

e-mail or posting in this newsgroup is fine, as I check both =
regularly.=3D

BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in =
crossband=20
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one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way =
function? Sounds=20
like =3D

a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make assumptions.

Thanks and 73's,

Dave

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 21:05:28 GMT

From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com=
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(Donald D. Davis, Jr.)

Subject: Which Dual Band HT??

dirwin@imap2.asu.edu =
wrote:

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>good, bad and otherwise on the following:

>Alinco DJ-G5

>Icom IC-W32A

>Kenwood TH-79A(D)

>Yaesu FT-51R

I own the FT-51 and like it very much for its use of alphanumerics =
in

the display. SPecifically, it allows an 8 character label to be

applied to each memory channel and the label is displayed along =
with,

not instead of, the frequency. It performs well, as I suppose all of

the radios you listed do.

>BTW, in the HRO catalog, for the Yaesu, it states "Built-in =
crossband=20
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>one-way repeat functions". What is the one-way =
function? =20
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>a single band repeat function, but I don't want to make =
assumptions.

The one way cross-band repeat is not an "in-band" repeat, but =
rather=20
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feature that allows the radio to retransmit a signal received on one

band to the other, but not the other way. I other words, you can set

the radio to retransmit signals received on a 440 frequency on two

meters, but not retansmit signals received on 2 meters on 440.

Vice-versa, as well of course.

regards, Don

regards, Don

Date: Wed, 14 May 1997 18:53:30 -0700

From: Neil Spokes <spokes@mnsinc.com>

Subject: Which HT to start with?

Out of band near-2m repeaters are used in our VA Army MARS emergency =
an=3D

d training nets.=3D20

Access should be made available to neophyte MARS members as well as =
exp=3D

erienced ones. =3D20

It would be preferable if the units could be settable to the MARS =
repea=3D

ter freqs. =3D20

Probably, similar public service organizations would benefit if this =
fe=3D

ature were more=3D20

generally available. If there's the opportunity in your area,=20
consider=3D

radios that can=3D20

be modified for out of band legitimate usage. =3D20

Neil AB4YK.=3D20

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> On 12 May 1997 12:53:52 -0600, Thomas Russo asked about which HT to =
s=3D

tart with:There were various other replies.

Date: Sun, 18 May 1997 05:29:05 GMT

From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au=20
(Barry O'Grady)

Subject: Which HT to start with?

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>=20
wrote:

:I, too, just recently received my call and am interested in any

:feedback on 2m HTs, either the ones mentioned or others such =
as=3D20

:Standard, ADI, or ???=3D20

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:Also, what features should I look for (and what do they do?) =
in=3D20

:a good, basic HT.=3D20

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You should avoid any HTs which can transmit outside of the 144 to

148 Mhz amateur band. It is legal for you to use such a radio

since amateurs are expected to have enough knowledge to avoid out

of band txing. However, there is no point in being able to tx out

of band and having a HT that can not do so will avoid the temptation

and possible accidental out of band txing.

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Barry

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return address.

Date: 17 May 1997 15:47:22 GMT

From: "JIM BALES" <jbales@iland.net>

Subject: WTB: 500hz filter for ts50

need cw filter for kenwood ts-50, send quote to=3D20

Jim K0KM

jbales@iland.net

tks

Date: Thu, 15 May 1997 17:30:38 -0700

From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>

Subject: WTB: Icom R1

Wanted: Icom R1 receiver. Must be in good working condition. Please

email me. Thanks.

Hendrik Susanto

hs036@csufresno.edu

Date: 18 May 1997 14:18:01 GMT

From: "John Doe" <NewName@netusa1.net>

Subject: wtb dualband mobile

hi i am looking for a dualband 144/440mhz mobile

let me know what you have

monte

k9dzd@netusa1.net

Date: 18 May 1997 22:50:35 GMT

From: "Seu-login" <Seu-login@uninet.com.br>
Subject: Yaesu FT 767 GX

I=3DB4ve just bought a brand new 767. Beleave me!!

I also have a FL7000 Amplifier. So I just married them!

The problem is that i need the connection cable (band data).

Can anyone help me?

73=3DB4s

Geraldo-PY2VZU

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548

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(PDT)

Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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Precedence: List

X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU

Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id RAA19527

sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

Sun, 18 May 1997 17:29:14 =
-0700=20
(PDT)

Message-Id: <199705190029.RAA19527@=
noc.ucsd.edu>

Date: Sun, 18 May 97 17:29:13 PDT

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #548

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

--simple boundary--

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553

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--simple boundary

name=3D"RFC822.TXT"

Content-Disposition: attachment; filename=3D"RFC822.TXT"

Received: from esseye.si.com by newrout.si.com (ccMail Link to SMTP=20
R8.00.00)

; Mon, 19 May 97 12:21:57 -0500

Return-Path: <owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu>=

Received: from challenger.si.com(really [126.16.0.10]) by =
esseye.si.com

via sendmail with smtp

id <m0wTVFs-0009ezC@esseye.si.c=
om>

for <steve_dallas_at_si=
a-mal@smtpgwy.si.com>;=20
Mon, 19 May 1997 12:25:48 -0400 (EDT)

(Smail-3.2.0.94 1997-Apr-22 #6 built 1997-Apr-30)

Received: by challenger.si.com; id MAA11243; Mon, 19 May 1997 12:25:47 =
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smap=20
(3.2)

id xma011236; Mon, 19 May 97 12:25:28 -0400

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sd.edu>;=20
Mon, 19 May 1997 04:52:21 -0700 (PDT)

Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05365

sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:44 -0700 (PDT)

Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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Precedence: List

X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU

Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id EAA05312

sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3

Mon, 19 May 1997 04:36:31 -0700 (PDT)

Message-Id: <199705191136.EAA05312@=
noc.ucsd.edu>

Date: Mon, 19 May 97 04:36:30 PDT

From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>

Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
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Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

Precedence: List

Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #553

To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

--simple boundary--

End of Ham-Equip Digest V97 #559

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4033. Re: Amplifier repairs in Chicago area?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: lenrev@wwa.com
Message-ID: <33835932.34940358@news.wwa.com>
Source record: 175001

Todd,
AES told me the same thing last month when I called to get my 741
repaired. I took it up there telling them I wasn't overly concerned to
get it back ASAP. It was done in seven days!

On Tue, 20 May 1997 17:16:01 -0500, Todd Little <little@ameritech.net>
wrote:

>I need to have some amplifiers worked on as I have neither the
>equipment, time, or manuals to work on them myself at the moment.
>The amps are made by Mirage, KLM, and Tokyo Hy-Power and
>cover 2, 220, and 432. They may only need minor adjustment,
>but I'd like to get them checked out and ready to go for the
>upcoming VHF QSO Party and have other areas I need to spend
>my time (such as building antennas, wiring harnesses, antenna
>supports, radio supports, power and battery arrangements, etc.)
>for my rover entry. I'm in the northwest suburbs of Chicago
>and willing to drive a bit to take them some place that
>can work on them quickly and do a good job. AES is too back
>logged to do the work. Any suggestions greatly appreciated.
>
>73,
>Todd
>N9MWB
>
>--
>Unsolicited business offers sent to my e-mail address will be considered
>a request for me to proofread the offer and in turn reimburse me $500
>for my time and effort for each offer received. Receipt of said e-mail
>constitutes acceptance of this offer. Let dick@durbin.senate.gov
>and senator@moseley-braun.senate.gov know what you think of e-mail SPAM.
>Support the anti-Spam amendment, see http://www.cauce.org/

****
| Len Revelle N9IJ |
| Illinois AMA 60055 |
| lenrev@wwa.com |
| http://www.wwa.com/~lenrev/skat.html |
****

4034. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3ab@ptdprolog.net
Message-ID: <338e57b6.15118850@news.ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 175002

On Sun, 18 May 1997 09:05:43 -0500, William Nolle
<wa8inz@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Charlie Durand wrote:
>>
>> Good morning,
>>
>> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
>> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>>
>
>Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
>--
>Bill

Here's my 2 cents worth. I was never in a HRO store, but I have dealt with the Delaware store many times via telephone. Everytime I called, I was treated well, my questions were answered, and the people on the phone offered personal opinions based on their own experience with the rigs. I have called for prices and was treated well (the same can be said for AES). Despite the fact that they probably take many, many phone calls during the day (probably while they are waiting on a walk-in customer), I can honestly say they always acted professionally. No complaints here.

One more thing. I've been a ham for 29 years and got my Extra back in 1974 when you got to face the FCC examiner. Despite this, everything in this world changes including our license classes and testing procedures. This no-code "beef" is wearing thin with me. The worst operators are easily found on select frequencies on 75 and 20 meters (you know what I mean). And sad to say, these are the guys who represent my "generation".

John N3AB

4035. Re: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rskeeter@qnet.com
Message-ID: <5ltpnnkld1@mandolin.qnet.com>
Source record: 175003

HOW MUCH????????
In article <337F65C4.3A38@loop.com>, eugene@loop.com says...
>
>I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
>FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern Calif.
>
>de Joe Orrico WB6HRO
>

4036. ALL HF BAND/NO TUNE ANTENNA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: KGFX63A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5ltqkn$1qqc@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 175004

Has anyone installed this new antenna yet, going to be a must have item,
seen in lastest qst page 184

4037. WTB: 6M all mode mobile transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: _bills4_@flash.net
Message-ID: <33856d77.1784125@news.flash.net>
Source record: 175005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm in the market for a 6M all mode mobile transceiver.
If you've got one you'd like to part with please let me know what you've got and how much you want for it.

Thanks,
Bill

Please note that there's a SPAMSTOPPER (_) in my return
e-mail address.

postmaster@127.0.0.1

4038. HTX-404 Tx Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike124229@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521051500.BAA23408@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175006

Is there a mod to permit the HTX-404 to transmit outside the amateur band?
I understand that it can receive between 420 and 470 MHz with a simple
keyboard mod.

Mike

4039. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970617414CB0postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175007

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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21 May 97 6:16 BST
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(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA19721 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 19:22:16 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id MAA19376
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 12:21:22 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id LAA05437
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 11:24:28 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201824.LAA05437@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 11:23:56 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #564
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4040. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970617404CAFpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175008

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA19721 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
1997 19:22:16 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id MAA19376
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 12:21:22 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id LAA05437
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 11:24:28 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201824.LAA05437@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 11:23:56 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #564
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4041. Need IC-25a repaired/replaced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Scott Mackey <jmackey@com.mcn.net>
Message-ID: <01bc65a6$624692a0$122da3cd@Pjmackey>
Source record: 175009

Our school/scout IC-25a packet station died due to a bad ant. Our group is out of money for this year and would like to find someone who could fix or replace the radio for next to nothing. I believe the output driver is good but the finals unit is shot. If you can help please contact me.

John Mackey
KA5IDI
--
To detour spamers: reply to this message
by deleting the "-" from the address above or use the following address:
jmackey@mcn.net

4042. Need info for Palomar 225 mobile amp w/auto side band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: boggess@mail.feist.com
Message-ID: <33878b20.2020136@news.fn.net>
Source record: 175010

I am looking for info on a palomar 225 mobile amp , Basicly what type of amp is it ?, how many watts, what band (freq) is for???

Thanks in advance

Jeff

4043. fs: 3M solid dish ku-band with mount $50,--

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "petersmt@worldaccees.nl" <petersmt@worldaccees.nl>
Message-ID: <33822D65.4917@worldaccees.nl>
Source record: 175011

fs: 3M solid dish ku-band with mount $50,--

Almost for free....

The dish is from a dutch cable station,
it must be gone at the end of the month.
The dish is a R.O.V.E.R. sat 3M in 2 Parts,
the mount have a weight of about 80 Kg.
If you be interested in the dish

Please e-mail me.

Peter Smit PE1CQS The Netherlands

4044. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2105970617434CB1postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 175012

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

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Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox2.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id TAA19721 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Tue, 20 May
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Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id MAA19376
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Tue, 20 May 1997 12:21:22 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
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sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Tue, 20 May 1997 11:24:28 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705201824.LAA05437@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Tue, 20 May 97 11:23:56 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #564
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4045. Mods - perhaps I can help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970521053801.BAA24932@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 175013

http://members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher

4046. Writers Seeking Publication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob@ibm.net
Message-ID: <5luaan$35n$1405@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 175014

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4047. FS: Crankup Twr. in N.E. Ohio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6579$c95a0760$4278d4cd@admin>
Source record: 175015
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello and thanks for reading this. I have the following items available for sale.

40 ft. crankup/crankover tower
Ham-M rotor
CDE rotor controller
100 ft. 9913
100 ft. RG-8
100 ft. 8 conductor rotor cable
2 TV antenna masts
VHF Ringo Ranger (ARX-2B)

Asking $295 for the whole package!!! If interested I can be contacted at kelchr@bright.net
I am located near Akron, Ohio

4048. FS - Outbacker Perth Unused!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McDowell ~ N0WCF <jeff@saturn.flipag.net>
Message-ID: <3382A73A.6F43@saturn.flipag.net>
Source record: 175016

This antenna has never been put to service and is in new condition. Will sell for $155 firm, plus a small amount for shipping.

Jeff McDowell, N0WCF
Call 561-374-9810 almost any time.
jeff@saturn.flipag.net

4049. FS: FT-8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc65cc$2b75b780$3489accf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 175017

Sell Yaesu FT-8000, new in the box, $450 obo.

73 Stan W3INK
w3ink@erols.com

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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com

4050. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: fred@inti.net
Message-ID: <864210396.3264@dejanews.com>
Source record: 175018

In article <5lkt20$l2p@anomaly.ideamation.com>,
kd1hz@anomaly.ideamation.com.nospam (Michael P. Deignan) wrote:
>
>
> Me too. I work almost exclusively novice sub-band CW.
>
> Although, I'm just an Advanced, not an Extra, class, so maybe I don't count!
>
> MD

Well there's always the option of upgrading to extra class unless you
feel hopelessly locked into whatever class of license you do hold! A
common malady with no-coders. If you already hold an advanced class
license, elements 1C and 4B shouldn't be such a big deal. As they say in
the Nike ads, "just do it."

.....Fred

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4051. FS: Yaesu FT-2200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5luk2nkfr4@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 175019

Yaesu FT-2200 for sale.

Excellent condition. Excellent for packet.

Extra Microphone. 50 Watts - 25 Watts - 5 Watts

External Speaker included.

Out of band mods already made.

$195.00

I need a Dual Bander - Looking for a Kenwood V7A or a 642

Dave
email dgsholar@gte.net

4052. Motorola Mostar programing needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mccarths@lcm.macomb.lib.mi.us
Message-ID: <5ltkmldfk1@news.tln.lib.mi.us>
Source record: 175020

Would like to have a couple of UHF Motorola Mostars programed.
Write if you can help.

Sean

4053. Kenwood R5000 scan mod.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5m2e8p$ppg@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 174721

How do you do the Carrier Operated Scan mod as stated in the owners manual? It tells you can switch from Time Operated to Carrier Operated but don't tell you how. The manual don't tell how to do the mod.

4054. Yaesu FTS-22

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc66f6$ef608780$0f02000a@default>
Source record: 174722
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Looking for a Yaesu FTS-22 CTCSS decode unit. E-mail with price. We can
work out how to transfer it later.

------=_NextPart_000_01BC66CD.068A7F80

Looking for a Yaesu FTS-22 CTCSS =
decode unit. E-mail with price. We can work out how to =
transfer it later.

------=_NextPart_000_01BC66CD.068A7F80--
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4055. RACAL RA6793A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ACC$9rANwChzEwcm@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174723

I've just aquired one of these rx's but it's short of the 2nd local oscillator/BFO synth board!
Can anyone help me locate one at reasonable cost together with a service manual for this model?
All help greatly appreciated.

Phil G4ZOW/M

4056. ***HELP--IS THERE SUCH AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: maloney@whidbey.com
Message-ID: <33845137.2037164@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 174724

I do not know if such a device exists but I am looking for a device
that works through the AC wiring and when a button is pushed it makes
a momentary contact and causes a motor to start. The device and push
button are 350 feet apart. As I said I do not know if there is such
a thing. I could not locate it. If you can help me with my problem
please email me at

maloney@whidbey.com

4057. Fujikura coax HR-5D-FB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason <baack@maine.edu>
Message-ID: <3384C738.378D@maine.edu>
Source record: 174725

Has anyone heard of this stuff???
Type N's ends.
HR-5D-FBis written over and over along the cable.

Any idea what OHM rating?
50 52 ? I assume it is netwokking cable..
50 ohm. Am I correct?

Jason N1RWY
n1rwy@amsat.org

4058. Re: Fujikura coax HR-5D-FB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <864343017snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174726

In article <3384C738.378D@maine.edu> baack@maine.edu "Jason" writes:

> Has anyone heard of this stuff???
> Type N's ends.
> HR-5D-FBis written over and over along the cable.
>
> Any idea what OHM rating?
> 50 52 ? I assume it is netwokking cable..
> 50 ohm. Am I correct?

There's a range of Japanese cables sold in the UK with the name Kansai Tsushin Densen which includes a 5D-FB and it's good radio grade coax with a solid copper center and foam PVC dielectric. I've used 3 different sizes, 5D is the smallest, 8D the middle and 10D the largest. (These could even be the sizes of the cables in mm inside the jackets, but here I'm guessing and not sure.) The 5D-FB is about 5/16" diameter outside the jacket, so see if yours is the same. It's a bit thicker than RG-58 and far stiffer. I'm guessing that it's about the same size as RG8X but I don't have any here to compare.

According to some notes I put into my 1993 diary, here are the loss figures, along with Andrew 1/2" and 7/8" Heliax and some other cables often found in amateur station transmission lines. As you can see the 10D 1/2" cable is extremely nice stuff and far cheaper than the 1/2" Andrew line, but even the 5D that may be the same as you have is better than RG213. Others may have better data than these old jottings of mine.

dB/100m 100MHz 400MHz 1000MHz
5D-FB 5.5 12.1 18.7
8D-FB 3.9 8.5 13.0
10D-FB 3.1 6.8 10.5
LDF 4-50 2.24 4.66 7.68
LDF 5-50 1.2 2.56 4.30
RG58 39.5
RG213 17.6
RG142 12.6 27.6 44.6

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4059. FS: W2A and Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <3384D9DF.3889@whidbey.net>
Source record: 174727

I am selling my seldom used Icom W2A HT, with all it accessories.

These include:

Rapid Charger
Spare Battery
Spare Antenna
Radio Holster

All manuals and boxs.

John

4060. WTB: ft-8000/8100, maybe 8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bstevens@chipshot.Sun.COM
Message-ID: <5m1vsl$lub@centralnews1.Central.Sun.COM>
Source record: 174728

As the title suggests, I'm considering buying an FT-8000 or FT-8100. I might consider an FT-8500, but I suspect I can't spend that much :(

I'd prefer one in excellent or mint condition, although it will be mobile immediately (to replace an ht that isn't good mobile), so one that's been mobile _might_ be OK. I do want all the original manuals and parts (boxes aren't absolutely necessary).

If you have one you'd like to part with, please resopnd to:

brian@stevens.com (home)
brian.stevens@central.sun.com (work)

4061. Sherwood and Drake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: NeilT@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3385012A.6DD8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174729

I'd be grateful for any e-mail regarding the location, telephone number or internet address of the Sherwood company known for its Drake modifications.
Thanks, Neil KE2SV

4062. Re: FS: HF Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: law@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3384FBF6.33E3@earthlink.net>
Source record: 174730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Walter Fairclough wrote:
>
> Dentron Clipperton L HF amplifier for sale. 160-10m Excellent condition.
> Low hours and never driven hard. $750.00 CDN plus shipping.
>
> Thanks for reading.
>
> Walter - VE3EN
>
> --
> Walter Fairclough
> Manotick, Ontario
> wfairclo@netcom.ca

what planet are you from how did you get here ?????

4063. ALINCO DJ580 MOD FOR FULL 432 BAND?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <76167.631@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5m2g0l$nk0$1@mhadf.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 174731

Does anyone know how to modify the Alinco DJ580 (American type
with PL support) so that it can transmit on the full
432MHz American amateur band? The stock radio
does not transmit below 440 MHz.

The official and "unofficial" manuals do not include
a mod for this.

Please don't tell me about a mod that you have not
personally tried on your own radio.

no archive

--
David

4064. Help charging Lead Acid batterries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc66af$1b6d7740$LocalHost@520d>
Source record: 174732
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,comp.sys.palmtops,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp

just scrounged up a 7AH gell cell and wondering some ways
to charge it as I only have a 500ma adapter for charging. I
asume I need to just plug it in and periodically check the
voltage to prevent over charging?

Now for emergencies (was hoping to use it with ARES)...
If you can hook two car batterries together +_+ and -_-
can you do the same with gell cells? Read somewhere that
30 minutes with jumper cables would work!

What about pluging it into the cigarette lighter socket?
positive to positive again. The draw would only be 7A
right? So most car lighter sockets are good for 15A
and should not over heat? How long would this
take again?
73 Phillip KC8DQF
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Baycom BP-2 AX.25
"Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx.ampr.org

rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital
misc,comp.sys.palmtops,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp

4065. Re: MFJ 9420 rig--opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phillip <maccabeus@gatecom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc66b6$cf04a380$LocalHost@520d>
Source record: 174733

I have worked 21 states with my 9420. But I recently
added a mobile solution to correct the lack of noise
filtering. I had a grea time testing it out with a QSO
between Michigan and Texas while driving my Merc
Cougar. 9420 and a hustler whip. Heres how...

First RUN dont walk to you local radio shack and
ask the for cat. no. 21-543 DSP-40. they are out of
production but you may be able to get them to locate
one. I live in near detroit and they found one in Grand
Rapids (other side of the state).. Try hard because you'll
not find a DSP unit anywhere else NEW for $25. This will
be a very handy item for use on other equipt as well. It
will get rid of alot of interference and give a narrower filter
to eliminate interference from the atmosphere, other
stations operating nearby, and electrical noise nearby.
Contrary to those who prefer the $150 DSP units I find 3
CW filters and the SSB filter fine for my needs. The DSP
Does not do digital modes but DOES too work on SSB. I
own an MFJ-9420 which has no noise limiting capabilities
and find the DSP-40 perfect. Between it and the noise
filter below(for ignition noise on the power line) I can now
run mobile 20M. The 3 filters can actually be used on CW
(to cut out adjacent operators) and also I have tried it on
SSB to eliminate some of the QRN. I find the medium to
be a good compromise for SSB. For what I paid Ild not buy
a $100 unit. I was fortunate to try our club-presidents
unit first and was quite satisfied. I was worried when I found
they were out of production.

next get cat. no.270-055 20A heavyDuty noise filter
and a 3outlet accessorysocket. [000] <-looks like that
solder the filter and tape to the bottom. put a 15A cigarette
lighter plug on it. This will give you 15A filter supply.
you now can use it for 2M equiptment or go 20M mobile.
this eliminates the ignition noise that prevented me from
going mobile. the noise went right to the speaker and
prevented me from listening to any reply.

mind you I contacted 21 states without either of these additions
I just could not operate mobile. I mostly use 2M for mobile
anyway. put a pronto on locating the DSP though. newer DSPs
have more beeps and whistles than most need and cost $150.
I got to try out my RS DSP from a club member and was impressed.

Others I have talked to cant figure why RS stopped producing them.
Now there may be 100 units available statewide. It will be the
best $25 of your investment.

for antenna I use a Hustler Whip and a 3Mag heavyduty mount.
I would recommend a lower wind-resistant modle for high Xway speeds.

73 and talk later.
enjoy the hamfests

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Baycom BP-2 AX.25
"Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
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Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx.ampr.org

4066. Re: HRO is excellent, IMHO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5m386k$1dh$1@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 174734

In article <33851F9D.342A@ix.netcom.com>, Charlie Durand wrote:
>Clint Bradford wrote:
>>
>> >>...I have had nothing short of excellent results over the
>> >> last three years shopping at HRO...
>>
>> And so have the vast majority of their clients/customers, Don.

>How about giving me your sources for your claim that the "vast majority"
>of their customers are happy with the service at HRO Clint? In the
>replies I've received, most in email, it's about 60:40 in the negative.
>I'll give that a may get more negative votes because I was in the
>negative as well but it's sure no "vast majority" of happy customers.

Given that human nature is such that those who have negative feelings are
at least twice as likely to respond, that isn't all that many. I've been
dealing with HRO for over 25 years and have never been disappointed. I've
only been following this thread off and on, but it looks like many of the
complaints represent unrealistic expectations.

Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
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AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

4067. FT101-EX Schematic needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crsdan@galileo.mis.net>
Message-ID: <33847F3F.5C21@galileo.mis.net>
Source record: 174735

I'm looking for a schematic of Yaesu FT-101EX Transceiver (or 101EE,

101E). Photocopy, Fax or E-mailed Graphic file O.K.

E-Mail me at crsdan@mis.net

Call me (Mark, KB4AEP) at (606) 238-0029 days or (502)863-0500 nights.

Or fax me at (606) 238-0065

Thanks for your help, I need to get this thing fixed and get back on

the air. Mark, KB4AEP

4068. Yaesu FRG 7 Service Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaguarcat@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <5m1pmi$b16$2@despair.u-net.com>
Source record: 174771

Does anyone have any service info for the Yaesu FRG7 Reciever?

4069. Re: Question when were TS-940's made

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338456C4.5B6F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174772

John D. Seney wrote:
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> In article <337F1ED1.39@worldnet.att.net>,
> rdodson@postoffice.worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
> > I just got a Kenwood TS-940S/At serial number 7 mil and am trying to
> > figure out how old it is. When did they stop making this model. Please
> > post and thanks for all responces.
> >
> > 73's
> > Bob
>
> Hi Bob:
>
> I may be getting a 940 this weekend - could you send me an Email as
> to what you find? Thanks and 73,
>
> John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
> 144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
> Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
> Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | | Fax 603.627.1623
>
> http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
On Kenwoods the 7 million s/n means 1987-actually could have been made
late 86. Brian K3USC

4070. Yaesu Frg7 Service info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaguarcat@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <5m1pfj$b16$1@despair.u-net.com>
Source record: 174773

Does anyone have any service info for the Yaesu FRG7 Reciever?

4071. Re: HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinsona@rl.af.mil
Message-ID: <5m1l65$d36@news.rl.af.mil>
Source record: 174774

In message <33857243.4039718@news.one.net>, djmd@one.net (David Wallace) writes:

>I have owned these three HTs: Yaesu FT-470, FT-530, and Icom W2A. I've
>gotten rid of them for financial reasons, but want to get another one
>fairly soon. I really liked the looks of the Kenwood TH-79A(D) at the
>Hamvention.
>
>Anyone have some comments on these (versus others, such as 51R and
>Icom T7A) ??????????
>
>TNX, DE KB8IFZ
>

Dave:

The Kenwood TH-79 is a nice rig but requires opening the radio to do the extended Rx mod on UHF. The Yaesu 51R is way overpriced for what you get. The Icom T7A is also nice, and a recent price cut at some dealers brings the cost down in the $280 range. The T7A, like the Yaesu 50R, does not receive simultaneously on both bands. My favorite, because I own one, is the Icom W32A.

Al, W2JUV

4072. IC-Delta 100 Triband Mobile. Opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970522093955.3939H-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 174775

Hi,

I'm looking for opinions on the IC-Delta 100 triband mobile radio from
those who currently own one, or used to own one.

I understand that the control head is in constant digital communication
with the radio body, and that under some situations, that communication
can be interrupted (eg. by spikes from refrigerators in a mobil home,
etc). If that happens, the radio locks up and has to be switched off for a
while before switching it back on (Icom has a service bulletin about this,
apparently, but no fix).

Any other oddities with this radio?

Thanks,

Julian
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INET: jmfrost@uci.edu - Public Key for Encrypted Mail available.
** Irvine Aikikai (USAF Western Region) Home Page --
** http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/Aikido/Aikido.html
The Unofficial SIG-Sauer Home Page --
http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/sig/sig.html

4073. Problems with IC-31E. Need help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: frode@sp067.cern.ch
Message-ID: <frode.864319263@news.cern.ch>
Source record: 174776

I am posting this for a friend who has problems posting to USENET groups.
Please post your answers with help etc. here or mail him directly at:
jd@nera.no. Many thanks.

73's Frode, F/LA2RL

I was trying to run the IC-31E on external power using the cable intended
from Icom, observing correct polarity (black =neg.supply).
The powersupply was set to abt 6 volts. The battery was fitted, and it was
close to empty.
The lock key was put in Lock position. As I was afraid of overcharging the
battery , I sat the pwr-supply
for current limiting. I discowered a pulsating current from the pwr.supply,
Probably the low-power function
you have on theese radios started its normal operation.
Then I touched a butten when reaching for the IC-31E. I discowered the
display was blank.!!
Removing the ext. pwr cable and replacing the battery with a charged one
did not help, I could not get the radio on!
Tried resetting without ereasing the channels programmed. Same problem.
At last , by plugging and unplugging the ext. pwr cable the RX functioned,
but the RX draws too much current!!!
With power off it draws abt. 200mA (the batt. removed).
When I measure the voltage by using the radios keys and display, it shows
only 0,8 volts!
Help needed!
73 de LA8WF
e-mail: jd @nera.no

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4074. Looking for info on repeater controllers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc66d4$04829d60$4e4e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 174777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi!

My club is located in northern Michigan, and I'm interested in replacing the controller we're currently using with something a little more current. We've got fewer than 50 members, so there's not a lot of $$$ to play with. Here's the type of features I'm interested in:

ALL FEATURES OF A "NORMAL" VHF/UHF CONTROLLER, plus:
Multiple courtesy tones
Autopatch
Programmable speed dials
Voice ID
Voice messaging for announcements, time, etc.

I'm not looking for voicemail features; that's a bit too much of an added expense.

Currently we're running a HPC-201 from a little place called Maggiore Electronics, but the guy who can support these controllers has since passed on, so they aren't much help. This unit cost the club about $250.00 quite a few years ago, and I can't seem to find one with similar features for much cheaper!

I know that controllers aren't cheap, but I'm almost positive that there's at least ONE out there for less than $900.00!! I'm not even ruling out a mailorder kit of some kind, as long as the functionality is there.

ANY INFORMATION WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED!!!

Thanks in advance. Please email me with your response, in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.

73,

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

4075. Re: Question when were TS-940's made

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <33848b4f.857708@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 174778

On Thu, 22 May 1997 10:34:02 GMT, john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney)
wrote:

>In article <337F1ED1.39@worldnet.att.net>,
>rdodson@postoffice.worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
>> I just got a Kenwood TS-940S/At serial number 7 mil and am trying to
>> figure out how old it is. When did they stop making this model. Please
>> post and thanks for all responces.
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>> 73's
>> Bob
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>Hi Bob:
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>I may be getting a 940 this weekend - could you send me an Email as
>to what you find? Thanks and 73,
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>
> John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
> 144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
> Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
> Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | Fax 603.627.1623
>
> http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v
>
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THEY STOPPED MAKING THE 940 IN 1989.
ALBERT WA3FIB

4076. Re: HTX-404 Tx Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rusty Haddock <rusty@NOSPAMti.com>
Message-ID: <338497E4.4D9E@NOSPAMti.com>
Source record: 174779

MIKE124229 wrote:
>
> Is there a mod to permit the HTX-404 to transmit outside the amateur band?
> I understand that it can receive between 420 and 470 MHz with a simple
> keyboard mod.
>
> Mike

Stock, out of the box, from the factory, the default RX/TX range
for the HTX-404 is 440-450-MHz. The manual gives a key sequence
to unlock 430-440 but that's it; nothing outside of the amateur band.

-Rusty-

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Rusty Haddock, KD4WLZ Internet: rusty@NOSPAMti.com ___
Texas Instruments MSG ID: MWH2 |\/ o\ O
POB 869305 MS 8515 Phone: (972) 575-6838 | (-< o O
Plano, Texas 75086 Fax: (972) 575-4351 |/_V_/

4077. Re: HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5m26js$dbn@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 174780

robinsona@rl.af.mil wrote:

I just did a side by side comparison of the TH-79A and a Yaesu FT50R

While the 79A is a true dual bander The FT50R had far better audio

: In
message <33857243.4039718@news.one.net>, djmd@one.net (David Wallace)
: writes:

: >I have owned these three HTs: Yaesu FT-470, FT-530, and Icom W2A. I've
: >gotten rid of them for financial reasons, but want to get another one
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: >Hamvention.
: >
: >Anyone have some comments on these (versus others, such as 51R and
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: >TNX, DE KB8IFZ
: >

: Dave:

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: The Icom T7A is also nice, and a recent price cut at some dealers brings the
: cost down in the $280 range. The T7A, like the Yaesu 50R, does not receive
: simultaneously on both bands. My favorite, because I own one, is the Icom
: W32A.

: Al, W2JUV

4078. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rusty Haddock <rusty@NOSPAMti.com>
Message-ID: <33849FBD.545D@NOSPAMti.com>
Source record: 174781

Dean Hemphill K5DH wrote:
>
> I'm sorry to hear you had a bad experience with HRO. My experiences
> with them have been quite different.
>
> I've been dealing with HRO for many years. Here's my experiences:
>
> Whenever I've called them for pricing or information, they have been
> friendly and helpful. They've told me what I needed to know, without
> a hint of "talking down to me". I have never identified myself over
> the telephone by name, call, license class, etc. They had no idea
> who I was, they only knew that I needed info. They gave it to me.
...
> I have dealt with four different HRO stores by telephone, and two of
> those stores in person also (Denver and New Castle). When I was in
> the two stores in person, the salesmen were friendly and courteous,
> not only to me, but to ALL of the customers who were there. There
...
> I'd suggest giving them another try. And when you do, keep in mind
> that your attitude is as important as theirs. If you go into this
> with "a chip on your shoulder", you may indeed have another bad time.

Oh so important point, nowadays. Considering what I've seen of other
customers in most stores I visit many do have an attitude problem.
I don't have that problem, though. :-)

Dean, for the most part I'll agree with you about HRO. On the phone,
almost invariably they've been quite friendly although, depending
on the store and time of day, sometimes terse. I've talked to the
Las Vegas store as well - very friendly!

BUT -- when I was living in northern Virginia the Woodbridge HRO was
but a 45-minute road trip. Despite that, myself and some friends
found ourselves preferring to take a Saturday to drive across the
Chesapeake Bay, up the Eastern Shore, to New Castle, DE. The folks
there, in person and on the phone, have been so much more friendly.
Delaware also has no sales tax but the gasoline spent offset that.
Still, the road trips were worth it.

On more than one occasion (three to be exact) I've gone into the
Woodbridge HRO and scanned the shelves to see what was new and, busy
or not, was totally ignored. I went up to the counter and very
patiently waited until one of the sales critters finished a conversation
and had a chance to wait on me. Again, I was ignored (with US$100's to
"burn") even after one of them walked right by me, looking me straight

in the eyes as he passed me. The friendliest I've been treated at the Woodbridge store was during a "Yeasu Day". This was way back when the FT-530 was just arriving in the local stores. I had a nice little chat about the 530 with one of the sales people. Later I realized that this gentleman was from Yaesu and not one of the usual sales critters.

Oh, at a number of hamfests in the Balto-DC area I mentioned to the organizers about getting HRO to show up to increase the vendor count. Many doubted that they could get the Delaware crew to come down into Woodbridge's "territory".

My experiences, as well as similar experiences from close friends have me keeping HRO the last-to-call on my list. That is beginning to change now...

-Rusty-
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Rusty Haddock, KD4WLZ Internet: rusty@NOSPAMti.com ___
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Plano, Texas 75086 Fax: (972) 575-4351 |/_V_/

4079. Yaesu FT-101ZD Modification Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Remy <eric.remy@snet.net>
Message-ID: <5m29n8$ggo@goofy.snet.net>
Source record: 174782

I would like to modify my Yaesu FT-101ZD to receive out of the
ham bands. Is this possible? Any help is greatly appreciated.

4080. Re: Motorola Radius GP300 Programming ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Curry <bobcurry@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <3384D10C.BEE@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 174783

Mike MJ-12 wrote:
>
> Can anyone please advise on the subject of programming a Motorola
> Radius GP300 VHF synthesized handset with a PC, is it possible ?
> can an interface be constructed ? any advice or addresses where I can
> obtain this information is much appreciated, Mike.
>
> "The best way to predict the
> future is to invent it...."
> majestic@nildram.co.uk
send me your call sign and address & I will send a copy of the
software...

4081. Wanted: Aerotron 9S1.5 KA HF amplifier Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Curry <bobcurry@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <3384D1D8.28EF@sprintmail.com>
Source record: 174784

Thanks in advance,
BoBc. WB4JLD

4082. HW-7 Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Gass KB4UG <bgass@greene.xtn.net>
Message-ID: <3384BA45.18CE@greene.xtn.net>
Source record: 174785

Does anyone have a HW-7 schematic that would be willing to photocopy it?
I would be glad to reimburse expenses incurred.

Bob KB4UG
bgass@greene.xtn.net

4083. Relm WHS150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: QRP <Indiana@CW.QRP>
Message-ID: <01bc66d0$051193c0$28fe35ce@larin>
Source record: 174786

Is there a mod for the Relm WHS150 handheld to allow it to cover the 2 meter band? It is my work radio and I wanted to be able to use it to access our local repeater also. Thanks!

4084. AEA PK-900 @ 1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walt N3JPR <profota@pop3.concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3384B2DF.26CB@pop3.concentric.net>
Source record: 174787

Help
I just bought a 1000mp at dayton and I cannot get my PK-900
interfaced,using the packet connection it works great but I can only use
LSB,I called yaesu and they were of no help,I also work SSTV and need a
way of transmitting on USB.
Thanks
Walt N3JPR

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Walt
Profota@concentric.net

4085. Ignorant Experts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: don.phelps@infoway.com
Message-ID: <864324212@infoway.com>
Source record: 174788

The Ignorant Expert (IE) is to be found amoung the amateur radio operators
and newsgroup posters. This bane on an otherwise enjoyable hobby
expounds as an expert on what the other person is doing wrong;
but is totally ignorant, and proves by example, how obnoxious it
is to judge another.

I have modified a Gonset 6 meter linear to work out of band at 60 MHz,
removing the key shaping circuits for a much more rapid rise and fall
times, that would generate obnoxious key clicks.
The fact that I was building (cheaply) a fourier transform
nuclear magnetic resonance spectrometer, the third to be built in
the world and publishing the results in a scientific journal,
and yes, keeping the radiation within the shielded sample chamber,
made this legal.

But if I discussed it on the air, or here, there would be those
IEs to tell me all about the sins of operating out of band.
Seems IEs are everywhere. In their ignorance, they can not
perceive they are not experts on what everyone else is doing.

Wd> Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> On 12 May 1997 04:29:18 GMT, Gary Moore <76170.1701@CompuServe.COM> wrote:
> >>>Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?

> >How are YOU being harmed by people who transmit out of band?

... don.phelps@juno.com www.qsl.net/n6mce POB 9739 San Rafael,CA94912-9739
___ Blue Wave/386 v2.30 [NR]

4086. Re: Wtb Yaesu FT-890AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <338496bd.36525@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 174789

We want to buy a clean Yaesu FT-890AT.
If u have one to sell pse call 215/673-0485
any Eve. or e-mail, aldel@ibm.net
Tnx. Albert, Wa3fib.

4087. Does Kenwood have a email address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5m2lvm$s55@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 174790

Does Kenwood have an email address or 800 number?

4088. F.S. Icom 3210 Dual Bander Mobile with mobile mount.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McDowell ~ N0WCF <jeff@saturn.flipag.net>
Message-ID: <3384E202.1426@saturn.flipag.net>
Source record: 174791

This 2 meter/440 mobile rig is in very clean condition and works perfect. Comes with the mobile mount, owners manual and schematic. Will sell for $250 firm, plus $5 shipping.

Jeff McDowell, N0WCF
Call 561-374-9810 almost any time.
jeff@saturn.flipag.net

4089. Re: FS 14.4 modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris McSorley <ecm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3384E5FE.79D8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Butch Magee wrote:
>
> U.S. Robotics 14.4 Sportster fax modem. As new 65.00 shipped CONUS.
>
> Butch KF5DE

These are running about $30 new in stores, fyi.(yes, USR)

4090. Re: Does Kenwood have a email address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3384F4FB.AB0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174793

Carl Hodder wrote:
>
> Does Kenwood have an email address or 800 number?

Hi Carl -- from the Kenwood Home Page at URL:
http://www.kenwood.net/home.html
Some 800 numbers there

73
Rod
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4091. RE: HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970522182303145 47@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 174794

REALISTIC HTX-202 Summary of Button Functions

A/LOCK/CA
PTT + A.....Transmit DTMF A.....page 33
F + LOCK.....Keyboard lock.....page 19
CA.....Calling memory.....page 20

B/P-SC/PR
PTT + B.....Transmit DTMF B.....page 33
F + P-SC.....Priority scan.....page 22
PR.....Priority memories.....page 22

C/M-WR/MR
PTT + C.....Transmit DTMF C.....page 33
F + W-MR.....Memory write.....pages 20-23
MR.....Standard memories.....page 23

D/M->VFO/VF/CLR
PTT + D.....Transmit DTMF D. Follow with 1-5 to
send a DTMF sequence.....pages 33 & 34
F + M->VFO.....Write memory to VFO.....pages 20-23
VF.....VFO mode.....page 16
CLR.....Clear partially entered freq in VFO mode...page 16

1/T-SQL
PTT + 1.....Transmit DTMF 1.....page 33
PTT + T-SQL.....Tone squelch.....page 28
1.....In Standard Memory mode, first digit of
selecting memory 10, 11, or 12.....page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16
In Priority Memory mode,
select Priority Memory 1.....page 22

4/D-SQL
PTT + 4.....Transmit DTMF 4.....page 33
F + D-SQL.....DTMF-squelch.....page 34
4.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 4...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

7/SAVE
PTT + 7.....Transmit DTMF 7.....page 33
F + SAVE.....Power save option.....page 31
7.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 7...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

*/ \/SC
PTT + *.....Transmit DTMF *.....page 33

F + \/SC.....In VFO mode, scan down the selected range..page 30
\/SC.....In VFO, Priority Memory or Standard Memory mode
scan down.....pages 17, 22 & 23
In memory-set mode, next menu item.....page 26

2/DTMF
PTT + 2.....Transmit DTMF 2.....page 33
F + DTMF.....Store DTMF memory sequence.....page 33
2.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 2...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16
In Priority Memory mode,
select Priority Memory 2.....page 22

5/BEEP
PTT + 5.....Transmit DTMF 5.....page 33
F + BEEP.....Key entry beep.....page 19
5.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 5...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

8/M-SET
PTT + 8.....Transmit DTMF 8.....page 33
F + M-SET.....In VFO mode, memory set.....page 26
In Standard, Priority, Calling Memory,
change options for memory channel.....page 21
8.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 2...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

0/V-SC
PTT + 0.....Transmit DTMF 0.....page 33
F + V-SC.....Vacant scan.....page 19
0.....In Standard Memory mode, select 1st digit
of memory 1.....page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

3/ +/-
PTT + 3.....Transmit DTMF 3.....page 33
F + +/-.....Duplex offset.....page 18
3.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 3...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16
In Priority Memory mode,
select Priority Memory 3.....page 22

6/REV
PTT + 6.....Transmit DTMF 6.....page 33
F + REV.....Reverse transmit & receive freqs.....page 31
6.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 6...page 23

(Continued to next message)

4092. RE: HTX-202 CTCSS??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970522182304145 48@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 174795

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In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

9/M-CLR
PTT + 9.....Transmit DTMF 9.....page 33
F + M-CLR.....Memory clear.....page 31
9.....In Standard Memory mode, select Memory 9...page 23
In VFO mode, enter a frequency.....page 16

#/ /\SC
PTT + #.....Transmit DTMF #.....page 33
F + /\SC.....In VFO mode, scan up the selected range....page 30
/\SC.....In VFO, Priority Memory or Standard Memory mode,
scan up.....pages 17, 22 & 23
In memory-set mode, previous menu item.....page 26

F/M/PTT/L all located on the side of the unit with the PTT button

F.....Select the 2nd function of a key.....page 5
M.....Monitor a channel without squelch,
In Standard, Priority or Calling memory,
display memory's programmed options.....page 25
PTT.....Push-to-talk (transmit button).....page 18
L.....Turn on the light for 5 seconds.....page 15
F + L.....Turn on the light until you press L again..page 15

4093. FS "2-Meter All-Mode"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <33844F37.243@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174796

For Sale:

I have a Icom IC-271H 2-Meter all-mode for sale. This rig is as new, "No Scratches" non-smoker. The IC-271H is a base rig that runs on 12V so will go mobile. It matches the IC-751 & IC-751A HF rigs, Same in looks, 4 3/8" high, 11 1/4" wide & 10 3/4" deep.

Has 100 Watts out All-Mode. Memorys, tone-board, scan ect. I have shipping box, 12V cord, hand mic and book.

$650.00

Thanks,
Boyd N6DMF

Reply To: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4094. TS520SE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shef Robotham <"Shef Robotham"@snet.net>
Message-ID: <338520D0.3312@snet.net>
Source record: 174797

TS520 SE in perfect working condition.
Will make ideal entry or vacation home rig
My dad retired from ham radio so I dont need
this rig

No CW Filt, solid 100 W, just add mike or key
$325

Tnx
Shef , WA1RHT

4095. FS FT50R w/FTT-12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3384F0B3.3235@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a 3 month old FT50 with the FTT-12 keypad, high power battery, regular charger, two antennas, box and manual. Mint condition, freeband/Mars mods done. $300, NO CODS.

Tom

4096. Icom ic-R1 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: msanford <msanford@neo.lrun.com>
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.864355407.3640.msanford@msanford.neo.lrun.com>
Source record: 174799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Need information on modifications for ic-r1 receivers. Any
response would be appreciated.
Thanks and 73 Kf8ky

4097. FT-50 Mods Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: guest@guest.edu
Message-ID: <3384D01C.79C7@guest.edu>
Source record: 174800

Is there any mods for this radio. Any info will be appreciated.

Robert Cooter

4098. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338513EE.6EB2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174801

Rusty Haddock wrote:
>
> Dean Hemphill K5DH wrote:
> >
> > I'm sorry to hear you had a bad experience with HRO. My experiences
> > with them have been quite different.
> >
> > I've been dealing with HRO for many years. Here's my experiences:
> >
> > Whenever I've called them for pricing or information, they have been
> > friendly and helpful. They've told me what I needed to know, without
> > a hint of "talking down to me". I have never identified myself over
> > the telephone by name, call, license class, etc. They had no idea
> > who I was, they only knew that I needed info. They gave it to me.
> ...
> > I have dealt with four different HRO stores by telephone, and two of
> > those stores in person also (Denver and New Castle). When I was in
> > the two stores in person, the salesmen were friendly and courteous,
> > not only to me, but to ALL of the customers who were there. There
> ...
> > I'd suggest giving them another try. And when you do, keep in mind
> > that your attitude is as important as theirs. If you go into this
> > with "a chip on your shoulder", you may indeed have another bad time.
>
> Oh so important point, nowadays. Considering what I've seen of other
> customers in most stores I visit many do have an attitude problem.
> I don't have that problem, though. :-)
>
> Dean, for the most part I'll agree with you about HRO. On the phone,
> almost invariably they've been quite friendly although, depending
> on the store and time of day, sometimes terse. I've talked to the
> Las Vegas store as well - very friendly!
>
> BUT -- when I was living in northern Virginia the Woodbridge HRO was
> but a 45-minute road trip. Despite that, myself and some friends
> found ourselves preferring to take a Saturday to drive across the
> Chesapeake Bay, up the Eastern Shore, to New Castle, DE. The folks
> there, in person and on the phone, have been so much more friendly.
> Delaware also has no sales tax but the gasoline spent offset that.
> Still, the road trips were worth it.
>
> On more than one occasion (three to be exact) I've gone into the
> Woodbridge HRO and scanned the shelves to see what was new and, busy
> or not, was totally ignored. I went up to the counter and very

> patiently waited until one of the sales critters finished a conversation
> and had a chance to wait on me. Again, I was ignored (with US$100's to
> "burn") even after one of them walked right by me, looking me straight
> in the eyes as he passed me. The friendliest I've been treated at the
> Woodbridge store was during a "Yeasu Day". This was way back when the
> FT-530 was just arriving in the local stores. I had a nice little chat
> about the 530 with one of the sales people. Later I realized that this
> gentleman was from Yaesu and not one of the usual sales critters.
>
> Oh, at a number of hamfests in the Balto-DC area I mentioned to the
> organizers about getting HRO to show up to increase the vendor count.
> Many doubted that they could get the Delaware crew to come down into
> Woodbridge's "territory".
>
> My experiences, as well as similar experiences from close friends have
> me keeping HRO the last-to-call on my list. That is beginning to
> change now...
>
> -Rusty-
> --
> Rusty Haddock, KD4WLZ Internet: rusty@NOSPAMti.com ___
> Texas Instruments Software MSG ID: MWH2 |\/ o\ O
> POB 869305 MS 8515 Phone: (972) 575-6838 | (-< o O
> Plano, Texas 75086 Fax: (972) 575-4351 |/_V_/

I have made two purchases "incognito" from the Salem New Hampshire HRO
I am pleased to say that on both purchase times I was treated well by
the Newer Employees and also the Mgr and Asst Manager. I suppose all my
negative posts about them has changed their attitude. I saw the Manager
deal politly with an irate customer and solve the problem so that the
customer was satisfied. I didn't see any of the "old time salespeople"
who had a "chip on their shoulders". Perhaps they moved on to a
different employer. I will continue to make purchases from this store
and may actually pay by credit card but then they would know my identity
Previously I sent a nasty E-Mail to the Manager and felt my life would
be in danger if I identified myself in the store.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

4099. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33851ACC.9AC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174802

Do you have anything constructive to add here Bill? So far your contribution hasn't shown the level of maturity I was hoping to encounter when I originally posted my message. To follow up a lengthy message with a one line playground remark is a waste of everyone else's time.

William Nolle wrote:
>
> Charlie Durand wrote:
> >
> > Good morning,
> >
> > I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
<...>
>
> Ok Charlie now tell us the REAL story behind all the anger!!!!!
> --
> Bill

4100. Re: HRO is excellent, IMHO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33851F9D.342A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174803

Clint Bradford wrote:
>
> >>...I have had nothing short of excellent results over the
> >> last three years shopping at HRO...
>
> And so have the vast majority of their clients/customers, Don.
>
> ---
> Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
> ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com
> ---
How about giving me your sources for your claim that the "vast majority"
of their customers are happy with the service at HRO Clint? In the
replies I've received, most in email, it's about 60:40 in the negative.
I'll give that a may get more negative votes because I was in the
negative as well but it's sure no "vast majority" of happy customers.

4101. Alinco DJ-G5TY Expanded Rcv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: aharris@newshost.li.net
Message-ID: <5m1qv8$lo9@linet06.li.net>
Source record: 174804

I understand that the receive range of the Alinco DJ-G5TY dual-band HT can be expanded.

What is the expanded range and what is the mod to get it?

Any infoo will be appreciated.

--
Art Harris N2AH
Internet: aharris@suffolk.lib.ny.us
or n2ah@sprynet.com
Packet Radio: N2AH@KC2FD.NY.US.NA
TCP/IP: n2ah.ampr.org [44.68.8.137]

4102. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33851E7B.9C5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174805

>
> Better take heed, Charlie. The last guy (Ted Nutcase) who badmouthed
> HRO here nearly got sued.
> --
> 73,
> Butch

Oh please, you have to be kidding. I will say anything I please.
Anyone can "nearly" sue anyone else for anything. That was a silly
thing to say Butch.

4103. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33851D22.19B3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174806

Pat Wilson wrote:
>
> 1.... Are you a Ham?
It doesn't matter if I am a ham or not. I am a customer, I deserve good service. They don't check if I am a ham or not.

> 2.... If you are, you should leave this message on their home page.
I've sent mail to on the HRO website, zero reply. Probably had troulbe sounding out the big words.

> 3.... You're experience is abnormal, in my experience.
I'm glad for you.

> 4.... Did you act like an asshole?
Yes, of course I did. What the hell kind of question is that? I had questions about differences between two radios last time I was there. When then guy didn't know the answer he literally shrugged his shoulders and said "I don't know.." I'm asking why one radio costs $50 more than another and he can't tell me, that's a big deal to me. I get better service at Nordstrom's buying a $300 dollar pair of shoes.

> 5.... I prefer HRO to all the other sales outlets combined.
The term outlet is another pet peeve.

> 6.... Do you have a chip on your shoulder, because you are a no-code tech?
I'm not the one with a chip. It's the poor guys who feel they were screwed by the FCC for letting people in without learning code.

4104. Tapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark N Dumont <mark@ici.net>
Message-ID: <33840CBC.5308D881@ici.net>
Source record: 174807
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Hi Ed,,,,

Did you have a chance to make copies of the tapes for the Tech No Code
......????

Because my cousine is going to be going for his Tech No Code .....
Please let me know..

Mark

Hi Ed,,,,

Did you have a chance to make copies of the tapes for the Tech No
Code ......????

Because my cousine is going to be going for his Tech No Code .....
Please let me know..

Mark

4105. Re: Swap Shops

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <33846998.215B@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------27CA42033D8
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Him wrote:
>
> Mark or Lou Roy wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone know of urls for radio equipment classified pages where I
> > can list equipment for sale, other than the newsgroups?
> > Thanks
> > Lou, KM1T
> > markr@esslink.com
>
> I like e-bay.com and have bought several items there.
>
> Please e-mail me your list first.

Check theese out...
73
Boyd N6DMF

--------------27CA42033D8
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="Address.txt"

http://www.users.fast.net/~wa3key/collins.html

Ham Swap
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http://www.csz.com/cgi-bin/hamclassified/srchopt.pl

http://www.concentric.net/~n9zle/swap.html

http://www.mindspring.com/~gies/res.html

http://www.westes.com/Ads/Ads.html

http://www.webcom.com/webpub/class.html

http://www.qrz.com/hamlinks.html

http://www.ring.com/trading/hamradio.htm

http://www.users.fast.net/~n3itn/

http://www.westes.com/

Anti-Virus Home Page
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http://sever.snni.com/~robertc/virus.html

--------------27CA42033D8--

4106. WTB Heath IB-101 Freq Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: d888888@juno.com
Message-ID: <5m1952$1hr@tracy.protocom.com>
Source record: 174809

Hi,

I want to buy an old Heath IB-101 frequency counter. Doesn't have to work, but must be inexpensive.

Please reply via email,

Thanks,

Bob

4107. FS: PK-88 TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9uwa@cris.com
Message-ID: <5m1b3o$6go@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 174810

For Sale Packet controller....PK-88 almost new...wired for Kenwood radio. $100 obo shipped conus....de John K9UWA

4108. ADVICE ON PHONE PATCH`

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33846C66.128A@flash.net>
Source record: 174811

I'm looking for a phone patch to be used on 2 meter. I would like your input on used models to consider.

Thanks in advance.

Lee H.
KC5ZRR

4109. Re: FS: ACC-8850 Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "E. Joe Orrico WB6HRO" <eugene@loop.com>
Message-ID: <338525C3.787A@loop.com>
Source record: 174812

Rodney A Skeeter wrote:
>
> HOW MUCH????????
> In article <337F65C4.3A38@loop.com>, eugene@loop.com says...
> >
> >I have an ACC-850 controller for sale, with computer interface and
> >FC-900 remote base interface. Software is V 3.8. I am in Southern Calif.
> >
> >de Joe Orrico WB6HRO
> >
I am asking $1200

de WB6HRO

4110. FS "Vectronics Tuner"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <3384DF17.284B@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174813

For Sale:

I have in VERY GOOD COND. A high quality Antenna Tunner.
Vectronics Antenna Tunner model HFT-1500. Tunes 1.8 to 30
MHz continuous. Made in Canada. This co. also makes the
3 KW Tucker Antenna tunner, Is the same as the Tucker T-3000.

This is a 3 KW antenna tunner with 3 KW "Cross-Needle" Watt
meter, Peak reading bar-graph 21 segment display. 28 uH
Deirin roller coil. Has Balun, 1 input and 4 outputs. Has
bypass for all antenns. Will take Coax, Open Wire or Bal-Line.

This tunner sold new for $350.00 and I will sell and
ship for $225.00.

Thank You,
Boyd
N6DMF

Replt to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4111. Re: ICOM 2000 memory question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3384A9B1.2571@flash.net>
Source record: 174814

Try resetting the unit. With unit off press (set) and (pg/cs/mw) and turn power on. This will reset the cpu to original status and you will lose all memory info.

Good Luck

4112. FS: Motorola HT90 Uhf HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5m1mjl$2av@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 174815

Hello, I have a mint Motorola HT90 UHF HT for sale with rapid charger
and two GOOD batteries.Freq range is 450-470 ,4 watt,2 freq. Currently
on 443.1 my UHF repeater. $100 shipped
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com
515-961-6140

4113. Yaesu FRG7 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaguarcat@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <5m1p9oanu4@despair.u-net.com>
Source record: 174816

Does anyone have any service info for the Yaesu FRG7 Reciever?

4114. Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <33847276.5F47@shani.net>
Source record: 174817

I'm looking for more info and impressions
on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
transceiver. For those who already saw it
at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?

Any reply will be appreciated.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

4115. Source for Motorola Micor radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc66d4$a24593e0$4e4e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 174818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Does anyone know of a source for Micor VHF radios?

I'm interested in replacing the transmitter/receiver of our club's current repeater with some more durable equipment. I'm hoping to find something around the 100 (or is it 110) watt range without paying a fortune!

Thanks! Please email me directly in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.

73,

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

4116. Modem to TNC ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: waterfox@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <338fb136.25046619@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174819

I have a Hayes Optima 96, 9600 baud external modem. Is it possible to modify this for use as a TNC?

Thanks
Ron / N3ZDS

4117. Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ej_mars@lagn.com
Message-ID: <53181364@lagn.com>
Source record: 174820

I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to ej.mars@lagn.comThanks

4118. Yaesu FRG7 Service info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jaguarcat@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <5lv68a$di1$6@despair.u-net.com>
Source record: 174844

HAs anyone got any service info for the Yaesu FRG7 Reciever?

4119. UNIDEN SMU 300K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Kaeding <randyk@parrett.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6650$5cd96860$aee41ece@default>
Source record: 174845

Needed:

I am looking for a service manual/owner's manual for a Uniden SMU 300K. I expecially need to know how to program the frequencies into it (connection between computer and radio). I have the software.

Uniden parts department claims there is no such model, even when I stated I am reading the number right off the radio as I speak.

Can anyone help?

randk@parrett.net

4120. Re: Swap Shops

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Him <"hfh@world2u.com"@world2u.com>
Message-ID: <EAK7Hs.M16@news.interactive.net>
Source record: 174846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mark or Lou Roy wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of urls for radio equipment classified pages where I
> can list equipment for sale, other than the newsgroups?
> Thanks
> Lou, KM1T
> markr@esslink.com

I like e-bay.com and have bought several items there.

Please e-mail me your list first.

4121. Re: WTB: 6M all mode mobile transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: michaelo@psych1.hku.hk
Message-ID: <5m09iq$26s@psych1.hku.hk>
Source record: 174847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bill Spang (_bills4_@flash.net) wrote:
: I'm in the market for a 6M all mode mobile transceiver.
: If you've got one you'd like to part with please let me know what you've got and
: how much you want for it.

: Thanks,
: Bill

For 6m only mobile:
Kenwood ts-60
Yaesu ft-690MKII

For HF/6m
Icom 706/706MKII
Alinco DX-70

: Please note that there's a SPAMSTOPPER (_) in my return
: e-mail address.

: postmaster@127.0.0.1
--
Michael Lo
michaelo@psy.hku.hk

4122. C508A antenna on my FT-50R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffj@scott.net
Message-ID: <3383b217.31195567@news.scott.net>
Source record: 174848

I believe that in the past someone mentioned that the Standard C508A antenna will work with the Yaesu FT-50R. I'm curious if anybody is currently using this set-up? If so, is the performance better that with the stock Yaesu "duck"? Does it have the little rubber skirt that covers the SMA connector on the FT-50R? Any comments would be greatly appreciated as I hate the stock "duck" and am not real happy with the SMA-3 (it's too long) and the Diamond SRH519 doesn't seem much better than the stock antenna.

73 de KF4KGQ
Jeff Johns
jeffj@scott.net

4123. For Sale - 2 MFJ-1214PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: krs5@psu.edu
Message-ID: <krs5.15.003C5707@psu.edu>
Source record: 174849

For Sale to the Highhest Bidder :

2 MFJ-1214PC
Multi-Mode Computer Interfaces
(FAX/RTTY/ASCII/CW)

New in-the-box. Never used.

Contact Ken Schroyer
krs5@psu.edu or
814-237-1258

4124. FS: O-scopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radarguy@gdi.net
Message-ID: <3383b212.4014563@news.gdi.net>
Source record: 174850

Tektronix 321A - This is a portable that can run on AC power or with D size batteries. 6 Mhz single trace. Comes with nice leather case. $150

HP 1740A - 100 Mhz Dual trace scope Excellent condition - asking $450

HP 1740A - 100 Mhz Dual trace scope Excellent condition except handle is removed and one foot off the back is broken - asking $410

Tektronix 504 - This is a low BW scope but working It includes a spare for parts. Make me an offer around $40 for both to get them out of my garage.

Tektronix 604 scope monitor. Working with small cosmetic flaw in fron bezel. Asking $50

Shipping is extra

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son,
that whoever believes in Him should not perish,
but have eternal life. John 3:16

4125. HELP !! Mods for Alinco DJ191TH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wfshaus@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970522055600.BAA05003@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174851

I have an Alinco DJ 191 TH. I have been told it is modifiable for MARS frequency use. I have recently joined our local MARS group and need to operate on frequency to practice with thier message systems. Please send suggestions E-mail to
Wfshaus

4126. FS-Icom IC-2000 2METER MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.deda9e62ca7b6bb989682@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 174852

I have a IC2000 in perfect shape,asking $200 or best offer.Email
me if you are interested.
Thanks,
Barry
Bumologist.....What the HELL is that!!???
Barry Felstein
N8PVX

4127. FS: ACC RC-85 ROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: childers@palmtop.com
Message-ID: <0004C64F.3146@palmtop.com>
Source record: 174853
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Our club has one ACC RC-85 ROM for sale, version 4.0. If anyone's interested in this part for a replacement/upgrade, our club is willing to part with it for $50.

Please contact Brian Woodson, KE6SVX, at brianw@garlic.com if you're interested. I can also be reached if needed, at childers@garlic.com. I'm going on vacation on Tues., May 27.

Thanks, and 73,

Bill Childers

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Bill Childers - Computer & Telecommunications Consultant
Email: childers@garlic.com
WWW: http://www.garlic.com/~childers
Ham Radio Call: KE6VVW
This message mailed via a HP200LX palmtop,
email me for details!

4128. Yaesu 1000MP S-meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walt N3JPR <profota@pop3.concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33840127.684D@pop3.concentric.net>
Source record: 174854

I just bought a 1000mp and have a question about the S-meter,the meter reads about an s-3 even with the antenna disconnected and the ATT at 18, is this a problem with this model or just my rig.Does anyone know how to reset the meter?
Thanks
N3JPR Walt
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Walt
Profota@concentric.net

4129. Re: Question when were TS-940's made

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2205970634030001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 174855

In article <337F1ED1.39@worldnet.att.net>,
rdodson@postoffice.worldnet.att.net wrote:

> I just got a Kenwood TS-940S/At serial number 7 mil and am trying to
> figure out how old it is. When did they stop making this model. Please
> post and thanks for all responces.
>
> 73's
> Bob

Hi Bob:

I may be getting a 940 this weekend - could you send me an Email as
to what you find? Thanks and 73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

4130. Re: Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2205970641580001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 174856

In article <3381d95c.607492842@news.zippo.com>, jrhodes@iti2.net wrote:

> A friend told me about a problem with the Kenwood V7A microphone and
> said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks
> up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had
> this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just
> ordered the V7A from HRO Denver yesterday and none of the people there
> had heard of any microphone problems or mods.

I've got the radio and I had the problem. Simply change the
default mic setting within the menu as it relates to programming
and you'll be all set. Not a mod - just a setting. My cellular
phone tones interacted with it - thought I was going nuts! :-)

73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

4131. Re: What do you think of the ICOM 756?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2205970650100001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 174857

In article <3381A774.45E9@LaRC.NASA.gov>, J.M.Zawodny@LaRC.NASA.gov wrote:

> Howdy,
>
> I'm thinking of getting an ICOM 756 and would like to
> hear all of the bad thinks that users have encountered with
> this rig. My main uses will be on 10m and 6m CW & SSB. I am
> particularly interested in comments relating to the DSP and
> whether it does anything to reduce noise or if it is only an
> audio filter.
>
> Thanks & 73
>
> KO4LW
> --
>
> Work: Dr. Joseph M. Zawodny Play: Joe Zawodny
> NASA Langley Research Center KO4LW@amsat.org
> E-mail: J.M.Zawodny@LaRC.NASA.gov zawodny@exis.net
> (757) 864-2681 (757) 864-2671 FAX http://wwwp.exis.net/~zawodny

I went into HRO in Salem, NH yesterday and tuned one for about 30 minutes and just sort of went around the front panel. Seems to be a very nice radio. It has a variable knob on the left side near the S meter marked "NL" and turning it seemed to be the AMOUNT of DSP applied - and once I discovered this knob, I was fascinated with the NOISE LEVEL (my guess as to what NL stands for) and how I could back out perhaps 90% of all of the background static and noise floor sounding noise. It was very impressive. By the same token, I was on 20 meters. When I tune around on 10 meters and even more so on 6, I don't hear the same kind of noise - which is one of the cool things about a lot of the atmospheric stuff not bugging us so much as we move higher and higher in frequency.

Don't you wish we could RENT these radios and try them out for a month at a time and then SELECT the one we liked best? Tough to play the radio ahead of the purchases!

73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

4132. WTB:Kenwood 742 1.2ghz module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Edwards <threepalms@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33840D89.6021@earthlink.net>
Source record: 174858

Looking for a UT-1200 (1.2ghz) module for the Kenwood 642/742/942 radio.

If you have same and would like to sell or trade it, please email me at:
threepalms@earthlink.net

73 de KD6HRT

4133. HELP, need info Heath IM102 DMM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: d888888@juno.com
Message-ID: <5m1dep$2em@tracy.protocom.com>
Source record: 174859
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Hi,

Thanks for reading this. I bought an old Heath IB 102 digital multimeter at a fest and need a copy of the schematic and alignment instructions to get it going. Hate to junk this one, so appreciate your help.

Will be happy to pay for copying and mailing costs.

Thanks in advance,''

Bob

4134. IC-207H (Anyone like this radio ?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevew@castle.net
Message-ID: <5m0fk7$lp0$1@arther.castle.net>
Source record: 174860

I am looking for a new dualbander for the car and am considering the
207H despite the one band at a time limitation. Has anyone picked one up and
if so do they like it ? All comments appreciated.

73 DE KF2TN

Steve

4135. Walkies for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: smillick@cillnet.COM
Message-ID: <2.2.16.19970522061952.31f73bd4@cillnet.com>
Source record: 174861

I have a new Standard c108a won at Dayton that I want to trade for the 440 version or will sell with a Yaseu FT-470 with base charger.
c108 $175
Yaseu with charger $225.00

Looking for a duobander FT-50 or 51 to trade for Thanks

K9SM
K9SM Scott Millick
907 Big Four Ave.
Hillsboro, Il 62049

217 532-3837
smillick@cillnet.com
Packet via KD9SG

4136. FS: ICOM IC-751A HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: K R Jeffcoat <kjeffcoat@pacpower.com>
Message-ID: <33844E45.4FC1@pacpower.com>
Source record: 174862

ICOM IC-751A (SN04360). 160-10 M. AM/FM/CW/RTTY/USB/LSB.
100 W w/built-in keyer. Excellent condition, non smoker.
Includes:

PS-35 Internal Power Supply (110/220V 50/60 Hz)
CR-64 Hi-Stability Crystal
FL-52A 500 Hz CW/RTTY filter
EX-310 Voice Synthesizer
UX-14 CI-IV/CI-V Converter
UT-30 Programmable Tone Encoder
OPC-137 Tuner control cable
HM-36 Hand Mic (up/down)
AC power cord, DC Power Cable, misc fuses & plugs, Instruction Manual,
instruction sheets for most accessory boards, Fox-Tango 751/A
User's Supplement and original cartons.

Also included is a NOVEX 19" rack mount chassis designed for this radio.

$950 US. Will pay airfreight (lower 48) if you prepay, otherwise
you pay freight & COD.

Ken Jeffcoat
Redmond, WA
206-881-0564

4137. WTB:Icom Filters, FL-32 & 53A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <74551.2354@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <5m1it8$1ub2$1@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 174863

Want To Buy:

Icom CW filters for IC-751-765 series rigs.
I need the FL-32 500Hz and FL-53A 250Hz filters.
Please email me with price and condition.

Tx and 73,

Jim KB2YWS

4138. Re: HTX-404 Tx Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jurish@yankthisout.teleteam.com
Message-ID: <33844d3c.250065304@teleteam.com>
Source record: 174864

Give it up.... It CAN'T be done.....

On 21 May 1997 10:51:33 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>All of the info I have seen on this radio indicates that you can do
>neither of the mods you want to do...try doing a search on the net for
>HTX...I found some pages of interest....

4139. Re: ADI AT-600: What's Going On?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <33845ce3.2062447@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174865

On 16 May 1997 08:09:55 GMT, n2ywd@aol.com (N2YWD) wrote:

>Gee, I don't know about any recall, but you can try calling Lentini Comm's
>in CT. That's where I got my AT600. Their # is 1-800-666-0908
>Good luck !

I just got one yesterday (AT-600). working fine.
it's not recalled...
by the way, if FCC/Industry Canada try to pull off every single
tranceivers that have ability to transmit outside band... we perhaps
only have HTX-202 + HTx-242.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4140. Re: HTX-404 Tx Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <33845d60.2187840@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174866

On 21 May 1997 01:15:43 GMT, mike124229@aol.com (MIKE124229) wrote:

>Is there a mod to permit the HTX-404 to transmit outside the amateur band?
>I understand that it can receive between 420 and 470 MHz with a simple
>keyboard mod.
>
>Mike

you should give it up. you will never be able to modify newer
version of RS's scanners + tranceivers (HTX-404 too) (well... we had
HTX-204 for exception !.)

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4141. Re: ts440 audio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33845E52.3CD8@onramp.net>
Source record: 174867

jimpat@blazenet.net wrote:
>
> How do I remedy audio distortion on upper and lower side bands of TS440 ?
> Thanks for any ideas.
>
> ----------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

With a little more information I could probably help.

What band?

What mike?

Probably RF feedback if on 40/80M. Ferrite cores (split variety) around
the power cord where it goes into the radio will help or stop it.

If it is all bands then,

Carrier oscillator setting,
Carrier balance,
Spurious adjustment,
Final bias.

Those are starting points.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

4142. FS 14.4 modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Message-ID: <33846596.76B7@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Source record: 174868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

U.S. Robotics 14.4 Sportster fax modem. As new 65.00 shipped CONUS.

Butch KF5DE

4143. Kenwood V7 & Voice VS3 & Remote awnserback ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flasheart <flashear@euronet.nl>
Message-ID: <01bc66c7$221bbee0$0100007f@showroom>
Source record: 174869

Using the TMV 7 I was deligted with the remote control function.
HT in my pocked and I can control the rig, even an a response from
the rig when the commands are recieved correct.
But here is the problem, one mistake and you don't know where you
operate. So the BIG question:

Does anyone know if the TMV7 with the voice unit installed gives a voice
responce of the status over the control freq.

Thanks fer response,

Hugo de PA3ELV

email: flashear@euronet.nl

4144. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5m1pil$9l1$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 174870

Not all extras feel that way. Some of us think No-Code is a good things as long as some Elmering is involved. The only problem with going to Radio Shack to buy a book is that you really do not have to talk to another ham to get your ticket. New people (and some old people) need help from other hams.

-- Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4145. FS:Kenwood TS-440SAT//PS-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970523011700.VAA19054@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174736

This equipment is guaranteed "as new" condition in every respect. There is not even a fingerprint on it. One woner, very limited use, non smoker environment. There is not a nicer one, even new in the box. Mic, Manual, original double boxes with plastic wrap. $775 for the pair, sold together, or $675 for the 440SAT and $125 for the PS-50 HD Power Supply + shipping. Contact Keith at:

wb0nzv@aol.com

4146. WTB: Hallicrafter SX-101 Knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: franklin@net-link.net
Message-ID: <3385193f.8779047@nntp.net-link.net>
Source record: 174737

I have an SX-101A that I am restoring..... it's sort a couple of
knobs.
Need the main
tuning knob with the scale plate..... and need one of the small knobs
used on the pointer reset or notch depth controls.... anyone have them
laying around I would appreciate purchasing them.....

Thanks
Gary K8BKB

franklin@net-link.net

4147. Kenwood and Heathkit Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmcoop@smtp.net-link.net
Message-ID: <5m2t2f$pki@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 174738

Does anyone have service manuals for Kenwood
TR-2600A, TS-530SP, TR-9130?

Does anyone have user and service manuals for
Heathkit HW-101?

I'm willing to pay for photo copy.

Also if you don't have these but can give me a lead
it would be much appreciated.

Murray (KC8HKE) - mmcoop@net-link.net

4148. F.S. Swan 350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Johnston <jamesj@plato.ucs.mun.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6724$a79d03a0$8b629986@jamesj.remote.mun.ca>
Source record: 174739

For Sale, a Swan 350 HF Rig with powre supply. This radio covers the
following bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, & 10. It is SSB only with ~150 Watts
output.
Asking $250 o.n.o.

Please foward any questions to jamesj@plato.ucs.mun.ca

4149. Re: Sherwood and Drake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb6wcw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970523032200.XAA28795@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174740

Sherwood Web Site is: HTTP://www.sherweng.com/

E-Mail: Robert@sherweng.com

73's

Bill WB6WCW@aol.com

4150. KDK Mic Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: snakpit@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970523033101.XAA29555@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174741

I am looking for a KDK DM-T11 mic. It works with the KDK FM 2025 and
other
similar KDK fm's.

Tnx for any information anyone has about where to find one of these mics.

73
Snakpit@aol.com

4151. Re: Have you modified your Icom ic2sat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3385189d.2317488@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 174742

On Tue, 20 May 1997 17:21:37 GMT, Jon Dickason
<dickason@dickason-pc.eng.mc.xerox.com> wrote:

>
>I recently attempted to modify my Icom IC2SAT following instructions I've seen
>posted on the net. I got the diode from Icom and was ready to install it.
>According to the plan, I should have an empty spot for it right next to an IC.
>Well, I already have a diode next to my IC,but there is any empty spot to the
>right of that one, so that's were I put the diode. The CPU seemed to lock up
>and I couldn't transmit on any frequency, even 144-148. I took the diode out
>and was back to the regular transmit range.
>
>The other part of the mod mentions a non-surface mount diode on a separate
>circuit board for the ptt switch. I don't seem to have a diode here, but the
>docs also say these are sometimes left out at the factory.
>
>If anyone has done this mod, please contact me and tell me what I'm doing
>wrong. Thanks.
>
>jon_dickason@wb.xerox.com
>
depending on the 2SAT some you had to remove a diode and reinstall the
out of band diode. seems you may have one of these units.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

4152. FS: DX-40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6730$2fa588c0$955ab5cf@wfairclo.netcom.ca>
Source record: 174743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Heathkit DX-40 transmitter for sale $50.00 (US) plus shipping. All original, no mods, has all knobs, meter, etc. Front panel an 8.5 - 9.0, cabinet has been repainted not great but then not bad. Missing xtal cover panel on rear. Works fine.

Will also consider trade for D-104 mic with a 2-prong Amphenol connector.

Thanks for reading.

--
Walter Fairclough
Manotick, Ontario
wfairclo@netcom.ca

4153. TH-78A keypress combinations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian D. Sarka" <bsarka@coastlink.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6733$f79a2a40$9ed52399@asgard>
Source record: 174744

Do you happen to know what the mr+ptt+power (MRMODE) and call+ptt+power (VMCON/CALLSW toggle) combinations are about?
Or perhaps you know where I might find a listing of all the X+X+Power combos?

bsarka@msn.com

4154. Re: TenTec Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: brosh@matnet.com
Message-ID: <864372165.26236@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174745

In article <19970521030100.XAA11449@ladder02.news.aol.com>,
cfree36675@aol.com (CFree36675) wrote:
>
> Does anyone have any comments (good or bad) on the 2 meter to 6 meter
> transverter that TENTEC sells. Looks like a good way to move into 6 meter
> FM and the price is not too bad. Let me know.
>
> 73's
> Chuck
> WD0ASJ
hello Chuck and everyone else-a friend of mine built the 2 to 6
transverter and has had good luck with it-they are good perfomers
and
well engineered, and take about 8 hours to build, + or - depending
on
your skill level. I built the 20 to 6 transverter and have found it
to
be an excellent performer also, and will handle accidental 100 watt
inputs
(oops!!) with nothing more than cooked resistors in the attenuator
pad.
By the way, I chose the 20 to 6 unit so I could work 52.525 FM with
my
"opened" FT900 (16.525mhz) as well as the usual lower band SSB,
although TenTech doesn't recomend using the unit above 52 Mhz.
73's de Chris WL7PV

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4155. HELP Heath IM102 DMM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: d888888@juno.com
Message-ID: <5m319e$cc0@tracy.protocom.com>
Source record: 174746

Hi,

I need a schematic and calibration instructions for the Heath IM 102
DMM. WOuld be happy to pay copying and mailing costs.

THanks in advance,

Bob

4156. Yaesu FT840 frequency change

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Brandao <l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.970523093934.25261A-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 174747

Hi
Does anyone knows how to change the Yaesu FT840 freq range from
14000KHz-14500KHz (trasmiting) to 14000KHz-14300KHz?
The same for other bands 7000-7500 -> 7040-7100...

Thank you very much, Andre Brandao,

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* *
* Andre Brandao *
* E-mail: l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt *
* *
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4157. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris.muriel@analog.com
Message-ID: <33855011.919060@news>
Source record: 174748

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>>
>> Better take heed, Charlie. The last guy (Ted Nutcase) who badmouthed
>> HRO here nearly got sued.
>> --
>> 73,
>> Butch
>
>Oh please, you have to be kidding. I will say anything I please.
>Anyone can "nearly" sue anyone else for anything. That was a silly
>thing to say Butch.
Well I used the Salem,NH store about 6 times iver the last 10 years.
It's a regular stop-off for me on my occasional (work-related) trips
to Boston.
I've never noticed any discourtesy whatsoever there.
Any queries have also been answered to my satisfaction.
Chris Muriel (G3ZDM) ,Manchester,England.

4158. WTB Desktop Rack-Cabinet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6766$ea08c660$216974cf@default>
Source record: 174749

I am looking for a rack about 4-6 inches tall to house microwave
equipment.Handles on the sides would be nice to have

Mike WB2GLW

4159. WTB: Icom IC-2SRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: flickx@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5m3tj2$832@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174750

I'm looking for an Icom IC-2SRA 2M unit.
Can anyone help me?

4160. Re: FS 14.4 modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marvin Moss <mmoss@gelac.mar.lmco.com>
Message-ID: <338584E2.9FC@gelac.mar.lmco.com>
Source record: 174751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Chris McSorley wrote:
>
> Butch Magee wrote:
> >
> > U.S. Robotics 14.4 Sportster fax modem. As new 65.00 shipped CONUS.
> >
> > Butch KF5DE
>
> These are running about $30 new in stores, fyi.(yes, USR)

And Computer City just had a special on 33.6 internal modems for $45

4161. FS. Kenwood TS-850 SAT w/SP-31 MINT MINT !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tony@shore.net
Message-ID: <5m3umg$k07@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 174752

Hello,
I am selling my Kenwood TS-850 SAT. It has never left
my shack and is used very little.
In mint condition, with matching sp-31 speaker and stock filters.
First $1,050 FIRM takes it, you pay shipping.

Contact
Tony Penta WA1MWN

617-248-3957 days
617-334-5770 eves

tony@shore.net

4162. KB6KQ miniloop? Where can I get one????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <5m41ok$2fi8$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 174753

Help!!
Newbie rover station needs miniloop antennas for 2m / 70cm
for the June VHF contest..
Where can I find them?
How much are they?

Jason N1RWY
n1rwy@amsat.org

4163. Any advice re: 10m rigs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: markf@col.hp.com
Message-ID: <5m42f6$n60$1@nonews.col.hp.com>
Source record: 174754

From those who have used/owned any of the 10m monoband xcvrs, have you
any recommendations for what's a good one to buy new/used?

I think I am interested in SSB + CW only... (ie, FM not necessary).

I'd appreciate some advice!

-Mark K0EX
markf@col.hp.com

4164. Re: ICOM JAPAN SLOW??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: vsn@ic.ac.uk
Message-ID: <5m435i$mb2@deimos.ee.ic.ac.uk>
Source record: 174755

Damien Vale <Damien.Vale@airservices.gov.au> writes:
>
>Is anyone having problems getting new gear from Icom Japan? I ordered
>an IC-775DSP in late February from a local dealer and I'm still
>waiting delivery.

A dealer told me that they won't be able to get any IC-W32's until
September 97!

--
Vartan

4165. PL Reeds For Micor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsartori@paxton.IShub.COM
Message-ID: <A077853301102600@c2smtp.ishub.com>
Source record: 174756

Does Anyone have any Micor PL reeds? I need 5A?

Joe Sartori
WB3IUT
JSARTORI@PAXTON.ISHUB.COM

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4166. Re: FT-50 Mods Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Szpyrka <wb8tif@cris.com>
Message-ID: <338594BF.4F2F@cris.com>
Source record: 174757

guest@guest.edu wrote:
>
> Is there any mods for this radio. Any info will be appreciated.
>
> Robert Cooter
All the mods for the FT-50 are located at
http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
enjoy
73 WB8TIF
--
Rick Szpyrka WB8TIF
Bloomfield Hills, MI USA
Email: wb8tif@cris.com or wb8tif@amsat.org
URL: http://www.concentric.net/~wb8tif

4167. Re: Any advice re: 10m rigs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5m44rg$7lr@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 174758

In article <5m42f6$n60$1@nonews.col.hp.com>, markf@col.hp.com says...
>
>From those who have used/owned any of the 10m monoband xcvrs, have you
>any recommendations for what's a good one to buy new/used?
>I think I am interested in SSB + CW only... (ie, FM not necessary).

The Radio Shack HTX-100 is a good performer, and cheap on the used gear market (typically $100 to $125). It works SSB and CW, puts out 25 Watts PEP, and performs generally well.

The Uniden HR-2510 and HR-2600 are also good performers which have AM and FM in addition to SSB and CW, but they usually sell for $175 to $225 on the used gear market, and they do not perform any better than the HTX-100 (the circuitry is remarkably similar, in fact).

There are other 10m rigs on the market, all priced much higher.

73,
Dean K5DH

4168. TRADE -- FT-243 and similar xtals, 80/40/30/20m freqs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5m44g8$7lr@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 174759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the following crystals FOR TRADE ONLY:

FT-243 holders: (these are FUNDAMENTAL crystals, not overtone!)

7156, 10105, 10130, 10140, 14060, 14125

Note that the 14060 is NOT a 7030 crystal doubled!!!!!

Fit FT-243 sockets, but larger holders similar to CR-1A:

1810, 1812, 1815, 1817, 1820, 1845, 1860, 1870, 1990

3/4" pin spacing, larger pins than FT-243 (like CR-1A pins):

3560, 7038.88

I will TRADE these crystals, one-for-one, for FT-243 and similar
crystals on 80m and 40m CW frequencies (3500-3725 and 7000-7150).
I will NOT sell them! They came from an estate, and I promised
the executor that I would not re-sell them, only trade them, and
I intend to keep that promise.

73,
Dean K5DH

4169. WTB: TS-850S service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb7et@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <338562bf.3812130@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 174760

I'd like to buy a service manual for the TS-850S.
Please email details. Thanks and 73, Jim, KB7ET

4170. TRADE -- FT-243 and similar xtals, 80/40/30/20m freqs -- UPDATED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5m496q$gns@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 174761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the following crystals FOR TRADE ONLY: updated 05/23 - 09:15

FT-243 holders: (these are FUNDAMENTAL crystals, not overtone!)

7156, 10105, 10140, 14125

Fit FT-243 sockets, but larger holders similar to CR-1A:

1810, 1812, 1815, 1817, 1820, 1845, 1860, 1870, 1990

3/4" pin spacing, larger pins than FT-243 (like CR-1A pins):

3560, 7038.88

I will TRADE these crystals, one-for-one, for FT-243 and similar
crystals on 80m and 40m CW frequencies (3500-3725 and 7000-7150).
I will NOT sell them! They came from an estate, and I promised
the executor that I would not re-sell them, only trade them, and
I intend to keep that promise.

73,
Dean K5DH

4171. Re: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing ADI AT-600.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <3385aa1d.2300437@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 21 May 1997 21:44:38 GMT, wdr@world.std.com wrote:

>> >>>Why do you ask? Do you hold MARS or CAP authorizations?

>> >How are YOU being harmed by people who transmit out of band? How is

>> Because of lawbreakers like that, we have a ban on 10m amplifiers. Because

>I'll agree lawbreakers should be thrown in jail or

what's problem with this statement ? you are giving the authority
absolute control !! watch out !!

>The more relevant one to Hams is building transverters to bands one is
>licensed on. Wide open from 100-200 and 400-500 gives rather more
>flexibility in picking up-converter LO frequencies than that which
>is required of matching the narrow range of a type-accepted transceiver.

agreed.

>73 de N1VUX
> BPL with Tech-No-Code

I don't have the code too !! don't take code test. it's a waste of
time. it will be GONE !!!!!

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4172. WTB MFJ259 ant analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3385D5B5.50FD@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174763

If you have one please email me with price and condition. Chris

4173. ICOM 2000 memory question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5m4cthspt1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 174764

Perhaps someone has run across this problem. I cannot seem to locate my manual. Somehow, I hit a certain combination of buttons and now I cannot access about 25 memories. Most of these memories are skipped, but some are not (CHS ON). The display shows the letters 'AO' in the upper right. Any ideas?

Of course, I will find the manual right after I see an answer.

-- Best
Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4174. Re: Yaseu FT920 VS. Icom 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edwin Roos <edroos.nosp@deltanet.com>
Message-ID: <3385C4E9.62EF@deltanet.com>
Source record: 174765

Geoff, I have had my FT-920 for six days now and I do not get the noise
you described with the noise blanker turned on. I wonder if it is a
problem only with that unit. Ed R. KC6ZHY

Geoff Brown wrote:
>
> Lou Roppoli wrote:
> >
> > I'm considering purchasing one of these two rigs...Anyone have any info for
> > me!!!
> > I know the Icom is more money but the Yaseu seems to have a lot of
> > features.
> >
> > What about Quality....
>
> FT920 info on our www pages.
> I personally think it's better and cheaper than the 756 even thou it is
> Audio DSP.
> GREAT RADIO!......running one here.
> Geoff
> http://user.itl.net/~equinox/ft920.html

4175. REPEATER MAILING LIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Major Domo Daemon <majordom@jerrys.rogerswave.ca>
Message-ID: <5m4h6p$4hr@news.bc>
Source record: 174766

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**************************
* REPEATER Mailing List *
**************************

This is a mailing list for exchanging ideas and information about any
Repeater and Repeater Controllers (HAM or COMMERCIAL).

If your interested in Repeaters and/or Controllers and would like to
be added to the REPEATER Mailing List, send an email message to:

To: repeater-request@jerrys.rogerswave.ca
Subject: (leave this blank)

subscribe

***********************
* Posting a message *
***********************

To post a message for others to read simply send an email message to:

To: repeater@jerrys.rogerswave.ca
Subject: (put anything that you want here)

and here too. :-)
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4176. Web Ham Classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Bill <webmaster@cahaba.com>
Message-ID: <3385D59B.F74@cahaba.com>
Source record: 174767

The Birmingham Amateur Radio Club is pleased to host free radio classified advertising on the web. Made available in conjunction with the Web Explorer, this heavily-visited site gets results. You're cordially invited to join the thousands who already make this site a regular rest stop along the info super-highway.

http://bro.net/barc/forsale.html

4177. Kenwood DRU2 & RM1 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5m4him$2ss_002@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 174768

Hello!

I'm seeking the voice recording unit and remote control unit for the TS850/950 series. If you've got one you're not using and would like to sell, drop me an email!

Thanks for reading,

Patrick
WB9IQI

4178. Re: Tek 603 Manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Wall <d.wall@nunet.neu.edu>
Message-ID: <5m4kji$ddr@chaos.dac.neu.edu>
Source record: 174769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Matt, there really isn't much of a calibration for this monitor. Since the gain is usually adjusted for the application, the calibration basically consists of making sure that the amplifiers are capable of a certain gain factor (seems like it was something like 1 volt full screen deflection, hard to remember as I haven't done one for years), and low frequency square wave response of the amps. It's not a particularly sophisticated instrument, although typical Tek high quality, it was intended as a low frequency x-y monitor primarily for OEM use; hence the easily accessible gain adjustments. If the one you have is not working properly, it's not likely that calibration will correct the problem.

Don Wall

4179. Re: Tek 603 Manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Wall <d.wall@nunet.neu.edu>
Message-ID: <5m4kim$ddr@chaos.dac.neu.edu>
Source record: 174770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Matt, there really isn't much of a calibration for this monitor. Since the gain is usually adjusted for the application, the calibration basically consists of making sure that the amplifiers are capable of a certain gain factor (seems like it was something like 1 volt full screen deflection, hard to remember as I haven't done one for years), and low frequency square wave response of the amps. It's not a particularly sophisticated instrument, although typical Tek high quality, it was intended as a low frequency x-y monitor primarily for OEM use; hence the easily accessible gain adjustments. If the one you have is not working properly, it's not likely that calibration will correct the problem.

Don Wall

4180. Re: ICOM 2000 memory question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc67a3$8d09ef60$242a25a6@Scooter.cs.mci.com>
Source record: 174871

AO is Auto-Off. What do you mean by "cannot access"? Scan modes or using
the tuning knob?
Tried to send email but your address is not correct.

Thomas Schaefer <toms@inconnect.inconnect.com> wrote in article
<5m4cthspt1@news.inconnect.com>...
> Perhaps someone has run across this problem. I cannot seem to locate my
> manual. Somehow, I hit a certain combination of buttons and now I cannot
> access about 25 memories. Most of these memories are skipped, but some
are
> not (CHS ON). The display shows the letters 'AO' in the upper right. Any
> ideas?
>
> Of course, I will find the manual right after I see an answer.
>
> -- Best
> Regards,
>
> Tom Schaefer
> Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
>

4181. KB8UYZ RIG REVIEW PAGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dan Hicks, Jr" <dan@kb8uyz.com>
Message-ID: <3385D3B7.624F@kb8uyz.com>
Source record: 174872

May 23, 1997

The KB8UYZ Amateur Radio Page now has a Rig Review Page, which can be accessed at http://kb8uyz.com/newrig.htm. The current featured radio is the Icom 706-MKII, which we saw while in Dayton ... quite the radio!

Browse through the features, and then surf on over to KB8UYZ Amateur Radio, located at http://kb8uyz.com.

New rigs will be featured often, so visit again!

73's
Dan Hicks Jr
KB8UYZ
dan@kb8uyz.com

4182. Kenwood TS-60

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: phuggger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970523183901.OAA10618@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174873

Would the gentleman that had the ts-60 for sale please e-mail me again...
Your mail was accidently deleted before it was read

Thanks... Mike N0ZXG

4183. Mods Web site http://members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970523193700.PAA14978@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174874

Mods Web site http://members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher

4184. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc67a4$376080a0$242a25a6@Scooter.cs.mci.com>
Source record: 174875

> Selling ham gear to the unlicensed may not be illegal, but in my
> opinion is unethical. The retail establishment that does this is not
> interested in the amateur service, only in profits.
> Brian/N0iMD
>

Guess my wife shouldn't be able to buy me a radio for Xmas then?

4185. Carson Bandwidth in FM modulation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfEAnBDG.5II@netcom.com>
Source record: 174876

If you have an idea of what the Carson Bandwidth means in FM transmission could you give me a quick rundown or a reference?

Thanx,

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

4186. Need mod for Icom 281H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin McEvoy <mcevoy@smrn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc67b7$8a8cf160$0eded3cf@default>
Source record: 174877

Hello,

I am looking for a mod for the ICom 281H that will allow you to transmit
out of band. I then can use it for ham radio and for emergency services,
since I am a Police Officer. Any help would be appreciaited.

Kevin McEvoy
KO6MX
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Kevin McEvoy
San Bruno Police Dept.
Dept Email: mcevoy@smrn.com
Dept Home Page: http://www.ci.sanbruno.ca.us

4187. Re: Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <ssable@tdi.net>
Message-ID: <3385F11F.5058E981@tdi.net>
Source record: 174878

dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY wrote:

> On Tue, 20 May 1997 17:09:37 GMT, jrhodes@iti2.net (John Rhodes)
> wrote:
>
> >A friend told me about a problem with the Kenwood V7A microphone and
> >said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks
> >up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had
> >this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just
> >ordered the V7A from HRO Denver yesterday and none of the people
> there
> >had heard of any microphone problems or mods.
> >
> I haven't heard of it.
>
> Having no problems so far!
>
> Dave

Kenwood is aware of the problem. Your choice is to either send in the mike or ask the kit be sent to you for self repair. Perhaps by now the fix is already been done to the newer V7A's.
The mike problem only exit's here when the mike control is on. When it is shut off there is no problem. To test to see if yours is one of the one's that will go nut's just scan the 440 band where paging service's are and watch what happens when you hit on a service that send a series of DTMF tones. Mine when nuts playing a George Benson CD!
So far Kenwood has NOT sent me the kit and I raised holy hell with them at the Dayton Hamvention. I have been waiting for this kit for about 2 months now.
I sold a Kenwood 733 to get this rig and wish I had the 733 back now.

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It doesn't get any better than this!
ssable@tdi.net
http://www.tdi.net/ssable
N8NYU

4188. Re: 2m & 440 Coax Line loss 20 watts normal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Little <little@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <33860266.5901@ameritech.net>
Source record: 174879

tnic wrote:
>
> I just purchased some 9913 type cable. I put my power meter on the radio
> side and connect to an antenna. The power meter says its putting out 50
> watts on 2 meter and 35 watts on 440.
>
> Then I moved the power meter (inline) to the antenna side of the coax.
> So the antenna is between the end of the coax and the antenna.
>
> On that side of the connection the power meter only shows 30 watts on 2
> meter and 10 watts on 440.
>
> I am aware there is line loss but is this typical for a 100 foot run of
> 9913 flex coax?

On 2 meters, a 100' run should have about 1.5 dB loss, which would be
closer to 10 watts of loss instead of the 20 watts you are seeing.
Likewise on 70 cm the loss should be about 2.5 dB, or about 15 watts.

Do you have a good match so the meter is really seeing 50 ohms resistive
in both cases? What kind of antenna and could the power meter be
detuning the antenna if it is close proximity to the antenna when
making your second measurement?

By the way, the losses you are seeing are closer to one would expect
for RG-8 foam. If the connectors aren't properly installed they
could contribute additional loss in the form of reflected power.

73,
Todd
N9MWB

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Unsolicited business offers sent to my e-mail address will be considered
a request for me to proofread the offer and in turn reimburse me $500
for my time and effort for each offer received. Receipt of said e-mail
constitutes acceptance of this offer. Let dick@durbin.senate.gov
and senator@moseley-braun.senate.gov know what you think of e-mail SPAM.
Support the anti-Spam amendment, see http://www.cauce.org/

4189. Re: Sherwood and Drake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: NeilT@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3386267D.6157@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174880

WB6WCW wrote:
>
> Sherwood Web Site is: HTTP://www.sherweng.com/
>
> E-Mail: Robert@sherweng.com
>
> 73's
>
> Bill WB6WCW@aol.com
Thanks Bill! I'm on my way there! Neil KE2SV

4190. Re: 2m & 440 Coax Line loss 20 watts normal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5m53gc$a6j$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 174881

If you are experiencing high loss, you might want to check the SWR.
The higher the SWR, the higher the transmission line loss. ALso, the
ARRL Handbook has a chart of loss figures you might reference. Most of
the magazines show this as well. If you have a good match, losing 50
watts is what you would expect from R^8X, not 9913.

tnic (tnic@IDT.NET)
wrote:
: I just purchased some 9913 type cable. I put my power meter on the radio
: side and connect to an antenna. The power meter says its putting out 50
: watts on 2 meter and 35 watts on 440.
:
: Then I moved the power meter (inline) to the antenna side of the coax.
: So the antenna is between the end of the coax and the antenna.
:
: On that side of the connection the power meter only shows 30 watts on 2
: meter and 10 watts on 440.
:
: I am aware there is line loss but is this typical for a 100 foot run of
: 9913 flex coax?
:
: Thanks for your help!
:
: 73
:
: TNIC@IDT.NET

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Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4191. Kenwood V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John Bates, Jr." <kb0uy@iland.net>
Message-ID: <3385D0B8.6830@iland.net>
Source record: 174882

Is the Kenwood TM-V7A expanded receive as stated in the literature or is something done to make it greater.

Thanks

John kb0uy

4192. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wpaperman@msmail.his.tch.tmc.EDU
Message-ID: <199705232211.RAA20258@pan.bcm.tmc.edu>
Source record: 174883

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unsubscribe ham-equip wpaperman@msmail.his.tch.tmc.edu
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4193. 2m & 440 Coax Line loss 20 watts normal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5m4pae$ev2@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 174884

I just purchased some 9913 type cable. I put my power meter on the radio side and connect to an antenna. The power meter says its putting out 50 watts on 2 meter and 35 watts on 440.

Then I moved the power meter (inline) to the antenna side of the coax. So the antenna is between the end of the coax and the antenna.

On that side of the connection the power meter only shows 30 watts on 2 meter and 10 watts on 440.

I am aware there is line loss but is this typical for a 100 foot run of 9913 flex coax?

Thanks for your help!

73

TNIC@IDT.NET

4194. FS"3KW Antenna Tuner"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <3385E9D8.41A9@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174885

For Sale:

I have in VERY GOOD COND. A high quality Antenna Tuner.
Vectronics Antenna Tuner model HFT-1500. Tunes 1.8 to 30
MHz continuous. Made in Canada. This co. also makes the
3 KW Tucker Antenna tunner, Is the same as the Tucker T-3000.

This is a 3 KW antenna tuner with 3 KW "Cross-Needle" Watt
meter, Peak reading bar-graph 21 segment display. 28 uH
Deirin roller coil. Has Balun, 1 input and 4 outputs. Has
bypass for all antenns. Will take Coax, Open Wire or Bal-Line.

This tuner sold new for $350.00 and I will sell and
ship for $225.00.

Thank You,
Boyd
N6DMF

Replt to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4195. HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "CHARLES M. FRANCER" <francer@usa1.com>
Message-ID: <01bc67c7$c6da9d60$75e1f9cc@default>
Source record: 174886

I have been doing business with this firm for the last three years. I visit and call the Salem, NH store. I always receive service by knowledgeable staff people. I have been treated fairly at all times.

Charles Francer N1RPD

4196. Re: Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m57l3$n6o$1@news13.gte.net>
Source record: 174887

On Fri, 23 May 1997 16:33:51 -0400, Steve <ssable@tdi.net> wrote:

>dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY wrote:
>
>> On Tue, 20 May 1997 17:09:37 GMT, jrhodes@iti2.net (John Rhodes)
>> wrote:
>>
>> >A friend told me about a problem with the Kenwood V7A microphone and
>> >said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks
>> >up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had
>> >this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just
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>> >had heard of any microphone problems or mods.
>> >
>> I haven't heard of it.
>>
>> Having no problems so far!
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>> Dave
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>mike or ask the kit be sent to you for self repair. Perhaps by now the
>fix is already been done to the newer V7A's.
>The mike problem only exit's here when the mike control is on. When it
>is shut off there is no problem. To test to see if yours is one of the
>one's that will go nut's just scan the 440 band where paging service's
>are and watch what happens when you hit on a service that send a series
>of DTMF tones. Mine when nuts playing a George Benson CD!
>So far Kenwood has NOT sent me the kit and I raised holy hell with them
>at the Dayton Hamvention. I have been waiting for this kit for about 2
>months now.
>I sold a Kenwood 733 to get this rig and wish I had the 733 back now.
>
>--
> It doesn't get any better than this!
> ssable@tdi.net
> http://www.tdi.net/ssable
> N8NYU
>
I'll be willing to buy your V7A if the price is right!

Dave
dgsholar@gte.net

4197. Looking 4 cheap UHF rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc7ljq@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <864430703.1268@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello All,

I am looking for an older UHF radio that I can use for an autopatch I am trying to throw together. It dosen't need to be fancy, and could even be on "the rocks". I can't throw a lot of money into this, so hence I am looking for older equipment. Any help would be great!

Thanks,
Adam / kc7ljq@hotmail.com

----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4198. FS: Kenwood TM-3530A 220MHZ mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970523230400.TAA01691@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174889

I have in excellent condition a Kenwood TM-3530A 220mhz mobile .
Comes with the manual, mobile bracket, hand microphone and the tone board
I want $325 plus shipping and can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve
Lakeville, Ma.

4199. Icom mod. info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Hwang <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <33863173.54@netcom.ca>
Source record: 174890

I am trying to find info. on modifications for IC-765 HF rig.
Anyone can give me some pointers where I might find
such informations?
TIA
Tony, VE6CGX

4200. FS: Yaesu FT-470 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc67c3$138813e0$1578d4cd@admin>
Source record: 174891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello and thanks for reading this....I have the following items available
for sale.

Yaesu FT470 DualBand Handheld Radio
w/ Rubber Flex Antenna
FBA-9 AAA Battery Case
PA-6 DC Car Adaptor/Charger
FNB-17 NiCd Battery Pack-(Bad)
NC-280 NiCd Battery wallwart (sp?) charger
Leatherette Carrying Case

Asking $250....If you are interested I can be contacted at kelchr@bright.net

4201. for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: troncoso@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33863413.1315@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174892

satellite receiver monterrey 95 look like new only 1 1/2 year old
please call 508 682 4001 or mail me at troncoso@worldnet.att.net
price $1,000.00, stereo and surraund sound

4202. Re: Icom ic-R1 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5m53km$a6j$2@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 174893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Has anyone tried this radio on HF? Boy, does it stink. I could not make out any signals, only noise (SSb was active). I was at a Scoutarama event and we used the same antenna the HF radios were hearing just fine with.

msanford (msanford@neo.lrun.com)
wrote: : : Need information on modifications for ic-r1 receivers. Any
: response would be appreciated.
: Thanks and 73 Kf8ky
:

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Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4203. ICOM Filters for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5m5d34$p44$2@news1.voicenet.com>
Source record: 174894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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ICOM filter

New in box, never been soldered into a radio
FL-83 10.7491mhz IF CW narrow filter $60 shipped cont u.s.

Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com
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4204. Re: ***HELP--IS THERE SUCH AN ELECTRONIC DEVICE***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Harrison <tomh@tyecin.com>
Message-ID: <3385FA6D.282C@tyecin.com>
Source record: 174895

Pat Maloney wrote:
>
> I do not know if such a device exists but I am looking for a device
> that works through the AC wiring and when a button is pushed it makes
> a momentary contact and causes a motor to start. The device and push
> button are 350 feet apart. As I said I do not know if there is such
> a thing. I could not locate it. If you can help me with my problem
> please email me at
>
> maloney@whidbey.com

They are known as X-10 home automation products. There is a web page
at http://www.techmall.com/smarthome/x10textmap.html

You can also get a free catalog by emailing catalog@smarthome.com or
call
800-SMART-HOME (800-762-7846). **Be sure to include your full name and
complete
mailing address.

Tom Harrison

4205. Tubes and Test equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@emodus.com
Message-ID: <33864a9f.1@news.cyberannex.com>
Source record: 174896

If you are interested in purchasing ELECTRON TUBES (both new and/or used),
various ANTIQUE RADIO COMPONENTS or ELECTRONIC TEST EQUIPMENT,
please see:
www.emodus.com

Special: TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned,
calibrated, 120 day warranty shipping free in the USA, $465.00 each!

JAN 6186W, equal to 6AG5WA, sharp cut-off pentodes 7 pin miniature
made by Philips in the USA 1986, NOS, individual boxes, 8000 available,
$0.10 each, shipping in the USA: 1 to to 199 $3.00, 200 or more shipping free!

Thank you! Dealer inquiries welcome!

4206. Johnson CB Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrv <jvaldes@whoi.edu>
Message-ID: <33860B8C.B907FA2A@whoi.edu>
Source record: 174897

I have a Johnson SSB CB Xcvr which I would like to convert to either 10 or 6 meters. I am looking for a schematic diagram. or any other information on the transceiver. It is a model 4740, and looks to be reasonably well built.

Thanks, Jim WA1GPO

4207. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Hansen" <hansen@ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <3385E958.249D@ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 174898

morel grunberg wrote:
>
> I'm looking for more info and impressions
> on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
> transceiver. For those who already saw it
> at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?
>
> Any reply will be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Morel, 4X1AD

I saw it at Dayton and was favorably impressed with the approach taken. However, given the environment in which it was being displayed, it was impossible to determine whether the receiver was any good or not. I'd say this is true for any equipment being shown there. They did seem to have a better antenna hooked up to it than was hooked up to Winradio or the Ten-Tec computer shortwave receiver, but still I wouldn't want to make a judgement based on it.

It is an interesting question as to whether this is the direction HF will take. They have a very nice spectrum scope on it and there are a number of things you can do under computer control that you can't do with a stand alone radio. However, I do miss twiddling the knobs. It will be interesting to see how this blossoms in the coming years.

John WA0PTV

4208. WTB: Matched pair of Micor or Mocom-70 radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc678c$a01d7a20$5c4e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 174899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for a matched pair of Motorola Micor or Mocom-70 radios, both with working transmitters and receivers. I'm looking to replace the existing equipment in my club's repeater with some higher-powered equipment that would provide us with both security and redundancy.

Please email me if you have any radios to sell. We're looking to extend the coverage of our current VHF repeater, so our main interest is in radios with > 50 watts output power.

Thanks!

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

4209. Motorola P200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Nicholson <csnichol@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <33858E3B.7C2D@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 174900

I have recently aquired some Motorola P200 UHF radios. I would
like to move these to the ham band. So far I have found schematics
for the PC interface so I am half way there. As usual anonymous help
would be appreciated.
73 N9LLO

4210. HW-7 Schematic Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Gass KB4UG <bgass@greene.xtn.net>
Message-ID: <3385E956.2217@greene.xtn.net>
Source record: 174901

Anyone out there able to provide a copy of one? Will reimburse costs.

Bob KB4UG

4211. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wpaperman@msmail.his.tch.tmc.EDU
Message-ID: <199705232206.RAA20194@pan.bcm.tmc.edu>
Source record: 174902

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unsubscribe wpaperman@msmail.his.tch.tmc.edu
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4212. FS: Diamond Triplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970523000301.UAA03716@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174903

I have a Diamond triplexer for sale model (MX-324) 2 meters, 220, 440 with the leads bulit-in. I will ship it for $65 and its in excellent condition. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve / Lakeville, Ma.

4213. WTB: Solar Pannel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Starman <starman@mtco.com>
Message-ID: <338615BC.3A9B@mtco.com>
Source record: 174904

I am looking for a source of solar pannels to use to charge a battery in my radio shack.

Thanks,

Steve WA9FDZ

starman@mtco.com

4214. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org
Message-ID: <5m55tupdk1@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 174905

On Wed, 14 May 1997 12:01:04 +0000, Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:
>In my opinion, this is the best solution: The ARRL push for two pieces
>of FCC legislation:
>
>1) Only licensed Hams can sell Ham Radio transmitters. Along with a
>penalty to any individual or business who violates this. (It's a lot
>easier to fine a business or individual, than it is to stop an illegal
>from broadcasting).
>

OK, so what do you do when the widow/widower of an SK wants to sell
off the equipment? Or, when somebody cleans out the basement, and
decides to get rid of all of that "radio stuff" that Grandpa left there?

You're trying to put all of the responsibility on the seller. How about
letting people make their own decisions, and prosecuting those people
who *use* the equipment illegally? In case you haven't noticed, we're
not (supposedly) operating under the Napoleonic legal system here in the
U.S.

Of course, I never would have gotten into amateur radio unless I had
access to the old Swan rig that I bought from a local ham. Amazingly
enough, I was even responsible enough not to transmit with it until
I had an appropriate license. Why assume the worst about people, until
they prove that they deserve the reputation?

- Rich

--
Rich Mulvey
mulveyr@frontiernet.net Rochester, NY USA
http://www.frontiernet.net/~mulveyr
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@amsat.org, aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

4215. CERAMIC PLANAR TRIODE INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: drussell@idirect.com
Message-ID: <338501EB.1D5A@idirect.com>
Source record: 174906

I am looking for engineering data (ie characteristic data, application notes, mechanical drawings, anechdotes, etc, etc.) for the familly of ceramic planar triodes manufactured by GE.

Example part #'s: 7296, 7462, 7588, 7625, 8081, 8082, 8083

Any help with this will be appreciated !

Thanks in advance.

73,

David Russell, VE3 VDO
drussell@idirect.com

4216. wanted schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken cubilo <kcubilo@freeway.net>
Message-ID: <3386E69A.637A@freeway.net>
Source record: 174572

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can anyone help me out with a schematic for a heath dx40 and hw16
tks ken we8w
kcubilo@freeway.net
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4217. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3386E650.4936@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174573

morel grunberg wrote:
>
> I'm looking for more info and impressions
> on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
> transceiver. For those who already saw it
> at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?
>
> Any reply will be appreciated.
>
> 73 de Morel, 4X1AD

Have you seen the Kachina WWW Page at URL:
New 505DSP HF Amateur Transceiver
Kachina Communications
http://www.kachina-az.com/

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4218. L4B Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970524131901.JAA20539@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174574

We are looking for an on-off switch for the L4B.

Anyone know where we might find one?

Pls email me direct at:

KK4TL@AOL.COM

Thanx.

4219. Re: ICOM 2000 memory question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5m6ot5end1@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 174575

In article <5m4cthspt1@news.inconnect.com>, toms@inconnect.inconnect.com (Thomas Schaefer) wrote:
>Perhaps someone has run across this problem. I cannot seem to locate my
>manual. Somehow, I hit a certain combination of buttons and now I cannot
>access about 25 memories. Most of these memories are skipped, but some are
>not (CHS ON). The display shows the letters 'AO' in the upper right. Any
>ideas?

AO is the auto power off feature. To turn it off turn the rig off. Push SET while turning the rig ON. Push SET several times to get to the AO menu. Rotate tuning dial to turn off. Then hit the DUPE keyy to exit mode. For the memory problem sounds like you have memory skip turned on. To turn off do the same thing as above but turn the tuning dial until CHS displays CHS-OF. Hit DUPE when done.

>Of course, I will find the manual right after I see an answer.

Naturally!

> -- Best
>Regards,
>
>Tom Schaefer
>Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

73 de Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

4220. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5m5lru$ks8@snews1.zippo.com>
Source record: 174576

wf3h@enter.netxx wrote:
>is there any hazard in running the drake l4b in CW with the switches
>set in 'SSB'? some folks say that this setup was designed when the fcc
>specified INPUT not output power. others say it will damage something,
>but the amp uses 2 3-500z's which take alot of abuse...any thoughts?
>thanks all...
>

I'm not familiar with the specifics of the Drake amp, but have used MANY amps thru the years. My comments will not attempt to respond to the internals of the Drake amp, but I WILL point out that it is virtually *POINTLESS* to do what you are suggesting if your purpose is to make any increases in your received signal that even BEGIN to be perceptible. The difference between 1 KW and 1.5 kw is a non-perceptible 1.5 db at BEST, and the only item of significance that will occur will be;

1. More wear and tear on your amp.
2. More heat in your shack.
3. Greater radius of TVi, BCI, and more angry neighbors.
4. Greater profit margin for your local power utility.

Do yourself a favor, and treat yourself, friends and neighbors, and your amp nicely, and they will all reward you with a much longer, kinder relationship!

--
Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
==========
Liberalism: The concept that those having more of anything
than you, are "wealthy", and morally required to share
that "wealth" with the less successful (you).
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Anyone proposing to rob Peter to pay Paul can count on
the support of Paul...
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4221. FS:Alinco DJ580T and Pro46 scanner.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pat Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6848$59089540$1001e8cc@pw>
Source record: 174577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Alinco DJ580T with rapid charger and extra battery.

Pro46 scanner.

Both in good condition with the normal wear of use. I have the boxes and
all accessories and manuals.

Make offers:

Pat Wilson
N5PW

4222. Re: Johnson CB Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3386F61A.229A@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 174578

jrv wrote:
>
> I have a Johnson SSB CB Xcvr which I would like to convert to either 10
> or 6 meters. I am looking for a schematic diagram. or any other
> information on the transceiver. It is a model 4740, and looks to be
> reasonably well built.
>
> Thanks, Jim WA1GPO

Hi, Jim. I looked into this conversion a few years ago (still have the 4740). I couldn't find any way of doing it short of making up a separate IF board. I don't remember the details, but changing the reference oscillator crystal also changed the IF frequencies in a very bad way. Unfortunately, I don't have the schematic any longer (loaned it to a friend, he lost it). I've never seen a radio set up the way the 4740 was designed. Too bad, because the transmit audio is superb. The receiver and the popping squelch were aggravating, though.

Ed Cregger
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

4223. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: i4086@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970524142201.KAA26663@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174579

Never been wronged by them, class outfit.

73,
KC7WDV
73

4224. FS TS-60 Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bert - ns4w <ns4w@tdsnet.com>
Message-ID: <3386EF1B.7518@tdsnet.com>
Source record: 174580

TS-60 Kenwood six meter all mode. Mint condition, mic,manuals,
powercord, boxes.

US$ 725 + shipping.

Note, I can deliver on Interstate 75 between Knoxville, TN & Cincinatti
or Interstate 64 from Lexington to AA highway. Also US 23 Portsmouth
to Columbus, Ohio.

Bert - NS4W
ns4w@tdsnet.com

4225. Re: Icom ic-R1 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3386ffd8.2810472@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 174581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 23 May 1997 21:53:26 GMT, toms@inconnect.inconnect.com (Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>Has anyone tried this radio on HF? Boy, does it stink. I could not
>make out any signals, only noise (SSb was active). I was at a
>Scoutarama event and we used the same antenna the HF radios were
>hearing just fine with.
>
>msanford (msanford@neo.lrun.com)
>wrote: : : Need information on modifications for ic-r1 receivers. Any
>: response would be appreciated.
>: Thanks and 73 Kf8ky
>:
>
>--
>Best Regards,
>
>Tom Schaefer
>Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
The IC-R1 does not have SSB as an operation mode. ONLY AM, FM, and Wide FM. No wonder it did not work on SSB, it is not capable of demodulating SSB.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

4226. Re: Kenwood V7A microphone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb9nvh@bluemarble.net
Message-ID: <864483658.25605@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174582

In article <3381d95c.607492842@news.zippo.com>,
jrhodes@iti2.net wrote:
>
> A friend told me about a problem with the Kenwood V7A microphone and
> said that Kenwood has a mod for it. The microphone apparently picks
> up outside signals and reprograms the radio. Has anybody else had
> this problem? Where can I get more information about it? I just
> ordered the V7A from HRO Denver yesterday and none of the people there
> had heard of any microphone problems or mods.

Mine seems to randomly change bands....had the radio on VHF when I went
to bed and woke up to UHF.....very strange...microphone control was ON

Does anyone know, is there a way to switch bands from the
microphone....(but not using the function keys on top ...like th PF key)

I would like to be able to do this using my HT remote from the radio and
my HT doesnt have a PF key....

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4227. FS: Yaesu FT470

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6851$b8a39820$1578d4cd@admin>
Source record: 174583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello and thanks for reading this. I have the following items available for sale.
Yaesu FT470 Dual Band Handheld Radio
W/ Rubber Flex Antenna
FBA-9 AAA Battery Case
PA-6 DC Car Adaptor/Charger
NC-280 NiCd Battery Wallwart charger
Leatherette carrying case
Original Box and Manual

$250 or best offer. I can be reached at kelchr@bright.net

4228. Watted: AEA ST-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rldiddams@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970524151200.LAA27277@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174584

Wanted AEA ST-1:
R. L. Diddams W7QHE
San Jose, CA
408-531-1283
email: RLDiddams@aol.com

4229. WTB ALPHA 89 OR 91

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970524161700.MAA01876@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174585

Must be mint

kh6fhx 520 749 9538

4230. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: subbustr@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <5m74ik$7bf@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 174586

EXPENSIVE stuff! $40lb quoted to
do my car..used 2 lbs..

Oak Harbor,WA
98277
subbustr@whidbey.net
de VE7-LFA/W7

4231. Re: How do you open Yaesu Battery Pack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdonimi@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970524172700.NAA06717@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174587

As I learned a few years ago on this very newsgroup, freeze the old battery overnight, then hit it with a rubber mallet. The cold breaks the glue bond and the case pops open. Worked OK for me.

Jeremy W7YG (ex WA7YGB)
jdonimi@aol.com

4232. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Gross <robtgross@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338723A4.3756@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174588

Charlie Charlie charlie, you know what really sucks, Right!!!!

4233. Re: AEA PK-900 @ 1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Leach <leach@mcmail.com>
Message-ID: <3386F9AA.2975@mcmail.com>
Source record: 174589

Walt N3JPR wrote:
>
> Help
> I just bought a 1000mp at dayton and I cannot get my PK-900
> interfaced,using the packet connection it works great but I can only use
> LSB,I called yaesu and they were of no help,I also work SSTV and need a
> way of transmitting on USB.
> Thanks
> Walt N3JPR
>
> --
> Walt
> Profota@concentric.net
Walt, there is an error on the ft1000mp manual../
Yaesu will fax you through a eratta sheet to explain the correct pin
outs
According to my corrected sheet the pins outs are as follows
Pin 1 data in
Pin 2 data out
Pin 3 Gnd
Pin 4 Busy
Pin 5 PTT

Hope this fixes the problem
73's Paul
GW4AMZ

4234. Re: HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <5m79ajrso2@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 174590

In article <01bc67c7$c6da9d60$75e1f9cc@default>, "CHARLES M. FRANCER" <francer@usa1.com> wrote:
>I have been doing business with this firm for the last three years. I visit
>and call the Salem, NH store. I always receive service by knowledgeable
>staff people. I have been treated fairly at all times.
>
>Charles Francer N1RPD

Same here. Bought a MFJ TNC/Mic switch box with the wrong board in it. They took it back and sent the right one no problem. They had to open the new boxes to make sure the unit had the right board in it. I have bought from that store several times now with no troubles at all and friendly service. I think with some stores you'll have your not so caring employee. Best to let them (the manager) know about such employees by the way. That is IF they were rude and unhelpful....

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio web site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

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4235. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <338720D0.2AB7@mindspring.com>
Source record: 174591

DavidE70 wrote:
>
> Geez, Charlie, you have a perfect right to vote with your pocketbook, but
> in HRO's defense, I've dealt with them a couple times and haven't
> experienced any of the problems you cite. The guys I've dealt with have
> been patient and helpful. I intend to continue to give them my business
> whenever I can.
>
> Dave KB0YSN
>
> >>Charlie wrote:
>
> >>Good morning,
> >>
> >>I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> >>Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...

Give it up Charlie. I have dealt with them for years and they have
always done just great by me.
--
Bill WA8INZ

4236. Batteries for old Alinco DJ-162 wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljubisic@EUnet.yu
Message-ID: <33882ef2.3542016@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 174592

Anybody has (or knows where I can get) EBP-10NA (7,2V/700 mAh) battery for old but still operating Alinco DJ-162TD, for sale? It doesn't have to be EBP-10NA, just any matching to above mentioned handheld which is 'compatible' with even older model DJ-160.

I would prefer new ones, however, used and in 'good shape' are also most welcome, as well as other accessories You may have for it.

Thank You very much in advance!

Slobodan, YT1RVS
<ljubisic@EUnet.yu>

4237. Kenwood DRU2 & RM1 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5m799n$15k_002@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 174593

Hi,

I'm looking for the digital recording unit and the remote contol for the
TS850/TS950 series. Got either or both you're not using? I'll buy....

Thanks for reading!

WB9IQI

4238. Re: Alinco DJ-560 Manual - Mods - Interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: gatton@gti.net
Message-ID: <5m7e2g$9i@gti.gti.net>
Source record: 174594
Cross-posted to: alt.2600.hackerz,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

phoenix_2600 (phoenix_2600@hotmail.com) wrote:
: HELP ME PLEASE

: I own an Alinco DJ-560 which is a pretty useful piece of equipment, now I
: want to know if anyone out there has a manual for this
: Scanning equipment if so drop me a reply on alt.radio.scanner.uk I will
: appriciate that.

: Now for those of you in alt.????hack???? who are wondering why I've posted
: this on your NG here it is,
: I need to know how to interface my scanner with the serial port on my
: machine
: purpose simply to monitor data transmissions on some channels which I have
: tracked down.

: I simply need the schematics or the theory between taking what we all know
: as data in an audio format and
: processing it into rs232 so that software such as terminal with abit of
: fiddling will be able to interpret what
: is flowing over this frequency.

theres some stuff at the l0pht but its substandard for multiipurpose
decoding/reception. i suggest going to the HOKA web pages for a more
well-suited bit of technology.
there are just too many variables involved here to make a 1 or 2
paragraph suggestion, such as computer type(and all the different
variables here), mode of communication, type of port from the radio, etc.
so be more specific and lets see what kinda damage we can create.

: All replys post to alt.radio.scanner.uk thank all in advance

: Phoenix Ashes

4239. Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter A. Forkes" <pforkes@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <33874237.7E89@pobox.com>
Source record: 174595
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
What can you suggest?
Peter

4240. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <338721E8.6F18@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174596

> jjm@shore.net wrote:

> > <<<several things were cut out>>>

> > You are asking amateur radio dealers to become policmen then?
> > It's
> > not up to dealers to determine or to enforce any rules on who can and
> > cannot operate transmitting equipment. And, not all hams carry copies
> > of their amateur licenses when they go into retail establishments...do
> > you refuse to sell to them? This is bucket 'o worms material.

If I were to walk into a Ham Radio Store and didn't have my Ham License with me, my Driver's License says who I am and where I live. If I tell the sales person I'm KF6JHG, the call sign database will show a match with my name and address. Thus, that's the proof that I have a license.

> > Also, not ALL illegal transmissions are caused by unlicensed
> > operators. I'd venture to say the vast majority of illegal
> > transmissions are caused by licensed individuals or groups. Either
> > for some political agenda, personal vendetta or the like. With more
> > and more folks getting into the hobby we are going have a wider
> > diversity of personalities -- good and bad. MORE - this means of both
> > types - hence a greater number of infractions.

I know of no study saying who the jammers are. It's likely we'd find that some have a license and some do not. However unless one has something, like case studies, one can't say that the majority are licensed or not.

The only real solution is for the FCC to crack down on all the jammers and drag them into court. However with all the Federal cuts in spending, that isn't going to happen. If fact, many of the jammers know that and laugh at the people they're jamming, saying, "Ha Ha, you can't touch me!"

A Civil Lawsuit is possible, but the cost of doing it would exceed what several Ham Radio Clubs could afford. Even if they win, the award would never cover all the legal costs. :-(

> > We (as hams) don't really like this but for now there is not much we
> > can do about it except to remain self-policing and to do what it takes
> > - legally - to squelch these unhappy, psychologically challenged
> > persons.

Most of the the more experienced hams that I've talked to tell me to NEVER respond to the jammer. Pretend that you don't hear him. If need be, just end your conversation ("OK, great talking with you, 73s, KF6JHG clear.") and go off the air. If you must stay on the air, because it's a public service event, have another channel to switch to. Then say, "OK, we're all

going to the OTHER channel now." The jammer won't know what the other channel is.

I've heard other hams say, "self-policing of the bands"; however, I'm not sure what exactly that means. Is it just what I've listed above or is there something else than can be done?

I'd like to hear from others as to what self-policing would be.

> > This same topic seems to come up about every six months or so and has
> > been hash and rehashed. If you want to use analogies, etc. what about
> > someone with a Technician license? Not a Tech Plus mind you. Should
> > that person be prohibited from owning a piece HF equipment? They
> > don't have a license for it.... Should radios be manufactured for
> > each class of amateur license? So, when you upgrade your ticket you
> > have to upgrade your equipment also? If someone plans to become a
> > ham, why can't they have the transmitting equipment already in their
> > possession? There are a lot of things to think about. This truly can
> > be a bucket 'o worms.
> >
> > The ideas of this text are mine alone and in no way reflect the
> > opinions or policies of any company or companies I may contract with
> > or be employed by. Any editing of this text nullifies its context.
> >
> > Jim, WK1V
> > ex-KA5MWD, N1CLS, KB1LW, HL9ZF
> > ==
> > Jim, WK1V
> > jjm@shore.net
> > http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
> > ==

In an ideal world, anyone could purchase a transmitter, but only those with the proper license would ever transmit. The next best thing would be to have the FCC come down hard on every jammer. Neither is going to happen that way.

Right now it's easy for anyone to become a jammer. Just go to your local Radio Shack or Ham Store and buy equipment, no questions asked. Requiring some sort of proof of license for the purchase of ham transmitters (new or used) would make it harder for the un-licensed jammer to obtain their equipment. Not impossible, but harder.

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

4241. rg-8 coax specifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cruzz@aa.net
Message-ID: <864504560.674676@moon.aa.net>
Source record: 174597

I might have a deal that i cant pass up but need more information on rg-8 coax cable.
What i have a possibliity of buying is 2 500 foot rools of older radio shack large rg-8 coax still on the woden spools for a total of 1,000 feet.

I need to know what are the freqency limits of rg-8 coax and other limitations plus what this normally sells for since its parts number is discontinued?

james

4242. Re: rg-8 coax specifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <5m7j8eanu2@news.wco.com>
Source record: 174598

In article <864504560.674676@moon.aa.net>, cruzz@aa.net (james k) wrote:
>I might have a deal that i cant pass up but need more information on rg-8 coax
>cable.
>What i have a possibliity of buying is 2 500 foot rools of older radio shack
>large rg-8 coax still on the woden spools for a total of 1,000 feet.
>
>I need to know what are the freqency limits of rg-8 coax and other limitations
>plus what this normally sells for since its parts number is discontinued?
>
>james

Be advise, there are a great number of different types of RG 8 coax, with
such differences as stranded or solid center conductor, foam or solid
dielectric, various shield and jacket types, All combine to make different
characteristics.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
==========
Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

4243. Re: Swap Shops

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <3387512d.4547185@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 174599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 21 May 1997 08:29:36 -0500, Mark or Lou Roy
<markr@ESSLINK.COM> wrote:

>Does anyone know of urls for radio equipment classified pages where I
>can list equipment for sale, other than the newsgroups?
>Thanks
>Lou, KM1T
>markr@esslink.com

Yes, tons of them listed at:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamlynx/hambuy.htm

Enjoy!

4244. Re: Does Kenwood have a email address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adriaan <adpe1khp@pi.net>
Message-ID: <3387AFA3.123C@pi.net>
Source record: 174600

Carl Hodder wrote:
>
> Does Kenwood have an email address or 800 number?

Yes, and a site too, see my link page...

--
Cuagn, Adriaan
////
(o o)
--ooOO--(_)--OOoo--
VHF DX AmateurRadio Station PE1KHP JO22XE
Home site http://home.pi.net/~adpe1khp/home.htm
Packet Radio pe1khp@pi8apd.#gld.nld.eu

4245. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <338a571b.13189669@news.capital.net>
Source record: 174601

On Thu, 22 May 1997 21:35:07 -0700, Charlie Durand
<cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>>
>> Better take heed, Charlie. The last guy (Ted Nutcase) who badmouthed
>> HRO here nearly got sued.
>> --
>> 73,
>> Butch
>
>Oh please, you have to be kidding. I will say anything I please.
>Anyone can "nearly" sue anyone else for anything. That was a silly
>thing to say Butch.

Not any sillier than your tirade, Charlie. From all the posts I've
read on this subject, you seem to be a minority of one.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

4246. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: NeilT@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33877A81.7D61@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174602

Dave Schertzer wrote:
>
> EXPENSIVE stuff! $40lb quoted to
> do my car..used 2 lbs..
>
> Oak Harbor,WA
> 98277
> subbustr@whidbey.net
> de VE7-LFA/W7
I just put two cans in my Yaesu FT1000. The radio works better than
before but I have to wear an overcoat and ear muffs whenever I operate.
Neil KE2SV

4247. Need help with 901DM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Williams <daw@ac.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6883$f4acc8a0$24378acd@Pdaw>
Source record: 174603

I have a Yeasu 901DM with a problem that I haven't been able to locate. Receive is fine. On Xmit the rig makes a buzzing sound in the speaker and the display flickers. No output at all. I suspect 12 TX line. Has anyone had this problem with the 901?

Thanks much
Dave

4248. Icom 756 Twin passband ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338759C3.5CDA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174604

In the Icom Brochure they say the Twin Passband tuning is in two stages. This leads me to believe that one knob controls the 9 MHZ IF and the other knob controls the 455 KHZ IF stage. However, in the QST review the auther says that both passband tuning knobs only affect the 9 MHZ IF.Who is correct?

73,s Steven Hershman NS1R

4249. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338758E8.3352@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174605

Robert Gross wrote:
>
> Charlie Charlie charlie, you know what really sucks, Right!!!!
I have seen a great improvement in the customer service in the Salem New Hampshire Store. I want to support them so they don't fold up like many of the Ham stores have done. I have been one of the guys in this Newsgroup who attacked them in the past. However, I and several of my friends have seen a change of attitude to the customers and we have returned.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

4250. Need Icom 756 Reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33875A19.2CB0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174606

I would like the Icom 756 Reflector or newgroup info if one is out there
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

4251. RFI When Installing 2 meter moble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jocase@aol.com
Message-ID: <864509114.8664@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174607

I would like to install a 2 meter 70 cm Alinco radio in my 1994 Chevy Astro Van for a vacation trip.

Is their any problem with a 45 watt radio interfering with the car's computer and general electronics? Has anyone had experience with such an installation? I would want to use a mag mount as this will not be a permanent installation.

Any tips? Thanks!

jocase@aol.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4252. Re: ICOM 2000 memory question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert B. Zimmerman" <bobz@umich.edu>
Message-ID: <33875EB5.6E03@umich.edu>
Source record: 174608

Thomas Schaefer wrote:
>
> Perhaps someone has run across this problem. I cannot seem to locate my
> manual. Somehow, I hit a certain combination of buttons and now I cannot
> access about 25 memories. Most of these memories are skipped, but some are
> not (CHS ON). The display shows the letters 'AO' in the upper right. Any
> ideas?
>
> Of course, I will find the manual right after I see an answer.
>
> -- Best
> Regards,
>
> Tom Schaefer
> Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I
1 Select the desired memory channel:
-Push [M-CALL] then rotate the tunning dial to select .
2 Push [SET] one or more times intil "CHS" appears.
CHS -- ON or CHS -- OFF
3 Rotate the tunning dial to turn the skip function ON or OFF
on the selected channel.
4 Push [DUP] to exit set mode.
--

Bob Zimmerman - KC8CLB Diversity: The longer you verk here,
E-Mail: bobz@umich.edu deverse it gets.

4253. vertexs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hammer49@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <33875847.1989966@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 174609

fs 3 mobile ɪadios 4 ch 25 watts
200.00 each

4254. Pse info IC 751

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: nick <wj6pku@xnet.it>
Message-ID: <01bc6878$76db9ec0$09b9b8c2@wj6pku>
Source record: 174610

Please I need info about IC 751.
Send me the info for the connections to the interface whit PC
Thank you very much the Flavio

e-mail: litostil@xnet.it

4255. Please info Standard C 5200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: nick <wj6pku@xnet.it>
Message-ID: <01bc6879$f52c8b80$09b9b8c2@wj6pku>
Source record: 174611

Please I need info about connect the Standard dual band C 5200 at use
packet radio
at 9600 baudot
Thank you very much
best regards
de Flavio

e-mail: litostil@xnet.it

4256. Re: Heil Sound?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: badger@vbe.com
Message-ID: <5m7lv8$2bj@news.vbe.com>
Source record: 174612

lcval1@mail.netcon.net.au (Damien Vale) wrote:

>Can someone tell me if Heil Sound have an e-mail address? I have been
>trying to send them a fax for the last couple of days but the call
>just rings out.

>Damien VK3RX

Check their web page at : http://www.heilsound.com

73 de Mike KB9QHU

4257. Re: Any advice re: 10m rigs??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com>
Message-ID: <33873615.6B61@dancris.com>
Source record: 174613

Mark Foster wrote:
>
> From those who have used/owned any of the 10m monoband xcvrs, have you
> any recommendations for what's a good one to buy new/used?
>
> I think I am interested in SSB + CW only... (ie, FM not necessary).
>
> I'd appreciate some advice!
>
> -Mark K0EX
> markf@col.hp.com

Hello Mark,

I bought a used Uniden HR-2510 3 years ago. It works AM,FM,CW and SSB.
It runs about 25 watts. Uniden makes a newer version of the HR-2510,
the HR-2600.

The Radio Shack HTX-100 (I think that's the model) is very close in
desing to the Uniden HR-2510.

Ranger is another popular rig, actually 2 rigs. One rig runs about 25
watts and the other runs 100 watts. There is about $300 difference in
the prices new.
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Best regards,

Mark Saunders -- KJ7BS
Glendale, Arizona

http://www.dancris.com/~tracker
tracker@dancris.com

KJ7BS@KC7Y.AZ.USA.NOAM

FISTS # 2972 QRP-L # 1028

4258. ## ICOM AH-2 ANTENNA TUNER - MANUAL NEED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dragans@eunet.yu
Message-ID: <5m7mpu$qm4$6@SOLAIR3.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 174614

Hi there,

I need a manual for Icom AH-2 antenna tuner. If anyone may help please
send me an e-mail.

Regards,

Dragan Stojanovic <> dragans@eunet.yu

4259. ALLIED A2516 Rcvr schematic/manual????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <3387623e.32017626@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 174615

I recently purchased an old Allied A2516 receiver. I could use the
schematic to get the thing going. Can anyone help me out with this.
I'd be more than happy to pay copy/ shipping or whatever.
Thanks very much....Dave
WB2TBB

4260. Re: How do you open Yaesu Battery Pack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Brown <r_brown@getonthe.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6892$20a92080$b7af32cf@r_brown.getonthe.net>
Source record: 174616

wb2k@access.digex.net wrote in article <864152022.26489@dejanews.com>...
> The battery pack (FNB-25) on my FT-530 died, so I picked up a replacement
> inset at Dayton. Trouble is I can't seem to figure out how to crack open
> the shell without sever damage.
>
> Does anyone know how to open the FNB-25 battery pack without destroying
> it?
>
> Any advice appreciated.

John, that's why they invented the Dremel Mototool! (smile) With that very thin cutoff wheel, and a bit of patience, you can cut durn near anything. Watch it when you do, polystyrene tends to heat up and flow very easily, so you'll have to cut a little bit, then break away what moves out of the slot with your finger, then cut a bit more. After you get done, you can use Testor's model cement to glue it back together, IF your cut seam is small.

Good luck!

Ray KB0STN

4261. TX MOD for V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wilma Cashman <abc@rose.net>
Message-ID: <33874C40.759C@rose.net>
Source record: 174617

Hi there, I was wondering if anybody knows the full TX MOD for the Kenwood TM-V7A. Thanks.

Ian, KF4AON

4262. Laptop for sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: amateur-radio@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970524.184118.7791.0.amateur-radio@juno.com>
Source record: 174618

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**********************************************************************
I have a LAPTOP for sale or trade for amateur radio gear:

Compaq LTE Elite 4/75CX 486dx4 75Mhz
9.5" color display
4Mb memory (expandable to 24Mb)
350Mb Hard Drive
1.44Mb Disk Drive (internal)
Built in Trackball Mouse
2 Pcmcia slots
scsi slot (in back)
built in power supply

send offers to: amateur-radio@juno.com

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4263. F.S. : W2A ICOM Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <3387700B.285C@whidbey.net>
Source record: 174619

I am selling my seldom used Icom W2A HT, with all it accessories.

These include:

Rapid Charger
Spare Battery
Spare Antenna
Radio Holster

All manuals and boxs.

John

4264. FS: 12v 20a Clegg power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6891$6ef30c20$d58aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 174620

12v 20a Clegg power supply $50 + shipping

--
Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com

4265. Re: Need help with 901DM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "George S. MacLauchlan" <geomac@tiac.net>
Message-ID: <338773E5.3ACA@tiac.net>
Source record: 174621

David Williams wrote:
>
> I have a Yeasu 901DM with a problem that I haven't been able to
> locate. Receive is fine. On Xmit the rig makes a buzzing sound in the
> speaker and the display flickers. No output at all. I suspect 12 TX
> line. Has anyone had this problem with the 901?
>
> Thanks much
> Dave
Hi Dave,
I had a similar problem. One of the edge connectors on one of the
power supply boards burned up. I cleaned up the edge connector
and ordered a new board from Yaesu. No problems after that..
Good luck/73 George, K1IFV in NH

4266. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <338953d8.12355295@news.capital.net>
Source record: 174622

On Wed, 14 May 1997 12:01:04 +0000, Jimmy Kahn
<atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>In my opinion, this is the best solution: The ARRL push for two pieces
>of FCC legislation:
>
>1) Only licensed Hams can sell Ham Radio transmitters. Along with a
>penalty to any individual or business who violates this. (It's a lot
>easier to fine a business or individual, than it is to stop an illegal
>from broadcasting).

A reasonable idea, but who do you think is going to enforce these
laws? The FCC? I hardly think so. The FCC can't or won't do anything
about the numerous rule violators we hear everyday now.
--
73,
Butch

To send mail
delete xyz
from my address.

4267. Wanted-Elec. Keyers-Reviews/opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Best <jbest@mtco.com>
Message-ID: <33871C32.3E7A5683@mtco.com>
Source record: 174623
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Could anyone provide me with their opinions regarding Electronic Keyers.

I am in the market for one, especially with memory for contesting.

I would be glad to hear what you have to say.

John Best

N9MSG

jbest@mtco.com

4268. Re: rg-8 coax specifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Fritzsche <abc@rose.net>
Message-ID: <3387B275.2F6B@rose.net>
Source record: 174624

james k wrote:
>
> I might have a deal that i cant pass up but need more information on rg-8 coax
> cable.
> What i have a possibliity of buying is 2 500 foot rools of older radio shack
> large rg-8 coax still on the woden spools for a total of 1,000 feet.
>
> I need to know what are the freqency limits of rg-8 coax and other limitations
> plus what this normally sells for since its parts number is discontinued?
>
> james
James, um...You want specs for RatShack cable, hu? Well.....In the first
place, honestly, RipOffShack cable is generally reguarded as the
absulute worst cable you can buy. In my opinion, I guess it's OK, but I
wouldn't buy it, and they charge 2 time more for it then anyone else
does. Anyway, about the specs... frequency limits: Well, RG-8 doesn't
exactally have a "frequency Limit", but it is very good cable up to
about 150MHz. Here are the spec:

dB LOSS per 100 FEET For RG-8/U
.09/30 MHz 2.3/150MHz 4.7/450MHz 6.7/900MHz

If you don't know, 3dB of loss is 1/2 of your signal. For example, if
you are transmitting 10 watts, and you have 3dB of loss, then you would
only be transmitting 5 watts if signal. With 6dB of loss, you would only
have 2.5 watts of signal, etc...
Also, that cable should be good for up to about 475 watts at 150 MHz,
and 225 watt at 450 MHz.

These specs are not for Radio Shack cable, but are from another cable
company, but should be about the same. And in here, the cable sells for
.28$ a foot for 1,000 ft or more.

I hope this has been helpful. If you want to reply, PELASE reply to
abc@rose.net.

Ian Fritzsche

4269. Re: Swap Shops

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <338763B0.386B@chatlink.com>
Source record: 174625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Don't forget to at least check in with the Northwest Saturday morning swap Page. This is an "on the air" net that covers the Pacific Northwest (and then some) each Saturday Morning, and then posts the net on the web. We also take e-mail listings, read them on the air, and then post them.

See it at http://www.chatlink.com/~rickt/swap.htm

Hope it helps,

Ron, N7TAW

Him wrote:
>
> Mark or Lou Roy wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone know of urls for radio equipment classified pages where I
> > can list equipment for sale, other than the newsgroups?
> > Thanks
> > Lou, KM1T
> > markr@esslink.com
>
> I like e-bay.com and have bought several items there.
>
> Please e-mail me your list first.

4270. Kenwood V7A mod needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf8vw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <yJi97D1w165w@barf80.nshore.org>
Source record: 174626

Does anyone have the mod to open the Kenwood V7A
Xmit up ? Would appreciate the information very much.
Please send the information direct to my E-Mail address
at: cfb@en.com .

Thank you, de Carl -KF8VW-

Carl Beduhn
InterNet: kf8vw@barf80.nshore.org
Basic Amateur Radio Frequency, BARF-80 +1 216/237-8208
"Totally devoted to Amateur Radio" - 24 Hrs a day 8/N/1 14.4k-300 baud

4271. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m7vbt$75n$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 174627

On Thu, 22 May 1997 17:19:00 (CDT), ej_mars@lagn.com (Ej Mars) wrote:

>I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and
>willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to
>ej.mars@lagn.comThanks
>
I've got some, but it'd go for a lot more than $5.00 a can.

4272. WTB 2m/440 Mobil amp for use with HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Beekman <string@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3387B3FD.CBA2664D@ameritech.net>
Source record: 174628

Wanted. 2M/440 mobil amp. for use in auto with HT.

Bill

$ range of $100-$200.

4273. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert W. Lewis" <rlewis@staffnet.com>
Message-ID: <33879EFF.45ED@staffnet.com>
Source record: 174629

William Nolle wrote:
>
> DavidE70 wrote:
> >
> > Geez, Charlie, you have a perfect right to vote with your pocketbook, but
> > in HRO's defense, I've dealt with them a couple times and haven't
> > experienced any of the problems you cite. The guys I've dealt with have
> > been patient and helpful. I intend to continue to give them my business
> > whenever I can.
> >
> > Dave KB0YSN
> >
> > >>Charlie wrote:
> >
> > >>Good morning,
> > >>
> > >>I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > >>Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> Give it up Charlie. I have dealt with them for years and they have
> always done just great by me.
> --
> Bill WA8INZ
HRO Virginia has always done right by me.

4274. Alinco DR-605T & Alinco DR-140, user comments wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3387D47C.2661@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174630

If you own or have tried a friend's Alinco DR-605T or the Alinco DR-140;
I'd like to know what you thought about the unit. Is it good, bad, or ???

Was it easy to work with?

Did you have problems with intermod noise?

73,

Bob, KF6JHG

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

4275. Wanted: North Carolina Swap Meet Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfasi@castles.com
Message-ID: <338729c0.272571@snews.zippo.com>
Source record: 174631

My son lives near Fayettville Noth Carolina, are there any ham and or electronics swap meets in the area? Please let me know of upcoming dates and locations.

73 de Dick KM6PA

4276. Re: Wanted-Elec. Keyers-Reviews/opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2405971840020001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 174632
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <33871C32.3E7A5683@mtco.com>, John Best wrote:

>
Could anyone provide me with their opinions regarding Electronic Keyers.
>
I am in the market for one, especially with memory for contesting.
>
>
I would be glad to hear what you have to say.

For a factory-built box, it is hard to beat the venerable AEA MM-3 Morse Machine. They show up fairly regularly on the net for $100-150.

If you need something with even more bells and whistles, you will probably need to build a Super CMOS Keyer III available as a partial kit from Idiom Press for about $60.

Perhaps others on the net can help you choose between them or others.

Good luck.

73, Dick W6OLD
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

4277. HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: asimonin@murdrum.nmsu.edu
Message-ID: <5m75le$l6e@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 174633

I'm a new no code Tech and my dealings with the Phoenix AZ HRO have been excellent! It doesn't seem to matter if I talk about a $500 radio or a $17 antenna. The also appear to be very price competive, the turn around on shipping is outstanding! --

asimonin@acca.nmsu.edu
KD5AEY
---Las Cruces, NM---
Engineering, converting science into technology

4278. six meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: igorp@tva.khv.ru
Message-ID: <5m4j66$j2o$1@coin.redcom.ru>
Source record: 174907

Hello!

Purchase transceiver on six meter band, all mode.

Best of DX!
Igor Pyastolov (UA0ZBK)

igorp@tva.khv.ru

4279. Re: FS:Kenwood TS-440SAT//PS-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970524010401.VAA11133@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174908

The pair are SOLD. Tnx for responses. 73, Keith

4280. drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <33864527.23081733@news.enter.net>
Source record: 174909

is there any hazard in running the drake l4b in CW with the switches set in 'SSB'? some folks say that this setup was designed when the fcc specified INPUT not output power. others say it will damage something, but the amp uses 2 3-500z's which take alot of abuse...any thoughts? thanks all...

delete the xx from my email address to reply

4281. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <33864684.23430316@news.enter.net>
Source record: 174910

On 22 May 97 16:21:10 GMT, morel@shani.NET (morel grunberg) wrote:

>I'm looking for more info and impressions
>on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
>transceiver. For those who already saw it
>at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?
>
>Any reply will be appreciated.
>
>73 de Morel, 4X1AD
>
I thought it sounded great. i only got a look at it for a few mins because of the crowds but had a chance to talk with the CEO of Kachina. Kachina makes commercial HF gear for export and wanted to branch into the US market to supplement existing business.

I thought the concept of Kachina was clever...remove all the hardware associated with controlling/operating the radio (displays, knobs, buttons, optoisolators, etc) and use software to do the work instead.

The downside is using an expensive computer to replace buttons and knobs, but with multitasking this shouldnt be a problem.

The head guy also said K1EA has expressed interest in writing contest software to control the Kachina. should be interesting.

Would i buy one? mebbe...after all you big guys get one and we make sure kachina is in business to stay, hi!

delete the xx from my email address to reply

4282. Re: What do you think of the ICOM 756?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <338645f8.23290660@news.enter.net>
Source record: 174911

On Tue, 20 May 1997 09:30:28 -0400, Joseph M Zawodny
<J.M.Zawodny@LaRC.NASA.gov> wrote:

>Howdy,
>
> I'm thinking of getting an ICOM 756 and would like to
>hear all of the bad thinks that users have encountered with
>this rig. My main uses will be on 10m and 6m CW & SSB. I am
>particularly interested in comments relating to the DSP and
>whether it does anything to reduce noise or if it is only an
>audio filter.

there was a review in, i think, qst recently. it got good marks though
the internal noise level was high...good for casual use, but not for
contesting, etc.

delete the xx from my email address to reply

4283. Re: Carson Bandwidth in FM modulation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: thomas.g.booth@den.mmc.com
Message-ID: <thomas.g.booth-230597195058@ls-bootht-c.ast.lmco.com>
Source record: 174912

In article <dgfEAnBDG.5II@netcom.com>, dgf@netcom.com (David Feldman)
wrote:

> If you have an idea of what the Carson Bandwidth means in FM transmission
> could you give me a quick rundown or a reference?

The "Carson Bandwidth" is the estimated RF bandwidth of an FM signal, which
is computed using Carson's Rule.

IIRC Carson's Rule was developed before WWII, and (again, IIRC) is named
for John Carson who did a fair amount of work on modulation theory in the
'20s & '30s. I can't cite the original source but you can find discussions
on Carson's Rule in any decent communications textbook.

One way to express Carson's Rule is:

BW = 2(deltaf) + 2(fmod), where
deltaf = peak frequency deviation,
fmod = modulation frequency.

An alternative expression for Carson's Rule is:

BW = 2(deltaf)[1 + 1/(beta)], where
beta = modulation index = deltaf/fmod.

For example, the estimated bandwidth of a broadcast monophonic FM signal
where the maximum deltaf = 75 kHz and the maximum modulation frequency = 15
kHz is:

BW = 2(75 kHz) + 2(15 kHz) = 150 kHz + 30 kHz = 180 kHz.

As I noted above, Carson's Rule is an estimate, because (at least in a
theoretical sense) the bandwidth of any FM signal is infinite. Another
technique to estimate the bandwidth of an FM signal is to determine the
sidebands beyond which all higher order sidebands are less than some level
(say 40 or 60 dB) relative to the unmodulated carrier. This technique will
give bandwidths somewhat larger than that given by Carson's Rule.

Hope this helps -

TGB

\\ The opinions expressed herein are my own. //

4284. WTB: KLM 661 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5m5mt2$4q8@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174913

Hi, I am still looking for a clean, unmodified KLM 661 6M xcvr. If you have a unit please contact me. Thanks and 73,
Tim

4285. Re: Code Quick Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hforeman@pacifier.com
Message-ID: <5m60oe$k3l$1@news.pacifier.com>
Source record: 174914

In article <5m1pil$9l1$1@news.inconnect.com>, toms@inconnect.inconnect.com (Thomas Schaefer) says:
>
>Not all extras feel that way. Some of us think No-Code is a good things as
>long as some Elmering is involved. The only problem with going to Radio
>Shack to buy a book is that you really do not have to talk to another ham
>to get your ticket. New people (and some old people) need help from other
>hams.

Here in Clark County I did much the same thing. The Tech stuff is an easy one for me. And once I learned that I could go to Radio Shack and buy a book for my wife to study we were off on the adventure. Trying to FIND an amateur group is somewhat difficult without a RADIO. I did try to call some of the local groups, but just got the "club answering machine" and never a call-back. Luckily for us, the local Portland (PDX) area has a HRO store that IS in the phone book, and I got some numbers that I could at least find a VE exam within 60 miles.
I now belong to the local club, and ARES/RACES. They also now have a listing in the Yellow Pages. All in all, it has been a good experience so far 3 yrs.
later,
h

4286. *** Why AT-600 is a good radio ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <33868b04.16920194@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/at600.htm

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4287. WTB> RS-232 Interf / Commodore 64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas W. Castle" <afn17891@afn.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.95.970524012449.52713A-100000@freenet2.afn.org>
Source record: 174916

Hi Tom here...

I have a complete an fully functional C-64 in every way but one...
I want a RS-232 Interface [TTL/232] to interconnect with a PK-232
or similar packet unit to a HF rig... This way if it gets hit by
lightening its a ole C-64 and a Ole FT-101, that goes up in smoke...
Needless to say it will be on 24hrs a day, 7 days a week... Why
loose something worthwhile?

Got something laying around let me know, prefably with doc's..?

Tnx De Tom / KD4QHH

73'

4288. Re: FS Icom IC736 $1250.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin <n8zjn@your-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6835$386304a0$29b182d0@default>
Source record: 174917

Price Reduced $1250.00 de N8ZJN

> I have for sale an Icom 736 bought as Demo in Sept. 96, only
> used on 6M. This is an HF + 6M rig w/built in tuner 160-6, 100
> watts output all bands also has a built in PS. I have Box,Manual
> and will ship Fed-Ex CONUS for $1350.00. Tnx.
>
> Kevin Bishop 73
> de N8ZJN EM79xk
> 50-1296 MHz

4289. IC820

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3386E226.4A7D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174918

I saw the IC820 for sale at $1099.00. Is this rig good for weak signal work? Also what is the TX power? TNX Jim

4290. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: davide70@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970524125101.IAA19020@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174919

Geez, Charlie, you have a perfect right to vote with your pocketbook, but in HRO's defense, I've dealt with them a couple times and haven't experienced any of the problems you cite. The guys I've dealt with have been patient and helpful. I intend to continue to give them my business whenever I can.

Dave KB0YSN

>>Charlie wrote:

>>Good morning,
>>
>>I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
>>Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...

4291. Help (Looking for previous owner of N2WB callsign) !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2wb23@ibm.NET
Message-ID: <3386D9A1.7911@ibm.net>
Source record: 174920

Hello:
Thanks for reading this request.
Looking for previous owner of callsign thru old call books.
Callsign is n2wb, no luck so far. Thanks so very much!
73, Bill/N2WB
n2wb23@ibm.net

4292. ft1000mp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Leach <leach@mcmail.com>
Message-ID: <33880FF0.35D6@mcmail.com>
Source record: 174472

I have an Ft1000MP/AC Model for sale complete with
manual,
original packing
service manual
remote keypad

It is available for inspection at my qth in N wales
Looking for £1850 o.v.n.o

Paul GW4AMZ

4293. Re: Wanted: North Carolina Swap Meet Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Arnold" <D.Arnold@primocomputers.com>
Message-ID: <33890872.727D@primocomputers.com>
Source record: 174473

dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY wrote:
>
> Concord (near Charlotte) is May 31st/June1st
>
> Charlotte ARC is Sunday June 8th
>
> Winston Salem Hamfest is Saturday June 14
>
> Cary is Saturday July 19
>
> You can also look here for NC hamfests.
>
> http://members.aol.com/nchamfest/hamfest.html
>
> Dave
>
> On Sat, 24 May 1997 17:51:19 GMT, rfasi@castles.com wrote:
>
> >My son lives near Fayettville Noth Carolina, are there any ham and or
> >electronics swap meets in the area? Please let me know of upcoming
> >dates and locations.
> >
> >73 de Dick KM6PA

HI there

you can also try the following

http://www.manualsplus.com

found url on a flyer at hamfest this weekend

DON kb5fhx

4294. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <338911A2.44FA@ibm.net>
Source record: 174474
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Peter A. Forkes wrote:
>
> I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
> installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.

Antenna Specialists make excellent antennas. However, 140$ does seem a
little strong!

> Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
> best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
> What can you suggest?

I would suggest something along the lines or a K40 or Wilson 1000. The
quality is acceptable and you should be able to snatch one for much less
than 140$.

A 102" whip mounted on one of the back corners of the truck seems to be
pretty hip around these parts. however, you'll get better overall
performance from a whip like the above-noted mounted in the center of
your roof. For best performance, you really have to drill a hole in the
roof and mount the antenna permanently. You may not like this idea but
let's face it, when you go to sell the truck a small bucket of bondo and
some touch up paint will completely conceal it. Either that or just
shove in a hole plug and hope for a short buyer. <G>

If you are concerned with being heard, you could install an outboard
power amplifier to the rig. Bear in mind this is illegal. However, the
noise is often so thick on CB that you need more than 4 watts to "make
the trip".

Cheers!

--
Andy Moss
"In God we trust - the rest can pay cash......."

4295. Patcomm, PC-16000 HF Rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Hwang <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <3388FE7B.46E4@netcom.ca>
Source record: 174475

This is third time, I am posting this.
I had one QSO with a ham who was using this radio.
I sent away for info. pack from Patcomm. and got it from them.
I am trying to hear from any one out there on the news group
who owns/operates this radio re: performance/comments.
Before I plunge and net new rig for myself.
TIA
Tony
--
SLTG

4296. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Wright ARS KA9AHQ/7 <emw@teleport.com.I.HATE.SPAM>
Message-ID: <33890E54.602F@teleport.com.I.HATE.SPAM>
Source record: 174476

I called them the other day looking for a cheap 10 m mobile ant.
He told me what he has which sounded pretty reasonable, and then
by golly let me kow that rat shack had a pretty good mag mount for
about $10 less that what he was selling.
If that isn't an up front operation I don't what is.
While I did buy the rat shack stick, HRO will get my next purchase.
73 de KA9AHQ/7
ed

4297. WTB:Kenwood UT-1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Edwards <threepalms@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33890F37.7440@earthlink.net>
Source record: 174477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WANTED:

UT-1200 (1.2 ghz module) for Kenwood 642/742/942 series radio.

If you have one or know of one for sale or trade, please reply email.

Thanks much.....<re> threepalms@earthlink.net

4298. WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gaustin@erinet.com
Message-ID: <5md2f7$fb1@server1.erinet.com>
Source record: 174478

Anyone know any 3rd party apps for the WinRadio, or any web - ftp sites outher than Winradio.com. ???

Gene
WA8GRB

4299. laptop for sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: amateur-radio@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970524.195341.7751.0.amateur-radio@juno.com>
Source record: 174634

sorry.. that laptop I have for sale has 8MB of memory (expandable to
24) not
4Mb like I said...

4300. tidbit info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sweeper44@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525001300.UAA00458@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174635

May 24 1844 Samuel Morse formally opened America's 1st telegraph line.

Just a tibit of info from
sweeper44

good day and 73

4301. Re: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: donlehto@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525002300.UAA05316@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174636

You hams are a bunch of fucking idiots

4302. FS: Ranger 2970

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <3387D2EA.6CA4@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 174637

Excellent condition. Includes original box and instructions. $250 firm.
I bought an IC-706 and do not need the 2970 any longer. If interested,
email me at ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

Ed Cregger, NM2K

4303. Alpha Amps - New Alpha/Power (ETO) Web Site...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <5m8k85$ag1@surf.com>
Source record: 174638

You're invited to "See The Quality, Feel The Power"
of the latest Alpha Linear amplifiers at Alpha's
new web site:

http://www.alpha-power-inc.com

For additional information about Alpha amps,
please contact Scott Ehrhorn at:

Tel: (970) 535-4173
Fax: (970) 535-0281
Email: sales@alpha-power-inc.com

Alpha/Power was founded more than a quarter century
ago as ETO (Ehrhorn Technological Operations) to
design and manufacture the best possible maximum-
legal-power, continuous heavy duty, HF linear
amplifier for radio amateurs.

Alpha/Power (ETO) amplifiers contributed to the
expressions brick-on-the-key, maximum legal-power
and all modes, no time limit to the lexicon of
amateur radio. They pioneered the no-compromise
desk top amplifier, hands-off no-tune-up operation,
full break-in (QSK), standard 160 mater coverage,
and microprocessor-controlled automatic bandswitching,
tuneup and remote control.

Alpha/Power (ETO) also has pioneered realistic buyer
protection with long term limited warranties (never
prorated and now an unequaled four years), and the
money-back guarantee.

Please respond directly to Alpha, NOT to me! Thanks.

4304. Re: HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@REPLAY.COM
Message-ID: <5m8kus$ll5@basement.replay.com>
Source record: 174639

In article <01bc67c7$c6da9d60$75e1f9cc@default>, "CHARLES M. FRANCER"
<francer@usa1.com> wrote:

:I have been doing business with this firm for the last three years. I visit
:and call the Salem, NH store. I always receive service by knowledgeable
:staff people. I have been treated fairly at all times.
:
:Charles Francer N1RPD

When I live in Ca, I used to shop at several HRO locations. Note- this was
10 years ago, so the employees may no longer even work there.

The Oakland store had very friendly and helpful staff, while the Burlingame
salesmen right across the bay were the opposite.

I think its just a common problem of Amateur Radio equipment dealers and
managers assuming they can turn ham operators into sales people. They
would probably have better luck hiring used car dealers and then having
them study and get a license. :)

Hams, with all the good things they do in electronics innovation and public
service, are still on the average generally not the best "people persons".

Its too much of a seductive temptation to hire your best ham buddy as a
salesperson, rather than go out and get someone really qualified.

Thanks, Ed

4305. Help with Digital 500D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: thora@online.no
Message-ID: <3387d94a.2745481@news.online.no>
Source record: 174640

Hello.

I have an old Frontier Electronics Advanced SSB Tranceiver 500D, and
the frequency display is totally wrong. Only the band is showed ok.
any suggestions for fixing this?

And I need new valves in the tranceiver. the valves are 6KD6, does
someone know where I can get this valves cheap?

73's Thor LA2DAA.

4306. MFJ 20 Meter CW Tranceiver wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: thora@online.no
Message-ID: <3387dadb.3146433@news.online.no>
Source record: 174641

Hello.

I want to buy a MFJ CW Tranceiver for 20 meter, new or used.

Has anybody someone to offer?

Where can I get this rig cheapest new?

73's Thor LA2DAA.

4307. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Message-ID: <33879D9F.76DC@asuvm.inre.asu.edu>
Source record: 174642

Rich Mulvey wrote:
>
> You're trying to put all of the responsibility on the seller. How about
> letting people make their own decisions, and prosecuting those people
> who *use* the equipment illegally? In case you haven't noticed, we're
> not (supposedly) operating under the Napoleonic legal system here in the
> U.S.
>
> Of course, I never would have gotten into amateur radio unless I had
> access to the old Swan rig that I bought from a local ham. Amazingly
> enough, I was even responsible enough not to transmit with it until
> I had an appropriate license. Why assume the worst about people, until
> they prove that they deserve the reputation?
>
> - Rich
>
> --
> Rich Mulvey
> mulveyr@frontiernet.net Rochester, NY USA
> http://www.frontiernet.net/~mulveyr
> Amateur Radio: aa2ys@amsat.org, aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

Since the FCC is unwilling to enforce it's own piracy laws on the Ham bands, your statement about "prosecuting those people who *use* the equipment illegally" won't happen.

"Sellers" as a group don't have a vested interest in the Ham bands. "Hams as a group" do have a vested interest. In my opinion, Hams are less likely to sell a Ham transmitter to someone without a license than "Sellers."

Every year, the piracy problem on both the HF and UHF bands gets worse. We need to try our best to stop this, or at least slow it down. If only Hams were permitted to sell Ham transmitters, it would certainly help.

Years ago, the FCC used to require CBers to have a license to broadcast on their 11 meter band. So many people broadcasted without a license, that the FCC eventually gave in. Now you don't need a license.

Imagine if one day, there were so many people using the Ham bands illegally that the FCC decided to "relax" it's licensing laws on the Ham bands. "After all, if so many people want to use the Ham bands illegally, maybe the laws are wrong." Scary thought.

73,
Jimmy

4308. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: i4086@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525093201.FAA03848@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174643

my next purchase for a HT will be there, excellent service.

KC7WDV

73

4309. Re: HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: drupert@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m91t3qoe1@news5.gte.net>
Source record: 174644

On Fri, 23 May 1997 18:24:59 -0400, "CHARLES M. FRANCER"
<francer@usa1.com> wrote:

>I have been doing business with this firm for the last three years. I visit
>and call the Salem, NH store. I always receive service by knowledgeable
>staff people. I have been treated fairly at all times.
>
>Charles Francer N1RPD

Note: I am posting from a friend's home. My e-mail address for
return is algo@bellatlantic.net

I recently returned to the hobby after 30 years. I have been dealing
with the HRO store in Delaware and have received excellent service and
advice. Went down in person to get my new HF transceiver. They
installed the optional filters and put the rig on the air to confirm
that it worked, actually completing a QSO. Their prices are very
competitive, particularly since they do not charge me for shipping to
NJ, and things usually arrive in 2 business days. The only time I
have been able to significantly beat their price is on specially
priced items sold at major hamfests. No complaints whatsoever from
me.

Ray Makul
K1XV

4310. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: GDanaher <gdanaher@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3388127E.D9D@flash.net>
Source record: 174645

Ej Mars wrote:
>
> I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and
> willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to
> ej.mars@lagn.comThanks
>
>

Wow dude, you have a license for that stuff now? Last time I was at the parts counter it set me back about 12 bucks, so if anyone sends you a note with an excessive supply, let me know. I want in on the 5 dollar deal, too, and yes, I have a license.

4311. Re: ADI AT-600I am considering for purchasing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: i4086@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525110101.HAA04134@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174646

intelligent commentary donlehto, well thought out, why don't you use the tools of your trade and clean up your mouth (mind). Thought folks in texas were taught manners.
73

4312. FT50R- ADMS software different split

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Nixon <sean.nixon@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <01bc68d6$039de220$a75587ca@ibm.ibm.net>
Source record: 174647

Hi

I was wondering with the ADMS software, I wish to use a different offset than the ADMS software will allow. I can get this into the template by programming the radio, and uploading it to the computer and as long as i dont try to alter the offset, it will remain as uploaded, but is there any way of making the ADMS program let me select an offset other than .6, 1 or 5 MHZ?

Sean

4313. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@inwave.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6901$989ad920$bdee65ce@william-lee>
Source record: 174648
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Peter A. Forkes <pforkes@pobox.com> wrote in article
<33874237.7E89@pobox.com>...
> I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
> installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
> Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
> best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
> What can you suggest?
> Peter
>
>
Well Peter, you have a real dilemma on your hands. The best mobile antenna
for CB would be a 9 foot whip mounted on the roof. Anything else is a
compromise. Some people mount this stainless steel whip on their back
bumper to reduce the overall highth. The Wilson K-40 antenna is a good
choice as it is shorter but still very effective. Of course you can use a
shorter antenna and a small (25-50W) R.F. amplifier to make up for the loss
of transmit range. Do not go overboard on the amp as you can not talk to
someone you cannot hear. Good luck in your quest for the ultimate signal
from your mobile. Let us know what you come up with as we mobilers are
always looking for a better antenna.

William Lee

4314. Wanted: FT-ONE part

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Crothers <vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bc6844$17ff3f80$90f3868b@default>
Source record: 174649

Hello,
I am looking for a "Local Unit" board for my Yaesu FT-ONE, S/N 020019.
Please send price and Email address to Terry (vk8ktc@ozemail.com.au)
Looking forward to any replies,
Terry Crothers. (on Groote Eylandt)

4315. Re: Wanted: North Carolina Swap Meet Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m9c8l$7j9$1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 174650

Concord (near Charlotte) is May 31st/June1st

Charlotte ARC is Sunday June 8th

Winston Salem Hamfest is Saturday June 14

Cary is Saturday July 19

You can also look here for NC hamfests.

http://members.aol.com/nchamfest/hamfest.html

Dave

On Sat, 24 May 1997 17:51:19 GMT, rfasi@castles.com wrote:

>My son lives near Fayettville Noth Carolina, are there any ham and or
>electronics swap meets in the area? Please let me know of upcoming
>dates and locations.
>
>73 de Dick KM6PA

4316. Re: Help charging Lead Acid batterries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m9cij$7j9$2@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 174651
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,comp.sys.palmtops,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp

I believe after the INITIAL charge - you had better go slow.

My gel cel says max 1.75 amps after first charge.

I would just find a good "wall toad" you know those little
transformers that all ht's come with, that is rated at 12v and
anywhere up to 1.0 amps, and hook it up for a while. Monitor with
Volt meter like you said.

Good luck

Dave

On 22 May 1997 07:52:02 GMT, "Phillip" <maccabeus@gatecom.com> wrote:

>just scrounged up a 7AH gell cell and wondering some ways
>to charge it as I only have a 500ma adapter for charging. I
>asume I need to just plug it in and periodically check the
>voltage to prevent over charging?
>
>Now for emergencies (was hoping to use it with ARES)...
>If you can hook two car batterries together +_+ and -_-
>can you do the same with gell cells? Read somewhere that
>30 minutes with jumper cables would work!
>
>What about pluging it into the cigarette lighter socket?
>positive to positive again. The draw would only be 7A
>right? So most car lighter sockets are good for 15A
>and should not over heat? How long would this
>take again?
>73 Phillip KC8DQF
>=======================================
> Baycom BP-2 AX.25
> "Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
> 145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
> ============================
> Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
> WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
> Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx.ampr.org
>
>
>
>
>rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital

>misc,comp.sys.palmtops,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp
>

4317. Want manual for Heath DM-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6906$1fa72820$2df277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 174652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Wanted: Manual or good copy for Heath DM-1 Distortion
Meter. Will pay any costs. Please check your file cabinets!
Thanks de John
occupant@ns.net
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4318. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Buren <dburen@top.monad.net>
Message-ID: <5m9des$sn1@news.monad.net>
Source record: 174653
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Keep in mind that the longer the antenna (up to quarter wave), the better
it radiates. Those small heavily loaded jobs are pretty good dummy loads.
The stainless whip is the cheapest and usually best. $140 seems pretty
pricey. Gud luck. 73's W1DB
Peter A. Forkes wrote in article <33874237.7E89@pobox.com>...
>I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
>installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
>Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
>best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
>What can you suggest?
>Peter
>
>

4319. TH-235A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: trinit69@idt.net.nospam
Message-ID: <trinit69-2505970827590001@ip12.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 174654

Anyone got the TH-235A TX mod?

Thanks
Tom

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Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

4320. Need Tuner Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Manuel A. Maseda" <mmaseda@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5m9g1l$aa2$1@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 174655

I'm looking for a manual or some specs on a tuner I picked up today.
It's labeled "MaxiTuner" manufactured by RF Power Components of
Ladysmith, Wis. It looks like it was made to match the Collins S-Line.

Thanks in advance,

Manuel W4SSB

4321. FS: Perfect Yaesu FT-101ZD Digital HF Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Remy <eric.remy@snet.net>
Message-ID: <5m9g4a$47d@goofy.snet.net>
Source record: 174656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.forsale

This digital HF radio is in amazingly perfect condition, everything works like new, no problems at all. Has optional cooling fan, DC/DC converter, and narrow cw filter. Output is 180w. Included is a nice Astatic desk mic. Original manual is also included, packed in original shipping box. $380 + S&H.

Support the anti-spam amendment and put an end to unsolicited e-mail. Join at http://www.cauce.org/

4322. INFO on KLM 661

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5m9h1k$7uo@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174657

Has anyone ever seen or owned a KLM 661 6M xcvr?? Please contact me if you have info or a manual. Thanks and 73,
Tim

4323. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Walter" <rkwalter@snet.net>
Message-ID: <33887164.29BF@snet.net>
Source record: 174658
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Name your price

4324. Sale: 2-Meter All-Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <33884CD1.6172@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174659

For Sale:

I have a Icom IC-271H 2-Meter all-mode for sale. This rig is as new, "No Scratches" non-smoker. The IC-271H is a base rig that runs on 12V so will go mobile. It matches the IC-751 & IC-751A HF rigs, Same in looks, 4 3/8" high, 11 1/4" wide & 10 3/4" deep.

Has 100 Watts out All-Mode. Memorys, tone-board, scan ect. I have shipping box, 12V cord, hand mic and book.

$650.00

Thanks,
Boyd N6DMF

Reply To: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4325. Sale: 2-Meter All-Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <33884C01.29E7@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174660

For Sale:

I have a Icom IC-271H 2-Meter all-mode for sale. This rig is as new, "No Scratches" non-smoker. The IC-271H is a base rig that runs on 12V so will go mobile. It matches the IC-751 & IC-751A HF rigs, Same in looks, 4 3/8" high, 11 1/4" wide & 10 3/4" deep.

Has 100 Watts out All-Mode. Memorys, tone-board, scan ect. I have shipping box, 12V cord, hand mic and book.

$650.00

Thanks,
Boyd N6DMF

Reply To: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4326. Sale: 2-Meter All-Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <33884D72.6A89@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

I have a Icom IC-271H 2-Meter all-mode for sale. This rig is as new, "No Scratches" non-smoker. The IC-271H is a base rig that runs on 12V so will go mobile. It matches the IC-751 & IC-751A HF rigs, Same in looks, 4 3/8" high, 11 1/4" wide & 10 3/4" deep.

Has 100 Watts out All-Mode. Memorys, tone-board, scan ect. I have shipping box, 12V cord, hand mic and book.

$650.00

Thanks,
Boyd N6DMF

Reply To: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4327. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjm@shore.net
Message-ID: <5m9ii3$e8r@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 174662

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>Since the FCC is unwilling to enforce it's own piracy laws on the Ham
>bands, your statement about "prosecuting those people who *use* the
>equipment illegally" won't happen.

It's not that the FCC is unwilling. They have been cut financially,
pretty severely...and their hands are pretty much tied.

>"Sellers" as a group don't have a vested interest in the Ham bands.
>"Hams as a group" do have a vested interest. In my opinion, Hams are
>less likely to sell a Ham transmitter to someone without a license than
>"Sellers."

>Every year, the piracy problem on both the HF and UHF bands gets worse.
>We need to try our best to stop this, or at least slow it down. If only
>Hams were permitted to sell Ham transmitters, it would certainly help.

>Years ago, the FCC used to require CBers to have a license to broadcast
>on their 11 meter band. So many people broadcasted without a license,
>that the FCC eventually gave in. Now you don't need a license.

Will not happen in amateur radio.

>Imagine if one day, there were so many people using the Ham bands
>illegally that the FCC decided to "relax" it's licensing laws on the Ham
>bands. "After all, if so many people want to use the Ham bands
>illegally, maybe the laws are wrong." Scary thought.

The FCC does not have the power to "relax" it's licensing laws on the
Ham bands. The FCC has nothing to do with International Treaty.
Congress would have to "relax" the laws in order for what you imply to
happen.

Cheers!

jim, WK1V
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Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
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4328. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjm@shore.net
Message-ID: <5m9i9j$e8r@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 174663

"Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>If I were to walk into a Ham Radio Store and didn't have my Ham License
>with me, my Driver's License says who I am and where I live. If I tell
>the sales person I'm KF6JHG, the call sign database will show a match
>with my name and address. Thus, that's the proof that I have a license.

>I know of no study saying who the jammers are. It's likely we'd find that
>some have a license and some do not. However unless one has something, like
>case studies, one can't say that the majority are licensed or not.

>The only real solution is for the FCC to crack down on all the jammers and
>drag them into court. However with all the Federal cuts in spending, that
>isn't going to happen. If fact, many of the jammers know that and laugh
>at the people they're jamming, saying, "Ha Ha, you can't touch me!"

>A Civil Lawsuit is possible, but the cost of doing it would exceed what
>several Ham Radio Clubs could afford. Even if they win, the award would
>never cover all the legal costs. :-(

>Most of the the more experienced hams that I've talked to tell me to NEVER
>respond to the jammer. Pretend that you don't hear him. If need be, just
>end your conversation ("OK, great talking with you, 73s, KF6JHG clear.")
>and go off the air. If you must stay on the air, because it's a public
>service event, have another channel to switch to. Then say, "OK, we're all
>going to the OTHER channel now." The jammer won't know what the other
>channel is.

>I've heard other hams say, "self-policing of the bands"; however, I'm not
>sure what exactly that means. Is it just what I've listed above or is there
>something else than can be done?

>I'd like to hear from others as to what self-policing would be.

>In an ideal world, anyone could purchase a transmitter, but only those with
>the proper license would ever transmit. The next best thing would be to have
>the FCC come down hard on every jammer. Neither is going to happen that way.

>Right now it's easy for anyone to become a jammer. Just go to your local
>Radio Shack or Ham Store and buy equipment, no questions asked. Requiring
>some sort of proof of license for the purchase of ham transmitters (new or
>used) would make it harder for the un-licensed jammer to obtain their equipment.
>Not impossible, but harder.

unh-huh.....(yawn)
==========
Jim, WK1V

jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
==========

4329. Sale: 2-Met. All-Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <33885390.2E0@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174664

For Sale:

I have a Icom IC-271H 2-Meter all-mode for sale. This rig is as new, "No Scratches" non-smoker. The IC-271H is a base rig that runs on 12V so will go mobile. It matches the IC-751 & IC-751A HF rigs, Same in looks, 4 3/8" high, 11 1/4" wide & 10 3/4" deep.

Has 100 Watts out All-Mode. Memorys, tone-board, scan ect. I have shipping box, 12V cord, hand mic and book.

$650.00

Thanks,
Boyd N6DMF

Reply To: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4330. Two FB mailing lists (QRP)!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <33884620.3889513@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 174665

I have found two Great QRP E-MAIL lists!

The first is KNIGHT LIGHTS QRP - a group that started in North Carolina, but they allow folks all over to join in on the fun.

To subscribe:

You can send mail to "majordomo@acpub.duke.edu" with the following command in the body of your email message:

subscribe klqrp

Here's the general information on KLQRP:

The KLQRP list is for discussion of activities like technical projects, special operating events like Field Day or expeditions to the NC Lighthouse locations, get-togethers like meetings at member's houses, events like the hamfests, or other special events.

Here is a bit of philosophy from the list manager (Dave, WA4NID). Let me say that I do NOT plan to be a list policeman, in the sense of regulating or moderating the topics of discussion. Everyone is urged to freely post to these lists and suggest topics for consideration. It is hoped that the lists can become one mode of communication for KnightLite members and other interested hams, which encourages camaraderie and progress in amateur radio pursuits of all types. I hope that people will use these lists to keep in touch with the group as a whole, and to arrange meetings with specific members, and to discuss any QRP or radio-related ideas or plans.

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The next is probably the BEST QRP list in the world! G-QRP, where you can meet up with the likes of George Dobbs and the boys that STARTED the current wave of interest in QRP, long ago!

To subscribe:

list, you can send mail to "Majordomo@blacksheep.org" with the following command in the body of your email message:

unsubscribe gqrp-l bry@mnsinc.com

Here's the general information for the list you've subscribed to, in case you don't already have it:

Welcome to the GQRP-L mailing list!

This is the informational file for the G-QRP mailing list.

The gqrp-l mailing list was founded by members of the G-QRP club as a focus of QRP activity for QRP operators who have access to the Internet in the UK, and further afield.

The list exists for the discussion of technical matters, QRP operating, QRP events and other QRP-related topics. It is intended to be UK orientated and in this respect is not intended to replace the existing QRP mailing list at netcom.com.

There is a simple but strict editorial policy to keep this list a QRP mailing list, not for it to replace uk.radio.amateur, the rec.radio news groups or any other general discussion forum about amateur radio.

How to join the GQRP mailing list:

send mail to "Majordomo@blacksheep.org" with the following command in the body of your email message:

subscribe gqrp-l

How to leave the mailing list:

send mail to "Majordomo@blacksheep.org" with the following command in the body of your email message:

unsubscribe gqrp-l

How to send mail to the list:

send your mail to "gqrp-l@blacksheep.org"

your mail will then be sent to everyone on the list.

How to receive the daily digests:

If you'd rather not receive each individual message, but would like a bulk mail file sent daily containging all that day's messages to the list, then :

send mail to "Majordomo@blacksheep.org" with the following command in the body of your email

message:

subscribe gqrp-l-digest

Remember that this is instead of receiving the
individual messages, so you don't need to subscribe
to gqrp-l as well.

To stop receiving the digests:

send mail to "Majordomo@blacksheep.org" with the
following command in the body of your email
message:

unsubscribe gqrp-l-digest

Rules on use of the list:

Very simply, please bear these in mind when sending
mail to the list

1. No profanities please, this list may be copied
to packet-radio BBS sites.

2. Messages should be of direct interest to QRP
operators. eg:

a. Technical remarks and discussions relating
to QRP equipment

b. Discussions about QRP operating

c. Announcements of contests, QSO parties etc
d. Discussion of operating achievements
e. Anything else which might be of interest to QRP
operators.

3. Please do not over-quote when replying, most
people on the list
pay for their connection to the internet.

4. Whenever possible, reply direct to the sender
rather than the list.

5. Requests sent to the list to unsubscribe from
the list will be ignored! Send these requests to
majordomo@blacksheep.org (see above)

Archives of the list

The list archives can be browsed on the World
Wide Web - point your browser at
http://www.blacksheep.org:8080/gqrp-l/index.html

For great Ham Radio resources on the web, VISIT:
http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm

4331. Re: TH-78 cloning mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlcooper@annap.infi.net
Message-ID: <5m9kn2$7lf$1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 174666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Just press and hold the 0 key while turning on the radio. First, choose a clear 70 cm and set the PTT to this. When the radio powers up the display will read "CLONE". Do this with a second radio and whichever one you press the PTT on will download it's memory to the other. Be sure both radios are configured for the same number of channels. It may not work well if you have the ME-1 installed in one and not the other. Also, and to my disappointment, it will not clone the alphanumeric messages.

Its still quite a nice feature and it does work. I just recently cloned a second-hand 78A for my wife. I have also used the clone feature of our 732A's.

Good luck, 73, Rick/N3BUT

In article <01bc6487$7619dbe0$e5deb7ce@qe-001>, "Mike Havener" <mhavener@peinc.com> says:
>
>I've heard that the TH-78 can be set to a clone mode, just like the TH-79.
>Has anybody else heard this, and if so what is the procedure for entering
>this mode.
>
>Thanks,
>Mike Havener / KE6FJT
>mhavener@ni.net
>http://www.qsl.net/ke6fjt

4332. WTB- Broadcast and pro-audio eqpt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrplace@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <yrplace-2505970705190001@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 174667

I am interested in purchasing all kinds of compressor/ amplifiers, older microphones, mic preamps,mic mixers and other professional broadcast and recording equipment for my collection and recording studio.

Brands such as Neumann, AKG, Telefunken, UREI, Teletronix, Altec etc.

Especially interested in anything by Langevin and RCA.

The older the better, and basket cases are always welcome.

Thanks in advance.

Mark Linett
818-244-1909

4333. Sale: 3KW Roller Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <338853C1.6990@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174668

For Sale:

I have in VERY GOOD COND. A high quality Antenna Tuner.
Vectronics Antenna Tuner model HFT-1500. Tunes 1.8 to 30
MHz continuous. Made in Canada. This co. also makes the
3 KW Tucker Antenna tunner, Is the same as the Tucker T-3000.

This is a 3 KW antenna tuner with 3 KW "Cross-Needle" Watt
meter, Peak reading bar-graph 21 segment display. 28 uH
Deirin roller coil. Has Balun, 1 input and 4 outputs. Has
bypass for all antenns. Will take Coax, Open Wire or Bal-Line.

This tuner sold new for $350.00 and I will sell and
ship for $225.00.

Thank You,
Boyd
N6DMF

Replt to: boyd@humboldt1.com

Phone: 707-839-5228

4334. Re: rg-8 coax specifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roland Burgan <rburgan@up.net>
Message-ID: <33884D76.7644@up.net>
Source record: 174669

james k wrote:
>
> I might have a deal that i cant pass up but need more information on rg-8 coax
> cable.
> What i have a possibliity of buying is 2 500 foot rools of older radio shack
> large rg-8 coax still on the woden spools for a total of 1,000 feet.
>
> I need to know what are the freqency limits of rg-8 coax and other limitations
> plus what this normally sells for since its parts number is discontinued?
>
> james

IMHO, and from experience, forget it, if it's R/S.

4335. ICOM BATTERY CHARGER BC-72A FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rxs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525154501.LAA05989@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174670

ICOM BC-72A BATTERY CHARGER FOR SALE, NEW IN BOX, HARDLY USED, ASKING
90.00 OR BEST OFFER, WILL SHIP INSURED. USED FOR ICOM R-1 CHARGING AND
ASSSOCIATED RADIOS

4336. Signal One Milspec 1030CI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: michaelo@psych1.hku.hk
Message-ID: <5m9mm4$75i@psych1.hku.hk>
Source record: 174671

Dear ham,

Any ham using Singal One 1030CI ?

Please give some comment for this radio.

73
VR2IP
Michael Lo

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Michael Lo
michaelo@psy.hku.hk

4337. AZDEN 6M PCS7500H FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rxs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525154000.LAA05949@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174672

AZDEN 6M MOBILE FOR SALE, NEVER MOBILE, GREAT CONDITION, WILL INCLUDE
INSURED SHIPPING, REPLACED THIS RADIO WITH TS-50 KENWOOD.ASKING 335.00 OR
BEST OFFER. RADIO RECIEVES AND TRANSMITS 46MHZ -54MHZ. IDEAL FOR
BUSINESS BANDS ALSO.

PLEASE E-MAIL AT
KB2RXS@AOL.COM
THANKS

4338. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Sull <wa8imo@kellnet.com>
Message-ID: <33887C45.2C6D@kellnet.com>
Source record: 174673

Geeeeee..... Everybody wants more governmental control over what they do. At least thats what I read here. Have a government agency police sales of ham gear. What a shitty idea. Next thing you know, it will be necessary and OK with people to prove that your bowels are full before you can go to the john.

Ignore the illegal operators. On local repeaters it usually doesn't take long to know if a station is legal or not.

<> Bob Sull WA8IMO <>
"73, CUL, es keep the FUN in Ham radio."
>Life Member-ARRL QCWA< >Member-NODXA NCDXF<
>DXCC WAS RCC < >8P9BC<
>QSL Mgr for 8P6JG<
>WA8IMO@W8IZ.#NEOH.OH.USA<
>WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM<

Bob Sull
"Take only photographs, leave only footprints."
==========
WA8IMO@KELLNET.COM

4339. Want manuals for Kenwood TS-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garrett Waltrip <garrett@relia.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6924$c2d1cdc0$289cadcf@main>
Source record: 174674

I am looking for a owners manual and
a service/tech. manual for a Kenwood TS-600
6 Mtr. Xcvr.

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Garrett Waltrip
N7QWT
garrett@relia.net

4340. old manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dale <gdg@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <33885CA6.769D@netusa1.net>
Source record: 174675

http://cgi.w7fg.com/cgi-bin/cat.pl
try this ..all kinds of manuals...n9onj

4341. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33885C0F.29B2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174676

> >
> >Oh please, you have to be kidding. I will say anything I please.
> >Anyone can "nearly" sue anyone else for anything. That was a silly
> >thing to say Butch.
>
> Not any sillier than your tirade, Charlie. From all the posts I've
> read on this subject, you seem to be a minority of one.
> --
> 73,
> Butch

I notice when someone takes on an unpopular opinion they get labeled with words like "asshole" and "tirade" and "chip on your shoulder" when all I am asking for is good customer service. I know the term "good" is relative and maybe I am expecting more than anyone else but your mention of my possibly being sued for talking about the horrid service I've received at Ham Radio Outlet is laughable. You obviously haven't read enough because the "vote", if want to call it that, seems to be 50/50. I'm certainly not alone in my opinion that's certain. I'm glad to see there are people defending HRO because one sided debates aren't much fun. You, however, are acting like a little kid with nothing to add to the conversation. Grow up..

4342. Sale VHF/UHF RF Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AWT <awt@ms2.hinet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc691a$52b52280$b7955fa8@awt>
Source record: 174677

Dear Sir
Our Company in Taiwan -
AWT Communications Accessories
Are Professional Producer of The OEM/ODM Communications Product.
We are Producing The :
CB / VHF / UHF / 900Mhz RF Linear Amplifier!
Full Duplex GSM Cellular Phone Repeaters Amplifier!
SWR/Power Meter, VHF/UHF Antenna. Antenna Tuner!
Antenna Switch, Switching Power Supply etc.
Our Product Have OEM / ODM To Japan & USA !
These are the popular machine of our product.
AWT-144H (Same Daiwa LA-2035R. & MFJ Mirage B-34-G)
AWT-2090H (Same Daiwa LA-2080HK.)
AWT-3090H (Same Daiwa LA-2090HK. & MFJ Mirage B-310-G)
(Special to Design Great For ICOM IC-706)
AWT-200VH(Same Daiwa LA-2190HK. & MFJ Mirage B-2520-G)
AWT-268DH(VHF/UHF DualBand Same MFJ Mirage BD-35)

If You have any need. Please Contact with us.
E-Mail:awt@ms2.hinet.net
http://www.awt.com.tw
We Will Provide The Best Quality & Best Price To You.

Best Regards!

AWT Corp. Alex Heish

4343. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33885D77.4872@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174678

I4086 wrote:
>
> Never been wronged by them, class outfit.
>
> 73,
> KC7WDV

So far you have used the termas "excellent" and "class" to describe your experience with Ham Radio Outlet. How about giving some examples? It's easy to just say "class outfit". I'm sure our ideas of excellent service differ. I'm just trying to see where those differences may be.

4344. Help !! Power supply KW-amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Dallmeier <dallmeier.w@metronet.de>
Message-ID: <01bc6927$933b2860$1065a8c0@dallmeier.w.metronet.de>
Source record: 174679

Help,
I am looking for a transformer in my KW-power-amplifier.
The type is "SWAN MARK II".
Have anyone such a power supply, transformer or a compatible unit.
Please e-mail me : dallmeier.w@metronet.de

Walter (DL4RCK)

4345. Re: HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33885FC9.57FE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174680

CHARLES M. FRANCER wrote:
>
> I have been doing business with this firm for the last three years. I visit
> and call the Salem, NH store. I always receive service by knowledgeable
> staff people. I have been treated fairly at all times.
>
> Charles Francer N1RPD
I suppose this is where the trouble begins. I don't want to be treated "fairly" whatever that is. I want to be treated special, like I have a pocket of money and they need to be nice to me to get it out of my hand. It's really that simple.. if I go to Macy's and I don't like the service, I leave and go to Nordstrom's. Of course I've only done that once because those outfits, atleast the Stanford stores, know about great customer service. You just can't do that with Han Radio Outlet because they are the only game in town, and they know it. Where are you going to go when you don't like their service? Mail order, sure, but most people.. including myself.. enjoy buying a radio and walking out the door with it. Mail order will always come in second in that case.

So I don't want to be treated fairly, I want to be treated like the money spending customer I am. I want to know they appreciate my business and hope I will come back in the future.

4346. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33885E80.525@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174681

> > >>I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > >>Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> Give it up Charlie. I have dealt with them for years and they have
> always done just great by me.
> --
> Bill WA8INZ

Why do I have to "give it up"? I'd like to think free speech and expression of different opinion is welcome here. I'm not condemming anyone for shopping at Ham Radio Outlet. I'm just letting people know what I am think. It seems as if some people became defensive when I spoke badly about HRO. I don't know if it is because they were afraid they'd look silly for having spent lots of money their while ignoring the horrid serivce. I don't know if Ham Radio Outlet is the only dealer in their area so they just don't have any other choice. Whatever the case, I should be allowed to express my opion and tell my story. If you don't like it, don't read it. I'd never tell someone not to tell it though, that's opressive.

4347. Charging ICOM battery pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gerard <gerard@pop3.esslink.com>
Message-ID: <33889200.526D@pop3.esslink.com>
Source record: 174682

I have an Icom IC-A22 (aviation) with its stock CM-166 nicd pack and the supplied BM-112U charger. I've noted that the battery pack gets warm within an hour of charging and started thinking... If the battery pack is 600mah rated, and the charger block says it is a 12v, 300mA output, how can the recomendation be for 15 hours of charging? Shouldn't it be more like 3 hours? (150% of rated capacity). Is there a typo here or am I missing something? Have I been overcharging my nicd pack at c/.5 all this time?

Doug Gerard

4348. Opinion :Schurr Paddles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525165101.MAA27212@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174683

Need opinions. Anyone using a Schurr paddle and their opinion of it. I've used a Jones paddle and did not like it forme, too hard a feel. Guess I like a softer
(spongy?) touch. The Bencher feels fine, but would like too try something else.
Recommedations? Tks.
73,
Gerys@aol.com

4349. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <33887072.4553664@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174684
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"William Lee" <willee@inwave.com> wrote:

>
>
>Peter A. Forkes <pforkes@pobox.com> wrote in article
><33874237.7E89@pobox.com>...
>> I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
>> installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
>> Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
>> best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
>> What can you suggest?
>> Peter
>>
>>
>Well Peter, you have a real dilemma on your hands. The best mobile antenna
>for CB would be a 9 foot whip mounted on the roof. Anything else is a
>compromise. Some people mount this stainless steel whip on their back
>bumper to reduce the overall highth. The Wilson K-40 antenna is a good
>choice as it is shorter but still very effective. Of course you can use a
>shorter antenna and a small (25-50W) R.F. amplifier to make up for the loss
>of transmit range.

You can't legally use any amp on the CB band. Anything over 5 w is not
legal.

>William Lee

4350. FS: Very Nice Kenwood TS440S Tranceiver and Acc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mike d." <techman@series2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bc692b$3c4caf20$3b44f2cd@mikes-notebook>
Source record: 174685

Very Nice
Includes the Following:
Kenwood TS440S HF Transceiver
Internal Antenna Tuner
MC-60 Amplified Desk Mic
Phone Patch Unit
1:1 Balun Dipole antenna

All for 750.00

Email Mike at:
Techman@series2000.com

4351. Who knows anything about Cubic Astro?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ktidc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525165200.MAA27300@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174686

I've got a Cubic Astro 150C w/power supply. Since I'm inactive, I'd like to sell it. Does anyone have an approximate value on one? It works great, QSK to die for, tough as nails, etc. It's an unusual rig, but always served me well.

Thanks,

Don't reply to this listing directly (I used AOL) instead
Please reply to:

Clayton@WKTI.com

4352. pse help ID GE mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
Message-ID: <33884F9F.7F53@chatlink.com>
Source record: 174687
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio

I need help finding a schematic for two old GE mobiles (currently used as local repeaters), especially the wiring for the control head as the controllers are about to be replaced, and the wiring of the old ones us a mess.

the numbers listed on the ID plaques are:

RG56TFS66, or N.P. 243349

and

YG56KJJ66, or N.P. 243349

They appear to be the same radios with different options.

Thanks to all,

Ron, N7TAW

4353. WTB Tube Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Brown <equinox@itl.net>
Message-ID: <3388E456.683E@itl.net>
Source record: 174688
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anybody have a 7213 Coaxial tube base for sale please?
If so how much
Tks Geoff :-)))

4354. FS - Kenwood TH-AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m9t2p$f6$1@news9.gte.net>
Source record: 174689

Kenwood TH-22AT Hand Held - perfect condition.

No Dents, No Dings, No scratches. Comes with Kenwood soft padded case. Excellent little HT.

$150.00

Dave

e-mail - dgsholar@gte.net

4355. Re: rg-8 coax specifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: fertree@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <5m9qn6$d3n$1@news3.snfc21.pacbell.net>
Source record: 174690

cruzz@aa.net (james k) wrote:

>I might have a deal that i cant pass up but need more information on rg-8 coax
>cable.
>What i have a possibliity of buying is 2 500 foot rools of older radio shack
>large rg-8 coax still on the woden spools for a total of 1,000 feet.

>I need to know what are the freqency limits of rg-8 coax and other limitations
>plus what this normally sells for since its parts number is discontinued?

>james
I think it becomes a question of how good a deal you are getting. The
cable is certainly not the worlds best (I was always amazed how flimsy
the braid appeared) but it will certainly work for average
applications, especially in the hf range. Obvously, I wouldn't
recommend it for that 500 foot run to the 450 mhz yagi. I got a 500
foot rool of rg8X mini cable a couple of years ago for ten bucks and
had no trouble finding uses for it at field day, and other odds and
ends. If I had that kind of deal on an old roll of RG8 I'd grab it.
But if it is priced in the $100 or more range, I'd pass, because I
wouldn't pay 10 cents a foot at a flea market for it. 73 gus

4356. TM-241A MIC NEEDS REPAIR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: markjack@netrover.com
Message-ID: <5m9s30$jvs@ocean.netrover.com>
Source record: 174691

IF ANY ONE HAS INFORMATION OR COULD LEAD ME IN THE DIRECTION OF HELP I WOULD APPRECIATE IT. I WAS IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT AND THE MICRO-PHONE CORD OF MY KENWOOD TM-241A WAS PULLED FROM THE RADIO. THE LOCAL DEALER CAN REPLACE THE END I NEED BUT THE TROUBLE IS FINDING OUT WHICH WIRE FROM THE MIC GOES WHERE? THE DEALER SEEMED MORE INTERESTED IN SELLING ME THE ENTIRE MIC! I OPENED UP THE MIC ONLY TO FIND THE WIRES GOING INTO A CIRCUIT BOARD WITH LITTLE OR NO LABELLING ON IT. THERE IS 8 LEADS ON THE RADIO, THE SCHEMATIC SHOWS ALL 8 BEING USED BUT ONLY 7 COMING FROM THE MIC? UNFORTUNELY THE SCHEMATIC IS OF THE RADIO END ONLY, NOTHING ON THE LAYOUT OF THE BOARD IN THE MIC. THE RADIO IS IN WORKING ORDER; A REPLACEMENT MIC IS ABOUT $70 AND THE COST OF THE PLUG IS ONLY ABOUT $6. IF ANYONE CAN GIVE MY ANY INFO I WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE IT. PLEASE E-MAIL ME AT markjack@netrover.com

Thanks Mark (VE3-UCD)

4357. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m9s92$m5b$1@news13.gte.net>
Source record: 174692
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On Sun, 25 May 1997 10:05:40 -0700, "R. Walter"
wrote:

>
>
>
>Name your price

I dunno, I'd probably want to keep it for my wife's car.

I bought some when I heard about the comming ban, but haven't needed
to use it yet. It may be agin' th' law to sell it now.

:(

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4358. WTB Kenwood TS-820 digital readout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wyatt6gun@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525172200.NAA29525@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174693

I would like to purchase a digital readout for the Kenwood TS-820. It is my understanding that the add on readout is different that the one for the TS-820S. It is important that I am looking for the add on (internal) readout for the plain TS-820. Will consider a basket case TS-820 with digital readout.

Thanks.....Wyatt

4359. FS Kenwood TH-28A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5m9tg6$8vf$1@news10.gte.net>
Source record: 174694

Kenwood TH-28A for sale. Excellent HT with 440 receive and 2 Meter receive and transmit. Can operate crossband well, receive on 440 and xmit on 2 meters.

Comes with Kenwood speaker mic (SMC-33) with three function buttons. Also a W&W extended battery 7.2 V and 1500 mAh. (standard battery included of course).

This HT also has included the ME-1 option. This allows the radio to store upto 240 memories. A real power house for a small HT.

$185.00 - an excellent price for all these goodies.

Dave

e-mail dgsholar@gte.net

4360. Re: old manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33888100.8AB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174695

dale wrote:
>
> http://cgi.w7fg.com/cgi-bin/cat.pl
> try this ..all kinds of manuals...n9onj

More Old Manuals at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageaae.html

Keep the Boat Anchors Afloat!!
73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4361. *** VERY USEFUL (?) WEB SITES !! ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <338886e1.13479251@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a couple of web sites that you may be interested:

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/radio.htm

- Ham Radio Freqs
- Ham Radio Privilege in Canada & Japan
- Ham Radio Store
- Ham Radio MISC (call sign database, club listing etc.)

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/scanner.htm

- RS scanner (all scanners that are available in Canada)
information

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/pro26.htm

- Cellular Bands Information Centre

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/at600.htm

- Why AT-600 is a good radio.

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4362. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33888B82.2694@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174697

jjm@shore.net wrote:
>
> "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:
>
> >If I were to walk into a Ham Radio Store and didn't have my Ham License
> >with me, my Driver's License says who I am and where I live. If I tell
> >the sales person I'm KF6JHG, the call sign database will show a match
> >with my name and address. Thus, that's the proof that I have a license.

<<< Most of the quote was cut to save space.>>>

> >Right now it's easy for anyone to become a jammer. Just go to your local
> >Radio Shack or Ham Store and buy equipment, no questions asked. Requiring
> >some sort of proof of license for the purchase of ham transmitters (new or
> >used) would make it harder for the un-licensed jammer to obtain their equipment.
> >Not impossible, but harder.
>
> unh-huh.....(yawn)
> ==
> Jim, WK1V
> jjm@shore.net
> http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
> ==

I would hope that any exchange of ideas over the Net would be a meaningful
exchange. The fact that we can't agree doesn't matter, because we can cover
the points and counter points of ideas. Maybe even consider different points
of view.

However, if all you can say is, "unh-huh.....(yawn)", why bother to post your
answer?

If you don't care for what I think, don't read it.

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

4363. Re: Icom 756 Twin passband ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Moore <tmmoore@austin.ibm.com>
Message-ID: <01bc693c$e91430a0$700c40ce@ibm.ibm.net>
Source record: 174698

QST was incorrect the outer knob is for 455Khz, and the inner knob is for 9Mhz. When using the
PBT in narrow mode, it is best to have narrow filters in both IF's. Also, left out of the review.

73 Todd (K1TM)

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article <338759C3.5CDA@ix.netcom.com>...
> In the Icom Brochure they say the Twin Passband tuning is in two stages.
> This leads me to believe that one knob controls the 9 MHZ IF and the
> other knob controls the 455 KHZ IF stage. However, in the QST review
> the auther says that both passband tuning knobs only affect the 9 MHZ
> IF.Who is correct?
>
> 73,s Steven Hershman NS1R
>

4364. ICOM IC M56 VHF MARINE MOBILE FS or FT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cvelasco@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525194500.PAA10228@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174699

One ICOM VHF Marine Radio for sale $130 or trade for a
Radio Shack HTX202 ht or any Alinco 2 meter ht.
Email at CVelasco@aol.com 73's @@@@@@@@@@@

4365. Kenwood V7A Problems!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Snyder <kb9nvh@bluemarble.net>
Message-ID: <33889B55.5770@bluemarble.net>
Source record: 174700

Im the proud new owner of a Kenwood V7A (for the past week or so) and here are my first impressions: (the other radio I own is an Icom Z1A HT)

I was at dayton and I first purchased an Icom 2710H ($509). I got it home and found (I should have know this before but....) that the radio had no alph-numerics (unlike my Z1A). I then found that the cross band duplexing was hardly mentioned in the manual and in no way did it tell you how to implement it. At first I assumed it wouldn't do it since it wasnt mentioned. The code and tone squelch are optional on this radio (about $140 bucks for both). (you need the DTMF code option to remotely change frequencies)

I traded the radio for a Kenwood V7A (same price). The V7A comes standard with code and tone squelch, Alpha numerics and the manual goes in depth on how to implement the cross banding both one way and two.

First impression of the V7A was great!!! Modes, settings and functions are relatively easy to use compaired to my Z1A (but not a no brainer like others have described).

The radio is in every way equal or superior to my Z1A (HT) except the scan mode, although it allows you to skip saved memory channels (via setting the "lock" attribute for that channel by going in through the menu. This is not as easy as it could be).

Unlike the Z1A the Kenwood will not let you choose to scan "all" saved memories or just the unlocked ones. The Z1A allows you to do this and is a poor attempt at banking.

(Why dont the radio manufacturers take a lesson from the scanner manufacterers and add banks to their memory channels)

The Icom 2710H looses no sensitivity when using the radio in VHF/VHF or UHF/UHF mode.....but the Kenwood does. The Kenwood goes from .16uV to .26uV when using both sides on the same band....(this hasn't been a problem for me yet)

Problems I have encounterd so far:

Cant seem to change bands remotely from an HT keypad (you can change bands from the mic PF key). This is important for being able to remotely control both sides of the radio.

With mic control turned on noises in the room can (and will) randomly set and change functions in the radio (this is bad). Supposedly Kenwood has a fix for this now.

After playing with the radio for the first day or two..it seemed to be acting strangly so I reset it and started over (it was just as well since I could do a better job at it the second time)

Today, after scanning all morning, I responded to a call and found that the repeater I was talkning on sounded off frequency. I moved up 5khz and that was it...the signal came in good now...but my tone squelch did not work and there was no way I could set it. After investigation I found that my recieve was off by 5Khz but my TX was fine. and tone squelch was hosed....

I had to reset and after that..all was fine again..(except now I have to put all my alpha numerics in for a third time...)

To sum Up...I am worried about this radio....I dont want to be resetting it every two days...I seems that the radio still has some rough edges to work out. Once these problems are defined and fixed this radio will probably be the best value dual bander on the market (IMHO).
The display is unique (blue dot matrix). Hopfully the radio can have its software updated (ROM) as they fix these bugs.

If you have any questions or comments please respond here so everyone can benifit from the discussion....

Todd Snyder (KB9NVH)

4366. Re: What do you think of the ICOM 756?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5ma6fmokr1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 174701

>
> I'm thinking of getting an ICOM 756 and would like to
>hear all of the bad thinks that users have encountered with
>this rig. My main uses will be on 10m and 6m CW & SSB. I am
>particularly interested in comments relating to the DSP and
>whether it does anything to reduce noise or if it is only an
>audio filter.
>

Hi....just thought I would pass along my experiences with the IC756. I upgraded from the IC745 to the IC756 and am very happy with it. I knew I wanted the unit as soon as I saw it advertised.

I have found the DSP adequate but what REALLY shines on this unit is the Noise Blanker circuit. I have had S7-S9 noise levels that the NB circuit took to an S3 or below but DID NOT degrade a recieved signal. The major limiting factor here is the noise must be pulse type noise, such as motor noise from a car ignition system etc. It will not do you any good on something like computer hash, lightning crashes, etc. The DSP seems to work fairly well.

73
Andy
WD4KDN
> KO4LW
>--
>
>Work: Dr. Joseph M. Zawodny Play: Joe Zawodny
> NASA Langley Research Center KO4LW@amsat.org
> E-mail: J.M.Zawodny@LaRC.NASA.gov zawodny@exis.net
> (757) 864-2681 (757) 864-2671 FAX http://wwwp.exis.net/~zawodny

4367. K6DK tubes wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: thora@online.no
Message-ID: <33889f07.4854271@news.online.no>
Source record: 174702

Hello I want to buy 2 K6DK tubes.

Where can I get a matched pair cheap?

73's Thor LA2DAA
thora@online.no

4368. WTB. Hallicrafters SX-122 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mkidd1234@aol.com
Message-ID: <864591996.16437@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174703

Wanted,
Hallicrafters SX-122 or 122A HF receiver in excellent condition.

Please reply with condition and price to: mkidd1234@aol.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4369. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave VanHorn <dvanhorn@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <01bc694d$93944fa0$62f135ce@hammer.stonewest.com>
Source record: 174704
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> >bumper to reduce the overall highth. The Wilson K-40 antenna is a good
> >choice as it is shorter but still very effective. Of course you can use
a
> >shorter antenna and a small (25-50W) R.F. amplifier to make up for the
loss
> >of transmit range.
>
> You can't legally use any amp on the CB band. Anything over 5 w is not
> legal.
>
> >William Lee

Legality dosen't matter. Actual performance dosen't matter. What matters
is how can I impress my friends with the amount of money I dumped into
this crap.

These guys buy antenna gadgets for insane prices that have absolutely no
measurable effects, screw up their audio with processors and reverbs, add
in a "roger beep" that's 20 dB overmod, operate on any frequency they can
get their gear to run on, (remote control users.. TOO BAD!)

In actual fact, if the band is open, you can work the world with 5W (on 10
meters, where it's legal). If the band is closed, then no amount of power
will help. the only use for all this junk is a nightly screaming match.
Repeat
in every town out to the edge of ground wave propagation, and it's no
wonder
you can't use CB for anything useful anymore.

Back in my CB days, I used to get a lot of fun by outperforming very
expensive
base stations from a 5W mobile rig. Of course I read and understood the
ARRL antenna handbook, and actually installed my system properly..
The total cost of my antenna mod was about a nickel.

Still, they don't care what problems they cause for other users in the fire
and
police bands, ham bands, TVI.. Just as long as they can out-shout the
idiot down the street, that's what matters.

4370. *Updated Web Page*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <338867F4.3B25@primenet.com>
Source record: 174705

Updated Web Page
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

4371. FS/WTB or Trade!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <338861DF.EED@primenet.com>
Source record: 174706

FS/WTB or Trade!

** FOR SALE **

Mirage B3016 30/160w 2m Amp $200 in Mirage box w/manual

FS: Brand New Microsoft Front Page '97 w/Bonus Pack
WWW publishing and much, much more! Full version,
not just the upgrade. New, box, manual, original
CDROM, registration card, etc. Surplus to my needs...$75
(eligible for $40 rebate if you own Office or other
Microsoft software...)

BRAND NEW in the box, shrink wrap untouched.
Adaptec SlimSCSI PCMCIA to SCSI-2 Host Adapter.
Retail box, software, cable, etc etc. This is *THE*
PCMCIA SCSI adapter. Surplus to my needs, $85

** WANTED TO BUY **

** WTB ** Various V/UHF Transverters 50-2304Mhz and IF rigs

WTB Collector of older RTTY terminal units looking
for more to add to collection, including: Hal ST-5, ST-5000
other commercial or homebrew RTTY equipment

WTB Collector of older SSTV scan converters looking for
more to add to collection, including: Robot 400, 800 etc...
other commercial or homebrew SSTV equipment
Brian KE7GH <ke7gh@primenet.com>

4372. WTB: WTB: GE Master II or MVP 440 Mhz repeater.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett and or Marina <bmhinkle@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3388AC73.31FE@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174707

Hello,
I am looking for a GE Master II or GE MVP converted for repeater use
or in need of conversion. I am looking for only those in good working order.
I would like to use it for a 440 Mhz system. Please, send me your asking
price and information on what you might have to offer.

Thank You
Nathan Hinkle N6CCR

Please, send responses to dnhinkle@humboldt1.com

4373. Re: TM-241A MIC NEEDS REPAIR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John D. Farr" <johnfarr@ro.com>
Message-ID: <33887DE4.1902@ro.com>
Source record: 174708

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Mark Jack wrote:
>
> IF ANY ONE HAS INFORMATION OR COULD LEAD ME IN THE DIRECTION OF HELP I
> WOULD APPRECIATE IT. I WAS IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT AND THE
> MICRO-PHONE CORD OF MY KENWOOD TM-241A WAS PULLED FROM THE RADIO.
> THE LOCAL DEALER CAN REPLACE THE END I NEED BUT THE TROUBLE IS FINDING
> OUT WHICH WIRE FROM THE MIC GOES WHERE? THE DEALER SEEMED MORE
> INTERESTED IN SELLING ME THE ENTIRE MIC! I OPENED UP THE MIC ONLY TO
> FIND THE WIRES GOING INTO A CIRCUIT BOARD WITH LITTLE OR NO LABELLING
> ON IT. THERE IS 8 LEADS ON THE RADIO, THE SCHEMATIC SHOWS ALL 8 BEING
> USED BUT ONLY 7 COMING FROM THE MIC? UNFORTUNELY THE SCHEMATIC IS OF
> THE RADIO END ONLY, NOTHING ON THE LAYOUT OF THE BOARD IN THE MIC. THE
> RADIO IS IN WORKING ORDER; A REPLACEMENT MIC IS ABOUT $70 AND THE COST
> OF THE PLUG IS ONLY ABOUT $6. IF ANYONE CAN GIVE MY ANY INFO I WOULD
> GREATLY APPRECIATE IT. PLEASE E-MAIL ME AT markjack@netrover.com
>
> Thanks Mark (VE3-UCD)

Mark:

The enclosed schematic should do it.

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4374. HELP!!! REPEATER WTB: 440 Repeater!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brett and or Marina <bmhinkle@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3388ADA0.5B9A@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174709

WTB: GE Master II or MVP 440 Mhz repeater.

Hello,
I am looking for a GE Master II or GE MVP converted for repeater use
or in need of conversion. I am looking for only those in good working order.
I would like to use it for a 440 Mhz system. Please, send me your asking
price and information on what you might have to offer.

Thank You,
Nathan Hinkle N6CCR (dnhinkle@humboldt1.com)

Please, send responses to dnhinkle@humboldt1.com

4375. Collins 561S-1 HF receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: PA2JBC <a0927429@dsbmail.itg.ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6955$f8509ae0$8f0aaa9d@pc-tir22.pac.sc.ti.com>
Source record: 174710

I am selling my Collins 561S-1 receiver. This is a late model with the LED frequency readout.
The radio is pristine, original condition, no mods.
I had new USB and LSB Collins filters installed, the steel version, as the old (plastic case) filters had too much insertion loss.
It comes with the original manual (no copy), an original memory backup battery that plugs in the back,
a spare RF module, and a spare front panel and switches that I once found at a ham fest

I also have the 19" rack & original speaker for it

I am asking $900 + shipping

Please respond to A0927429@dsbmail.itg.ti.com

4376. Wanted: Manual for AVO CT160 valve tester

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor <victor@vicmck.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1KHbMNAjfLizEwyt@vicmck.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174711

I would like a user manual for the AVO CT160 (electronic valve test
set)

May also sell if anyone is interested (exellent condition)
More details on request

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Victor

4377. wtb: ft727 battery case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: akrol29b@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525220900.SAA20325@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174712

I'm looking for an intact fnb4 or 4a battery case or whatever else will
fit the 727r,dont care about the cells inside just the case.

4378. Wanted: HW-8 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: hz37@dial.pipex.com
Message-ID: <3388b9dc.90411493@news.dial.pipex.com>
Source record: 174713

Hello,

I have recently acquired a Heathkit HW-8. It works, after a fashion
but has low output and less than perfect audio. I have bought the HW-8
Handbook but I am keen to try and obtain the original HW-8 manual as
supplied by Heath.

Does anyone have a copy they would like to sell, or better still,
could someone photocopy the manual for me? I would gladly recompense
any expense!

Many thanks. You can reply to my home email address:
al@boltons.demon.co.uk

or my other work email address: al_bolton@mon.bbc.co.uk

Al Bolton OK8VSQ/G4VSQ

4379. PL239 Hood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3388C5F2.21F2@mindspring.com>
Source record: 174714

Would anyone know where i could get some of those hoods that fit on the back of a chassis mount PL239 for shielding. I haven't seen any of those for 20 years but i know they are still being manufactered because i seen them in a Digikey catalog a few years back, but now that i need some they don't carry them anymore. Would appreciate it if you could steer me in the right direction.

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Bill WA8INZ
wa8inz@mindspring.com
wa8inz@amsat.org

4380. Re: Charging ICOM battery pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: griffin@jgfl1.allcon.com
Message-ID: <EAr2LA.30E@jgfl1.allcon.com>
Source record: 174715

AFAIK Icom battery packs contain circuitry to control the
charging process; just apply 12-15V to the appropriate connector
for about 14 hours. However, the contacts on the bottom are
connected directly to allow for an external charger.
The drop-in charger connects directly to the cells and can
be used for fast charging. I'd recommend checking the
manual of the charger.

Hope that helps,
73, Jens, DB9LL

Douglas Gerard (gerard@pop3.esslink.com) wrote:
> I have an Icom IC-A22 (aviation) with its stock CM-166 nicd pack and the
> supplied BM-112U charger. I've noted that the battery pack gets warm
> within an hour of charging and started thinking... If the battery pack
> is 600mah rated, and the charger block says it is a 12v, 300mA output,
> how can the recomendation be for 15 hours of charging? Shouldn't it be
> more like 3 hours? (150% of rated capacity). Is there a typo here or am
> I missing something? Have I been overcharging my nicd pack at c/.5 all
> this time?

> Doug Gerard
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Disclaimer: Not only do I speak for myself; I am myself.

4381. FS: Heath SB-201 Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5mahh7$lt1@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 174716

I have a Heath SB-201 Linear Amp (like the SB-200 only w/o 10 mtr's) for sale, $230. Prefer deal in New England as the "Brown Shirts" have done eonough damage. Will deliver or meet half-way. 73, Dick, W1KSZ.

4382. Re: PL239 Hood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rod7rg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970525235201.TAA28166@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174717

I think he means the hoods for the back of chassis mounted SO-239's and I need ten-fourteen as well for RG-8/RG-213 and/or RG-8X mini.

Thanks.

Rod
KL7RG/8

4383. FS Mint Yaesu YS-2000 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <3388D91F.BBD5B8AF@mail.org>
Source record: 174718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a "like new" Yaesu power / SWR meter. Reads RMS and PEP, and has a 4" meter. One of the finest SWR meters I've owned, and you can read the meter from halfway across the room! $125.00 shipped with original manual and blank warranty card.

4384. WTB Yaesu FT-1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB <jb@mail.org>
Message-ID: <3388DAB5.F553BD5@mail.org>
Source record: 174719
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I want a "like new" Yaesu FT-1000MP with the processor upgrade in excellent condition with as many accessories as you have. Must be an AC model. I will pay cash or will trade my "like new Icom 775-DSP" or some pristine Collins S-Line equipment. Tell me what you have. Joe, K4JJ

4385. FS ICOM IC900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3388DB6D.7943@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174720

I have a icom ic900 for sale it includes the 2 meter and 440 mhz modules
and is ready to install as a mobile.$550 plus shipping.
AL

4386. just a question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marek Kreiser <mkcomp@beterlnk.com.au>
Message-ID: <3388D031.6412@beterlnk.com.au>
Source record: 174479

I am considering Ft-736 or FT-726 as my choice of
base station (like to try satelites) any
comments? Is there any other rig that enyone
would recommend. Is there someone selling above?
(6m, 2m, 70 cm, 30 cm any combination)
Thank you for reading this 73
VK3THX / SP5JOV

4387. WTB:Yaesu FT990AC only late model!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5makpa$nis4@peach.america.net>
Source record: 174480

Want to buy a single owned if possible late model being a year or less Yaesu FT990AC with all boxes and docs. If you have one in mint to excellent condition please call me collect at 540-890-1453 or E-mail me at jsjones@rbnet.com. 73, DE-KS4HK, Steve

4388. WTD: Serv. Man. for HP400H & Gen Rad1650-B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhard@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5manlj$fo2@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174481

Hi,

I am looking to get copies of service manuals for the following :

Hewlett Packard, Vacuum Tube Voltmeter 400H

General Radio, Impedance Bridge 1650-B

Can anyone help me locate these?
I need to repair one and calibrate both.

Any info is greatly appreciated!

Please email me: rhard@ix.netcom.com

Thanks!!!!
Ron

4389. Any comments on performance of FT900CAT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wr1q@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <5manfp$6pt$1@kayrad.ziplink.net>
Source record: 174482

I am considering buying a Yaesu FT900. This rig will be used mostly as a base station with ocassional mobile and field day useage. I suspect that this rig is a better choice that the Icom IC706 MKII for HF useage under these conditions.

Your comments are welcomed.

4390. Re: Alpha 89 !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsjones@rbnet.com
Message-ID: <5makok$nis1@peach.america.net>
Source record: 174483

Also don't forget the Alpha 91B as it is 1000.00 less and it too offers great performance which is not to knock the 89 but I have had the 91B for two months now and love it. Also notice that it has been to several DXpeditions so it is a top notch amp to and for a 1000.00 you can buy other goodies. 73, DE-KS4HK, Stevewz1u@aol.com (WZ1U) wrote:

>Hello, I just wanted to say to you, buy an Alpha89. I just received my new
>Alpha 89 and I have to say its the best you can buy. The quality and power
>its puts out is fantastic. Well good luck on your choise of amplifiers.
>Wz1u Steve

4391. Re: pse help ID GE mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3ab@ptdprolog.net
Message-ID: <3388e43a.3617475@news.ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 174484
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio

On Sun, 25 May 1997 07:41:35 -0700, "Ron, N7TAW" <ronh@chatlink.com>
wrote:

>I need help finding a schematic for two old GE mobiles (currently used
>as local repeaters), especially the wiring for the control head as the
>controllers are about to be replaced, and the wiring of the old ones us
>a mess.
>
>the numbers listed on the ID plaques are:
>
>RG56TFS66, or N.P. 243349
>
>and
>
>YG56KJJ66, or N.P. 243349
>
>They appear to be the same radios with different options.
>
>Thanks to all,
>
>Ron, N7TAW

The first unit sounds like an older GE Exec (not the Exec II). If I
recall, this radio may have tube finals. Not sure about the 2nd unit.

John N3AB

4392. ICOM 756 Oscillator fixed??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kevinm@infinity.ccsi.com
Message-ID: <5mapnmsij1@quest.ccsi.com>
Source record: 174485

The QST review of the 756 indicated the noisy hfo had been fixed.
Has anyone had experience with the modified radio? With the old hfo,
reciprocal mixing with a 9+40 received carrier would give the carrier
10-15 KHz wide S8 sidebands. Is the modified radio better? Thanks.

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Kevin McWilliams
KW5Q
Applied Mathematician

4393. Re: rg-8 coax specifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray LaRue <raylarue@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5maqt8$dk6$1@news10.gte.net>
Source record: 174486

>
> cruzz@aa.net (james k) wrote:
>
> >I might have a deal that i cant pass up but need more information on rg-8 coax
> >cable.
> >What i have a possibliity of buying is 2 500 foot rools of older radio shack
> >large rg-8 coax still on the woden spools for a total of 1,000 feet.
>
> >I need to know what are the freqency limits of rg-8 coax and other limitations
> >plus what this normally sells for since its parts number is discontinued?
>
James,
It's been my experience the "cheap" cable sold at RS is seldom a good
deal. Think about it. Your going to likely install some or all of this
outside in the sun and elements. My experience is it will begin to
quickly contaminate. I recommend you buy the best cable you possibly
can for your application. Use gel filled, xelon jacketed, cable if you
are going to be in the elements.
73,
Ray, W4BYG

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Anti-Spam included in address:
Please remove the "no", in my reply address

4394. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: schlemba@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5matbb$1ir@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174487

In <338953d8.12355295@news.capital.net> orion@xyzcapital.net writes:
>
>On Wed, 14 May 1997 12:01:04 +0000, Jimmy Kahn
><atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:
>
>
>>In my opinion, this is the best solution: The ARRL push for two
pieces
>>of FCC legislation:
>>
>>1) Only licensed Hams can sell Ham Radio transmitters. Along with a
>>penalty to any individual or business who violates this. (It's a lot
>>easier to fine a business or individual, than it is to stop an
illegal
>>from broadcasting).

If Radio Shack had the power to create a new class of radio service (FRS) do you think they'll allow a piece of legislation that says only licensed hams can SELL equipment? They're lucky if they can get sales help who can read! You can't even get legislation that says you must POSSESS a valid amateur ticket to buy ham gear lest Grandma might want to buy that HTX-242 for little Billy, the ham.

<snip>
>73,
>Butch

Steve S.
KF4NNQ

- - - Pray they all buy 154.67 Business Band radios for playtime - - -

4395. Re: FT50R- ADMS software different split

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: schlemba@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5matkv$rbp@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174488

Sean,
I just program in the TX FREQ and RX FREQ independantly and check
the SPLIT box. I haven't run into your problem with my ADMS-1 and
FT-50R. Are you trying some really strange split or just V/V and U/V?

Steve S.
KF4NNQ

In <01bc68d6$039de220$a75587ca@ibm.ibm.net> "Sean Nixon"
<sean.nixon@ibm.net> writes:
>
>
>Hi
>
>I was wondering with the ADMS software, I wish to use a different
offset
>than the ADMS software will allow. I can get this into the template
by
>programming the radio, and uploading it to the computer and as long as
i
>dont try to alter the offset, it will remain as uploaded, but is there
any
>way of making the ADMS program let me select an offset other than .6,
1 or
>5 MHZ?
>
>Sean
>

4396. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33890e5e.33723311@news.capital.net>
Source record: 174489
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 25 May 1997 20:54:54 GMT, "Dave VanHorn" <dvanhorn@127.0.0.1>
wrote:

>In actual fact, if the band is open, you can work the world with 5W (on 10
>meters, where it's legal). If the band is closed, then no amount of power
>will help. the only use for all this junk is a nightly screaming match.
>Repeat
>in every town out to the edge of ground wave propagation, and it's no
>wonder
>you can't use CB for anything useful anymore.

It's a sad thing that the once usefull and fun C.B. band has been
reduced to this. It's also sad that so many people in this once great
nation have lowered themselves to this point.

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73,
Butch
To send mail,
delete the xyz
from my address

4397. FS: Icom Portable Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: scottb@ionet.net
Message-ID: <5mb61v$h2r@ionews.ionet.net>
Source record: 174490

I have several CM-35 rapid chargers for Icom handy-talkie's. Thye are the commercial version of the BC-35. I am asking $35.00 each for them. I also have same series gang chargers that hold 6 radios. asking $100 each for those. Email me at scottb@ionet.net if interested.

73's DE N5JJZ

4398. Re: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch Belcher <kf4kmr@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <5mb69s$f9$1@rachel.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 174491

If you would read the owners manual you would see that this unit cannot have the cellular frequencies restored because it has been blocked through the bios on the main board. Also what would you be planning to do by extending the transmit on this radio??

Icron69 wrote in article <19970518213600.RAA29913@ladder02.news.aol.com>...

>I have modified mine for exteded transmit but not 4 cell unblock. Please
>help.
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>
>thx,
>Jimmy
>n3wiw
>n3wiw@clark.net
>

4399. Re: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch Belcher <kf4kmr@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <5mb6n7$26a$1@rachel.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 174492

If you would read the owners manual you would see that this unit cannot have the cellular frequencies restored because it has been blocked through the bios on the main board. Also what would you be planning to do by extending the transmit on this radio??

Icron69 wrote in article <19970518213600.RAA29913@ladder02.news.aol.com>...

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>help.
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>
>thx,
>Jimmy
>n3wiw
>n3wiw@clark.net
>

4400. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch Belcher <kf4kmr@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <5mb6n8$26a$2@rachel.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 174493

COMPLAIN, COMPLAIN!!!!!!!!!!!!
GROW UP!!
Charlie Durand wrote in article <337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
>Good morning,
>
>I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
>Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
>I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
>make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
>business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
>service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
>basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
>customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
>taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
>feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
>if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
>I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
>"sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
>the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
>questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
>Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
>and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
>walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
>the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
>Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
>you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
>order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
>level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
>why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
>do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
>Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
>technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
>percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>

4401. Re: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mitch Belcher <kf4kmr@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <5mb6i4$1sv$1@rachel.surfsouth.com>
Source record: 174494

If you would read the owners manual you would see that this unit cannot have the cellular frequencies restored because it has been blocked through the bios on the main board. Also what would you be planning to do by extending the transmit on this radio??

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>thx,
>Jimmy
>n3wiw
>n3wiw@clark.net
>

4402. Re: HELP: Rpt noise when windy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: scottb@ionet.net
Message-ID: <5mb72c$h2r@ionews.ionet.net>
Source record: 174495

Check and make sure all your fittings are tight...classic symptom of loose
connection on antenna pigtail or hardline connections...

In article <01bc62fb$d195cca0$f099aec7@kq7e>, kq7e@sprynet.com says...
>
>Sounds like the hardware (if it's rusty, that's you're problem) is acting
>as a non-linear rectifier. When the different transmitters key, the RF
>mixes in the rusty joints, and you now have some rather spectacular, albeit
>unwanted, RF products floating around. These may not be evident on UHF.
>
>I had a Phelps Dodge Station Master in a fiberglass radome go bad, and
>would produce the same results. What died were a few of the antenna
>elements inside the radome, which is really a PITA to get into. They were
>intermittent, flexed about, and whenever the TX keyed up, generated
>crackles, noises, and non-linear products all over God's creation. Same
>effect. So, that's two things to look at, rusty hardware (replace it, bond
>around it, etc) or bad antenna (take it down and fix/replace it).
>
>Now, if you are using the DB Products, (say a DB214) you'll definitely want
>to bond the top mast to the bottom mast with a few pieces of good braid.
>The two pieces, while fitting into one another, do get corrosion in the
>joint, and give the same wonderful noise problems.
>
>Good luck!
>
>73, Mike N5MJ (ex KQ7E)
>
>George Worth <gworth@ibm.net> wrote in article <337BBD2F.1343@ibm.net>...
>> Al, I posted this on rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,misc and equip.
>> Chupa Cabara
>>
>> Gentlemen,
>> I have a question for anyone that may have experienced "crackling" noise
>> on their VHF repeater when the wind is blowing. Here is the scenario.
>> We were donated a spot on a wooden utily pole which sticks out of the
>> ground (the earth here is rock with a couple inches of soil over it)
>> about 85 ft. There are 4x4 wooden cross arm systems at a couple places
>> on the pole. At each cross arm there are 2) 4x4's bolted through the
>> pole with u-clamps at the ends. This is where the 2" pipes are clamped to
>> 4x4's for the antenna mounting. All 4 UHF machines work well. No noise.
>> The VHF one does not. If the wind blows, the noise gets so strong it
>> kicks incoming signals right out of the repeater. We have checked all
>> antenna and feedline connections. They are good. What we did find was
>> that if we wiggle or touch (with metal object) any (!!!ANY!!!) metal

>> parts on the 4x4 support angle irons, 6 ga lightning ground wire which
>> runs from the antenna mounts to central pole wire and down, pipes,
>> anything metal at all, the noise is horrendous. What we suspect is that
>> due to lack of RF ground, there is a pretty decent RF voltage/current,
>> whatever, flowing or present on all the metal parts up there. If every
>> piece of metal was bonded together and we nail copper flashing to the
>> pole to connect RF grounds to, would this get rid of the dreaded
>> "cracklies"?? How can we get a decent RF ground for VHF in the earth
>> on top of this mountain? Any ideas would be more than greatly
>> appreciated. Thanks for your help.
>>
>> George
>>
>> gworth@ibm.net
>>
>>

4403. Re: Help charging Lead Acid batterries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike.luther@ziplog.com
Message-ID: <5mbdg6$frg@news.myriad.net>
Source record: 174496
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,comp.sys.palmtops,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp

In <01bc66af$1b6d7740$LocalHost@520d>, "Phillip" <maccabeus@gatecom.com> writes:
>just scrounged up a 7AH gell cell and wondering some ways
>to charge it as I only have a 500ma adapter for charging. I
>asume I need to just plug it in and periodically check the
>voltage to prevent over charging?
>
>Now for emergencies (was hoping to use it with ARES)...
>If you can hook two car batterries together +_+ and -_-
>can you do the same with gell cells? Read somewhere that
>30 minutes with jumper cables would work!
>
>What about pluging it into the cigarette lighter socket?
>positive to positive again. The draw would only be 7A
>right? So most car lighter sockets are good for 15A
>and should not over heat? How long would this
>take again?
>73 Phillip KC8DQF
>=======================================
> Baycom BP-2 AX.25
> "Portable Packets" QST Mar'97
> 145.050 MHz (1200Bd)
> ============================
> Email: maccabeus@gatecom.com
> WWW: http://www.gatecom.com/~maccabeus
> Packet: kc8dqf@kb8rmx.ampr.org
>
>
>
>
>rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital
>misc,comp.sys.palmtops,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp
>

You didn't post what VOLTAGE your gel cell was designed for!

Without that, or some way to figure out from the description of a
part number that we might be able to cross reference to voltage,
there is no answer to the question!

Plugging a 1.5 volt gel cell into a 12 volt nominal charger could
be a disaster! :)

Now to anticipte a bit... :) If this *IS* a nominal 12 volt cell, then
you can charge it with any charger that has more voltage than the level

to which it has decayed. So-called 12 volt lead-acid car batteries have a peak charging(ed) voltage of about 13.6 volts DC. The higher the charging voltage is across a discharged cell, the higher will be the current drawn. At roughly the 13.6 volt level, when the battery becomes fully charged, the current will go down.

Your 500 MA charger may or may not have current protection in it. It *might* be suitable to charge the gel cell, assuming the design voltage range for it is OK for the cell. It may be that it will work fine, just take about 14-20 hours to fully charge the cell. An ammeter in series with the charger will telll you if the draw is over the 500 MA level or not, assuming the whole mess is the same nominal voltage level.

Batteries that are *identical* can, sometimes, be connected in parallel. Note that even they be physically alike, the cells inside them may be slightly different due to aging. Therefore, yes, you can gain current capacity this way and also gain run time for equipment fed with batteries in parallel, but be prepared to also find out that one battery may actually discharge the other one due to a weak cell you do not know about!.

The most important thing to know about all this is something you touched on, but didn't comment about. Be *very* sure, when you parallel two batteries, *not* to get the polarity wrong. Of course there will be lots of sparks if you make an error, but less often, should you get things welded together or clamped solidly, by accident, you can be a *very* badly hurt soul. Under massive charge/discharge scenarios, batteries EXPLODE. Mis-used, they can burn you, blow acid on you, blind you or whatever, and, set fire to things all around them.

High capacity alkaline cells are a real problem for this, as are gel cells.

I hope nobody takes you to task for posting your request. A lot of us may not realize you may be a book ham. We were all that, once. I've tried to help with what you asked in that light.... assuming you were seriously asking for help...

//----------------------------
Mike - W5WQN
Mike.Luther@ziplog.com
MIke.Luther@f3000.n117.z1.fidonet.org

4404. FS: MFJ989 Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Reece <bigjr@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <33893A34.6F50@sprynet.com>
Source record: 174497

For Sale: MFJ-989 3kw Antenna Tuner, Excellent condition, Will ship
$200.00 or best offer. Jack WA0VLT

4405. Re: DC connectors for ICOM radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd6esz@kaiwan009.kaiwan.com
Message-ID: <5mbflp$t1b@kaiwan009.kaiwan.com>
Source record: 174498

Personally I would recommend changing to the Anmderson Power Pole. Just
my opinion.

Rich WD6ESZ

Thomas Schaefer (toms@inconnect.inconnect.com) wrote:
: I just received the connectors I ordered from the ad in the back of QST.
: These are the connectors for most Yaesu, Kenwood, and ICOM radios. The
: connectors fit just fine, but they do not stay put. The standard connector
: that ICOM supplied has a narrow tab on top with a piece of plastic going
: down and in at a 45 degree angle. The ones I received from R. Langston
: have a flat tab with no angled plastic. A slight pull on the cable and it
: will pop out. Has anyone delt with this problem. I guess it was too good
: to be true to think that I would not have to buy the connectors from ICOM
: for their outrageous prices. If I cannot find a solution, I will simply
: call the supplier and arrange to send them back.

: -- Best Regards,

: Tom Schaefer
: Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4406. Cushcraft's All-American Ringo Fiberglass Vertical antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526080501.EAA03197@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174499

Hello,

I'm looking for information on Cushcraft's ARX-270. Anyone have any feedback about this rather expensive fiberglass vertical 2 meter/440 antenna?

ALSO, anyone have any comments about fiberglass verticals period??

Thanks,

Jhulet@aol.com

4407. ADI AT 18 TX AND RX MODS NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: drew1305@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526080901.EAA03294@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174500

Please if you have the mods that we need email me at Drew1305 @ aol.com.

thanks drew

4408. VIKKING 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrbobx@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526081201.EAA03388@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174501

LOOKING for stns that had the viking 2 for sale in the Greenwich Ct area
please contact me MR,Bobx at aol

K! QVX

BOB IN STRATFORD CT
mindportelectronic service

4409. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: grohe@galaxy.nsc.com
Message-ID: <33892016.4866767@139.187.81.1>
Source record: 174502
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 26 May 1997 04:18:22 GMT,
in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
orion@xyzcapital.net
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> wrote:

> It's a sad thing that the once usefull and fun C.B. band has been
> reduced to this. It's also sad that so many people in this once great
> nation have lowered themselves to this point.

Count the days until FRS goes the same way. I'm sure there will
be idiots trying to "shoot skip" on UHF.

Round' here, the 154 MHz VHF "dot" channels are already plagued
with "I'm stepping on you" idiots. I turned on the radio one
night and swore I was listening to CB channel 14.

It is just amazing what happens when technology is placed into
the hands of the "average" person.

Cheers,
Paul Grohe

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4410. Hammarlund HQ-110

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A.C. SPRAGGINS" <acs@houston.net>
Message-ID: <338980F2.3D03@houston.net>
Source record: 174503

I still need a schematic for a Hammarlund HQ-110C. The avc circuit was modified by a previous owner and doesn't work now. I need the schematic to return the circuit to original condition, and possibly add a product detector.

I'll gladly pay for copying the schematic and for postage. Of course, if you can scan it and email it, so much the better!

Thanks, and 73
A.C.
W5EZM
acs@houston.net
w5ezm@hotmail.com

4411. Wanted Software MFJ 1278B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: davekc4mkd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526121301.IAA08796@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174504

Software for my TNC went south and would like to get something running again just for vhf packet or if you are interested in buying or trade, drop me a line...thanks dave

4412. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Wong <hkham@susis.ust.hk>
Message-ID: <33897F91.57CE@susis.ust.hk>
Source record: 174505

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testing pls ignore
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4413. FS: Yeasu FTV-700 2 meter transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Adams <adamscr@ham.muohio.edu>
Message-ID: <1997May26.081026.5704@nntp.muohio.edu>
Source record: 174506

Yeasu 2 meter transverter for sale or swap for ???
NO antennas....
About 1 millwatt input with 10 watt out. repeaters splits built in.
works on FM, SSB, CW, AM
good cond...
Randy- NT8N
adamscr@ham.muohio.edu

4414. Re: Opinion :Schurr Paddles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <EAsGpn.L49@mv.mv.com>
Source record: 174507

In article <19970525165101.MAA27212@ladder01.news.aol.com>
gerys@aol.com (GERYS) writes:

> Need opinions. Anyone using a Schurr paddle and their opinion of it. I've
> used a Jones paddle and did not like it forme, too hard a feel. Guess I
> like a softer
> (spongy?) touch. The Bencher feels fine, but would like too try something
> else.
> Recommedations? Tks.
> 73,
> Gerys@aol.com

Hi Gery,

I picked up a Schurr paddle a few months ago and while I am no CW speed
demon I sure enjoy it. I have a Bencher and there is no comparison the
the Schurr has a light yet very sturdy touch. I have mine adjusted so
that the gap is fairly small and the spring tension is much lower than
the lowest adjustment I can get on a Bencher. If you want to spend that
much money It's worth it.

PS - I have the full sized model (haven't tried the portable one)

73

Richard / N1VXW

Richard Lubash
N1VXW
email rlubash@poco.mv.com

ATTENTION: To stop that pesky junk mail I to have
put the prefix nospam at the front of my email address. To reply
send email to the address above.

4415. Kenwood 732 Part Info Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael K. Singewald" <xxn1plh@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc69d6$e70036c0$81b174cf@default>
Source record: 174508

I have 2 diodes in the UHF portion of my radio that need to be replaced. One is shorted and one is open. They are both in the front end (problem was no receive sensitivity). D123 and D124. Anyone with a parts list or general knowledge of this radio that could tell me what type these are and if I can get these a Radio Shack?

Thanks in advance...
N1PLH@worldnet.att.net

The usual anti-spam routine, yadda yadda yadda...

4416. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@inwave.com>
Message-ID: <01bc69d6$876b3840$74f431cf@william-lee>
Source record: 174509
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> (408) 721-7389 Tel (408) 721-2513 Fax
> --
>

Paul, Perhaps what is needed is a CW test to weed out the undesirables before they get a radio permit. No... wait a minute..... That has already been tried and it did not work very well. Those same idiots got by the test. Oh well.....

William Lee

4417. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@inwave.com>
Message-ID: <01bc69d6$ff905c60$74f431cf@william-lee>
Source record: 174510
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net> wrote in article <338911A2.44FA@ibm.net>...
> Peter A. Forkes wrote:
> >

> If you are concerned with being heard, you could install an outboard
> power amplifier to the rig. Bear in mind this is illegal. However, the
> noise is often so thick on CB that you need more than 4 watts to "make
> the trip".
>
> Cheers!
>
> --
> Andy Moss
> "In God we trust - the rest can pay cash......."
>

Watch out Andy, I gave somewhat of the same advice and was told by many do
good posters that it was illegal to run an amp. on CB.

William Lee

4418. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjm@shore.net
Message-ID: <5mc2u5$r6@fridge-nf0.shore.net>
Source record: 174511

"Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>If you don't care for what I think, don't read it.

Okay, consider it not read.

==========
Jim, WK1V
jjm@shore.net
http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
==========

4419. Radiometer VTVM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
Message-ID: <33898FCA.41C6@nrc.ca>
Source record: 174512
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have picked up a Radiometer RV 13 vacuum tube voltmeter in need of
repair.
Any help, circuit diagram, features, would be appreciated!

Thanks, Peter
--
Peter E. Orban
National Research Council of Canada
e-mail: peter.orban@nrc.ca

4420. Hathaway N-1 Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Orban <Peter.Orban@nrc.ca>
Message-ID: <3389906F.167E@nrc.ca>
Source record: 174513
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have picked up a Hathaway N-1 Signal Generator (Wien-bridge) in need
of repair. Any help, circuit diagram, manual, would be appreciated!

Thanks, Peter
--
Peter E. Orban
National Research Council of Canada
e-mail: peter.orban@nrc.ca

4421. Wanted: Hallicrafter SX-101 Parts Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: franklin@net-link.net
Message-ID: <3389c2e0.4449034@nntp.net-link.net>
Source record: 174514

Looking for an SX-101 parts rig.... to help my restoration project.

Thanks

Gary K8BKB

franklin@net-link.net

4422. 2.5 GHz LO description

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nolhier@laas.fr
Message-ID: <nolhier-2605971632110001@gimli.laas.fr>
Source record: 174515

Dear OM,

I build a 10 GHz transverter (DB6NT from Technik III in DUBUS) and I need
the description of the LO on 2.556 GHz from DF9LN (it's not described in
Technik III or IV). Is it possible to obtain a copy of the paper of DF9LN
via e-mail or
mail ??
Thanks and 73
Nicolas

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Nicolas Nolhier LAAS/CNRS
Toulouse, FRANCE
HAM info's : my call is F5MDY
and my packet adress is : F5MDY@F6CDD.FR.EU

4423. Motorola AP50 Ham HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: trinit69@idt.net.nospam
Message-ID: <trinit69-2605970938430001@ip136.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 174516

Anyone have any experience with the Motorola ham HT?

Seems to have all the regular ham features and wide freq coverage.

73 Tom

--
Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

4424. TS130V tripping power supply - advice ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526144400.KAA18378@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174517

Trips circuit breaker immediately upon being turned on..thought I'd poll the experts here for advice, tips, or experience with this problem.

Appreciate the help.

Alan, N3BJ

4425. FS: RADIO SHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cheewug@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526145701.KAA17555@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174518

I have a Radio Shack HTX-202 with spkr.mic. , box , manual , nicad ,
charger , antenna. Radio was used for Packet and is in perfect working
cond. & no scratches. $145.00 (I'll Ship/48) - $130.00 (U-Ship).
If interested , send reply for phone or send your phone.

73 , Rich

4426. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3389A24A.1C7F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174519

Oh Mitch, way to sieze the moment. Your big chance to add your two cents to the conversation and this is what you come up with! You should have stayed quiet. I'm fully grown Mitch. I am voicing an opinion. If you don't like it, tell me why. Your weak atempt at mockery has only made you look immature. I hope your next attempt may even contain a fill sentence. I know this will be difficult for you Mitch, make sure you have someone to support you.

Mitch Belcher wrote:
>
> COMPLAIN, COMPLAIN!!!!!!!!!!!!
> GROW UP!!

4427. Re: Antenna for condo with re

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <n9hyn@ntslink.net>
Message-ID: <33899DCC.2B75@ntslink.net>
Source record: 174520

Walter Cang wrote:
>
> I recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I would like to
> know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? I've
> heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
> since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
> antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
> coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
> areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC
> ---
> * OLXWin 1.00b * DO NOT BEND, FOLD, STAPLE, OR IN ANY WAY MUTILATE THIS TAGLIN

All kidding aside, you could consider taking one of the small
fiberglass antennas from like Comet or Diamond, the multi-band models
that are only about 6ft. tall, paint them black, mount it on the patio
and affix a lampshade or other concealment to it. It will not affect
your pattern and being on the 19th floor, 4.5db on 2m and 7.6 on 70cm
should be plenty of gain. And besides, it won't look like an antenna,
so the condo. association should have no problem with it. Think of the
possiblities.. 73..

4428. ADI-600 VHF/UHF Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: joseph.vrankovic@tek.com
Message-ID: <joseph.vrankovic.2.0040F548@tek.com>
Source record: 174521

Does anyone have some insight about the ADI-600 Dual Bander Handheld? I recently purchased it and I was wondering if there are any comments on it; good and bad. What about the company itself?

Joseph Vrankovic
Information Systems Department
Tektronix Canada Inc.

Internet E-mail: joseph.vrankovic@tek.com

4429. Kenwood TS-570D Failure

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <01bc69eb$74a78d20$2f5318ce@desktop133.al.prv>
Source record: 174522

Ok, here's my sad story.

I got a new Kenwood TS-570D on Friday, hooked it up and loved it. Very nice rig. I'm running it into an MFJ vertical that has reasonably low SWR on all the bands I use.

On Sunday, I made a contact with Grenada, tuned down 20m and found a station from Belfast. I couldn't work him. I look at my power output and it is about 8 watts maybe (the dial is at 100W). I push the AT button, and it shows infinite SWR and clicks until I stop it. I took the AT out of line and I still have just a few watts out but my SWR is about 1.2:1.

I verified all the numbers with an external power/SWR meter and they are correct. I then swapped in my TS120S (yechh) and it works fine with 99 watts out.

OK, so it will have to go in for warantee repair. My question is: I have heard some people have had trouble with the auto tuner tuning into 3:1 loads. However, it seems to me that this trouble would go away if you took the AT out of line, right? So this is probably something else. My primary concern is did I fry this thing somehow? I don't think so, but I don't want to get it fixed and the fry it again.

BTW, I did remove the case, and nothing seemed amiss (no burned parts or anything). Any comments?

This message isn't meant to be a slam on the 570. I liked it very much -- especially for RTTY and CW. If there is any problem its that the DSP lets you hear people who probably can't hear you with their old receivers! Not a bad problem to have. Even then I worked 6 countries, and 14 states in 3 days, Worked 3 RS12 passes, and had a blast.

73,

Al WD5GNR
http://www.homefree.net//view/page.exe?7854

4430. Re: a question on the Galaxy V, mk III

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb099@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <5mcdki$msu@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 174523

In a previous article, hansen@ait.fredonia.edu (John A. Hansen) says:

>Adam Trent Phillips wrote:
>>
>> I recently inherited my dad's old Galaxy V, mkIII (silent key,
>> WB8ETH), and I was wondering what people out there know about it....
>>
>> From the wold bands, 73's
>>
>> --
>> "All our times have come. Here but now they're gone. Seasons don't fear the
>> reaper / Nor do the wind, the sun or the rain. And we can be like they are.
>> (Come on baby) Don't fear the reaper."
>> --Blue Oyster Cult "(DON'T FEAR) THE REAPER"
>
>I owned one for years and loved it. When the finals are new it made
>about 500 watts with a pretty good receiver for its era. The Mark III
>was the last one made before the changed the style to the GT-550
>which had a different box.
>
>It's about the same vintage as the Swan 500 (late 60s). Enjoy it, it
>will be a collectable some day.
>
>73, John WA0PTV
>hansen@ait.fredonia.edu
>

I use it now to work 41 metres and 75 metres (overlapping with 40
metre and 80 metre HAM). I also have the remote VFO for it. I have not
tested the Xmit circuits yet since I do not have a ticket...

73's from the world bands....

--
"All our times have come. Here but now they're gone. Seasons don't fear the
reaper / Nor do the wind, the sun or the rain. And we can be like they are.
(Come on baby) Don't fear the reaper."
--Blue Oyster Cult "(DON'T FEAR) THE REAPER"

4431. EOARC Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <33893fd0.1011565@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 174524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Everyone is invited to vistit the new Home Page of The Eastern Ozarks
Amateur Radio Club (EOARC) located at:

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/6073/

Information about up-coming events (like our Fox Hunt!) and more will
be found there.

Take Care & 73

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

****
Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****
HAmPS Coordinator
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/7067
****

4432. Shack Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Walter R. Jones, Jr - KC7HEX" <kc7hex@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <3389BF7F.7D16@amsat.org>
Source record: 174525

FOR SALE:

Yaesu FT-736R VHF/UHF All Mode Transceiver $1400 shipped
Yaesu FT-890 HF Transceiver with SP-6 (Mint) $1100 shipped
Kenwood TS-520SE $350 shipped

Kenwood Station: $1150 shipped

TS-440SAT HF Transceiver with autoturner and filters
TS-430 DC Power Supply
TS-430 Speaker
MC-60 Desk Microphone
Computer Interface with program
Service Manual

All rigs in excellent working order. All with original manuals and
documentation.
For additional information, call (541)882-8330 in the evenings (PST) or
best yet, e-mail to wjonesjr@cdsnet.net.

73s
Walt
KC7HEX

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==73==
Walter R. Jones, Jr. E-Mail: kc7hex@amsat.org
Callsign : KC7HEX Location: Klamath Falls, Oregon
Latitude : 42 09.54 Country : U.S.A.
Longitude: 121 40.79 AMSAT-NA: 31687
Grid: CN92dd http://home.cdsnet.net/~wjonesjr/amateur.htm

4433. YAESU FT840 MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre Brandao <l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.970526173645.12264B-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 174526

Hi

As Im going to have an inspection to my station I need to have my
radio transmitting only in the following frequencies:

1830-1850
3500-3800
7000-7100
10100-10150
14000-14350
18068-18168
21000-21450
24890-24990
28000-29700
All in KHz

What can I do to chnage my rig in order to trasmit only in these
frequencies?

Thank you very much, Andre Brandao,

****
* *
* Andre Brandao *
* E-mail: l42303@alfa.ist.utl.pt *
* *
****

4434. Comments on the Ten-Tec Omni 6 plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mail08969@pop.net
Message-ID: <3389C31A.3E3E@pop.net>
Source record: 174527

I was thinking about purchasing the Omni 6 Plus and was looking for some feedback from people who have purchased one.
David KA9NEV

4435. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ckrin@Iamerica.net*no.spam
Message-ID: <338ebe46.7610484@news.iamerica.net>
Source record: 174528
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I used to have good luck with a 5/8 wave "Firestick" top loaded coil type- they've got them as short as 2 ft long, which work very well even at highway speeds with a 6 inch mag mount set- can get both of these at your friendly neighborhood truck stop for a total of about $20! Also works great as a scanner antenna.....but not so hot on 2 M!

ck (proud owner of a 94 Trooper)

"Peter A. Forkes" <pforkes@pobox.com> wrote:

>I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
>installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
>Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
>best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
>What can you suggest?
>Peter
>

Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP KC5EVN, Member, PGBFH
remove "nospam*" in the "from" address to reply
"Reckless, Hell! I hit jus' where I was aimin'"
"Bubba Shot the Jukebox!" Mark Chestnut, 1995

4436. Radio Shack HTX-212 MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfree36675@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526173800.NAA29084@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174529

Has anyone figured out a way or seen anything on the WEB concerning allowing the HTX-212 to store out of the ham band frequencies in its internal memory channels.

If you have please let me know!

73's

Chuck

4437. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3389BCE7.6D1@onramp.net>
Source record: 174530

Ej Mars wrote:
>
> I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and
> willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to
> ej.mars@lagn.comThanks
>
>

Federal tax on a can is $6.50

Clif

4438. Re: Kenwood 732 Part Info Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3389BF11.5886@onramp.net>
Source record: 174531

Michael K. Singewald wrote:
>
> I have 2 diodes in the UHF portion of my radio that need to be replaced.
> One is shorted and one is open. They are both in the front end (problem
> was no receive sensitivity). D123 and D124. Anyone with a parts list or
> general knowledge of this radio that could tell me what type these are and
> if I can get these a Radio Shack?
>
> Thanks in advance...
> N1PLH@worldnet.att.net
>
> The usual anti-spam routine, yadda yadda yadda...

If you ask a question remove the anti spam or expect a reply here..

Since the TM732A does not have a diode D124 and D124 I guess you are
talking about D213 and D214.

They are the tx-rx switching diodes and NOT-AVAILABLE at radio shack.

D213---MI407
D214---MI308

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

4439. WTB: Motorola Control Head

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cfree36675@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526174401.NAA29523@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174532

I am looking for any type of Motorola control head for any model of transceiver. I will be using this for a specialized project and only require it to have a place for these controls: volume, squelch, mic connector. Howeve these items do not have to be present since I will have to install other components in these spots.

Dig deep into those junk boxes and let me know. I will reimberse shipping costs and will be willing to pay a small price if needed.

73's
WD0ASJ (Chuck)

4440. Re: Opinion :Schurr Paddles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <3389C9DD.425D@iglou.com>
Source record: 174533

I've got the big Schurr here. It has the soft spongy feel you're looking
for. I want something with a more solid clank. Next, I'm going to try
a WBL paddle.

Stve n4LQ

Richard Lubash wrote:
>
> In article <19970525165101.MAA27212@ladder01.news.aol.com>
> gerys@aol.com (GERYS) writes:
>
> > Need opinions. Anyone using a Schurr paddle and their opinion of it. I've
> > used a Jones paddle and did not like it forme, too hard a feel. Guess I
> > like a softer
> > (spongy?) touch. The Bencher feels fine, but would like too try something
> > else.
> > Recommedations? Tks.
> > 73,
> > Gerys@aol.com
>
> Hi Gery,
>
> I picked up a Schurr paddle a few months ago and while I am no CW speed
> demon I sure enjoy it. I have a Bencher and there is no comparison the
> the Schurr has a light yet very sturdy touch. I have mine adjusted so
> that the gap is fairly small and the spring tension is much lower than
> the lowest adjustment I can get on a Bencher. If you want to spend that
> much money It's worth it.
>
> PS - I have the full sized model (haven't tried the portable one)
>
> 73
>
> Richard / N1VXW
> --
>
> Richard Lubash
> N1VXW
> email rlubash@poco.mv.com
> --
> ATTENTION: To stop that pesky junk mail I to have
> put the prefix nospam at the front of my email address. To reply
> send email to the address above.

4441. FS: Yaesu FT-790RII (reduced)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Feldman <mfeldmn@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3389A98D.2BDF@ibm.net>
Source record: 174534
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have, new in the box, never used, the following: A Yaesu FT-790RII UHF "multi-purpose" multimode transciever (430-450 mhz, CW, SSB, FM 25w mobile/portable) with the following options: Battery pack, charger, tone board (not installed-new in box as well).

Current HRO prices:

FT-790RII $769.95
FBA-8 battery pack 44.95
FTS-7A tone board 39.95
NC-26B charger 14.95

TOTAL $869.80
plus applicable tax and shipping

I will sell the complete package for $550. Payment by money order or cashier's/certified check only.

73,
Martin
AL7OQ
mfeldmn@ibm.net

4442. FS: Yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthew Mayfield <slayer@exis.net>
Message-ID: <3389D17C.9B7F690A@exis.net>
Source record: 174535
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

FOR SALE:
Yaesu FT-50R 5 watt 99ch Handheld

Extra Options include:
FTT-12 DTMF keypad, Digital Voice Record, ctcss encode/decode, DTMF paging and Squelch.

E-DC-6 External Power Cable
MH-34B4B Speaker Mic
RH-1 Rubber case Protector
SMA to BNC adapter
Dual Band Telescoping Ant.

$375.00

4443. Charlie Durand Re: HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: NutCracker <screw@U.charlie>
Message-ID: <3389DF4E.C36@U.charlie>
Source record: 174536

OK Carlie, I like your idea of free speech.

I think you are an asshole. You aren't even original enough to pick on some other store, you have to pick up where your screw buddy Ted Nutcase left off. How damn sick must you be to go around stirin up things for kicks. You probably are a QRMer and get your rocks off meowing into your ham rig on the traders nets too. Charlie all the bullshit you are passing around here ain't sellin here and probably in 90 percent of the places that it lands.

So why dont you just button it up and hit the road asshole. If you gotta screw with somebody go pick on your boyfriend K2UEE cause it sounds you been butbangin with the nutcakes!

4444. Blown Diodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6a07$105a4d00$5c5ab5cf@wfairclo.netcom.ca>
Source record: 174537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hit me with a wet noodle. I blew the 1N3487 diodes in my Hallicrafters PS-150-120 power supply for the HT-44. Looking for a bad ripple problem and accidently shorted the B+.

Can somone please tell me where I can obtain 1N3487 or recommend an equivalent. If anyone has 4 of these I would be more than happy to pay for them and the shipping.

Destitute.
--
Walter Fairclough
Manotick, Ontario
wfairclo@netcom.ca

4445. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2605972035211C9Bpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174538

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa24045;
26 May 97 20:34 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id DAA13754 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 26 May
1997 03:22:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id DAA15188
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 26 May 1997 03:07:47 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id DAA15145
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 26 May 1997 03:07:09 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705261007.DAA15145@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 26 May 97 03:07:00 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #589
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4446. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2605972035221C9Fpostmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174539

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa24045;
26 May 97 20:34 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id DAA13754 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 26 May
1997 03:22:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id DAA15188
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 26 May 1997 03:07:47 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id DAA15145
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 26 May 1997 03:07:09 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705261007.DAA15145@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 26 May 97 03:07:00 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #589
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4447. Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@emarkt.COM
Message-ID: <2605972035241CA0postmaster@emarkt.com>
Source record: 174540

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Failed to deliver message for the following reason:
Message too large for system (Max 30KBytes)

Original message follows:

Received: from mailbox1.ucsd.edu by fmgateb.PhoneLink.COM id aa24045;
26 May 97 20:34 BST
Received: from noc.ucsd.edu (mail.ucsd.edu [132.239.1.1]) by mailbox1.ucsd.edu
(8.8.5/8.6.9) with ESMTP id DAA13754 for <ham-equip-list@mailbox.ucsd.edu>; Mon, 26 May
1997 03:22:07 -0700 (PDT)
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id DAA15188
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 26 May 1997 03:07:47 -0700 (PDT)
Errors-To: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Sender: owner-ham-equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
X-Reminder: to unsubscribe, send UNSUB ham-equip to LISTSERVER@UCSD.EDU
Received: by noc.ucsd.edu; id DAA15145
sendmail 8.8.5/UCSD8.3
Mon, 26 May 1997 03:07:09 -0700 (PDT)
Message-Id: <199705261007.DAA15145@noc.ucsd.edu>
Date: Mon, 26 May 97 03:07:00 PDT
From: Ham-Equip Mailing List and Newsgroup <Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu>
Errors-To: Owner-Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Reply-To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Precedence: List
Subject: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #589
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu

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4448. WTB: Weller DEC1001 Dual Soldering Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: exicement@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970526195600.PAA22471@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174541

Hello,

I would like to purchase a Weller DEC1001 Dual Soldering Station in good condition. If you have one for sale, please respond to:

Tom
Exicement@aol.com

4449. Re: NE 1 KNOW THE CELL MOD 4 THE FT-8000R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KHM <kb9khm@expert.cc.purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <3389DDF6.DF2@expert.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 174542

Mitch Belcher wrote:
>
> If you would read the owners manual you would see that this unit cannot
> have the cellular frequencies restored because it has been blocked through
> the bios on the main board.

WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG!
WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG!
WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG!
WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG! WRONG!

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Mark <KB9KHM>

Home Page:
http://expert.cc.purdue.edu/~kb9khm

4450. FS Yaesu FT-290 Multi-mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phoenix Crystals <phxtal@nava-link.net>
Message-ID: <5mcsmg$86a$1@news.getonthe.net>
Source record: 174543

Hi,
I have for sale a Yaesu 2 meter FT-290 multi-mode (SSB/CW/FM) rig,
complete with mobile mount, hand mike, separate NI-Cad battery pack,
batteries, and charger. Includes manual. Rig has never been run mobile,
just in my shack, and is clean but has a few minor scratches. The reason
I'm selling it is that I replaced it with a Yaesu FT-736. Also I am a
non-smoker.
$500.00 Prepaid shipping to lower 48.
Thank you for your interest.

73
John
E-mail: phxtal@nava-link.net
Phone: 1-417-667-6179

4451. Standard 5900 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Manley <bman@webmart.net>
Message-ID: <3389F8C0.7997@webmart.net>
Source record: 174544

Does anybody know if there is a cellular mod for the Standard tri-bander
the C5900DA. Thanks for the help.

4452. FS MOTOROLA UHF SYSTEM SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3389F9B4.B55@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174545

I have a motorola system saber,438 to 470 mhz for sale.It has the DES XL module installed.Radio is in excellent condition.It is the saber 3 with 200+ channels scan,pl,dpl and is a con6 version.$850
AL

4453. MARS mod for FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert L. Willsey" <w4nul@mail.brightok.net>
Message-ID: <3389EF39.4E8E@mail.brightok.net>
Source record: 174546

Does anyone have the mod for the new FT-920 to put it on the AF MARS frequencies?? I just got mine and was told it would be several weeks before I could get the mod as I need to send the license for MARS operation to the company before I can get it. My AF MARS call is AFA4IO. Any help would be appreciated.

BTW the radio is really nice and the dsp unit in it works great!!

73 de Bob w4nul@brightok.net
ex W5VRA Got my old call back!

4454. Re: Blown Diodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry L. Ornitz" <ornitz@tricon.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6a2b$ceefeee0$367fb0cc@ornitz.tricon.net>
Source record: 174547
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

The 1N3487 is a little bit of an oddball since its reverse voltage rating is 1200 volts.
The forward current is rated at 400 mA. If the voltage to the diodes is such that more common 1000 PIV diodes will work, use the common 1N4007 diode. To be extra careful, replace each 1N3487 with two 1N4007 diodes in series - thus giving a higher safety factor. At typically less than a dime each, the extra 40 cents is well worth it.
The 1N4007 is rated at 1 amp forward current and 1000 PIV.

73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@tricon.net

Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca> wrote:
> Hit me with a wet noodle. I blew the 1N3487 diodes in my Hallicrafters
> PS-150-120 power supply for the HT-44. Looking for a bad ripple problem and
> accidently shorted the B+.

4455. FS: PRO 2006 & PRO2042

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Edward Cox <i2567@netnitco.net>
Message-ID: <3389D7B8.6E60@netnitco.net>
Source record: 174548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Both in "new" condition with Service & owners manuals. The Pro2006 has
the cellular & speed modification. 2042 is unmodifies.

Pro2042 $325 shipped UPS COD, $300 if Prepaid with Money order

Pro2006 $300 Shipped UPS COD, $275 if Prepaid with Money order.

email replies.

Ed

4456. Re: Kenwood TS-570D Failure

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Williams <alw@al-williams.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6a2f$1bf3c920$895218ce@desktop133.al.prv>
Source record: 174549

Here's an update for all. It seems now that having the ACC2 plug plugged into my RTTY TU when Windows is running is causing the problem! The wiring goes to a serial port to the FSK, AF in/out, PTT, and GND.

So! I'll report what I find out. At this point it seems to be either a bad connector or something with the ACC2 connector. I can't figure out why any of those inputs would do it. BTW, the TU does work when the software is running.

Thanks for everyone's help.

Regards,

Al WD5GNR

4457. Question About IC-2AT Battery Packs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: keymaster@stlnet.com
Message-ID: <864692225.14365@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Can anyone help me with a small problem I'm having with an older Icom IC-2AT?

I bought this radio in the early 1980s and it refuses to die so I decided to buy a new battery pack for it. The pack I bought is the ICOM BP-4 which does not contain NiCds but has room to insert regular dry cell batteries. When I attached the new battery pack to the radio, there was no power to it. I double checked the batteries to make sure that they were good and I also checked to make sure that they were inserted correctly. When I use my older BP-3 NiCD battery back (purchased 5 or more years ago), the radio works fine.

I noticed that the new BP-4 does not have a round steel ball on the top of the battery pack as does the BP-3. It appears as though this is one of the contacts for power. I wonder if this might be the problem. I asked ICOM if the BP-4 was compatible with the IC-2AT and they said "Yes". Is it possible that my IC-2AT is too old to be used with the BP-4? Am I overlooking something obvious?

Any help you guys can offer would be appreciated!

Thanks!

Derek Cohn
WB0TUA

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4458. Re: MARS mod for FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338A34AF.328C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174551

Please Robert L. Willsey wrote:
>
> Does anyone have the mod for the new FT-920 to put it on the AF MARS
> frequencies?? I just got mine and was told it would be several weeks
> before I could get the mod as I need to send the license for MARS
> operation to the company before I can get it. My AF MARS call is AFA4IO.
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> BTW the radio is really nice and the dsp unit in it works great!!
>
> 73 de Bob w4nul@brightok.net
> ex W5VRA Got my old call back!

Please write a critical review of the FT-920 for the benifit of the
Newsgroup. Thanks, NS1R Steven Hershman

4459. HTX 212 Power output help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Thompson <cthompson01@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <338A1880.34AB@sprynet.com>
Source record: 174552

I have an RS HTX-212 that is only putting out 20 watts instead of the specified 45. Does anyone have the shop manual for this rig? If so, would you please tell me which potentiometer controls the output power?

I would like to try to correct the problem myself before sending it in for service.

FYI: I'm running the rig with an antenna set up of less than 1.5:1 so its not backing down the power because of a mismatch.

Please respond via email

Chris N1NIQ

4460. Re: Question About IC-2AT Battery Packs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5mdk6c$30r@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 174553
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <864692225.14365@dejanews.com>, keymaster@stlnet.com wrote:
>Can anyone help me with a small problem I'm having with an older Icom
>IC-2AT?
>
>I bought this radio in the early 1980s and it refuses to die so I decided
>to buy a new battery pack for it. The pack I bought is the ICOM BP-4
>which does not contain NiCds but has room to insert regular dry cell
>batteries. When I attached the new battery pack to the radio, there was
>no power to it. I double checked the batteries to make sure that they
>were good and I also checked to make sure that they were inserted
>correctly. When I use my older BP-3 NiCD battery back (purchased 5 or
>more years ago), the radio works fine.
>
>I noticed that the new BP-4 does not have a round steel ball on the top
>of the battery pack as does the BP-3. It appears as though this is one
>of the contacts for power. I wonder if this might be the problem. I
>asked ICOM if the BP-4 was compatible with the IC-2AT and they said
>"Yes". Is it possible that my IC-2AT is too old to be used with the
>BP-4? Am I overlooking something obvious?
>

Make sure the contacts on each of the two halves of the BP-4 case are
making electrical contact when the case is assembled. That is the weak
link in the design.

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

4461. Unable to programme for 143mhz alinko DJ 190

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "I.T. Dept." <midwest@tinet.ie>
Message-ID: <01bc6a1e$079b1b60$d5e7869f@default>
Source record: 174554

I cancelled original programming leaving it only capeable of operating on
144 to 145.99mhz. Want to operate on 143mhz
Will appreciate any help I can get

4462. unable to programme alinco dj190 to 143mhz, plese ignore I.T one.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: noel <noelf@tinet.ie>
Message-ID: <01bc6a26$2f7305a0$dce7869f@default>
Source record: 174555

I cancelled original programming leaving it only capeable of operating on
144 to 145.99mhz. Want to operate on 143mhz
Will appreciate any help I can get

4463. Warren Gregoire Boom Mike/Headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net>
Message-ID: <338A8079.486F436E@prefer.net>
Source record: 174556

Looking for any comments, good or bad that anyone might have on the Model TR-2000 Boom Mic./Headset as available from Warren Gregoire and Associates and as advertised in QST.

Looks similar to Heils' Pro Set but only half the money or so... maybe the ol' rule.".ya gets what ya pays for" applies here.

Thank for any comments...

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Regards,

Bill Brannick | WmLB@prefer.net
Costa Mesa, CA

4464. Questions for FT-51R owner... (51R vs. TH-79)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Staroscik <staroscik@sowest.net>
Message-ID: <3389BEE8.948@sowest.net>
Source record: 174557

I am torn between getting the Kenwood TH-79 and the Yaesu FT-51R. I have a couple of friends with the Kenwood, and I am familiar with its features. However I don't know anyone who owns the Yaesu, so I have to rely on catalogs and the net to get familiar with it. I have a couple of specific questions that I have been unable to get answered, and I hope a FT-51R owner can take a minute to help me out...

First, is adjusting the squelch a multi-step operation? (Is there a dedicated squelch control on top?)

Second, the paging features - does it use plain DTMF, or something else to send pages? (I want to interoperate with my Kenwood buddies. The TH-79 listens for DTMF tones you can send manually, I hope the Yaesu does too.)

Lastly, any considerations for operating the unit in an RF-busy area such as Los Angeles?

Many thanks in advance for your help. Post or email replies, I follow the group...

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Matt Staroscik KF6IYW "It's not a doll -
staroscik@sowest.net it's an ACTION FIGURE."

4465. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nancy and Jerry Herrington <jerry@avana.net>
Message-ID: <338A366E.7F36@avana.net>
Source record: 174558

Ej Mars wrote:
>
> I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and
> willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to
> ej.mars@lagn.comThanks
>
>
12 is up to 900.00 30lb cyl. Why don`t you convert to 134A, I do it all
the time and it works Great? Besides the I.R.S. regulates the
distribution of it.

4466. Re: Blown Fuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6a98$1e582e40$b15ab5cf@wfairclo.netcom.ca>
Source record: 174372
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Thanks to all that responded to my request. Received many useful
suggestions.

Regards

--
Walter Fairclough
Manotick, Ontario
wfairclo@netcom.ca

4467. Wanted: IC-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: nolhier@laas.fr
Message-ID: <nolhier-2705971424090001@gimli.laas.fr>
Source record: 174373

Dear OM,
I'm looking to buy a IC 202 in order to drive a 1.2GHz transverter.
If you are in Europe and wanted to sell it please send me a e-mail

73, Nicolas

--
Nicolas Nolhier LAAS/CNRS
Toulouse, FRANCE
HAM info's : my call is F5MDY
and my packet adress is : F5MDY@F6CDD.FR.EU

4468. Re: Need mods for Icom 281H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338ADDF8.40C3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174374

Kevin McEvoy wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> I am looking for Mods for the Icom 281H. I would like the mod to transmit
> out of band so I can use it in my Law Enforcement capacity.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Kevin McEvoy
> --
> --
> Kevin McEvoy
> San Bruno Police Dept.
> Dept Email: mcevoy@smrn.com
> Dept Home Page: http://www.ci.sanbruno.ca.us

Hi Kevin -- have you searched the WWW Mod Pages -- four or five of them
available at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageA.html#MODS

Also I read somewhere here on the use groups that Ham gear may not be
properly type accepted for out of band operation -- something to check
into.

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4469. Problem with IC-31E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: frode@sp067.cern.ch
Message-ID: <frode.864735903@news.cern.ch>
Source record: 174375

I am posting this again for a friend, LA8WF - Jon, who has problems
posting to the USENET groups. He is in need of help to get his IC-31
functioning again. Please reply directly to Jon at: jd @nera.no
or post a follow-up to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Many thanks.

73's Frode, F/LA2RL

I was trying to run the IC-31E on external power using the cable intended
from Icom, observing correct polarity (black =neg.supply).
The powersupply was set to abt 6 volts. The battery was fitted, and it was
close to empty.
The lock key was put in Lock position. As I was afraid of overcharging the
battery , I sat the pwr-supply
for current limiting. I discowered a pulsating current from the pwr.supply,
Probably the low-power function
you have on theese radios started its normal operation.
Then I touched a butten when reaching for the IC-31E. I discowered the
display was blank.!!
Removing the ext. pwr cable and replacing the battery with a charged one
did not help, I could not get the radio on!
Tried resetting without ereasing the channels programmed. Same problem.
At last , by plugging and unplugging the ext. pwr cable the RX functioned,
but the RX draws too much current!!!
With power off it draws abt. 200mA (the batt. removed).
When I measure the voltage by using the radios keys and display, it shows
only 0,8 volts!
Help needed!
73 de LA8WF
e-mail: jd @nera.no

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Frode Weierud Phone : +41 22 7674794
CERN, SL, CH-1211 Geneva 23, Fax : +41 22 7679185
Switzerland E-mail : Frode.Weierud@cern.ch

4470. FS: Vertex UHF Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7rfm@empnet.com
Message-ID: <864743048.13018@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale Vertex Hand held portable UHF radio, 6 channel programable
model FTH-7009, good condition with charger and manual.

$150.00

541-389-6496

n7rfm@empnet.com

http://www.empnet.com/satvideo/rfm.html

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4471. WTB: Kenwood TM-733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ryan@inc.net
Message-ID: <338af2dd.345230069@news.inc.net>
Source record: 174377

Wanted: Kenwood TM-733A.

Thanks,

Ryan Brooks, N9YBX
ryan@inc.net

4472. Advice requested on buying a repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: SCN <nospam.sci@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <864746184.170155@ran.zipcon.net>
Source record: 174378

I am considering buying a 440 band repeater setup w autopatch for a small group of users. Entry level. Anyone know of a magazine article or book that would help? Or better yet, know of a model, vender to recommend? OR, got one for sale or trade?

Thanks folks.

Ron, KC7SQC

4473. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <338af9ef.2477212@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 174379

On 22 May 97 16:21:10 GMT, morel@shani.NET (morel grunberg) wrote:

>I'm looking for more info and impressions
>on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
>transceiver. For those who already saw it
>at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?
>
>Any reply will be appreciated.
>
>73 de Morel, 4X1AD
>

After reading the followup posts of your message, I am interested in knowing how much this new concept will potentially set us back?

Thanks!

73!

de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
davidho@one.net

4474. TS-520S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: briordan@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <338af53e.558933@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 174380

Is there an easy way to reduce the output power on this radio? I need
to reduce power on 75m to avoid an rfi problem.
Thanks,
Brian
KJ7VN

4475. Re: Kenwood V7A Problems!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: guy@snsnet.net
Message-ID: <338affc9.428499405@news.bhm.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174381

On Sun, 25 May 1997 15:04:37 -0500, Todd Snyder
<kb9nvh@bluemarble.net> wrote:

>Im the proud new owner of a Kenwood V7A (for the past week or so) and
>here are my first impressions: (the other radio I own is an Icom Z1A HT)

Todd, I read your comments and I'm sorry I don't have an answer for
the problems you described. I do agree that the V7A is darn close to
being the best thing out there. Maybe a subsequent firmware revision
will suit you.

Have you learned the mods for this rig yet?

`73

Guy
WA4OJK

4476. New Web Page Added

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce.....N4ZEZ" <gene@alaweb.com>
Message-ID: <338B07D0.3B28@alaweb.com>
Source record: 174382

I have added a Classified page to my web site for all hams to list their personal items they may be looking for, or want to sell or trade. Only amateur radio realted and computer items are allowed to be posted and only from licensed amateurs... the link is...

<http://www.alaweb.com./~gene/classified.htm>
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Best 73.......Good DX
Bruce....N4ZEZ

Visit my Home Page >>>>>>
<http://www.alaweb.com/~gene/index.htm>
Packet BBS Address......n4zez@gw.n5uxt.ampr.org

+++ Amateur Radio Operators are Propagationally Challenged +++

4477. R. Langston's connector's are unsafe!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5mf4j8cfi3@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 174383

I was looking through the Digikey catalog where I found the connectors R. Langston sells for $.84 unit price (quantities of 1). The current rating on this connector is only 11 Amps. Unless your radio supports seperating the positive lead into two seperate pins, this will draw excessive current for the connector. The same applies for the negative. This is only unsafe if your radio has only two pins (+ and -). On my IC-738, it will work OK because ICOM parallels the leads into the radio to seperate the current. QST should let people know this since they are accepting the advertising in the back of the mag.

-- Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4478. F.S. Yeasu microphone MD-1C $75 shipped.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McDowell ~ N0WCF <jeff@saturn.flipag.net>
Message-ID: <338B1B28.D55@saturn.flipag.net>
Source record: 174384

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This microphone works great, just has a minor scuff on the chrome shaft,
otherwise in perfect condition. Will sell for $75 shipped.
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4479. Re: DC connectors for ICOM radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5mf4aocfi2@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 174385

That is excatly what I am going to do. It seems many people here in Utah use that connector for interoperability. The local ARES group uses it as well. I am going to use the standard cable from ICOM as a jumper from the Molex connector to the Power Pole cable.
Thanks...

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Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4480. Re: SO much for customer service!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5mf441cfi1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 174386

He certainly does try to make one think that you can build the
identical connector just by adding the zip cord!

Dick Flanagan
(dick@merlin.libelle.com) wrote:
: Funny. Isn't that essentially what he advertises?!
: --
: Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
: Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

--
Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

4481. RE: FS: ICOM Radios - SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JIM BALES <jbales@iland.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6aca$9a9f4b00$780503d0@jbales.iland.net>
Source record: 174387

Thanks to all that inquired of the radios and good luck to the ones who bought them!
73 Jim K0KM

4482. ## WTB: dual band handy 144/440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dragans@eunet.yu
Message-ID: <5mfadn$2rf$10@SOLAIR3.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 174388

Want to buy dual band handy talky (144/440).

Make an offer.

Dragan Stojanovic <> dragans@eunet.yu

4483. ## ICOM AH-2 ANTENNA TUNER - MANUAL NEED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dragans@eunet.yu
Message-ID: <5mfadl$2rf$8@SOLAIR3.EUnet.yu>
Source record: 174389

Hi there,

I need a manual for Icom AH-2 antenna tuner. If anyone may help please
send me an e-mail.

Regards,

Dragan Stojanovic <> dragans@eunet.yu

4484. Re: F.S. : W2A ICOM Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jfleck@kiva.net
Message-ID: <338a8966.3106228@news.kiva.net>
Source record: 174390

On Sat, 24 May 1997 15:47:39 -0700, jstilson*@whidbey.net wrote:

>I am selling my seldom used Icom W2A HT, with all it accessories.
>
>These include:
>
>Rapid Charger
>Spare Battery
>Spare Antenna
>Radio Holster
>
>All manuals and boxs.
>
>John
What is your selling price?
Has it been modified?
John KA9YOK

4485. TH-28 key combinations and frequency opening.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JayDee
Message-ID: <338c3090.1271634@news.telepac.pt>
Source record: 174391

Can someone tell me about undocumented key combinations? I think there may be a way of entering any frequency in the VFO limit memory M(1 sec)+4 and M(1 sec)+7. I�ve been trying to figure it out but unsuccessfully. I cloned a TH-79 to my TH-28 and it's doing 118-512 continuous but I'm still not happy...

73's de
Pedro Bastos

4486. [=== LOOKING for HP 1740 and Tektronics 529 MANUALS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <864764200.3897@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.misc,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment

Looking for manuals for the following equipment:

HP 1740 100MHz Oscilloscape

Tektronics 529 Video Waveform Monitor

Sony DXC-M2 Video Camera

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4487. TS940

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Bellas <rabella@ilstu.edu>
Message-ID: <338B412A.2257@ilstu.edu>
Source record: 174393

My Kenwood TS940 has 110 watts out on lsb, usb, rtty. However on cw it only puts out 50 watts. Any ideas?

4488. Re: TS-520S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5mfgih$8f6@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 174394

In article <338af53e.558933@news.earthlink.net>, briordan@earthlink.net says...
>
>Is there an easy way to reduce the output power on this radio? I need
>to reduce power on 75m to avoid an rfi problem.

Sure... just turn down the mic gain on SSB or the Carrier level on CW. Power output will be reduced. You can go down to just a few Watts by cranking back these controls.

73,
Dean K5DH

4489. Attenuator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Svenn-Ivar Svendsen <sis@hekta.iet.hist.no>
Message-ID: <338B314F.6392@hekta.iet.hist.no>
Source record: 174395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi
Can anyone describe the input attenuator of a digital oscilloscope? As I'm planning to build a low-end dig. scope, this is of interrest. Any response is highly appreciated.
Thanks.

Svenn-Ivar Svendsen
Dept. of Electrical Engeneering
sis@hekta.iet.hist.no
http://hekta.iet.hist.no/~sis

4490. HF -> 6M & 2M Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Schroder <schroder@erols.com>
Message-ID: <338B5ED4.3AEE@erols.com>
Source record: 174396

Does someone know of any manufacturers who make HF to 6M and 2M transverters? I am interested in trying 6M and I would like all-mode 2M capability but I am not interested in paying for a 6M rig or an all-mode 2M rig. Are HF to 2M transverters practical? I believe Ten Tec makes kit/assembled units. Are these the only currently produced units available? Are there older models from other manufacturers worth considering on the used market? I remember having 6M and 2M transverters with my Heath Mohawk receiver, but those were for receive only. If anyone has transverter experience, could you pass along some wisdom?

Thanks,
Todd
KF4KHM

4491. ? about my Icom IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ryan <WO4J@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338B1495.7071@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174397

Yesterday I talked to a friend of mine on 10 meters and I notice
the audio sound a little distorted,he said my voice sounded the same on
his end.We went on 15 the same thing even on 12 and 17 meters.20 thru
160 meters no problem at all.When I listened to my transmissiom with the
monitor on I could not hear any problem.I went to cw mode and that
sounded distorted.Does anyone have any idea what this could be.
Maybe in the PLL Circuit or VCO Circuit.
Mike WO4J

4492. FS: KENWOOD TS-820 & AT-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6af2$bdbde560$1fd666ce@paul>
Source record: 174398

I have for sale a clean/healthy Kenwood TS-820 HF rig = 160 thru 10 meters
and a matching Kenwood AT-200 tuner/swr/wattmeter also 160 thru 10 meters.

Microphone and manual are included. Rig has internal power supply and is
solid state except for three tubes = two 6146B finals and a damper tube
(12by7).

Rig is hooked up and will be demonstrated. Prefer pickup at time of
purchase. Price does not include packing, shipping or insurance.

Price: $475.00 firm
==========

Extra pair of new 6146B tubes available.

Price: $30.00 (pair)
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Paul London 1311 Santiago Court Punta Gorda, Florida 33950
ki4xz@kf4hfr ki4xz@peganet.com 941-637-0179

4493. WTB Poor man's spectrum analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil Heckt <neil@aade.com>
Message-ID: <338BCC3D.5BDF@aade.com>
Source record: 174399

want poor man's spectrum analyzer either unbuilt kit or put togather.
packaging in unimportant as long as it works.
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Neil
Homebrew Heaven at http://www.aade.com
Home of L/C Meter IIB and Digital Frequency Display
Links to sites of interest to Engineers, Amateurs and hobbyists
interested in Circuit Design and construction.

4494. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Emerson <gregemmy@lni.net>
Message-ID: <338B0200.5A73@lni.net>
Source record: 174400
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>Watch out Andy, I gave somewhat of the same advice and was told by many do
>good posters that it was illegal to run an amp. on CB.

I wasn't one of those "do good" posters, but what's so bad about doing
good??? Why be a petty criminal? Just use your 2 meter rig and don't
worry about the CB...or do it with the legal 4 watts. No rocket science
needed here.

Regards,

Greg WG8N

4495. Re: modifications to TH-79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: JayDee
Message-ID: <338b2edb.834616@news.telepac.pt>
Source record: 174401

Em 19 May 1997 09:48:00 -0700, Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
escreveu:

> :) Vik Bajaj wrote:
> :) >
> :) > Are there any software modifications that can be done to the TH-79A
> :) > (i.e. without cutting microscopic surface mount components)?
> :) >
> :)
> :) There are several mods which involve removing diodes. If you aren't
> :) interested in that, cutting the green wire which is accessable by
> :) removing the ctscc module will give a modest increase in coverage
> :) (118-174, 420-450). Reset the microprocessor afterwards.
> :)
> :) Bob
> :)
> :) --
> :) Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
> :) Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
> :) AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
> :) http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

Idon't know these mods but I saw one guy doing a modification to a TH-79E in our local store, only using the keypad. This radio was just out of the box. Ask around and maybe you'll get an answer.

Jaydee

4496. Re: [=== LOOKING for HP 1740 and Tektronics 529 MANUALS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Black <ron.black@pstbbs.com>
Message-ID: <338B77B5.121F@pstbbs.com>
Source record: 174402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.misc,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment

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rasmusst@geocities.com wrote:
>
> Looking for manuals for the following equipment:
>
> HP 1740 100MHz Oscilloscape
>
> Tektronics 529 Video Waveform Monitor
>
> Sony DXC-M2 Video Camera
>
> -Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
> mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
> rasmusst@geocities.com

Thor, you can probably get the first two manuals from the attached
sources. I don't know of the Sony source though.... Ron.

Ron Black-> Snohomish, WA......Check my webpage, Updated: 5/23/97
FS: -> Pulse Gen, Scopes, Counter, Parts, calibrator, parts, etc.
Here's my page: -> http://www.pstbbs.com/ronblack/ronblack.htm

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="MANUAL.TXT"

These are sources selling service manuals:

Tektronix:

Deane Kidd
27270 SW Ladd Hill Road
Sherwood, OR 97140
503 625-7363

Tektronix & HP:

Ed Matsuda
P.O. Box 390613
San Diego, CA 92149
619 479-0225 voice
619 479-1670 fax

B+K Precision:

Maxtec International Corp.
6470 W. Cortland St.
Chicago IL 60635
(312) 889-1448
(312) 794-9740 fax

Expensive, but big....

Manuals Plus
P.O. Box 549
TAD #601
Tooele, Utah 84074
(801) 882-7188
(801) 882-7195 Fax

Here's an e-mail address for some other general service manual sources:

mgasman@cambridge.village.com (Martin Gasman)

Another new source:

Manual Merchant
Linda Perkins
2475 Loring St.
San Diego, CA 92109
619/4909076 Voice
619/4909075 Fax
linda_p@ix.netcom.com (e-mail)

This is an URL with a great listing of manual sources:
http://www.paranoia.com/~filipg/HTML/REPAIR/F_Manuals.html#MANUALS_002

Please let me know any sources you have found to be good too:

ron.black@pstbbs.com

Rev. Date:01/12/97

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4497. FT-50 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Connie Hulst <chulst@polar.polarcomm.com>
Message-ID: <338B70A0.3C@polar.polarcomm.com>
Source record: 174403

I am considering buying a Yaesu FT-50. Anyone who owns this radio and has opinions on it, I am interested in hearing about it. Also, I know this has been covered here before, but what are some addresses of web pages with FT-50 info?

Anyone with any information, please e-mail it to me as well as posting. Thanks!

73 de Nick Hulst, AA0VY
chulst@polar.polarcomm.com

4498. Vibro, Motorola Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lynne & Robert Scott <ks4vn@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <338B6B09.4FB6@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174404

I have for sale

A Motorola Automatic antenna tuner. Microprocessor controlled
automatic HF-SSB tuner rated 125 watts.
Runs on 12 vdc. Like new. A Random wire tuner that will work
to 10 meters. $150 with manual.

Vibroplex EK-1 Keyer. This is the Brass Racer, (an older one, all
brass,not aluminum), with the Curtis keyer in the base. $90.00

4499. FS FT416 2m HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338BB27F.552E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174405

I have a mint condition ft 416 with box, manual and car charger.
This unit has too many bells and whisles for me.
I want $250 shipped. E-mail me. 73 Chris

4500. WTB MFJ 959 ant analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338BB1CD.2913@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174406

If you have one let me know price and condition. e-mail me
73 Chris

4501. FS: Kenwood TS-530s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <338B8DB4.6C3D@southeast.net>
Source record: 174407

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood TS-530, 160-10 meter HF transciever. Includes WARC bands.
200 watts.

MC-50 microphone.

Original owner, original box and manuals.

Excellent condition.

$400

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

Thanks,

Jim
WA5VPW

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

4502. RE: ADI-600 VHF/UHF Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970527143147147 54@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 174408

>>Does anyone have some insight about the ADI-600 Dual Bander
>>Handheld? I recently purchased it and I was wondering...

Kinda a backwards way of doin' it, Joseph...buying FIRST, then asking
for our opinions...<g>

No problem in your case though, Joseph. The ADI AT-600 is a great unit -
fully-loaded at a great price.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

4503. FYI: FS - Icom Portable Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97052714314814755@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 174409

This message was from scottb@ionet.net (Scott Brillhart) to ALL
and was forwarded to you by CLINT BRADFORD

From: scottb@ionet.net (Scott Brillhart)
Subject: FS: Icom Portable Chargers

I have several CM-35 rapid chargers for Icom handy-talkie's. Thye are the
commercial version of the BC-35. I am asking $35.00 each for them. I also
have same series gang chargers that hold 6 radios. asking $100 each for those.
Email me at scottb@ionet.net if interested.

73's DE N5JJZ

4504. Want Manual on SPACE-MATIC 21 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2705970911010001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 174410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I am looking for the operator's manual for a Data Engineering SPACE-MATIC 21 morse keyer from the early 70s. I am sure it is nothing more than a small booklet, but I can't find mine.

Thanks to anyone who can help me run one down.

73, Dick W6OLD
--
Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

4505. Vibro, Motorola Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lynne & Robert Scott <ks4vn@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <338B6B39.E1@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale

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to 10 meters. $150 with manual.

Vibroplex EK-1 Keyer. This is the Brass Racer, (an older one, all
brass,not aluminum), with the Curtis keyer in the base. $90.00

4506. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa490@freenet.hamilton.on.ca
Message-ID: <5metpv$l30@main.freenet.hamilton.on.ca>
Source record: 174412
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Peter A. Forkes (pforkes@pobox.com) wrote:
: I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
: installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
: Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
: best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
: What can you suggest?
: Peter

The best performance will be had by using a full length 1/4 wave
whip (102"). They actually look OK on a pathfinder when mounted on the
back bumper at one corner.

If you desire a somewhat shorter antenna, and don't mind mounting
it on the roof, then a base-loaded whip will perform well. There's
basically 2 kinds of these (this is oversimplified, but will give you
an idea of what's important for efficiency)

1) Steel whips about 35" long. They tend to radiate mostly from
the whip; the bottom loading coil is used mainly for matching.

2) Steel whips about 51" long. These usually are designed so that
the coil radiates some of the signal as well as the whip. They
tend to be more efficient than the #1 type. (K40 is one of many
in this class)

All bottom loaded antennas perform poorly if the coil isn't
positioned so that it's free of metal obstructions.

If you want to mount a whip off the corner bumpers or side of a
vehicle and don't want the size of a 9' whip, then I'd recommend using
a top loaded whip (your standard 4' white truckers antenna). These
antennas move the current node as far up the whip as possible which
increases efficiency, and are better able to deal with unusual ground
plane irregularities found when corner-mounting.

Paul

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4507. FT2400M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark <grubbs1@popcorn.llnl.gov>
Message-ID: <338B62B3.6454@popcorn.llnl.gov>
Source record: 174413

Well, I've searched the net, and can't find any info on how I might extend the Tx/Rx on my new Yaesu FT 2500M. I've seen the following procedure for the 2400H, but I don't know if the units are exactly the same as far as the mod is concerned. Can anyone help?

Thanks!

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From: jpd@pc.usl.edu (Dugal James P.)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: Yaesu FT2400H frequency mod
Message-ID: <1992Feb18.212023.17600@usl.edu>
Date: 18 Feb 92 21:20:23 GMT
Article-I.D.: usl.1992Feb18.212023.17600
Sender: anon@usl.edu (Anonymous NNTP Posting)
Organization: Univ. of Southwestern La., Lafayette
Lines: 21
Originator: jpd@pc.usl.edu

>From Tom N5OFF:

FT-2400H Frequency Mod

-remove front panel (2 allen screws)
-locate and unsolder jumper pad 2
-locate and solder jumper pads 1 & 3
-install front panel

result
118-174 rx
140-174 tx
---
cpu battery 6 5 4 3 2 1 <-jumpers

****
--
-mg

Mark Grubbs
Livermore, CA

grubbs1@popcorn.llnl.gov

4508. Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walker Brents <wbrents@flash.net>
Message-ID: <338BC087.2C58@flash.net>
Source record: 174414

My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He does not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
Walker N5KZZ

4509. Sale: 2-Meter All-Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <338B69CD.32C@humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174415

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Price Drop...
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4510. FT-51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: asimonin@murdrum.nmsu.edu
Message-ID: <5mfqeb$m18@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 174416

I too am a newly licensed Ham! One of my class instructors had a Yaesu FT-51R and so I had someone to talk to, the actual unit to play with. Well I bought one and am very happy. It's kind of pricey... $479 (HRO) for the higher power (battery voltage) unit. Also bought a Premier AL800 dual band antenna since it close to 60 miles between me and some of the repeaters I purchased a extra Ni Hydride battery, a must else you are off the air when the battery goes! The little rubber duck antenna worked but the AL800 gives me better signal strength. Hope this helps!

asimonin@acca.nmsu.edu
KD5AEY
---Las Cruces, NM---
Engineering, converting science into technology

4511. Re: Charlie Durand Re: HRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <338BB425.3E25@pacbell.net>
Source record: 174417
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

NutCracker wrote:
>
> OK Carlie, I like your idea of free speech.
>
> I think you are an *****. You aren't even original enough to pick on
> some other store, you have to pick up where your **** buddy Ted Nutcase
> left off. How damn sick must you be to go around stirin up things for
> kicks. You probably are a QRMer and get your rocks off meowing into
> your ham rig on the traders nets too. Charlie all the ****** you are
> passing around here ain't sellin here and probably in 90 percent of the
> places that it lands.
>
> So why dont you just button it up and hit the road ******. If you
> gotta screw with somebody go pick on your boyfriend K2UEE cause it
> sounds you been ***** with the nutcakes!

I do not agree with the position that Charlie Durand takes regarding HRO.

AND

I do NOT believe that it does any good to spread hate and attack him as the
above message does.

Please don't start a flame war in this newsgroup.

Sincerely,

Bob Diaz KF6JHG

4512. Re: Vibro, Motorola Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Garabedian <westernmobiletel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338B8984.BBA@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Lynne & Robert Scott wrote:
>
> I have for sale
>
> A Motorola Automatic antenna tuner. Microprocessor controlled
> automatic HF-SSB tuner rated 125 watts.
> Runs on 12 vdc. Like new. A Random wire tuner that will work
> to 10 meters. $150 with manual.
>
> Vibroplex EK-1 Keyer. This is the Brass Racer, (an older one, all
> brass,not aluminum), with the Curtis keyer in the base. $90.00

HI! Do you still have the tuner? It is exactly what I have been looking for. I am in Anaheim, CA. If you still have it where do I send the money? Best Regards, ARTHUR 73 KC6KUK . . .

4513. F.S. : W2A ICOM Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <338BBBA9.33E4@whidbey.net>
Source record: 174419

I am selling my seldom used Icom W2A HT, with all it accessories.

These include:

Rapid Charger
Spare Battery
Spare Antenna
Radio Holster

All manuals and boxs.

John

4514. Re: modifications to TH-79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5mge4h$a5l@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 174420

In article <338b2edb.834616@news.telepac.pt>, JayDee wrote:
>Em 19 May 1997 09:48:00 -0700, Bob Nielsen <nielsen@primenet.com>
>escreveu:
>
>> :) Vik Bajaj wrote:
>> :) >
>> :) > Are there any software modifications that can be done to the TH-79A
>> :) > (i.e. without cutting microscopic surface mount components)?
>> :) >
>> :)
>> :) There are several mods which involve removing diodes. If you aren't
>> :) interested in that, cutting the green wire which is accessable by
>> :) removing the ctscc module will give a modest increase in coverage
>> :) (118-174, 420-450). Reset the microprocessor afterwards.
>
>Idon't know these mods but I saw one guy doing a modification to a
>TH-79E in our local store, only using the keypad. This radio was just
>out of the box. Ask around and maybe you'll get an answer.

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Several models (but not the U.S./Canada TH-79A) can get additional
frequencies in the 300 and 800 MHz ranges by using the keypad.

Bob

--
Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen
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4515. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Moss <andmoss@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <338BA59A.711D@ibm.net>
Source record: 174421
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

William Lee wrote:

> > If you are concerned with being heard, you could install an outboard
> > power amplifier to the rig. Bear in mind this is illegal. However, the
> > noise is often so thick on CB that you need more than 4 watts to "make
> > the trip".

> Watch out Andy, I gave somewhat of the same advice and was told by many do
> good posters that it was illegal to run an amp. on CB.

Well, I'm not saying that anyone should buy an amplifier just because
damn near everyone else has one. <G>

The reality of the situation is that you need a lot of grunt just to get
across the street when the noise level is high. The standard mobile
install of a VHF-lo commercial two-way radio is 50Watts, with most
running 80W+. For VHF it is 25Watts and UHF 25Watts as well. Most
repeaters are running 50-100Watts.

If 5Watts is "good enough for anybody", I've seen no evidence of that!

Cheers!

--
Andy Moss
"In God we trust - the rest can pay cash......."

4516. Re: FS: Yeasu FTV-700 2 meter transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsipe@calweb.com
Message-ID: <MPG.df55e4ede5b7284989684@news.calweb.com>
Source record: 174422

In article <5mfvth$80g$1@news.wizvax.net>, rment@abacuswave.com says...
> "Randy Adams" <adamscr@ham.muohio.edu> writes: > Yeasu 2 meter transverter for sale or swap for ???
> > NO antennas....
> > About 1 millwatt input with 10 watt out. repeaters splits built in.
> > works on FM, SSB, CW, AM
> > good cond...
> > Randy- NT8N
> > adamscr@ham.muohio.edu

> Randy:
>
> I have a Yeasu DM-901. What is your transverter designed to work with.
> I am not familiar with that model.
>

I know this wasn't directed a me, but I have an FTV-700. I believe it uses the same modules as your DM-901, but only one can be installed at a time. I have the modules for 144 and 432 Mhz. It takes about 3 to 5 minutes to swap them is you use all the screws. It is designed to work with the Yaesu FT-77 HF transeiver that has a special low level output and an input from the transverter to latch out the tranceivers finals. It works very nice.

David KD6QFZ
dsipe@calweb.com

4517. Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Hackney <aln@any.net>
Message-ID: <338B1BCD.1854@any.net>
Source record: 174423

Looking for used 2 mtr Power amps.
aln@any.net

4518. FreeNetAccessWorldwide

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: interbbs@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <338b1797.8493547@hiroken.hiroken.or.jp>
Source record: 174424

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Free Adult Internet Connection Worldwide Via Our Bbs.
Follow the link and enjoy...
http://cybercity.hko.net/la/interbbs/freenet/free.htm
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4519. Re: R. Langston's connector's are unsafe!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick@merlin.libelle.com
Message-ID: <dick-ya02408000R2705971905130001@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 174425

In article <5mf4j8cfi3@news.inconnect.com>, toms@inconnect.inconnect.com (Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>I was looking through the Digikey catalog where I found the connectors R. >Langston sells for $.84 unit price (quantities of 1). The current rating >on this connector is only 11 Amps.

The current rating is the same as the connectors used by ICOM, etc. The 20-amp radios all double-up and use two pins for each polarity.
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Dick Flanagan W6OLD CFII Minden, Nevada
Visit http://www.delphi.com/electronic/

4520. Re: FT-50 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Szpyrka <wb8tif@cris.com>
Message-ID: <338BA108.4245@cris.com>
Source record: 174426

Connie Hulst wrote:
>
> I am considering buying a Yaesu FT-50. Anyone who owns this radio and
> has opinions on it, I am interested in hearing about it. Also, I know
> this has been covered here before, but what are some addresses of web
> pages with FT-50 info?
>
> Anyone with any information, please e-mail it to me as well as posting.
> Thanks!
>
> 73 de Nick Hulst, AA0VY
> chulst@polar.polarcomm.com
For the price you can't pass it up, great radio. The web page with the
latest and greatest info/mods is at
http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
enjoy
73 Rick WB8TIF
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Rick Szpyrka WB8TIF
Bloomfield Hills, MI USA
Email: wb8tif@cris.com or wb8tif@amsat.org
URL: http://www.concentric.net/~wb8tif

4521. Filters??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <338AFFAE.621E@flash.net>
Source record: 174427

I have a 2 meter Icom 2000 that has a problem with noise that breaks thru the squelch. I don't know if its intermod or what kind of noise. Are there any filter that can help quiet this?

Thanks,

Lee H.

4522. Re: ALX-2E ALINCO INFO. Required.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bacidoy@nac.net
Message-ID: <338B9A8A.4DF3@nac.net>
Source record: 174428

Tony Fay wrote:
>
> CAN YOU HELP PLEASE,
> I have an old but much loved Alinco ALX-2E 2metre handheld which i wish
> to pass on to my son now entering the hobby. I am looking for User
> /Service manual (or copies)for this handheld.
>
> Also a speaker mike and also a loud speaker for same (my loud speaker
> was damaged by iron filings and is now distorted.
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> Regards, TONY EI6EQB (e-mial tonyfay@indigo.ie)
I am also in the same boat as you I have one of these radios and am also
looking for any info if you find some please pass it along

4523. Shack Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Walter R. Jones, Jr - KC7HEX" <kc7hex@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <338B6ECF.2BD0@amsat.org>
Source record: 174429

FOR SALE:

Yaesu FT-736R VHF/UHF All Mode Transceiver $1400 shipped
Yaesu FT-890AT HF Transceiver with autotuner $1100 shipped
and SP-6 Speaker with filters (MINT)

Kenwood TS-520SE $350 shipped

Kenwood Station: $1150 shipped

TS-440SAT HF Transceiver with autoturner and filters
TS-430 DC Power Supply
TS-430 Speaker
MC-60 Desk Microphone
Computer Interface with program
Service Manual

All rigs in excellent working order. All with original manuals and
documentation. For additional information, call (541)882-8330 in
the evenings (PST) or best yet, e-mail to wjonesjr@cdsnet.net.

73s
Walt
KC7HEX

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==73==
Walter R. Jones, Jr. E-Mail: kc7hex@amsat.org
Callsign : KC7HEX Location: Klamath Falls, Oregon
Latitude : 42 09.54 Country : U.S.A.
Longitude: 121 40.79 AMSAT-NA: 31687
Grid: CN92dd http://home.cdsnet.net/~wjonesjr/amateur.htm

4524. Need mod for Icom 281H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom.Currie@moes.iglou.com
Message-ID: <gtexp.970527n3567@moes.iglou.com>
Source record: 174430

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| I am looking for a mod for the ICom 281H that will allow you to transmit
| out of band. I then can use it for ham radio and for emergency services,
| since I am a Police Officer. Any help would be appreciaited.
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|
| Kevin McEvoy
| KO6MX
| --
| ------------------------------------------------
| Kevin McEvoy
| San Bruno Police Dept.
| Dept Email: mcevoy@smrn.com
| Dept Home Page: http://www.ci.sanbruno.ca.us
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Apparently you are one of those police officers who feels they are above the law or that laws don't apply to police officers -- otherwise I would expect a ham with an Advanced Class call sign to have at least heard of type acceptance requirements.

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Route: 10/3w2 10/22
.ORIGIN: 010/003 - The Volunteer BBS, Valley Station KY, 502-937-5450, V.32bis -=+=-
Operating Continuously Since December 1987 -=+=- -=+=- -=+=-
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4525. WANTED: << GE MVP Versatones >>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlam@netrax.net
Message-ID: <5mdiel$fau1@roo.netrax.net>
Source record: 174431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

GE MVP Versatone Elements

Our radio club is looking for versatone
elements for 110.9 Hz.

I have the following elements to trade.

Quan Freq Hz
1 77.0
1 88.5
2 162.2
2 186.2
9 173.8

Prefer trade, but purchase possible.

John K3NXU jlam @ netrax.net

4526. Re: FS: RADIO SHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <338a2ec4.6440738@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 26 May 1997 15:03:26 GMT, cheewug@aol.com (CHEEWUG) wrote:

>I have a Radio Shack HTX-202 with spkr.mic. , manual , box , nicad ,
>charger , antenna. Radio was use for packet and is in perfect working
>cond. & no scratches
>$145.00 (I'll Ship/48) - $130.00 (U-Ship)
>If interested , send reply for phone or with your phone.
>
>73 , Rich.

I will sell mine [HTX-202] for US$140 w/shipping. I used for a month.
if you are interested, contact me by e-mail at masa@writeme.com

Masataka Noda
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4527. Sale OR Swap Kenwood TS-950SD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5mdcglinv1@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 174560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking to sell My Kenwood TS950SD with matching SP950 Speaker in excellent condx for $2250 shipped cont. us or trade for a JRC JST245 or possibly a trade/cash deal towards a ICOM 781 or 775

Thanks, Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

4528. FS; TELEGRAPH SIGNAL SET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob <murano@sover.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6a43$d64488a0$6e1247cc@murano>
Source record: 174561

Selling a Brumberger Official Codemaster Telegraph Signal Set with Morse Code record. In the box with the record and two well made Morse Code sending receiving units- "It buzzes, it flashes, it clicks".. Includes directions. Made in Bklyn. NY.. Box is a little (as in a little) shopworn and 45rpm in original sheath has a tiny chip out of the edge in one spot that is outside of the groove area. Looking for the best reasonable offer. Thanks, Bob

4529. Wanted: Yeasu FT 101-ZD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: noel@li.com
Message-ID: <338a534a.2654492@news.li.com>
Source record: 174562

I'mlooking for a good clean Yeasu FT 101-ZD.thanks
****
Noel Anderson NI1Q
PO Box 342
Canaan, CT 06018-0342
****
Please visit my Web site at
http://home.li.com/~noel/noel.html
****

4530. Wanted: Kenwood TS-830

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: noel@li.com
Message-ID: <338a5258.2412649@news.li.com>
Source record: 174563

I'm looking to buy a Kenwood -830S in good condition with manuals.
noel@li.com
****
Noel Anderson NI1Q
PO Box 342
Canaan, CT 06018-0342
****
Please visit my Web site at
http://home.li.com/~noel/noel.html
****

4531. Need mods for Icom 281H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin McEvoy <mcevoy@smrn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6a55$5aad4300$11ded3cf@default>
Source record: 174564

Hello,

I am looking for Mods for the Icom 281H. I would like the mod to transmit
out of band so I can use it in my Law Enforcement capacity.

Thanks,

Kevin McEvoy
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Kevin McEvoy
San Bruno Police Dept.
Dept Email: mcevoy@smrn.com
Dept Home Page: http://www.ci.sanbruno.ca.us

4532. Re: Antenna for condo with re

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970527043901.AAA17716@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174565

Walter Cang wrote:
>
> I recently moved to a condo with antenna restrictions. I would like to
> know what antennas can be used over the balcony on the 19th floor? I've
> heard of the isopole of AEA but am not sure if they're still available
> since AEA has closed shop. MFJ has the 1621? field day telescopic
> antenna that comes with a built in matching base? and a length of
> coax but I haven't heard much feedback about using it in enclosed
> areas. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Walter de DU7NI@DX1CW.CLUZ.PHL.OC

For 2 meter you might try the ventenna, mounts over the vent pipe on the top of your roof, totally hidden. If you are talking HF, you have to use the antenna tape, and mount it around the eaves of the house.

Good Luck N1WSA

4533. Really need this stuff!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: N3WUU <~steves@clark.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6a57$be292dc0$01088fa8@{steves}-ppp.clark.net>
Source record: 174566
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.swap

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Still looking for the following Motorola stuff:

TLE1713A or TLE1714A 75 Watt Power Amplifier
TLN4669B Line Driver Module
TLN4662A Squelch Gate Module

Have the following stuff for sale (or trade for above):

TRN8583A/TLE1933A 250W Power Amp
TRN6567A/TPN1168A Power Supply for above
TPN1167A Power Supply Filter Deck for above

All from/for a UHF Micor base, 450-470 split.

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73 de N3WUU
~steves@clark.net (remove the tilde for email replies)
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4534. Portable Power System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Ellington <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <338A6245.421F@iglou.com>
Source record: 174567

You guys who operate QRP protable will be interested in this gadget I found at Walmart. It's called "Handy Power System" and sells for $25. I found it in the automotive battery section. Basically, It's a self-contained, battery power system with a built in charger, flashlight and multible power jacks for most anything. Indicator leds keep you informed of the charge level. It is supposed to supply 4 amp hours which should be plenty for a day in the field with a qrp or 2 meter ht. Another nice feature is the shoulder strap and carying handle. Charging voltage can come from either a 12v wall wart or from the cigar lighter in the car. At $25 I found it hard to pass up.

I'm going to use it while mobiling. My TenTec qrp rig requires super regulated dc voltage that I just can't get from the car's system. I'll just put the power system behing the driver's seat and plug the rig into it's one of 2 built in cigar lighter jacks.

No, I don't work for Walmart. Just thought I'de pass along a nice accessory for your station.

73 Steve N4LQ

4535. Cherokee 6-m Handheld - Opinions!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstefani@mnsi.net
Message-ID: <338a30dc.11115523@snews.mnsi.net>
Source record: 174568

Has anyone purchased the new Cherokee 6-m handheld yet? A local
dealer sells them for $399 CDN (full list). Any comments on this rig?
I'm a bit worried about buying a ham radio from a company that is
predominantly a C.B. manufacturer, but hey...

73...de VE3TIZ

4536. Re: Question About IC-2AT Battery Packs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <5me12c$8af@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 174569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

>In article <864692225.14365@dejanews.com>, keymaster@stlnet.com wrote:
>>I noticed that the new BP-4 does not have a round steel ball on the top
>>of the battery pack as does the BP-3. It appears as though this is one
>>of the contacts for power. I wonder if this might be the problem. I
>>asked ICOM if the BP-4 was compatible with the IC-2AT and they said
>>"Yes". Is it possible that my IC-2AT is too old to be used with the
>>BP-4? Am I overlooking something obvious?

If the 2AT battery connections are like the IC-A20 aviation transceiver
(and I think they are), the little steel ball on the top of the battery
pack is a *charging* contact. It's used for charging the battery pack
when it is mounted on the radio and the radio is supplied with external
13.8 V. Since the BP-4 is for non-rechargeable batteries, it won't have
this contact.

The contact for discharging the battery is a small screw off to one
side of centre. Common ground is the metal rails that the pack attaches
to the transceiver with.

Dave

4537. ***WTB IC-706, HONGKONG ONLY***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Brown <hkham@susis.ust.hk>
Message-ID: <5megri$si1@ustsu10.ust.hk>
Source record: 174570

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!
AS Title Thanks
:wq
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4538. Re: CERAMIC PLANAR TRIODE INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: keng@techlock.com
Message-ID: <338acdaa.1321704@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 174571

On 23 May 97 02:36:40 UTC, drussell@idirect.com (David Russell) wrote:

>
>I am looking for engineering data (ie characteristic data, application
>notes, mechanical drawings, anechdotes, etc, etc.) for the familly of
>ceramic planar triodes manufactured by GE.
>
>Example part #'s: 7296, 7462, 7588, 7625, 8081, 8082, 8083

>
>73,
>
>David Russell, VE3 VDO
>drussell@idirect.com

You might try calling MPD in Owensboro, Kentucky. They are the
former GE plant, and now make the planar triodes. It's been a few
years since I represented them, but I think they still make them. I
know they make some for their own use in amplifiers and oscillators.

Good luck with your search.

Ken Gunton WB6QWF Microwave & RF Components
http://www.techlock.com Techlock Distributing
Phone 937-434-5078, Fax 937-434-5079

4539. Frequency Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: fthery@nordnet.fr
Message-ID: <338c4ab7.28360573@news.internetsat.com>
Source record: 174222

I am French. I am going this summer to the USA (NY and Philadelphia).
My uncle is a ham radio. He would like to get some information about
this product : MFJ-259 SWR Analyzer.

- Where can I find it in NY or Philadelphia ?
- What is the price ? Do you have any adress which sells them at the
lowest cost as possible ?
- What is about V.A.T. ? Especially when you export a product from
the USA to France ?

Thanks for all the information you can give me.

_____
Franck Thery
fthery@nordnet.fr

4540. Rotor OR-2800 and RC2800P-A (Ctrl.Unit)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Krull <df1hx@flux.hh.provi.de>
Message-ID: <m37mgjtk4j.fsf@flux.hh.provi.de>
Source record: 174223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi !
I recently bought the Rotor and control unit mentioned above. After instal-
lation both worked fine for a couple of days...
However, when i push the CC or CCW bottom in Mode 0 (manual mode) on the
control unit, the rotor starts moving into the direction desired, after
releasing the bottom the rotor stops, but the display continues to
count until the 'Limit' is reached and the box is 'dead', no reaction on
any command, i have to reset it by turning off/on. The counting stops when
i push the the bottom 'opposite' to wanted direction, i.e. 'CCW' when 'CW'
was the direction i wanted to 'go', this causes the box to 'crash' again,
no more commands accepted.
I tried to program the unit according to the manual but no luck, when en-
tering mode 3, the unit counts to limit again after pushing 'CW' or 'CCW'
slightly and the box crashes too. Mode 1 (manual preset) shows same problem,
the counting does not stop when releasing the direction bottom.
Resetting the box to factory defaults (mode 6 -> save) did not remove the
problem.
Wiring (checked) is ok and dry.

I brought the control back to the dealer, since this is a matter of waranty,
but i am curious about the reason, i guess something in the control box
went mad...

thnx ahead and 73s,
de Thomas [DF1HX]
--

Thomas Krull df1hx@flux.hh.provi.de DF1HX
PGP Key: 0xC9E74329

4541. For Sale: Kenwood TS 430s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lou Roy <"markr@esslink.com"@ESSLINK.COM>
Message-ID: <5mi7c0$i2h$1@news.esslink.com>
Source record: 174224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

Mint condition Kenwood TS 430s Ham Radio Transciever and General Coverage Receiver. Includes SP-430 matching speaker and headset. Radio was retunned and realligned to specifications by Ham Radio Central (to the tune of $80.00)- work still under warantee, paperwork will be provided. Have original shipping boxes and manual. Radio includes FM module, AM, CW (500hz) and SSB filters.

Price: $575 or best offer + shipping (from CT)

EMAIL: markr@esslink.com

73
Lou
KM1T

4542. ICOM 2000H MODIFICATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lee H." <gtsi@flash.net>
Message-ID: <338CE422.61D7@flash.net>
Source record: 174225

Looking for the mod for the 2000h to open up the TX.

Thanks

4543. FS: Antique Revere Reel-to-Reel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jasensteve@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970528145200.KAA17224@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174272

FOR SALE.... Twins!?!

I have two of these machines... both are in similar condition...

Revere Camera of Chicago
Model T-500 Deluxe Reel to Reel

Self conteined recorder/player, can accept up to 5" reel
has original detachable mic with it... also i/o's for external speaker,
mic, phono/radio in, and headphone out

both in running condition, completely operational

last service was 1984, was not used since.

Price each is $100 + UPS COD Shipping. US funds.

Please email inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

4544. FOR ALINCO DJ-580 HT's 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robertd <robertd@broadcast.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6b8a$736096a0$2149cfa9@viperii>
Source record: 174273

For Sale 2 DJ-580 HT's, Dual band -> 3 High power Batt Packs,
Alinco Drop-in charger.
Radios Mod's made for out of band and cell rcv.
1 hand held mike and 1 headset.
Your's for only $650.00.

Reply Via E-mail to: robertd@broadcast.net

4545. WTB: KW SP-820

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hudog@ibm.net
Message-ID: <338C8510.6754@ibm.net>
Source record: 174274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a matching speaker for the Kenwood 820S. I believe this was the SP-820. Thanks, George.

4546. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5mhpve$5m3@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174275

Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>Rich Mulvey wrote:
>>
>> You're trying to put all of the responsibility on the seller. How about
>> letting people make their own decisions, and prosecuting those people
>> who *use* the equipment illegally? In case you haven't noticed, we're
>> not (supposedly) operating under the Napoleonic legal system here in the
>> U.S.
>>
>> Of course, I never would have gotten into amateur radio unless I had
>> access to the old Swan rig that I bought from a local ham. Amazingly
>> enough, I was even responsible enough not to transmit with it until
>> I had an appropriate license. Why assume the worst about people, until
>> they prove that they deserve the reputation?
>>
>> - Rich
>>
>> --
>> Rich Mulvey
>> mulveyr@frontiernet.net Rochester, NY USA
>> http://www.frontiernet.net/~mulveyr
>> Amateur Radio: aa2ys@amsat.org, aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

>Since the FCC is unwilling to enforce it's own piracy laws on the Ham
>bands, your statement about "prosecuting those people who *use* the
>equipment illegally" won't happen.

>"Sellers" as a group don't have a vested interest in the Ham bands.
>"Hams as a group" do have a vested interest. In my opinion, Hams are
>less likely to sell a Ham transmitter to someone without a license than
>"Sellers."

>Every year, the piracy problem on both the HF and UHF bands gets worse.
>We need to try our best to stop this, or at least slow it down. If only
>Hams were permitted to sell Ham transmitters, it would certainly help.

>Years ago, the FCC used to require CBers to have a license to broadcast
>on their 11 meter band. So many people broadcasted without a license,
>that the FCC eventually gave in. Now you don't need a license.

>Imagine if one day, there were so many people using the Ham bands
>illegally that the FCC decided to "relax" it's licensing laws on the Ham
>bands. "After all, if so many people want to use the Ham bands
>illegally, maybe the laws are wrong." Scary thought.

> 73,
> Jimmy

A lot of good stuff would go to the dumps.
Also, I told a guy he needed a license, but that I would help him get a listening antenna up so he could study code.

A fews weeks later, I bought his entire shack, inherited from his deceased father-in-law, for a C-note. He had ignored my good advice and paid the price for putting a KW on an untuned antenna.

Blown fuses, blown resisters, gassy tubes, not hard to fix, but he had used up my patience when he went illegal.

Oh, well.

WB0NRU Lou.

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

4547. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5mhpvg$5m3@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174276

jjm@shore.net (jjm@shore.net) wrote:

>Jimmy Kahn <atkfk@asuvm.inre.asu.edu> wrote:

>>Since the FCC is unwilling to enforce it's own piracy laws on the Ham
>>bands, your statement about "prosecuting those people who *use* the
>>equipment illegally" won't happen.

>It's not that the FCC is unwilling. They have been cut financially,
>pretty severely...and their hands are pretty much tied.

>>"Sellers" as a group don't have a vested interest in the Ham bands.
>>"Hams as a group" do have a vested interest. In my opinion, Hams are
>>less likely to sell a Ham transmitter to someone without a license than
>>"Sellers."

>>Every year, the piracy problem on both the HF and UHF bands gets worse.
>>We need to try our best to stop this, or at least slow it down. If only
>>Hams were permitted to sell Ham transmitters, it would certainly help.

>>Years ago, the FCC used to require CBers to have a license to broadcast
>>on their 11 meter band. So many people broadcasted without a license,
>>that the FCC eventually gave in. Now you don't need a license.

>Will not happen in amateur radio.

>>Imagine if one day, there were so many people using the Ham bands
>>illegally that the FCC decided to "relax" it's licensing laws on the Ham
>>bands. "After all, if so many people want to use the Ham bands
>>illegally, maybe the laws are wrong." Scary thought.

>The FCC does not have the power to "relax" it's licensing laws on the
>Ham bands. The FCC has nothing to do with International Treaty.
>Congress would have to "relax" the laws in order for what you imply to
>happen.

>Cheers!

> jim, WK1V
>==
>Jim, WK1V
>jjm@shore.net
>http://www1.shore.net/~jjmartin/jjm.htm
>==

NEVER HAPPEN, HUH?
Dont you see on these NGs every week how the FCC
isn't enforcing stuff against illegal xmtrs? Isn't that what this

very thread is about?

Never happen? This is a joke, right?

WB0NRU Lou

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

4548. Re: WTB: Solar Pannel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5mhpvi$5m3@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174277

Steve Starman <starman@mtco.com> wrote:

>I am looking for a source of solar pannels to use to charge a battery in
>my radio shack.

>Thanks,

>Steve WA9FDZ

>starman@mtco.com

As a ham, you might make some.
It can be done in your kitchen.
On old window panes.
Go to your library and look it up.
Many years ago, when I was in college,
a kid did just that, and ran his air conditioner
from them.

He figured (then) it cost him $0.50 / sq.ft.

Gud Luk.

WB0NRU Lou

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

4549. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5mhpvl$5m3@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174278
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"William Lee" <willee@inwave.com> wrote:

>Peter A. Forkes <pforkes@pobox.com> wrote in article
><33874237.7E89@pobox.com>...
>> I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
>> installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
>> Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
>> best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
>> What can you suggest?
>> Peter
>>
>>
>Well Peter, you have a real dilemma on your hands. The best mobile antenna
>for CB would be a 9 foot whip mounted on the roof. Anything else is a
>compromise. Some people mount this stainless steel whip on their back
>bumper to reduce the overall highth. The Wilson K-40 antenna is a good
>choice as it is shorter but still very effective. Of course you can use a
>shorter antenna and a small (25-50W) R.F. amplifier to make up for the loss
>of transmit range. Do not go overboard on the amp as you can not talk to
>someone you cannot hear. Good luck in your quest for the ultimate signal
>from your mobile. Let us know what you come up with as we mobilers are
>always looking for a better antenna.

>William Lee

Do I understand this upstanding fellow is recommending an AMP on a CB
which is not supposed to put out but 4 or 15 watts depending?

Sheeeeez!

Lou Hinshaw

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

4550. WTB: HT220 (UHF) Handitalkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: hwan-seok_choi@ks.trw.com
Message-ID: <864840183.19562@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I want to buy a Motorola HT220 UHF handitalkie which works on
462.275 RX and 467.275 TX. It has to be in working condition.
Please reply with its condition and asking price if you have one
available.

Thanks.
Choi

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4551. Re: Questions for FT-51R owner... (51R vs. TH-79)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinsona@rl.af.mil
Message-ID: <5mhmdq$49d@news.rl.af.mil>
Source record: 174280

In message <3389BEE8.948@sowest.net>, Matt Staroscik <staroscik@sowest.net>
writes:

>I am torn between getting the Kenwood TH-79 and the Yaesu FT-51R. I have
>a couple of friends with the Kenwood, and I am familiar with its
>features. However I don't know anyone who owns the Yaesu, so I have to
>rely on catalogs and the net to get familiar with it. I have a couple of
>specific questions that I have been unable to get answered, and I hope a
>FT-51R owner can take a minute to help me out...
.....
>--
>Matt Staroscik KF6IYW "It's not a doll -
>staroscik@sowest.net it's an ACTION FIGURE."

Well Matt, here's my 2-cents worth. The FT-51R (and I don't own one) is very
expensive for what you get, it's at least 50 bucks more than the K'wood. Also,
every Yaesu HT I've ever owned or heard has puny audio.

The K'wood TH79A is a nice rig, but if you want extended Rx on UHF, get ready
to open the rig and work on surface mount technology. Or, pay someone who can.

My suggestion? The Icom W-32A. And, I do own one. Recent "price adjustments"
have the W-32A in the $350-360 range. That's about $40 less than the TH-79A
and $100 less than the FT-51R. The W-32A has a hot receiver that goes
virtually "everywhere" with a simple keyboard mod, audio is good, display and
keypad are great. Oh, BTW, I'm not an employee or in any way connected with
Icom, I just like the radio.

73,

Al, W2JUV

4552. WTB: transverter for 757gx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: seven@datasync.com
Message-ID: <5mhsb0$i15@osh7.datasync.com>
Source record: 174281

I am looking for a transverter with 6m, 2m, and 70cm for my Yaesu Ft-757gx. If anyone has information or the transverter for sell please let me know. I think the transverter is the FTV-700.

73 and TNX
de KC5WCO Justin

4553. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: djw@cci.com
Message-ID: <EAwGDt.HCq@sunsrvr6.cci.com>
Source record: 174282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <33887072.4553664@news.mindspring.com>, SCO <sco@sco-inc.com> wrote:
>"William Lee" <willee@inwave.com> wrote:
>
>>bumper to reduce the overall highth. The Wilson K-40 antenna is a good
>>choice as it is shorter but still very effective. Of course you can use a
>>shorter antenna and a small (25-50W) R.F. amplifier to make up for the loss
>>of transmit range.
>
>You can't legally use any amp on the CB band. Anything over 5 w is not
>legal.
>

Gee, I didn't know that 11M amps were available that small!!

Dave, N2CK

4554. HamBag SWAPS & SALES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rur@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <339ba139.21654400@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 174283

New sales advertised in "HamBag" Swaps and Sales
http://www.innotts.co.uk/~rur/
Paul (G0RUR)
rur@innotts.co.uk
UK Distributor of Amsoft's Ham Radio C.D.
Home Page: http://www.innotts.co.uk/~rur/

4555. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Hice <dhice@ti.com>
Message-ID: <338C7940.4B7B@ti.com>
Source record: 174284

Walker Brents wrote:
>
> My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He does
> not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments
> on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
> Walker N5KZZ
I had an AL80OH for 48 hrs before returning it to my dealer for a
refund. Construction quality ie. solder was miserable...I spent just a
little more on an Alpha 91b which is fantastic.

Regards,
Don WB5TVI

4556. Re: FS: RADIO SHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: NeilT@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <338CA34F.1373@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Masa wrote:
>
> On 26 May 1997 15:03:26 GMT, cheewug@aol.com (CHEEWUG) wrote:
>
> >I have a Radio Shack HTX-202 with spkr.mic. , manual , box , nicad ,
> >charger , antenna. Radio was use for packet and is in perfect working
> >cond. & no scratches
> >$145.00 (I'll Ship/48) - $130.00 (U-Ship)
> >If interested , send reply for phone or with your phone.
> >
> >73 , Rich.
>
> I will sell mine [HTX-202] for US$140 w/shipping. I used for a month.
> if you are interested, contact me by e-mail at masa@writeme.com
>
> Masataka Noda
> Masa@WriteMe-X.com
> http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
>
> Spam Security is ON:
> Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

I'll paint ANY car for $29.95!

4557. Re: TS-520S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb840@scn.org
Message-ID: <EAwLvp.L3I@scn.org>
Source record: 174286

In a previous article, briordan@earthlink.net (Brian Riordan) says:

>
>Is there an easy way to reduce the output power on this radio? I need
>to reduce power on 75m to avoid an rfi problem.
>Thanks,
>Brian
>KJ7VN
>

I believe all that's required is to back off the driver.
--
Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

4558. Heath HW-8 QRP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Hanratty <hanratbj@mail.usmo.com>
Message-ID: <338CA3C6.385A@mail.usmo.com>
Source record: 174287

Hi,

Looking for a good Heath HW-8. I will want the manuals to be included.
Copies of original manuals OK.

Bruce N0XNH
hanratbj@mail.usmo.com

4559. FS: Kenwood TS-950SD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6b79$515e9860$7350b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 174288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Kenwood TS-950SD in excellent condition with original box, mic, and manual. It is the "D" model with the DSP unit and loaded with filters. $1890.

E-mail me at nu6x@sedona.net or call 520-284-6848.

Thanks Mark NU6X

4560. Re: Ignition/generator noise / GM Fuel Pump Noise Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: NewsRadio <jmckay@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <338C9217.69F2@interlog.com>
Source record: 174289

Mark Bryant wrote:
>
> There was a pretty good thread on the subject a few months ago on this
> group. Talk centered on auto computer noise and fuel pump noise in newer
> GM/Ford cars.

I have an 85 dodge and have a severe problem with static from the spark plugs, despite putting in new plugs, wires, cap and rotor, nothing seems to eliminate it. I've added a filter on the two way radios at the battery and they are clean on TX but weak receive signals are still prone to static. Even a ht in the car with no physical connections suffers from this problem! I have mag core suppression wires, but I'm wondering if there is a better spark plug I could use? Any suggestions?

John
VE3OBP

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The Canadian Broadcast Directory
and Broadcast Engineering Page:
http://www.interlog.com/~jmckay
Southern Ontario Storm Chasers/Canwarn Page:
http://www.interlog.com/~jmckay/chaser.htm

4561. FS: Alinco DR-150T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cheewug@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970528203200.QAA14254@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174290

Hello , I have a 10 month old Alince DR-150T. $230.00 (I'll Ship/48) -
$215.00 (U-Ship) I do not have the manual - but the radio is easy enough
to program. I have the box and schematic , Mic.
Works perfect & excellant cond.
If interested send reply for phone or send your phone.

73 , Rich.

4562. Re: HF -> 6M & 2M Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stephan Greene <greenes@csf.arl.bdm.com>
Message-ID: <338C5A88.A7D8A7BB@csf.arl.bdm.com>
Source record: 174291

Todd Schroder wrote:

> Does someone know of any manufacturers who make HF to 6M and 2M
> transverters? I am interested in trying 6M and I would like all-mode 2M
> capability but I am not interested in paying for a 6M rig or an all-mode
> 2M rig. Are HF to 2M transverters practical? I believe Ten Tec makes
> kit/assembled units. Are these the only currently produced units
> available? Are there older models from other manufacturers worth
> considering on the used market? I remember having 6M and 2M transverters
> with my Heath Mohawk receiver, but those were for receive only. If
> anyone has transverter experience, could you pass along some wisdom?

Ten-Tec makes kit and assembled transverters; I believe their offerings include 20M -> 6M, 2M -> 6M, and a 2M (don't recall if it's 20M or 10M input) unit. Either QST or 73 has done a review of the 20M unit in a recent issue.

Down East Microwave makes transverter kits, likely for the higher bands.

I recall Drake had a 20M -> 6M/2M transverter for their T4x/R4x models.

73 Steve KA1LM

4563. Alinco DJ-S11 Mod - Freq Expansion wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: carl_l <carl_l@interramp.com>
Message-ID: <338C9D11.2CCC@interramp.com>
Source record: 174292

Does anyone have the information for modifying the Alinco DJ-S11 2m Ht
for extended receive and transmit?

Thanks,
-WB1EYG - Carl

email: carl_l@interramp.com

4564. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: STAN <"KB8JLV>NOSPAM"@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338D2C93.60F8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174293

Don Hice wrote:
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> Walker Brents wrote:
> >
> > My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He does
> > not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments
> > on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
> > Walker N5KZZ
> I had an AL8OOH for 48 hrs before returning it to my dealer for a
> refund. Construction quality ie. solder was miserable...I spent just a
> little more on an Alpha 91b which is fantastic.
>
> Regards,
> Don WB5TVI
I have an AL-80B i bought new in DEC 96. Thus far it has met all claims
by AMERITRON and my expectations. Plus the relay is fast enough for me
to use it at night for 40 meter pactor links to conus. Good bang for the
buck!
stan/kb8jlv
--
remove >nospam to reach me via email

4565. FS: TS-430S and PS-430 - Very Clean

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: art2@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <338ca63c.8192234@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 174294

I'm posting this for a fellow ham (N4PSL) who has no access to the internet:

Kenwood TS-430 and PS-430 in original boxes and with all manuals. Very CLEAN condition, Very little use. Original non-smoking owner. $ 640.00 including packaging and shipping to mainland U.S. Money order or C.O.D. through land UPS. If local pickup, will deduct shipping.

Pleas e-mail: art2@pipeline.com
Art, WB4VVO, Miami, FL.

4566. FS: TS-430S and PS-430 - Very Clean

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: art2@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <338ca6cf.8339538@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 174295

I'm posting this for a fellow ham (N4PSL) who has no access to the internet:

Kenwood TS-430 and PS-430 in original boxes and with all manuals. Very CLEAN condition, Very little use. Original non-smoking owner. $ 640.00 including packaging and shipping to mainland U.S. Money order or C.O.D. through land UPS. If local pickup, will deduct shipping.

Pleas e-mail: art2@pipeline.com
Art, WB4VVO, Miami, FL.

4567. Re: Ignition/generator noise / GM Fuel Pump Noise Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: malachias@godmachine.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <3393b643.2344311@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174296

On Wed, 28 May 1997 16:14:15 -0400, NewsRadio <jmckay@interlog.com>
wrote:

>Mark Bryant wrote:
>>
>> There was a pretty good thread on the subject a few months ago on this
>> group. Talk centered on auto computer noise and fuel pump noise in newer
>> GM/Ford cars.
>
>I have an 85 dodge and have a severe problem with static from the spark
>plugs, despite putting in new plugs, wires, cap and rotor, nothing seems
>to eliminate it. I've added a filter on the two way radios at the battery
>and they are clean on TX but weak receive signals are still prone to
>static. Even a ht in the car with no physical connections suffers from
>this problem! I have mag core suppression wires, but I'm wondering if
>there is a better spark plug I could use? Any suggestions?
>
>John
>VE3OBP
>
A firend just came up to me with an english Vauxhall Cavalier (GM) and
faound out that the DC resistance between the engine and chassis was
over 10 Ohms. A thick copper strap has braought this resistance town
to next to nothing, with it lots of interferences.

HTH

Michael

4568. Re: New 2 piece N connectors.. any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <338CB744.3EB4@magg.net>
Source record: 174297

Jason Baack wrote:
>
> Greetings,
> Looking at the two piece N connectors are they better that the standard
> N's?
> Easier to fit?
> Good v. Bad??
>
> J N1RWY

Well, they are easier to install but when I put a cable made up with a pair on my HP network analyzer and a precision termination, the best reuen loss was 14 dB (at 1296- my freq of interest). This compared with 24dB return loss with the old style N's. They may be fine at 70cM and lower.

Dale
W4OP

4569. Re: Charger for PB-26 battery for Kenwood 2600A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6bbc$29aa94c0$37d1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174298

Check the output voltage of the charger without any battery connected. It should
read 12.0 to 13.5VDC (what mine is - service manual says 12.5V at 0 ma load).
If the voltage is OK, does the red LED on the wall plug transformer turn on when you plug it into the battery?
with the battery un-connected, the LED won't come on. it comes on when there is current flow.
If the light doesn't come on, try shorting the output connecter through a 120 Ohm Resistor. The light should come on.
According to the service manual, the rated DC current is 42.5ma at 5.5V loaded - a 120 Ohm resistor will draw that.
-- with your meter, measure the current through the resistor

If the voltage is OK, and the current is OK -- then it is your battery.

Good Luck

A couple of notes before I go. I rebuilt a battery once and it was no good. 2nd try (a few years later - OK)
not all batteries on the market are good, apparently.

also: the charge unit is nothing more thant a 10V / 42.5 Ma xfmer with a single diode and a 100 Ohm
resistor in series. Should be easy to build.if you can't find a replacement

cheers
W4RP

mmcoop@smtp.net-link.net wrote in article <5mg3j0$ds2@leol.net-link.net>...
> I've got an older Kenwood 2600A handy talkie. The little charger that originally
> came with the radio doesn't seem to be charging the batteries properly. The
> PB-26 batteries charge only to about 5 volts. Does this sound like a bad
> charger? (Note: I have refurbished one of the battery packs so if the charger
> was working I would get a normal charge.)
>
> Does anyone know of a charger that will work with a PB-26? Kenwood used
> to make two "ST-2" and "MS-1".
>
> Murray (mmcoop@net-link.net)
> KC8HKE
>

4570. WTB:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas E. Griffith" <tgriffith@linknet.net>
Message-ID: <338CC762.25F@linknet.net>
Source record: 174299

Wanted: Heathkit 2m tranceiver. VF-7401 or HW2036A with manual. Kits or built and working. Will pay reasonable price.

4571. FS: Packet setup -- $25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cobra295@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5miep2$mr6@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Packet setup for $25

I have for sale a Bell 202 modem, plus all the parts
and instructions to put this on the air for packet
use. It works much like the new BayComm modems, and
in fact uses the same software. The modem is external
and plugs into the wall. All parts are included to
wire your HT or mobile radio. Basically, the only
thing you have to do is create the cable to go from
the modem to the radio using the supplied components
to detect the PTT and feed the audio. Also a regular
old 25pin cable is needed for between the computer
and the modem. You don't need to be an EE to figure
out this little homebrew project, but a simple knowledge
of soldering, etc. is suggested. A good amount of literature is
included with articles from ham radio magazines as well as
schematics on how to make the patch cable. I'm
reselling this item as I bought it myself a few months
ago for the same price. I plugged in the modem to the
wall, and it turns on and appears to work fine. After
I received the equipment, I never got the chance to
make the cable and get it on the air since. At this
point, my packet connections on the radio are being
used by an autopatch, so I don't really have the means
to use this item conveniently. It can't compete with
high-end TNC's, but hopefully someone else
can use it to get started on packet for a low price.
Included is the software, modem, parts, literature, and
schematics. I ship only USPS, and only in the CONUS
with a prepaid USPS MO. If you would like to purchase
or have a question, please email reply me. Thanks.

4572. FS FT780R allmode 430 mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: reading@sumter.net
Message-ID: <reading.8.00A1FA3A@sumter.net>
Source record: 174301

FS Yeasu FT780-r allmode 430 mobile
Clean on a scale of 1 to 10 an 8
Comes with mic. manual and mobile bracket
Rig was used for satellite and local ssb operation
Reason for sale I purchased a new rig.
$275.00 plus shipping or best offer

Email replies to reading@sumter.net

TNX Jim K4JR

4573. FS: Icom IC-2AT 2 Mtr HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970528234100.TAA00361@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174302

I have for sale an Icom IC-2AT 2 meter HT in excellent condition
Comes with the standard wall charger, manual, nicad pack
Also have the IC-CP1 mobile charging cord, IC-HM9 speaker microphone, and
the IC-DC1 DC-Converter
I have all the original boxes for everything and will take $125 plus
shipping
I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

4574. Siltronix 1011b parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott R. Stiers" <scott.stiers@asu.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc6bc2$67c62e80$420fdb81@icssrs.inre.asu.edu>
Source record: 174303

Does anyone know where I can find the band selector wafer switch for a Siltronix 1011b? I just need the wafer section which is 5 position, 2 pole, shorting type. Thanks

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Scott R. Stiers, Systems Programmer
I.T. Tech Shop, PEBW 102
Arizona State University
(602) 965-4021
scott.stiers@asu.edu

4575. Re: FS: Yeasu FTV-700 2 meter transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: R M Wagar <rment375@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <338C2AAA.74E8@concentric.net>
Source record: 174304

David wrote:
>
> > Randy:
> >
> > I have a Yeasu DM-901. What is your transverter designed to work with.
> > I am not familiar with that model.
> >

> ----------------
> David KD6QFZ
> dsipe@calweb.com

David:

Your information is appreciated. I am looking for the 2M and 6M
transverters for my 901. If I could find one for my FT 101F, That would
be nice also.

73
KC2AGG

4576. PRO-2021 Scanner Mod.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5mieck$uag@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 174305

There's a mod posted somewhere on the internet for faster scan speed, expanded RX for 800 MHz but it doesn't work and I think Bill Cheek's book explains how to expand the memory.

I don't have any of these mods but I am looking for a selectable step rate mod. The scanner scans at 5kHz steps in VHF-LO and VHF-HI, 25 kHz in AIR and 12.5 kHz in the UHF band (380 to 512 MHz). The step rate is band dependent on this model.

Does anyone have a schematic or service manual so they can see if a switch can be added to manually select the logic for the step rate?

This would be very useful for someone with the PRO-2021 and a GRE Super Convertor setup (806 to 912 MHz). Some usages in the 800 and 900 MHz band use step rates other then 12.5 kHz.

Can anyone help me out?

4577. Re: Filters??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <338CD9E2.39F7@magg.net>
Source record: 174306

Lee H. wrote:
>
> I have a 2 meter Icom 2000 that has a problem with noise that breaks thru
> the squelch. I don't know if its intermod or what kind of noise. Are
> there any filter that can help quiet this?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Lee H.You really need to determine the source. We have seen a number of cases of CATV leakage from CH19 that is ON frequency- no filter can help here. Pagers account for over 95% of 2M intermod- you should be able to hear the annoying pacsog modulation if this is the case. Pager or other well defined interference has been taken care of thousands of times by our patented notch filters- they are small, allow uninterrupted general coverage RX and can be left in line on dual band rigs. Available through A.E.S and many other distributors or direct.
If the problem is not from a well grouped set of offenders, a bandpass filter is your best bet. Stay away from the small units that require +12V- they have a LOT of RX loss. DCI in Canada makes a fine bandpass filter.

Dale
W4OP

4578. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com>
Message-ID: <338C8CAA.7817@mcipnet.com>
Source record: 174307

Check it all out on www.kachina-az.com

WA0KDS

David Ho (AF4BH) wrote:
>
> On 22 May 97 16:21:10 GMT, morel@shani.NET (morel grunberg) wrote:
>
> >I'm looking for more info and impressions
> >on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
> >transceiver. For those who already saw it
> >at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?
> >
> >Any reply will be appreciated.
> >
> >73 de Morel, 4X1AD
> >
>
> After reading the followup posts of your message, I am interested in
> knowing how much this new concept will potentially set us back?
>
> Thanks!
>
> 73!
>
> de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
> davidho@one.net

4579. F.S. : Midland 100 watt 6 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
Message-ID: <864871105.21584@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

For Sale: Midland 70-056C 100 watt, 80 channel mobile rig with remote head and cable. Pre-programmed with 6 meter simplex/repeater frequencies (list included). Comes complete with microphone, mounting brackets and matching Midland speaker. Rig is in very good condition. Asking $200.00, with shipping included to the lower 48.

Chris M.
kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
313-753-5526

----------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4580. F.S. : MFJ Deluxe Versa-Tuner II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
Message-ID: <864871445.21919@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174309
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

For Sale: MFJ manual antenna tuner model 948. This tuner will tune everything from random wire to coax. No original box, but the manual is included. Unit is in good condition. $75.00 shipping included to the lower 48.

Chris M.
kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
313-753-5526

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4581. Re: HF -> 6M & 2M Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpainter@earth.execpc.com
Message-ID: <5miq9r$g51$1@earth.execpc.com>
Source record: 174310

MarkDickens wrote:
: Em Tue, 27 May 1997 15:23:16 -0700, Todd Schroder <schroder@erols.com>
: escreveu:

: > Does someone know of any manufacturers who make HF to 6M and 2M
: > transverters? I am interested in trying 6M and I would like all-mode 2M
: > capability but I am not interested in paying for a 6M rig or an all-mode
: > 2M rig. Are HF to 2M transverters practical? I believe Ten Tec makes
: > kit/assembled units. Are these the only currently produced units
: > available? Are there older models from other manufacturers worth
: > considering on the used market? I remember having 6M and 2M transverters
: > with my Heath Mohawk receiver, but those were for receive only. If
: > anyone has transverter experience, could you pass along some wisdom?
: >
: > Thanks,
: > Todd
: > KF4KHM

: Before making dedicated VHF/UHF all mode radios, YAESU had RX-TX
: transceivers for FT-77 and FT-707. Maybe you can get one of these but
: I can tell you it's difficult. They put up to 25 watt in 70cm, I
: think.

: 73s
: Mark Dickens

FT700 would also work with the FT 757 for your choice of 6m 2m, or 432MHZ
one at a time.
Kenwood Had the FTV 520 for use with the TS520 and the TS 820
Down East Microwave still sells Hi performance Transvertors for 2m 6m
220mhz 1296 (maybe 2.4 gigs too I don't recall).
Traditionally most transvertors had an IF of 28mhz for use with most
HF rigs. Ten Tec produces a 6m unit with IF at 20meters or 2 meter band.
The reports have been most favorable. I bought the 2meter IF vewrsion over
a year ago and havn't put it together yet. Be aware too that there is no
"bypass switch provided with the 2meter IF version (unless there has been
a design change since I bought mine). Minor inconvience. The 20 meter has
a bypass for the input/out putline.
Ron
de N9GKH

4582. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Ward <blward@mts.net>
Message-ID: <338CEC4A.1424@mts.net>
Source record: 174311
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP wrote:
>
> I used to have good luck with a 5/8 wave "Firestick" top loaded coil
> type- they've got them as short as 2 ft long, which work very well
> even at highway speeds with a 6 inch mag mount set- can get both of
> these at your friendly neighborhood truck stop for a total of about
> $20! Also works great as a scanner antenna.....but not so hot on 2 M!

The best you will find for a mobile whip with gain and only 4-5 feet in
height is a WILSON 1000.

Have a look for it. They are made in Vegas.

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4583. Re: Patcomm, PC-16000 HF Rig.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Ho <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <338CFBF5.4A85@one.net>
Source record: 174312

Tony Hwang wrote:
>
> This is third time, I am posting this.
> I had one QSO with a ham who was using this radio.
> I sent away for info. pack from Patcomm. and got it from them.
> I am trying to hear from any one out there on the news group
> who owns/operates this radio re: performance/comments.
> Before I plunge and net new rig for myself.
> TIA
> Tony
> --
> SLTG

I am not sure if this radio is as popular as I
originally thought. Nice concept, though.

73!

de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
davidho@one.net

4584. FS Ebay Color Video Camera

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Kyle <mrkyle@Concentric.net>
Message-ID: <338D19DA.5EC8@Concentric.net>
Source record: 174313

Any ATV people here?, how about Slo-Scan, or maybe just for fun

Just listed on Ebay a Nice Small Color Video Camera.

http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=oqc67922

Thanks for looking!

4585. FreeNetAccessWorldwid+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: interbbs@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <337b1797.8493547@hiroken.hiroken.or.jp>
Source record: 174314

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Free Adult Internet Connection Worldwid+ Via Our Bbs.
Follow the link and enjoy...
http://cybercity.hko.net/la/interbbs/freenet/free.htm
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4586. Re: FS Ebay Color Video Camera (Faster Link)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Kyle <mrkyle@Concentric.net>
Message-ID: <338D1EE3.707E@Concentric.net>
Source record: 174315

Matt Kyle wrote:
>
> Any ATV people here?, how about Slo-Scan, or maybe just for fun
>
> Just listed on Ebay a Nice Small Color Video Camera.
> This is a much faster link

http://www2.ebay.com/aw/itemfast.cgi?item=oqc67922

>
> Thanks for looking!

4587. ft26 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: vk3two@bssc.edu.au
Message-ID: <864878526.29527@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174316

i have seen some mods for the ft-26 and i have tried them but they don't seem to work!!! i need to know the status of all of the 10 solder pads

thank you to any who can help!

mail me at vk3two@bssc.edu.au

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4588. WTB - old no-mem synth 2mtr 10wt+ rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Reimers <tim@new-era.com>
Message-ID: <338CC7CE.79D6@new-era.com>
Source record: 174317

Want a KDK-2015/6 or Icom-22A or something like that.
Basically looking to pay well under $100 for an old beat up
2mtr no frills no memories, synthesized 10watt or more rig.
Doing packet, of course, don't need much for that.

If you have something please email

tim@new-era.com

Tim Reimers KA4LFP
New Era Technologies
Asheville.NC

4589. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9KHM <kb9khm@expert.cc.purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <338D0A6B.987@expert.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 174318
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> The best you will find for a mobile whip with gain and only 4-5 feet in
> height is a WILSON 1000.

Gain over what? A dummy load?
--
Mark <KB9KHM>

Home Page:
http://expert.cc.purdue.edu/~kb9khm

4590. RTTY Collector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <338D100D.2D9D@primenet.com>
Source record: 174319

** WTB ** Various UHF Transverters 222-2304Mhz and IF rigs

WTB Collector of older RTTY terminal units and SSTV scan converters looking for more to add to collection, including: Hal ST-5, ST-5000, Robot 400/800 other commercial or homebrew RTTY/SSTV equipment (IRL, Flescher, Frederick, Dovetron, etc)

Brian ke7gh@primenet.com >or< http://www.primenet.com/~ke7gh

4591. WTB: Dentron GLA-1000B w/bad tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB4AEP <crsdan@galileo.mis.net>
Message-ID: <338C6D11.4983@galileo.mis.net>
Source record: 174320

Wanted: Dentron GLA-1000 or GLA-1000B HF sweep-tube Amp w/bad tubes. I'm looking for a fixer-upper, so the power transformer, meter, and faceplate must be in good shape. Cabinet scratches are O.K. prefer to have a manual and schematic with it. If you have one of these or a cheap one that works, Call me at (606) 238-0029 days or (502)863-0500 nights and ask for Mark or E-mail me at crsdan@mis.net (NO JUNK MAIL PLEASE!) thanks....

KB4AEP

4592. Cum visit our free BBS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephlise@telco.com
Message-ID: <336b1797.8493547@hiroken.hiroken.or.jp>
Source record: 174321

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Free Adult Internet Connection Worldwid- Via Our Bbs.
Follow the link and enjoy...
http://cybercity.hko.net/la/interbbs/freenet/free.htm
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4593. Yaesu FT-530 and CTCSS squelch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mconner@neonramp.com
Message-ID: <338bc5aa.13660452@news.neonramp.com>
Source record: 174432

I was wondering if there was a mod or other cure for the CTCSS squelch problem I have on my Yaesu FT-530. When I use the CTCSS squelch to filter out "normal" traffic, I find that the squelch breaks for a short time during normal speech on the repeater. Is this common for other rigs, or is it more prevalent on the 530? Is there a cure for it short of buying another HT?

The reason this is so annoying is that our area will soon go to CTCSS encoding on the repeater output during severe weather and I'd like to use the 530 to monitor for this but not wake me up when someone with just the right tone of voice causes the squelch to break.

73 de Mark N9XTN

Mark D. Conner
Internet: mconner@null.net
Homepage: http://www.neonramp.com/~mconner
AMPRnet: N9XTN@K0FG.IA.USA.NA
"Paradigm shifting without a clutch" - Dogbert

4594. Re: ? about my Icom IC-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd2a@traknet.com
Message-ID: <338b767d.3874083@news.emi.com>
Source record: 174433

Ihad a similar problem with my 751A except 80 and 40 sounded bad, 20 through 10 were ok. I believe the problem was in the PLL circuit and was caused by several lifted, cracked or otherwise cold solder connections on various chip caps. The Icom repair person told me this was a typical IC-751 failure. Sure sounds like it! Icom out sources repairs on older units and it takes about eight week. Not inexpensive but my radio works fine now.

Michael Ryan <WO4J@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Yesterday I talked to a friend of mine on 10 meters and I notice
>the audio sound a little distorted,he said my voice sounded the same on
>his end.We went on 15 the same thing even on 12 and 17 meters.20 thru
>160 meters no problem at all.When I listened to my transmissiom with the
>monitor on I could not hear any problem.I went to cw mode and that
>sounded distorted.Does anyone have any idea what this could be.
> Maybe in the PLL Circuit or VCO Circuit.
> Mike WO4J

4595. Re: Blown Diodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6afe$aabd4760$ae022399@peter->
Source record: 174434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Barry L. Ornitz <ornitz@tricon.net> wrote in article
<01bc6a2b$ceefeee0$367fb0cc@ornitz.tricon.net>...
> The 1N3487 is a little bit of an oddball since its reverse voltage rating
> is 1200 volts.
> The forward current is rated at 400 mA. If the voltage to the diodes is
> such that more common 1000 PIV diodes will work, use the common 1N4007
> diode. To be extra careful, replace each 1N3487 with two 1N4007 diodes
in
> series - thus giving a higher safety factor.

Put a 100K resistor across EACH diode when doing this to equalize the
reverse
voltage when the diodes are not conducting. Use 1 Watt carbon comp
resistors
for high breakdown voltage.

4596. FS: FT-911 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7RCM@Bluehawk.com
Message-ID: <5mgjl5$4ha@phxls1.cybervault.com>
Source record: 174435

I have a Yeasu FT-911 1.2gig ht for sale. I took this unit in as part trade on some computer work I had done. The amateur operator that owned it, hadn't used it in about 2yrs. Needless to say, the radio is in almost brand new condition.

There isn't any 1.2 gig activity here in Las Vegas, so I'd like to sell it and put towards another rig, possibly an allmode 6meter.

I has all the docs, charger, battery, ant. If you know this radio, it's a pretty nice one. Keypad, encode/decode built in. All that good stuff.

I'm asking $350 obo and I'll pay shipping.
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73 de N7RCM...Juan in Las Vegas

4597. FS: DJ-580T Partly Working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7RCM@Bluehawk.com
Message-ID: <5mgiq9$4ha@phxls1.cybervault.com>
Source record: 174436

My friend has a DJ-580T dual band ht. For some reason the UHF side has lost it's transmit. It will receive.
The VHF side works on both TX and RX. If someone wants to try their hand at finding out what the problem is with this, they can have it for a song.

He's asking $150 obo for it. It's no good to him the way it is. He wants to put the money towards another dual band.

Let's see if we can help him. Thanks.

---
73 de N7RCM...Juan in Las Vegas

4598. FS: DJ-580T Partly Working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: N7RCM@Bluehawk.com
Message-ID: <5mgj7t$4ha@phxls1.cybervault.com>
Source record: 174437

My friend has a DJ-580T dual band ht. For some reason the UHF side has lost it's transmit. It will receive.
The VHF side works on both TX and RX. If someone wants to try their hand at finding out what the problem is with this, they can have it for a song.

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Let's see if we can help him. Thanks.

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73 de N7RCM...Juan in Las Vegas

4599. ALX-2E ALINCO INFO. Required.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Fay <tonyfay@indigo.ie>
Message-ID: <338B8E73.7F6E@indigo.ie>
Source record: 174438

CAN YOU HELP PLEASE,
I have an old but much loved Alinco ALX-2E 2metre handheld which i wish to pass on to my son now entering the hobby. I am looking for User /Service manual (or copies)for this handheld.

Also a speaker mike and also a loud speaker for same (my loud speaker was damaged by iron filings and is now distorted.

Any help would be appreciated.

Regards, TONY EI6EQB (e-mial tonyfay@indigo.ie)

4600. Help***Icom IC-T7A serial pin config for comp interface????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: seanr@cts.com
Message-ID: <338b8b3a.2346112@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 174439

Icom IC-T7A serial pin config for comp interface.
All I need is a 9 pin serial connector and to know the wires that
need to go to what pin, and I can save myself the 40 bucks Icom wants
for their interface cable.
Anyone have a clue? Someone told me it is the same wiring the Yaesu
FT-50 uses..
Sean KC6VIU
seanr@cts.com

4601. Mobile 2 Meter Antennas ??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffdg@intergate.bc.ca
Message-ID: <338b8902.353350389@news.intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 174440

I need to buy a 2 meter mobile antenna for my truck and
would like some opinions as to what works really well .

Thanks Jeff

Please E mail if possible VE7 GMX

4602. Charger for PB-26 battery for Kenwood 2600A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmcoop@smtp.net-link.net
Message-ID: <5mg3j0$ds2@leol.net-link.net>
Source record: 174441

I've got an older Kenwood 2600A handy talkie. The little charger that originally came with the radio doesn't seem to be charging the batteries properly. The PB-26 batteries charge only to about 5 volts. Does this sound like a bad charger? (Note: I have refurbished one of the battery packs so if the charger was working I would get a normal charge.)

Does anyone know of a charger that will work with a PB-26? Kenwood used to make two "ST-2" and "MS-1".

Murray (mmcoop@net-link.net)
KC8HKE

4603. Re: Sale: 2-Meter All-Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard M. Wagar" <rment@abacuswave.com>
Message-ID: <5mfupp$7aq$1@news.wizvax.net>
Source record: 174442

boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com> writes: > Price Drop...

What is the radio, and how old, and how much

Dick KC2AGG
rment@abacuswave.com

4604. Re: Hammarlund HQ-110 / Schematic Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard M. Wagar" <rment@abacuswave.com>
Message-ID: <5mfvie$7n2$1@news.wizvax.net>
Source record: 174443

"A.C. SPRAGGINS" <acs@houston.net> writes: > I still need a schematic for a Hammarlund HQ-110C. The avc circuit was
> modified by a previous owner and doesn't work now. I need the schematic
> to return the circuit to original condition, and possibly add a product
> detector.
>
> I'll gladly pay for copying the schematic and for postage. Of course,
> if you can scan it and email it, so much the better!
>
> Thanks, and 73
> A.C.
> W5EZM
> acs@houston.net
> w5ezm@hotmail.com

A.C.:

If you contact "The Manual Man" @ 908-238-8964 in the evening or leave a message. Pete Markavage, 27 Walling ST, Sayreville, NJ 08872-1818.

He has great repoductions of most any manual you could want. I have the HC-110 from him, however I have no means to scan your info into e-mail.
His prices are very reasonable!

Dick
KC2AGG
rment@abacuswave.com

4605. Re: FS: Yeasu FTV-700 2 meter transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard M. Wagar" <rment@abacuswave.com>
Message-ID: <5mfvth$80g$1@news.wizvax.net>
Source record: 174444

"Randy Adams" <adamscr@ham.muohio.edu> writes: > Yeasu 2 meter transverter for sale or swap for ???
> NO antennas....
> About 1 millwatt input with 10 watt out. repeaters splits built in.
> works on FM, SSB, CW, AM
> good cond...
> Randy- NT8N
> adamscr@ham.muohio.edu
>
>

Randy:

I have a Yeasu DM-901. What is your transverter designed to work with.
I am not familiar with that model.

Dick / KC2AGG
rment@abacuswave.com

4606. WTB: Hallicrafters HA2 and HA6 Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard M. Wagar" <rment@abacuswave.com>
Message-ID: <5mg050$820$1@news.wizvax.net>
Source record: 174445

I am looking for Hallicrafters transverters, and power supply for same.
I will settle for a power supply alone, or Transverters alone.

Dick
KC2AGG
rment@abacuswave.com

4607. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2805970431310001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 174446

In article <338BC087.2C58@flash.net>, wbrents@flash.net wrote:

> My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He does
> not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments
> on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
> Walker N5KZZ

I have had a few of the AL-80s over the years and they worked
very well. Suggest they be run on 220 volts and now days, the
solid state radios may not be a "plug-n-play" with the PTT
relays in the amps. So give some thought to that.

Another issue is that there are used AL-80s kicking around - typically
at pretty good prices - about half of current list. So keep a sharp
eye and maybe save a few bucks.

73,

John D. Seney |_|_|_|_| john@wd1v.mv.com
144 Pepperidge Dr |_| |_| Page 5956779@skymail.com
Manchester, NH 03103-6150 |_|_ _|_| wd1v@wb1dsw.nh.usa.noam
Voice Mail 617.686.9882 | | | | | Fax 603.627.1623

http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

4608. Icom 706- Mark II- Does anyone have one yet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanl3561@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970528025201.WAA06777@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174447

I would like to know it anyone has an Icom 706- MKII and if so how they like it.

4609. ICOM T7A MODS PLEASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ADAMELL <adam.ellis@mitac.com.au>
Message-ID: <01bc6b15$bfb00380$07a11ccb@adam.mitac.com.au>
Source record: 174448

DOES ANYBODY HAVE MODS FOR THE ICOM T7A H/HELD???
ANY MODS AT ALL ARE OF INTEREST.....

THANKS IN ADVANCE......

4610. Re: vertexs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: eplatt@SEE.BODY.TO.REPLY
Message-ID: <338ba0ab.3655335@news.wco.com>
Source record: 174449

Model? UHF/VHF? Programmable? Synthasized? I have to guess UHF due to
25 watts...

hammer49@earthlink.net wrote:

>fs 3 mobile radios 4 ch 25 watts
>200.00 each
==========
To reply vie e-mail, reply to eplatt at wco.com (in the proper format).
Sorry for the inconvience, but spammers will pull your name without
your permission from postings, sending unsolicited e-mail!

4611. FS: Tektronix 465M's, Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@emodus.com
Message-ID: <5mgtfd$fa2$6@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 174450

Hello!
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TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned and
calibrated, 120 day warranty shipping free in the USA, $465.00 each!

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made by Philips in the USA 1986, NOS, individual boxes, 8000 available,
$0.10 each, shipping in the USA: 1 - 199 $3.00, 200 or more shipping free!

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COMPONENTS or ELECTRONIC TEST EQUIPMENT, please E-mail

sales@emodus.com

For a complete list. Thank you! Dealer inquiries welcome!

4612. 706 MK II price?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: emarch@ais.net
Message-ID: <338baa60.0@news3.ais.net>
Source record: 174451

What is the best price on the Icom 706 Mark II ?
I seen $1269 so far (R.L. in Huntville, AL)
has any one seen it cheaper ?

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Best Regards,
Ed

//--
// Edward March Jr. Mt. Prospect, IL
//
// ***> http://www.cl.ais.net/emarch
// ***> http://www.bmtmicro.com/catalog/clone.html
//
// IBM BestTeam OS/2 Member, OS/2 Shareware author, Linux user, Ham WB9RAA
//--

4613. Pointer to Ham Radio.FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2805970607440001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 174452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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"HAM FAQ" on the subject line.

Send me a formatted disk with SASE disk mailer if you want the
FAQ text file sent to you on disk. PC or Mac are fine.

73,

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4614. Free Ham Radio Test Simulators - Mac - + CW Tutor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2805970609170001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 174453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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4615. Macintosh Ham Radio Users Group = Macnet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-2805970611100001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 174454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

There is an informal group of amateur radio operators that use Macintosh computers called "Macnet" with > 800 members world-wide.

We stay in touch with each other via packet & Internet and we have a HyperCard stack that tells the story of each of us called "Macnet Roster" that list

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4616. IC 821H Rx Enable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Umina <umina@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6b1e$aed4bde0$2c657392@kirk.ultranet.com>
Source record: 174455

Does anyone know how to enable the specified extended RX coverage capability of the 821? I could not find it in the manual yet it's in the specifications.

/Len

4617. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: viper@visi.net
Message-ID: <5mgc2s$l2k$1@madrid.visi.net>
Source record: 174456

I have dealt with the Woodbridge,VA HRO for about 7 years now (nearly all of that as an Extra class ham) & spent thousands of $$$$'s there. I can say that they r very kind & helpful. But they r just people.
I try to be understanding of closing times,etc. Usually if a customer treats them w/respect, they really try hard. Nevertheless, I have heard a few dainbramaged cases needlesly hassling the employees. There is a difference in asking info & being a jerk-I know, I've worked in retail for years. I know what BOTH sides of the counter r like. Many people cannot say that.
Many times,either on the phone or in person, they (HRO,VA) have taken time to answer MANY questions as honestly as they can. For example. I
went to HRO one saturday AM (a 4 hour drive 4 me) & was all set to buy one dualbander (I believe an icom) & wound up buying a kenwood. Why?
The salesman was very familier from his own experience with the kenwood & , after hearing of my specific interests for the rig, nailed it down to that rig. I have been VERY happy with that purchase! Anyway, it wasn't on sale, nor were they pushing that rig. I have been very happy with the service. Just remember that HRO (or AES,EEB) is NOT burger king! Ham gear is VERY complex & often times hard for ANYONE to answer some questions!
BTW, I have been talked out of unnecessary purchases more than once!
Just my 2 cents worth....N4ZGT

4618. Globe Meteor SB-175

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5ehe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970528043200.AAA16970@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174457

I am looking for crystals for the sb-175 preffered 40 or 20 mtr cw crystals. Any help on that or an external vfo for the globe also 73 de greg KC5EHE@aol.com

4619. Re: Cherokee 6-m Handheld - Opinions!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John J. Thornton" <jjt@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5mgc52$cc8$1@news5.gte.net>
Source record: 174458

John Stefani wrote:
>
> Has anyone purchased the new Cherokee 6-m handheld yet? A local
> dealer sells them for $399 CDN (full list). Any comments on this rig?
> I'm a bit worried about buying a ham radio from a company that is
> predominantly a C.B. manufacturer, but hey...
>
> 73...de VE3TIZ

I purchased a new Cherokee AH-50 6 meter handheld at the Dayton Hamvention for $250. The Cherokee importer had a booth there and they had "seeded the market" with a few radios that were being sold by dealers.

I believe AES carries the C.B. line and the importer is at "www.wirelessmarketing.com".

The radio comes in a nice small handheld package. The radio has a very solid feel and seems well constructed. The plastic seems to be C.B. grade but with care, should last just fine.

The antenna is only about 6" tall, a very be compromise on 6 meters but it seems to work very well for its size. (I just had a QSO through a 6 meter repeater 30 miles away and was heard just fine.)

The unit lacks a DTMF pad and only has 5 memory channels. It comes with a nicad battery and overnight charger. It has full CTCSS encode and decode and they may be set independently.

The radio is very easy to use. Frequency selection requires a few keystrokes (no rotary knob).

Now for the important part, R.F. performance!...

The receiver is excellent. I have used it mountaintopping, on a groundplane on a 50' tower, and in downtown environments. We have a TV Channel 2 in the Bay Area. I have never heard any undesired stations. The receive audio is very good. I wish the receiver would receive outside of the 50-54 MHz amateur band.

The transmitter is rated a 5 watts high power (I don't recall the low power mode). The audio reports I received have been favorable. The BNC antenna connector got pretty hot after 10 minutes of rag-chewing and further inspection showed that the radio has a heat sink inside that is bonded to the BNC connector. This seems like a good idea for cooling.

It is important to remember the limitations of a 6 meter handheld. You must either be near a repeater, or in unobstructed simplex range.

Would I recommend this radio? Absolutely yes! It seems like a real good value if you can find a discounted price. I've had a lot of fun with this radio.

I'm glad to see more interest on the part of hams and manufacturers in the 6 meter band.

73 de WM6R

-John

4620. Standard C112?? Help!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ccchen@bioeng.ttit.edu.tw
Message-ID: <5mgd51$cc8@ee.ttit.edu.tw>
Source record: 174459

I have got an old Standard C-112 transciver from my friend.
But I have no manunal of it. Would anyone help me tell be how to handle
it in brief?? Such as how to use "SCAN" function.......
Thank you very much!!

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Best Regards,
+------------------------| Ching-chang Chen |--------------------------+
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4621. Who was selling matching paint for heatkits????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338BBDDF.6F87@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174460

Thought I saw someone who had the light and dark green matching spray paint for Heathkits. Can't find original post can someone help out.

Thanks
Bob

4622. WTB: 50MHz module for Yeasy FC901 trnsvrtr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frits Jensen <fj@sni.dk>
Message-ID: <01bc6b59$e94e1080$590fd495@FJ.sni.dk>
Source record: 174461

Dr. OM

I realy need the 50MHz module for the FC901 transverter for my FT901DM.
- sad to see the empty slot - and knowing from the cluster, that the band
is open to you guys in W-land!

OZ2Q - Frits in Copenhagen, e-mail fj@sni.dk

4623. Re: FT50R- ADMS software different split

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Nixon <sean.nixon@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <338C0CE0.38DE@ibm.net>
Source record: 174462

Steve S wrote:
>
> Sean,
> I just program in the TX FREQ and RX FREQ independantly and check
> the SPLIT box. I haven't run into your problem with my ADMS-1 and
> FT-50R. Are you trying some really strange split or just V/V and U/V?
>

I didn't want to do it that way, as i want to tune thru a band of
frequencies
and keep the offset (To find a repeater). If I use the split box the TX
freq stays as it was. The splits are still u/u, v/v.

Cheers
Sean

4624. New 2 piece N connectors.. any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <5mh5oo$24lc$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 174463

Greetings,
Looking at the two piece N connectors are they better that the standard
N's?
Easier to fit?
Good v. Bad??

J N1RWY

4625. Re: Icom 706- Mark II- Does anyone have one yet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Phillips <david@trida.compulink.co.uk>
Message-ID: <338C9370.55D5@trida.compulink.co.uk>
Source record: 174464

AllanL3561 wrote:
>
> I would like to know it anyone has an Icom 706- MKII and if so how they
> like it.Allan,

Got mine yesterday and apart from not knowing how to find my way through the menu options yet, I love it already, though 2m repeater operation seems a little complicated. That could just be me not used to pushing the correct buttons yet.

TX audio has been given very good reports and I had my first QSo's yesterday into France and this morning into Southern Italy, both on 50MHZ . Can't comment on CW or HF.

David G1JDU

4626. Re: TH-28 key combinations and frequency opening.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark Dickens"
Message-ID: <338c2127.2218328@news.telepac.pt>
Source record: 174465

Em Tue, 27 May 1997 19:12:45 GMT, JayDee escreveu:

> Can someone tell me about undocumented key combinations? I think
> there may be a way of entering any frequency in the VFO limit memory
> M(1 sec)+4 and M(1 sec)+7. I've been trying to figure it out but
> unsuccessfully. I cloned a TH-79 to my TH-28 and it's doing 118-512
> continuous but I'm still not happy...
>
> 73's de
> Pedro Bastos

You can open your reception without having to open the radio or cut anything. Hold PTT + VFO and, while holding these keys, press POWER. Your radio is now receiving 118-136(as before), 136-174 and 400-520. I have tested it in a TH-28E and I don't know if it works with TH-28A.

73s
Mark Dickens

4627. Re: HF -> 6M & 2M Transverters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark Dickens"
Message-ID: <338d228f.2578941@news.telepac.pt>
Source record: 174466

Em Tue, 27 May 1997 15:23:16 -0700, Todd Schroder <schroder@erols.com>
escreveu:

> Does someone know of any manufacturers who make HF to 6M and 2M
> transverters? I am interested in trying 6M and I would like all-mode 2M
> capability but I am not interested in paying for a 6M rig or an all-mode
> 2M rig. Are HF to 2M transverters practical? I believe Ten Tec makes
> kit/assembled units. Are these the only currently produced units
> available? Are there older models from other manufacturers worth
> considering on the used market? I remember having 6M and 2M transverters
> with my Heath Mohawk receiver, but those were for receive only. If
> anyone has transverter experience, could you pass along some wisdom?
>
> Thanks,
> Todd
> KF4KHM

Before making dedicated VHF/UHF all mode radios, YAESU had RX-TX
transceivers for FT-77 and FT-707. Maybe you can get one of these but
I can tell you it's difficult. They put up to 25 watt in 70cm, I
think.

73s
Mark Dickens

4628. ft50rd mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robertd <robertd@broadcast.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6b76$d7f67ee0$8f48cfa9@viperii>
Source record: 174467

Is there a new set of mods for the FT50 out there, I can't seem to get the cell part working

thanks
robertd@broadcast.net

4629. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #586

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3wts2@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970519.130211.4519.0.n3wts2@juno.com>
Source record: 174468

I am looking for a 50 MHz module for a FT-726 R , if anyone has this module For sale, I would like to buy it from you.

73s N3WTS

MEL

N3WTS2@JUNO.COM

4630. Motorola uhf repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgarrett@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EAwC20.4FF@world.std.com>
Source record: 174469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,ne.forsale

Motorola Compa-Station UHF repeater with duplexer for sale. Taken out of service running OK. With battery changeover system, 75W final, set up for 470 bandsplit. $600/bo.

John

4631. FS: SIMPLEX TELEPHONE PATCH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: spkatzmann@ccgate.dp.beckman.com
Message-ID: <spkatzmann.25.0008F982@ccgate.dp.beckman.com>
Source record: 174470

I have a Model 870 automatic simplex telephone patch. It
was made by a company called SYT in about 1980. It works
fine. I recently went to a full duplex patch and no longer
need a simplex one. It includes a very detailed manual
which has complete circuit descriptions and schematics.

I would like $95 (shipping included).

Steve.

4632. IC-706 MKII Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: niels <niels@blast.net>
Message-ID: <EAwE8p.K7D@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 174471
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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charset="iso-8859-1"

Is there an extended TX mod for the new 706 and will it work on 2m?
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Niels L. H=F8yvald
My Home Page http://www.blast.net./niels
Email Niels L. H=F8yvald
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------=_NextPart_000_01BC6B5C.02332200

charset="iso-8859-1"

Is there an extended TX mod for the =
new 706 and=20
will it work on 2m?

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Niels L. =

Høyvald

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Home Page=20
http://www.blast.net./niels

=20
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Email=20
Niels L. =
Høyvald

=20

=20

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------=_NextPart_000_01BC6B5C.02332200--
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4633. WTB,,Kenwood TS530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@REPLAY.COM
Message-ID: <5mig7v$pje@basement.replay.com>
Source record: 174226

I'm looking for a used 530s in decent condition....if anyone has one please
email me with price, etc.
tnx...Al..WB2KAB..
email...alviti@lanline.com

4634. FS: W9GR DSP Audio Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5migr6$b4k@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 174227

Hello, I have a W9GR DSP audio filter. Removes noise and carriers and
has CW and SSTV filters. $90 Shipped
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

4635. FS: Motorola HT90 UHF HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5migdk$b4k@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 174228

Hello, I have a Motorola HT90 UHF HT for sale with rapid charger, two
GOOD batteries, and speaker mic.
Freq range is 450-470 , 4 watt, 2 freq. $100 shipped
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

4636. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: docdc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5mih23$ipp@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174229

In <338BC087.2C58@flash.net> Walker Brents <wbrents@flash.net> writes:
>
>My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He
does
>not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments
>on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
>Walker N5KZZ

I just bought the AL-811 and have used it for a week. I can say that it does what it is advertised to do. It loads up well and it gets out well. It doesn't run screaming hot where you could boil water on top of it. I don't know what else to say except that it does what it is supposed to.

I have never run a linear before this, therefore I am not a source of knowledge for comparisons.

Dale
KC8FAQ

4637. Inquiry: Info about Ten-Tec 2m->6m xverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jspatric@mailhost.ecn.uoknor.edu
Message-ID: <5mihp5$i02$1@artemis.backbone.ou.edu>
Source record: 174230

I'm looking at getting on 6m, and I am looking at the Ten-Tec 2m->6m
transverter kit. Has anyone any experience building/using this kit?
What about quality of the 6m signal on all modes (will be using a
FT-290RII 2m all-mode for IF)?

If you have any info, I'd appreciate it before the SMIRK 6m QSO contest
and hopefully before the June VHF QSO Party!

Thanks!
John KC5VEI
--
John Patrick (jpatrick@ou.edu) - KC5VEI
Electrical/Computer Engineering Grad @ The University of Oklahoma
* John's EE Page: <http://www.ecn.ou.edu/~jspatric/ee-info.html> *

4638. Re: TS-520S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1EAx3IC.9In@netcom.com>
Source record: 174231

In article <EAwLvp.L3I@scn.org>, James Aeschliman <bb840@scn.org> wrote:
>
>In a previous article, briordan@earthlink.net (Brian Riordan) says:
>
>>
>>Is there an easy way to reduce the output power on this radio? I need
>>to reduce power on 75m to avoid an rfi problem.
>>Thanks,
>>Brian
>>KJ7VN
>>
>
>I believe all that's required is to back off the driver.
>--
>Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
>Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

That would be the "mic" knob.

4639. FS: BIRD 43 Wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5milea$e1q@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 174232

Hello, I have a very clean BIRD 43 Wattmeter for sale. $150 Shipped
Also have Slugs 250H ($55) and 500D ($45)
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

4640. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@inwave.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6bcf$0dd9a160$1cf431cf@william-lee>
Source record: 174233
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greg Emerson <gregemmy@lni.net> wrote in article <338B0200.5A73@lni.net>...
> >Watch out Andy, I gave somewhat of the same advice and was told by many
do
> >good posters that it was illegal to run an amp. on CB.
>
> I wasn't one of those "do good" posters, but what's so bad about doing
> good??? Why be a petty criminal? Just use your 2 meter rig and don't
> worry about the CB...or do it with the legal 4 watts. No rocket science
> needed here.
>
> Regards,
>
> Greg WG8N
>

Well Greg, I drive from state to state a lot and very seldom hear anyone on the 146.520 calling freq. I monitor it all the time and call out about every 50 miles or so but seldom make a contact. Sometimes its a long way between repeaters. On the other hand the CB channel 19 is always active with weather, road, and bear conditions. Also those truckers can tell some very good stories. True, there is a lot of trash in there, but sometimes you can find a real jewel amid it all. Radio is Radio regardless of frequency.

William Lee

4641. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6bcf$9bb27f20$640f2399@peter->
Source record: 174234

Bob Sull <wa8imo@kellnet.com> wrote in article
<33887C45.2C6D@kellnet.com>...
> Geeeeee..... Everybody wants more governmental control over what they
> do. At least thats what I read here. Have a government agency police
> sales of ham gear. What a shitty idea.

Hey! I have a GREAT idea! How about we make it a law that every radio, in
order
to be allowed on the airwaves, accept a "smart card" which every ham is
given which
allows transmitting priviledges in accordance with the license! And the
radio then
transmits a data burst with the license info! These radios could of course
be remotely
de-activated, and could even have GPS in them so the gov't knows EXACTLY
where
all of us are!

Just kidding, but I'll bet a lot of people would go for this...

4642. Re: New 2 piece N connectors.. any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6bd0$12fef680$640f2399@peter->
Source record: 174235

Jason Baack <baack@maine.edu> wrote in article
<5mh5oo$24lc$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>...
> Greetings,
> Looking at the two piece N connectors are they better that the standard
> N's?
> Easier to fit?
> Good v. Bad??

They seem to work, although on HF you won't notice if the impedance was
askew.

They are like the PL-259 (UHF) connectors, but that bothers me because of
the
high heat needed to solder the braid to the shell. I worry about melting
the
dielectric and making the center conductor off-center.

4643. WTB: Clegg Equipment / Literature

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: franklin@net-link.net
Message-ID: <338d0d46.5707806@nntp.net-link.net>
Source record: 174236

I am a Clegg Labs collector and I am looking for the following:

Clegg literature
Clegg Interceptor manual
Clegg Thor 6 voltage/reistance/ alignment charts & info
Model 62T10 Transmitter
Model 250-6C Amplifier
Model 209 Crystiplexer Transmitter
Interceptor AllBander HF Tuner/Speaker
Clegg 66er Transceiver
Appollo 6-meter Linear
Venus 6 meter transceiver

Gary K8BKB
franklin@net-link.net

4644. Re: Questions for FT-51R owner... (51R vs. TH-79)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970529023500.WAA17885@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174237

The YAESU FT51 and the 50 are both excellent rigs. get the newer and less pricey 50 unless you have a need for 51 specific features.

4645. Re: FS 14.4 modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Cage <MCage@Cyou.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6bd5$8b15d080$2b9131cc@area.crestviewfl.com>
Source record: 174238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil> wrote in article
<33846596.76B7@apollo.wes.army.mil>...
> U.S. Robotics 14.4 Sportster fax modem. As new 65.00 shipped CONUS.
>
> Butch KF5DE
>

Try a U.S. Roboitcs 33.6 WinModem part number 1125 at Sams for $90.00 but
make sure that you send in the U.S. Robotics Fast $40.00 rebate. Thats
only
$50.00 and its upgradeable to 56.6k.

4646. WTB: Lightning Bug or Blue Racer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4js@usa.net
Message-ID: <338ef215.4480555@news.cyberenet.net>
Source record: 174239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Still looking for a Vibroplex Lighting Bug or a Blue racer.

_ _ _ _ _ ___ John L. Sielke n4js@amsat.org n4js@pobox.com
| \| || | | _ | |/ __| n4js@n4js.ampr.org NJ Grid:FM29LN
| .` ||_ _|| || |__ \ http://www.qsl.net/n4js
|_|_| |_| __/ |___/ NJ-QRP #57 QRP-L #884 QRP-ARCI #9328
NE-QRP #507 G-QRP #9544 NorCal #1989 QCWA FISTS #2781

4647. Re: Ignition/generator noise / GM Fuel Pump Noise Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: lkunz@flash.net
Message-ID: <338cfcfe.16515309@news.flash.net>
Source record: 174240

Bond everything with heavy braid. Engine to frame, engine to firewall, firewall to hood (two places) and in some cases, exhaust pipe to frame. Dress the wiring close to the engine - use wire clips if necessary.

I had a '66 Ford that I built a totally shielded ignition system for using RG-8 braid over the plug wires, a coffee tin around the distributer cap and tall 9 pin tube shields over each plug. Worked great, but it was hell to maintain.

Larry

On Wed, 28 May 1997 16:14:15 -0400, NewsRadio <jmckay@interlog.com> wrote:

>Mark Bryant wrote:
>>
>> There was a pretty good thread on the subject a few months ago on this
>> group. Talk centered on auto computer noise and fuel pump noise in newer
>> GM/Ford cars.
>
>I have an 85 dodge and have a severe problem with static from the spark
>

4648. Re: FS: RADIO SHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <338cfe9e.22718661@news.capital.net>
Source record: 174241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 28 May 1997 14:27:43 -0700, NeilT@worldnet.att.net wrote:

>Masa wrote:
>>
>> On 26 May 1997 15:03:26 GMT, cheewug@aol.com (CHEEWUG) wrote:
>>
>> >I have a Radio Shack HTX-202 with spkr.mic. , manual , box , nicad ,
>> >charger , antenna. Radio was use for packet and is in perfect working
>> >cond. & no scratches
>> >$145.00 (I'll Ship/48) - $130.00 (U-Ship)
>> >If interested , send reply for phone or with your phone.
>> >
>> >73 , Rich.
>>
>> I will sell mine [HTX-202] for US$140 w/shipping. I used for a month.
>> if you are interested, contact me by e-mail at masa@writeme.com
>>
>> Masataka Noda
>> Masa@WriteMe-X.com
>> http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/
>>
>> Spam Security is ON:
>> Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.
>
>I'll paint ANY car for $29.95!

I'll pay you $29.95 to paint Masa. (with tar and feathers.)

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73,
Butch
To send mail,
delete the xyz
from my address

4649. Rubber feet source wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5mis2s$upe@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 174242

I am looking for a source for rubber feet for a radio. I am not interested in the stick on rubber feet or the one's that you screw on with sheet metal screws.

The type I am looking for are the type that you push up through a hole in the bottom of the radio and it pops into place. I believe Heathkit used this type on feet in some of it's older radios.

I checked Radio Shack and couldn't find any of this type. It's basically like a rubber plug.

4650. Re: Help***Icom IC-T7A serial pin config for comp interface????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <338d01dc.3628573@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 174243

On Wed, 28 May 1997 01:33:25 GMT, seanr@cts.com (Sean) wrote:

>Icom IC-T7A serial pin config for comp interface.
> All I need is a 9 pin serial connector and to know the wires that
>need to go to what pin, and I can save myself the 40 bucks Icom wants
>for their interface cable.
> Anyone have a clue? Someone told me it is the same wiring the Yaesu
>FT-50 uses..
>Sean KC6VIU
>seanr@cts.com
You forgot the ten componets in the DB-9 that make up the level
converter in the ICOM cable. The radio requires 5 volts not the plus
and minus 12 volts a serial port will give to the radio. Hooking up
the T7A direct to a serial port will destroy the radio.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

4651. WTB-Standard AX-700 scanner/receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kin Ho <bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5mj0dd$f3c@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174244

Please e-mail with condition and price.

4652. Make Cash, not the same old Scam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Flipper Boy <netcom@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc59d4$e5fad0d0$2fcdb7c7@martin>
Source record: 174245
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.pictures.teen-idols,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.

Make money selling stupid stuff on the Net (Great for Teenagers)

Hey there are ways to do it, In my 5 page book, ill give you all the locations on the net to sell stuff that costs you nothing. Ill give you all the address's to online auction house's, Newsgroups to post to, and all the rules in the game. Hey you wont make a million bucks, but you sure as hell can increase your income by about 200-500 dollars a week, Spending only 5-6 hrs a week at the computer. And who wouldnt mind that.

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Send $5.00 cash and an empty SASE to:

Make Cash
PO Box 26
Edgewater MD 21037-0026

Not responsible for lost or misguided orders. Please allow 2 weeks for delivery, Rush orders add $3.00 for priority mail. No Checks accepted, Cah only. Make Money, Relax!

4653. WTB: R-1004 Receiver (part of GRC-109)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: keymaster@stlnet.com
Message-ID: <864882399.32755@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings to all!

I would like to purchase a R-1004 receiver which is part of the GRC-109 radio set. I already have the transmitter and power supply and would like to complete the set. If you have an R-1004 and would like to sell it (or know where one is for sale), please contact me by e-mail.

Thank you reading!

Derek Cohn
WB0TUA
keymaster@stlnet.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4654. new ham web site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al & Jane Perreault <janeal@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6bf1$3ddcc460$9ec0cecd@InternetGateway.intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 174247

Hello,
I am working on a comprehensive list of web sites by hams.
If you would like to add a Personal Web Page by a ham, then please go visit
my web site at http://www.geocities.com/HotSprings.com/9732/hams.html, and
fill out the application form. I will post it as soon as I can. I have
totally revamped the website, so tell me what you think!

Albert Perreault RN
E-mail: ve7fym@geocities.com
URL: http://www.geocities.com/HotSprings/9732
Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada

4655. Re: Cherokee 6-m Handheld - Opinions!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5mj1kt$1t60@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 174248

I've purchased the HT and I agree with the previous comments and like
to add a few myself. First!! I only paid 199 for mine at AES in
Milwalkee on May 4th, maybe it had something to do with the AES Superfest.
I also purchased the soft case to protect the "CB" plastic and it covers
the HT very nicely although it is a tight fit. Keypad entry would be nice
but the function key works well and QSYing is an easy task. Reciever
sensitivity is good but alas there are no repeaters where I live.
A friend of mine has the ADI AT-400 and the battery works on the
Cherokee six meter, but my battery does not fit his very well. I've seen
the AH-27 by Cherokee and it looks identical but it is for the CB band.
From the different WEB sites I have visited I have found out that the AH-
27 is very modifiable and it would seem that the the AH-50 would do the
same.
On an outside antenna I can easily work out to 15 miles on simplex and
since the band is geting better I fully expect the rig to reach out from
my favorite recliner. I have worked about five miles with the ducky
antenna.
Rumor mill has a Cherokee all mode ten meter in the works, I know they
have a 11 meter version. So this company for being a "CB" company I think
they have a winner here. and I hope they are working on more.
73 Rod KB8DNS
-
gzgq49a@prodigy.com.spam

4656. new web page.. correct url

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al & Jane Perreault <janeal@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6bf8$0382daa0$9ec0cecd@InternetGateway.intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 174249

Sorry!
Error in previous message, please note correct web address!

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fill out the application form. I will post it as soon as I can. I have
totally revamped the website, so tell me what you think!

Albert Perreault RN
E-mail: ve7fym@geocities.com
URL: http://www.geocities/HotSprings/9732
Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada

4657. WTB: 805 triodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Burk <krubar@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6bc0$c9b4e660$6279d4cd@randy-s>
Source record: 174250

Looking for good used/new 805 triodes to buy.
Let me know price/availability. Thanks.
--
Randy Burk
krubar@bright.net
Fostoria, OH

4658. Re: Vibro, Motorola Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: boeing377@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970529065300.CAA10069@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174251

Can you give some more info on the auto tuner?

What inputs are necessary besides 12 VDC and RF? Does it need a low power RF input to perform the tune up? Does it use a roller coil or does it switch between fixed coils? Thanks, Mark

4659. Allband HF Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nuril@dprin.go.id
Message-ID: <199705290713.AAA18406@mailbox2.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 174252

Please anybody have experience or know the information among of the
antenna below to give me suggestion, which better,
Butternut HF-6VX
Icom MN-100
Chuscraft R7000+ or AP8A

Warm regards,
Olsen Nababan - YD1VOA
Indonesia

to: IN:ham-ant@ucsd.edu
cc: IN:ham-equip@ucsd.edu

4660. ICOM 756 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Thompson <lour@total.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6bdb$ed194f40$1d828bcf@lou>
Source record: 174253

Does anyone have any Mods for the ICOM 756...

LEN THOMPSON

4661. Multicomm2000 new website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn Allison <martyn@intecc.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bc6bff$6b4a5f80$67e4f3c1@100076>
Source record: 174254

For all who are interested in buying and selling new and used equipment, AOR, Yupiteru, Icom, Yaesu etc it would be well worth your time to check into Multicomm 2000 new web site.

http://www.multicomm2000.com

4662. Re: Opinion :Schurr Paddles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: richarde@pwd.hp.com
Message-ID: <5mjk1h$7v0@hpwin055.uksr.hp.com>
Source record: 174255

GERYS (gerys@aol.com) wrote:
: Need opinions. Anyone using a Schurr paddle and their opinion of it. I've
: used a Jones paddle and did not like it forme, too hard a feel. Guess I
: like a softer
: (spongy?) touch. The Bencher feels fine, but would like too try something
: else.

I have both a Schurr Profi and Bencher. I now only use the Schurr paddle and love it. It's heavier than the Bencher and I find the paddles are at a better height for me! As for the "feel", well I think it's "harder" than the Bencher but that's the way I like it!

I would advise trying one before purchase as they are expensive. I bought mine at HRO Sunnyvale so I'm sure that other HROs must stock them.

73 de Rich, G4ZFE

4663. FS: Alinco DJ-180 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor D. Mete" <KE4QJK@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6c1c$9bd2d160$706492cf@AT&TWorldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:
Alinco DJ-180 HT
Good condition
Soft case
12v adapter
drop-in charger
manual
$120

Victor / KE4QJK
ke4qjk@worldnet.att.net
954-974-9136
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4664. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb4ijn@awod.com
Message-ID: <5mjs99$e21@battery.awod.com>
Source record: 174257

docdc@ix.netcom.com(Dale Harper) wrote:

>In <338BC087.2C58@flash.net> Walker Brents <wbrents@flash.net> writes:
>>
>>My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He
>does
>>not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments
>>on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
>>Walker N5KZZ

For comparison purposes, I have an L4B, 30L1, HT33B, Alpha 89, and an Ameritron AL82. I like the AL82 and believe it is the best buy in an Ameriton amp. It uses the same power supply as the AL1200 and AL1500, but more available and less expensive 3-500's.

I once had an AL80A and that was a good amp as well.

73, Steve W4IJ

4665. WTB: MFJ 989C 3kw Tunner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <5mjq5a$24g@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 174258

Looking for a MFJ 989c tuner in very good or better condition

If you have one that needes a home,
please contact me at:

E-mail afn02823@afn.org
or W 352-395-0316
H 352-331-2415

David Price, Ke4zqz

4666. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <EAxyzG.4t1@mv.mv.com>
Source record: 174259

In article <338C8CAA.7817@mcipnet.com>
WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com> writes:

> > On 22 May 97 16:21:10 GMT, morel@shani.NET (morel grunberg) wrote:
> >
> > >I'm looking for more info and impressions
> > >on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
> > >transceiver. For those who already saw it
> > >at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?
> > >
> > >Any reply will be appreciated.
> > >
> > >73 de Morel, 4X1AD
> > >
> >
> > After reading the followup posts of your message, I am interested in
> > knowing how much this new concept will potentially set us back?
> >
> > Thanks!
> >
> > 73!
> >
> > de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
> > davidho@one.net

According to the Kachina rep the 505-DSP will sell for $1995 and be
available through the factory, HRO and AES in July.

73

Richard / N1VXW

Richard Lubash
N1VXW
email rlubash@poco.mv.com

ATTENTION: To stop that pesky junk mail I to have
put the prefix nospam at the front of my email address. To reply
send email to the address above.

4667. Re: New 2 piece N connectors.. any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <338D752B.2FF2@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 174260

Peter Gottlieb wrote:
snip
> They are like the PL-259 (UHF) connectors, but that bothers me because of
> the high heat needed to solder the braid to the shell. I worry about melting
> the dielectric and making the center conductor off-center.

Just soldered up some a week ago. No problem at all to solder the
braid to the shell. The N's I had were not plated with a shiny
material, just a dull-looking shell. What I did, before soldering
the connector on, was to tin the connector body before putting it on
the cable. The connector took the solder quite readily. BTW, I
use a Weller soldering station with a wide, 700 deg.F tip for this.
If the ones you have have a shiny coating/plating, file that off,
apply flux, and tin the connector body before putting it on the cable.
When it was time to solder the center conductor/pin, I changed to a
narrow 700 deg.F tip. This is really the hard part, as the only
place to put solder is in the little inspection hole in the pin. If
you tin the center conductor before putting the shell on, test fit
first; it may not work with tinned 9913.
Good luck.
--
Jack
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
ARRL - N2MPU
NRA & NRA-ILA

4668. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <338d7b1e.64270766@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 174261

On Wed, 28 May 1997 13:51:06 -0600, WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com> wrote:

>Check it all out on www.kachina-az.com
>
>WA0KDS
>
>
> [Deleted]

I did check out their homepage, but couldn't find the price of the
rig. I guess I'll have to call them up to find it out. Thanks for
your time reading this.

73!

de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
davidho@one.net

4669. Re: FS:Heathkit HM-102 HF Wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: lewjb@ncats.newaygo.mi.us
Message-ID: <864913179.14732@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <864484953.26128@dejanews.com>,
lewjb@ncats.newaygo.mi.us wrote:
>
> 0-200,100-2000 watt scales,removable remote sender unit,SB color
> scheme.Excellent condition W/original manual.$48.00 shipped.
>
> --------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4670. Re: How do you open Yaesu Battery Pack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: houlejm@ireq.CA
Message-ID: <v03102801afb339d2ab6f@[204.19.49.46]>
Source record: 174263

wb2k@access.digex.net wrote in article <864152022.26489@dejanews.com>...
> The battery pack (FNB-25) on my FT-530 died, so I picked up a replacement
> inset at Dayton. Trouble is I can't seem to figure out how to crack open
> the shell without sever damage.
>
> Does anyone know how to open the FNB-25 battery pack without destroying
> it?
>
> Any advice appreciated.

We opened many FT530 battery packs by squeezing the sides in a vise until the joints crack. Then we remove the arrow sticker on the top and force it open from the top. Use moderate force and work slowly since the batteries are glued inside the case and hold the cover halves together. The glue will yeld slowly. If you work from the bottom, You will break two plastic tabs that hold the halves together.

If you work delicately, The case will snap together and a piece of tape on top will help hold them while not in the radio.

--
Jean-Marie Houle houlejm@ireq.ca
VE2AEY Tel (514) 652-8083
Fax (514) 652-8435

4671. Info: Johnson Courier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Tyson <skipt1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5mk6pv$2if@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174264

I would like to get some info on the Johnson Courier. How many watts out, finals, AM only, years of manufacture, etc.? Also what would be a fair price to pay for one of these amps.
Thank you very much for your help.
Skip Tyson KE6YRZ

4672. Strobe wipes out mobile rig!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: niels <niels@blast.net>
Message-ID: <EAy6qA.E16@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 174265
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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charset="iso-8859-1"

I have an emergency strobe lighting system installed in my car. The =
problem occurs when I use it to respond to a fire call, it wipes out my =
rigs RX (on 33.70mhz). I tried using RF chokes on each of the outgoing =
wires to the strobes(4 at each corner of the car) and on the power =
supply.=20
any other suggestions?!?
TNX, Robert Hoyvald kb2uwj
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TNX, Robert Hoyvald =
kb2uwj

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4673. Off Topic: Scanner Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kent R. Frazier" <kfrazier@nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <338DA486.4C644F40@nmsu.edu>
Source record: 174266

I know this is off topic, but I thought this group might be able to answer my question.

Is it possible to modify a Radio Shack Pro-33 scanner to receive between 174 MHz and 380 MHz? What are the legal issues, if any? My interest is in receiving the Military Aircraft bands in this range along with the Ham band.

Thanks,

Kent

--
Kent R. Frazier
PADI Divemaster DM-39230
FCC Amateur Radio License KD5AES

4674. Collins 651S-1 receiver *** SOLD ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: PA2JBC <a0927429@dsbmail.itg.ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6c4b$975665a0$8f0aaa9d@pc-tir22.pac.sc.ti.com>
Source record: 174267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The receiver is ***sold*** (was gone within 24 hours hours after posting)
Thanks for all the responses

4675. FS: TS-50 & AT-50 - small HF Xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbohner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970529163500.MAA07426@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174268

Kenwood TS-50, New price @ AES=$1019 -- Asking $750
Kenwood AT-50 Antenna tuner, New Price @ AES=$329 -- Asking $245
Kenwood YK107C CW Filter, New price=$129 -- Asking $90

All in excellent condition, no scratches or marks. Original boxes and manuals. Purchased new 3/94. The AT-50 was used only about 30 minutes, I ended up using an SGC tuner instead, because of the type of antenna. It has
served me well, but I no longer need a small radio. I have upgraded to a TS-850.
I'll pay COD shipping.
Send email to GBohner@aol.com
Guy, W6LJL
St. Petersburg, FL

4676. 50.620 packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <*SPAMSAVER*booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <338DB543.446B@pactitle.com>
Source record: 174269

Is anyone out there doing any packet on 50.62 or anyother 50mhz freq??

If so please let me know your call and freq. and if it's APRS of regular
packet. I'm thinking of starting a list of packet op's on 50mhz.
Also thinking of getting my packet of 50.620.

Thanks
Dave Booth kc6wfs

http://www.geocities/Hollywood/5860
http://www.geocities/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

Note the spamsaver when replying!!!!!!

4677. Re: Make Cash, not the same old Scam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Orbitz <justme@my.com>
Message-ID: <338DEE2A.3A68@my.com>
Source record: 174270
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.pictures.teen-idols,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.

Flipper Boy wrote:
>
> Make money selling stupid stuff on the Net (Great for Teenagers)
>
> Hey there are ways to do it, In my 5 page book, ill give you all the
> locations on the net to sell stuff that costs you nothing. Ill give you all
> the address's to online auction house's, Newsgroups to post to, and all the
> rules in the game. Hey you wont make a million bucks, but you sure as hell
> can increase your income by about 200-500 dollars a week, Spending only 5-6
> hrs a week at the computer. And who wouldnt mind that.
>
> For "How to make cash on the Net"
>
> Send $5.00 cash and an empty SASE to:
>
> Make Cash
> PO Box 26
> Edgewater MD 21037-0026
>
> Not responsible for lost or misguided orders. Please allow 2 weeks for
> delivery, Rush orders add $3.00 for priority mail. No Checks accepted, Cah
> only. Make Money, Relax!

I'm sure if you posted clearer pictures more people would respond to
you'r scam. I like the part about "misguided orders", at least your
honest about ripping people off.

-fool me once, shame on you, fool me twice, shame on me-

TheOrB

4678. Re: HTX 212 Power output help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: urolab@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5mkgc6$5jv@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174271

In <338A1880.34AB@sprynet.com> Chris Thompson <cthompson01@sprynet.com>
writes:
>
>I have an RS HTX-212 that is only putting out 20 watts instead of the
>specified 45. Does anyone have the shop manual for this rig? If so,
>would you please tell me which potentiometer controls the output
power?
>
>I would like to try to correct the problem myself before sending it in
>for service.
>
>FYI: I'm running the rig with an antenna set up of less than 1.5:1 so
>its not backing down the power because of a mismatch.
>
>Please respond via email
>
>
>Chris N1NIQ

Out of curiousity, what does it output into a 50 ohm dummy load?

WB4DTC

4679. Re: Charging ICOM battery pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: urolab@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5mkgpi$6o@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174322

In <33889200.526D@pop3.esslink.com> Douglas Gerard
<gerard@pop3.esslink.com> writes:
>
>I have an Icom IC-A22 (aviation) with its stock CM-166 nicd pack and
the
>supplied BM-112U charger. I've noted that the battery pack gets warm
>within an hour of charging and started thinking... If the battery
pack
>is 600mah rated, and the charger block says it is a 12v, 300mA output,
>how can the recomendation be for 15 hours of charging? Shouldn't it
be
>more like 3 hours? (150% of rated capacity). Is there a typo here or
am
>I missing something? Have I been overcharging my nicd pack at c/.5
all
>this time?
>
>Doug Gerard

The batt has slots and charger has switches to select proper output
for different type batt. packs...No?

WB4DTC

4680. Frec channel with PROM????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ea4eob@nos.ea4rct.ampr.ORG
Message-ID: <195859@nos.ea4rct.ampr.org>
Source record: 174323

Msg: 54 Flag:LBF
Date: 29-05-1997 16:28
From: EA4EOB@
To : ALL @WW
BID : 69-EA4EOB
Title: Info abt PHILIPS IC's???

[��� TST HOST v1.42b, Local time: Thu May 29 16:29:12 1997 ���]

Hello all.

I'm looking for the features and pins map of this IC's:

1�) TDD1742T (PHILIPS)

2�) N82S185N (SIGNETICS) PROM. (It's an usual 18 pin's IC)

This last IC is the PROM that programs the frecuencies of the TX/RX
channels in a comercial transceiver.

I want to modify the PROM info to transmit in 2mts amateur band.

If you know something about this please tell me it.

I acknowledge it avant.

Thank's.

Rafael Alonso Utrilla
Paquet: EA4EOB@EA4EEN
e-mail: ea4eob@ea4rct.ampr.org

*** End Of Message 54 ***

4681. Midland XTR Programming Kit Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: khammond@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5mki9m$njp@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174324

I need to be able to reprogram this unit, as I frequently travel
from one area of the state to another. The only shop that I have found
that is capable of reprograming this unit is in yet a third part of
the state which I have visited once in my life (when I got the radio).
If anyone can help me, please e-mail me at the address below. I have
no idea what model the radio is as the label has fallen off. All I
know is that I got it about 7 years ago. Please help!
I will gladly buy both the required programming cable and software.

Thanks,
Keith Hammond

4682. ICOM IC-V68 FEATURES????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: millerk@xtrabox.com
Message-ID: <864931207.29527@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I recently purchased an ICOM IC-V68 transceiver.
The book that came with the radio is VERY basic
and does not describe how to use any features
such as the memory or channels. The person who
sold me the radio showed me these features, but I
am thinking that I must be missing OTHER features.

Are these documented anywhere, possibly on-line
where they could simply be downloaded?

Please e-mail me any replies at: millerk@xtrabox.com or
millerk@xtrabox.com

Thank you in advance!!!!

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4683. FS: Alinco DR130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: weltyrc@mail.auburn.edu
Message-ID: <5mkjc6$d7s@ultranews.duc.auburn.edu>
Source record: 174326

For Sale: Alinco DR130 50Watt 2m mobile rig. Has 20 memories and PL encode.
Includes box, manual, mounting bracket, mic, & power cord. Asking $200

Ryan
Auburn, AL

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4684. FS: Alinco DJ180 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: weltyrc@mail.auburn.edu
Message-ID: <5mkjlp$d7s@ultranews.duc.auburn.edu>
Source record: 174327

For Sale: Alinco DJ180 5Watt 2m HT. Includes 5Watt battery and drop in charger. Has 10 memories and PL encode/decode. $150 shipped CONUS.

Ryan
Auburn, AL

4685. Re: Make Cash, not the same old Scam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher A. King" <cking4@ford.com>
Message-ID: <338DCACF.6641@ford.com>
Source record: 174328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.

Flipper Boy wrote:

> Make money selling stupid stuff on the Net (Great for Teenagers)

So what we're supposed to do is send you money for what *you*
are selling, which by your definition is already "stupid" to
begin with...?

C.K.

4686. YAESU FT800 R, KENWOOD TM-241A & YAESU FT-11R.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Haroldo Santos Filho <hsf@nutecnet.com.br>
Message-ID: <01bc6c5f$a9682940$670ef1c8@default>
Source record: 174329

Dear friends,

Anyone could help me to modificate these three VHF/UHF transceivers.

1) YAESU FT-8000 R;
2) KENWOOD TM-241 A;
3) YAESU FT-11 R (HAND TALK).

I would like to amplify the specter frequency of these equipments.
Thank you very much for attention.

Haroldo Santos Filho - PP1 HS
Amater radio operator (class "advanced").
Brazil - South America.

PS: In Brazil we don't how to buy the book: "Radio modifications #
1,2,3...". It contains the modifications that i want. Thanks a lot!

4687. [=== Looking for OLD HP & TEK CATALOGS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <864935838.32593@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174330
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.cellular-phone-tech,sci.electronics.misc,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I am looking for the following old catalogs:
- HP early 1970's, mid 1960's and earlier
- Tektronics televison and test instruments before 1970.

I will gladly pay for shipping and handeling.

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

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4688. Are there any mods for HTX-242?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Kaye <n2sjh@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <338DF1DD.27868105@eclipse.net>
Source record: 174331

Hello All,

I was curious if there were any modifications available for the
HTX-242 2M mobile radio? Any info would be appreciated. Thanks and 73.
--
Dave(n2sjh@eclipse.net)

"Imagine all the people living life in peace"
-John Lennon

4689. FS : Alinso DR 605 T dual band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <EAyn61.nK@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 174332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Alinco DR 605 T dual band mobile radio, 2M - 440, with OPTIONAL EJ-24U tone decode board for sale. This radio is MINT, and in brand new condition, purchased on 3/25/97. It is in the box, with original packing, manual, and ALL accessories. I will provide the receipt as well. The radio was used twice in the base for about three hours, and put away. Never used mobile, and I am a non-smoker.

$435.00 shipped to 48 if pre-paid, COD is $5.00 extra

NO TRADES

E-Mail if interested.

dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

4690. IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur" <f5mjv@infini.fr>
Message-ID: <338DF3AB.7537@infini.fr>
Source record: 174333

What do you think about It ???

Tnx Vincent F5MJV

4691. Looking for Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bucherj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970529214800.RAA02277@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174334

HTTP://members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
Jamie Bucher

4692. FS; BIRD 43 500D Slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5mkt6s$p78@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 174335

Hello, I have a BIRD 43 500D Slug for sale. 500watt 200-500mhz $45 shipped. Thanks
Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com

4693. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Lindsey <blindsey@metricom.com>
Message-ID: <338DFCD7.3051@metricom.com>
Source record: 174336

F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur wrote:
>
> What do you think about It ???
>
> Tnx Vincent F5MJV

More power on 2 meters (20 watts now) and a quieter fan (yippee)
But still has the ridiculous repeater offset problem.. You have to turn
the thing off and go into setup mode to change your direction of shift.
I heard another fellow here describe it as brain dead - I'd have to say
that was hitting the nail on the head. Anybody know a way around this?

-b
kc5rbz
blindsey@sepulcher.com

4694. Re: Blown Diodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zack Lau <zlau@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <338D94E6.4CD0@arrl.org>
Source record: 174337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Peter Gottlieb wrote:
>
> Barry L. Ornitz <ornitz@tricon.net> wrote in article
> <01bc6a2b$ceefeee0$367fb0cc@ornitz.tricon.net>...
> > The 1N3487 is a little bit of an oddball since its reverse voltage rating
> > is 1200 volts.
> > The forward current is rated at 400 mA. If the voltage to the diodes is
> > such that more common 1000 PIV diodes will work, use the common 1N4007
> > diode. To be extra careful, replace each 1N3487 with two 1N4007 diodes
> in
> > series - thus giving a higher safety factor.
>

Is there a preferred manufacturer for carbon comps that handle high
voltages? The Allen-Bradley RC32 style 1 watt resistors are only
rated at 500 volts, according to the latest Newark Catalog.

--Zack Lau W1VT

> Put a 100K resistor across EACH diode when doing this to equalize the
> reverse
> voltage when the diodes are not conducting. Use 1 Watt carbon comp
> resistors
> for high breakdown voltage.

4695. Re: Charging ICOM battery pack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338DFBA4.325C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174338

Douglas Gerard wrote:
>
> I have an Icom IC-A22 (aviation) with its stock CM-166 nicd pack and the
> supplied BM-112U charger. I've noted that the battery pack gets warm
> within an hour of charging and started thinking... If the battery pack
> is 600mah rated, and the charger block says it is a 12v, 300mA output,
> how can the recomendation be for 15 hours of charging? Shouldn't it be
> more like 3 hours? (150% of rated capacity). Is there a typo here or am
> I missing something? Have I been overcharging my nicd pack at c/.5 all
> this time?
>
> Doug Gerard

Howdy Doug--
At URL:
http://www.cc.columbia.edu/~fuat/cuarc/NiCd.html
is lots of info for care and feeding of NIcads, should help.

73
Rod in san Diego

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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4696. Help Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rur@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <3395b40c.2271752@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 174339

Hi..
I need a Baycom Board or KPC-4 if you you have either not
in use.. Please visit my Bed Fund Site you might be able to suggest
ways of raising funds.. Thank You
http:www.innotts.co.uk/~rur/

73's Paul G0RUR
Paul (G0RUR)
rur@innotts.co.uk
UK Distributor of Amsoft's Ham Radio C.D.
Home Page: http://www.innotts.co.uk/~rur/

4697. Re: Cherokee 6-m Handheld - Opinions!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nadzam@garlic.com
Message-ID: <5ml0a2$fg8$1@bulb.garlic.com>
Source record: 174340

Well I sell them for $229.00 at this time. Nice little unit, accepts the MA-27 mobile comm adapter, plus most of the other options. The case is Lexan Plactic and tuff enough to withstand most anything. This company is going to have many more CB and Amateur products over the next year.

John J. Thornton (jjt@gte.net) wrote:
: John Stefani wrote:
: >
: > Has anyone purchased the new Cherokee 6-m handheld yet? A local
: > dealer sells them for $399 CDN (full list). Any comments on this rig?
: > I'm a bit worried about buying a ham radio from a company that is
: > predominantly a C.B. manufacturer, but hey...
: >
: > 73...de VE3TIZ

: I purchased a new Cherokee AH-50 6 meter handheld at the Dayton
: Hamvention for $250. The Cherokee importer had a booth there and they
: had "seeded the market" with a few radios that were being sold by
: dealers.

: I believe AES carries the C.B. line and the importer is at
: "www.wirelessmarketing.com".

: The radio comes in a nice small handheld package. The radio has a very
: solid feel and seems well constructed. The plastic seems to be C.B.
: grade but with care, should last just fine.

: The antenna is only about 6" tall, a very be compromise on 6 meters but
: it seems to work very well for its size. (I just had a QSO through a 6
: meter repeater 30 miles away and was heard just fine.)

: The unit lacks a DTMF pad and only has 5 memory channels. It comes with
: a nicad battery and overnight charger. It has full CTCSS encode and
: decode and they may be set independently.

: The radio is very easy to use. Frequency selection requires a few
: keystrokes (no rotary knob).

: Now for the important part, R.F. performance!...

: The receiver is excellent. I have used it mountaintopping, on a
: groundplane on a 50' tower, and in downtown environments. We have a TV
: Channel 2 in the Bay Area. I have never heard any undesired stations.
: The receive audio is very good. I wish the receiver would receive
: outside of the 50-54 MHz amateur band.

: The transmitter is rated a 5 watts high power (I don't recall the low
: power mode). The audio reports I received have been favorable. The BNC
: antenna connector got pretty hot after 10 minutes of rag-chewing and
: further inspection showed that the radio has a heat sink inside that is
: bonded to the BNC connector. This seems like a good idea for cooling.

: It is important to remember the limitations of a 6 meter handheld. You
: must either be near a repeater, or in unobstructed simplex range.

: Would I recommend this radio? Absolutely yes! It seems like a real
: good value if you can find a discounted price. I've had a lot of fun
: with this radio.

: I'm glad to see more interest on the part of hams and manufacturers in
: the 6 meter band.

: 73 de WM6R

: -John

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Name: Bill Nadzam "K8WN"
E-mail: Bill Nadzam <nadzam@bills2way.com>
http://www.bills2way.com

4698. WTB: programming software for Maxon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidc@cantrix.com
Message-ID: <5ml0j1mpb2@kirin.wwa.com>
Source record: 174341

I am looking for some programming software and a
cable for Maxon UHF business radios.

4699. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
Message-ID: <5ml185$vvm@news1.sjc.in.sel.sony.com>
Source record: 174342

There is a guy here in California who built a solution using a PIC
processor. I bought one but haven't installed it yet. It uses the computer
port to do its thing.

Fits inside of the 706, don't know is the space is available in the Mk II.

I`ll probably see him this weekend. With shipping $35-$40.

Jeff W2UA

In article <338DFCD7.3051@metricom.com>, Ben Lindsey <blindsey@metricom.com> writes:
|> F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur wrote:
|> >
|> > What do you think about It ???
|> >
|> > Tnx Vincent F5MJV
|>
|>
|> More power on 2 meters (20 watts now) and a quieter fan (yippee)
|> But still has the ridiculous repeater offset problem.. You have to turn
|> the thing off and go into setup mode to change your direction of shift.
|> I heard another fellow here describe it as brain dead - I'd have to say
|> that was hitting the nail on the head. Anybody know a way around this?
|>
|> -b
|> kc5rbz
|> blindsey@sepulcher.com

--
Jeff W2UA/6
reply to: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
phone: (408) 955-4116

4700. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEdmunds <JEdmunds@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <338DFEC8.14D6@prodigy.net>
Source record: 174343

F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur wrote:
>
> What do you think about It ???
>
> Tnx Vincent F5MJV
Haven't seen it!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

4701. Re: New 2 piece N connectors.. any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6c86$c6797f80$38d1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174344

The 2 piece N connector relies on a soldered connection to the braided shield just like the PL-259. I have two problems with that. 1) to heat the back shell to the temps needed to effectively solder the braid, it is almost inevitable to melt the dialectric. 2) the mechanical connection of the classical N used the torque of the backshell to hold the connector and the co-ax together. with the two piece, the solder joints constitute the only mechanical hold. and it isn't much!

I have used several 2 piece connectors recently because it was all I could get. They work -- but I heavily taped the backshell to the coax to keep the connector from twisting free.

The old design worked, and was good -- the new one is cheaper to manufacture.

cheers

W4RP

Jason Baack <baack@maine.edu> wrote in article
<5mh5oo$24lc$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>...
> Greetings,
> Looking at the two piece N connectors are they better that the standard
> N's?
> Easier to fit?
> Good v. Bad??
>
> J N1RWY
>

4702. WTB: Bird 50D Slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5ml49c$s4k@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 174345

Need Bird 50D slug (50 watts, 200-500 MHz). Anyone have one they will
part with ? Tnx, Dick, W1KSZ.

4703. Re: Frequency Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338E495C.6F76@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174346

franck Thery wrote:
>
> I am French. I am going this summer to the USA (NY and Philadelphia).
> My uncle is a ham radio. He would like to get some information about
> this product : MFJ-259 SWR Analyzer.
>
> - Where can I find it in NY or Philadelphia ?
> - What is the price ? Do you have any adress which sells them at the
> lowest cost as possible ?
> - What is about V.A.T. ? Especially when you export a product from
> the USA to France ?
>
> Thanks for all the information you can give me.
>
> _________________
> Franck Thery
> fthery@nordnet.fr
lowest price is Texas Towers at $199 everyone else wants 219 and 239 I
just got mine yesterday and it has a faulty switch so I have to return
it
However it still works and its a good thing to have if you like to built
antennas. 73 Chris....CK Communications Florida

4704. FS Yeasu FT-2500m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338E4A74.55BB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174347

I have a mint condition in the original box one month old FT-2500m
50 watt mobile milspec rig. $275 shipped
I also have a Yeasu FT-416 handheld 2 meter radio like new condition
also in box $165 shipped. Please e-mail me. Chris

4705. FS Matching Speaker TS-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <338D3FF2.618E@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 174348

Matching Speaker For the TS 450 Kenwood, Original Box absolutely
brand new $65.00 shipped.
Terms Postal MO
73 Roger, KO4O

4706. FS -PS-430 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <338D3F4C.4F99@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 174349

Power supply Manual & Original Box very clean. $150.00 shipped
Terms $150.00 postal Money Order.
73 Roger KO4O

4707. FS - Yeasu 2m FM HT $95. with accessorys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@avci.net>
Message-ID: <5mkhjj$cpl@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 174350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE :
yeasu FT-208r 2m HT, with the drop-in NC-8 110vac
power supply + desktop rapid charger, and a YM-24A hand-mic.
this ht's battery needs replacing, but the HT works great
in the drop-in-power-supply-stand. also has rubber
antenna. puts out 3 watts on high, has LCD display,
and i think 10 memorys.
need $95. for the lot, + $5 for shipping in USA

email-me..... n8lmt@avci.net

Ron Sibbitt
5885 Galbraith Line Road
Croswell, MI 48422

4708. **QSL.Net Back Up!**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <338E36ED.7E03@primenet.com>
Source record: 174351

QSL.Net Back Up!

Please check my web page:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

4709. WTB: Amtor/Sitor Controllers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <338E3BDF.1D9C@primenet.com>
Source record: 174352

WTB: Amtor/Sitor Controllers

For amateur use, Amtor has lost popularity recently
and may become a forgotten mode...

I would like to start a private Amtor collection.

Obviously, I can't pay a lot to put the gear on a
shelf, but I will pay for your unwanted items.

Let me know what you may have?

-Brian ke7gh@primenet.com

4710. New Yaesu FT-920 vs Good Ol' FT-990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: WmLB@prefer.net
Message-ID: <338E1E50.71BA@prefer.net>
Source record: 174353

I suspect it may be a little premature to be asking this question , but has anymore recently acquired a new FT-920? Or had some "hands on" experience with one Would appreciate getting your initial comments on this rig. I am "Yaesu" person who is wondering if this might be a viable replacement for my good ol' FT-990..(now officially discontinued except for existing inventories I guess)

Just off the top.. it looks like I would gain some pretty good DSP capabilities but lose a internal power supply which the 920 does not have. HRO actually selling the 920 for less then what I paid for the 990 back in about 91 or so...

Any comments would be appreciated

Bill, KN6FJ

4711. WTB: SWAN 160X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: markust@lx.net
Message-ID: <864963897.21423@dejanews.com>
Source record: 174354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for a SWAN 160X. Must be in excellent electrical and cosmetic condition. Thanks for reading this post, Markus WN5GMD

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4712. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John A. Hansen" <hansen@ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <338DE597.4792@ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 174355

David Ho (AF4BH) wrote:

>
> After reading the followup posts of your message, I am interested in
> knowing how much this new concept will potentially set us back?
>
> Thanks!
>
> 73!
>
> de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
> davidho@one.net

about $2000 is the initial estimate.

John Hansen WA0PTV

4713. Yaesu FT-50 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chief <corky@sunline.net>
Message-ID: <338E3172.23FC@sunline.net>
Source record: 174356

The stock rubber ducky on the Ft-50 is not very good. So I am looking to buy a new antenna but am not sure which is the best one. Because I want to get one with a wide recieving range. But tx only needs to be between 144-148 and 430-450
Thanks for all your help,
Chief

4714. Yaesu FT-50 SMA to BNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chief <corky@sunline.net>
Message-ID: <338E3431.3D2F@sunline.net>
Source record: 174357

Where can I get a SMA to BNC connector for my Yaesu FT-50?
Thanks,
Chief

4715. Wilson WR1000 Rotator Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John L. Hammers" <Pjohnh@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338E6415.6102@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174358

I'm Looking for the 10 pin connector that goes into the back of the
control box for the Wilson WR1000 rotator. Anyone got one, or any idea
of where i can find one ? Wilson doesn't cary these parts anymore.
Thankx
The NEW KC7WUF
John
pjohnh@brigadoon.com
the plug in looks sorta like this :
+ - | - |
+ - | - |

4716. FREE HOT PICTURES HOT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: stephlise@telco.com
Message-ID: <998b1797.8493547@hiroken.hiroken.or.jp>
Source record: 174359

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Free Adult Internet Connection Worldwide Via Our Bbs.
Follow the link and enjoy...
http://cybercity.hko.net/la/interbbs/freenet/free.htm
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4717. wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: bacidoy@nac.net
Message-ID: <338D2C2F.79F8@nac.net>
Source record: 174360

portable milatary radio that covers 30 to 75 mhz fm.

Justin N2TOH

4718. Re: Allband HF Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <338E1014.513@icss.net>
Source record: 174361

Olsen, I cannot comment about the other antennas, but the Icom marine antenna/MN-100 is built like a tank. The dipole elements are stainless steel, as are the eyebolts that come out of the cast aluminum center box. The center box is heavy, and is meant to be bolted to a mast with stainless steel "U" bolts provided.
The drawback is that the center "load" is a resistor, i.e., a dummy load antenna. But it really does load on ALL HF frequencies. Manufacturers stated gain is -6db, but if you are on a boat surrounded by salt water, thats not such a problem.
73, Brian/N0iMD

4719. Re: Cherokee 6-m Handheld - Opinions!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <338E11B7.130@icss.net>
Source record: 174362

Yes Bill, I have always tought that Uniden could blow away the competition (Kenwoods TS-60 for $1000) with a 6 meter version of the 10M ALL mode HR-2600. Imagine an all mode 6 meter rig for under $300!
Brian/N0iMD

4720. Any Dual Band HT's TX on FRS Channels?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neil Taylor <ntaylor@novell.com>
Message-ID: <338E24FD.5F1D@novell.com>
Source record: 174363

Is TX on the FRS channels available in any 2M/440 HTs?

Please cc: to my email address ntaylor@novell.com

Thanks,
Neil Taylor, KC7WRQ (1 week new..and proud of it!)

4721. AT-440 Manual Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Hensley <hmhensley@iclub.org>
Message-ID: <338E3D10.5A9C@iclub.org>
Source record: 174364

I am in desperate need of the manual for a Kenwood AT-440 antenna tuner. The manual part number is B50-8054-00. Specifically, I need the instructions for installing the tuner into a Kenwood TS-440S. I have the operator and service manual for the TS-440S, but neither one tells how to install the tuner. If anyone has the manual for the tuner installation, I would be glad to pay for a copy or even email me the installation instructions!

Thanks for any help!
Martin, KF4EBC

4722. Rhode & Shwartz BN15075 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6d04$6dc42880$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 174123
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Hi,

Is there somebody who has the pin assignments of plug 14 of this old (at least more than 10 years) R&S receiver. The plug is normally attached to the power-supply, which I'm missing, and has two rows of pins (labeled 1-8A & B). Any description on what comes out and goes in would be great. This would help me in building my own power-supply.

73s, ON1DJU

Please Email me as well as it is hard to keep up for me

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4723. Re: Kenwood V7A Problems!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6cc6$6560d320$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 174124

Following modifications are possible:

1. Wide band reception (Conversion A) - K destinations outside 800Mhz band support
2. Cross band repeater (Conversion A and B) - Completed with K destination measures
3. Page answer back (Conversion A and B) - Completed with K destination measures
4. DTMF remote - Operates even without conversion, but some items function when Conversion A and B are made.

Conversion location:
Remove the power cord from the main unit, remove the upper/lower case, flip down the panel, then operate.

Factory setting destination jumper table
Bit Destination (K, M, E)
3 R542 (W501) O X O
2 R543 (W502) O X O
1 R544 O X X
0 R546 O X O

(O: Jumper, X: No jumper)

Conversion A - Reception wide band (already dealt with for M destinations)
E destinations - Eliminates mounted chip jumper resistor R546 (0 Ohm)
K destinations - Cuts the mounted jumper wire (W501)
Conversion B - Repeater/answer back (Already dealt with for K destinations)
Chip jumper resistor 0 Ohm added (R92-0670-05) - The chip removed in Conversion A can be used in Conversion B. When adding or eliminating the chip jumper resistor, be careful not to peel off any of the printed cicuit pattern and not to harm any other parts.

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73s - ON1DJU

Guy <guy@snsnet.net> wrote in article
<338affc9.428499405@news.bhm.bellsouth.net>...
> On Sun, 25 May 1997 15:04:37 -0500, Todd Snyder
> <kb9nvh@bluemarble.net> wrote:
>
> >Im the proud new owner of a Kenwood V7A (for the past week or so) and
> >here are my first impressions: (the other radio I own is an Icom Z1A HT)
>
> Todd, I read your comments and I'm sorry I don't have an answer for
> the problems you described. I do agree that the V7A is darn close to

> being the best thing out there. Maybe a subsequent firmware revision
> will suit you.
>
> Have you learned the mods for this rig yet?
>
> `73
>
> Guy
> WA4OJK
>

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4724. Re: Kenwood V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6cc6$2e819560$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 174125

Following modifications are possible:

1. Wide band reception (Conversion A) - K destinations outside 800Mhz band support
2. Cross band repeater (Conversion A and B) - Completed with K destination measures
3. Page answer back (Conversion A and B) - Completed with K destination measures
4. DTMF remote - Operates even without conversion, but some items function when Conversion A and B are made.

Conversion location:
Remove the power cord from the main unit, remove the upper/lower case, flip down the panel, then operate.

Factory setting destination jumper table
Bit Destination (K, M, E)
3 R542 (W501) O X O
2 R543 (W502) O X O
1 R544 O X X
0 R546 O X O

(O: Jumper, X: No jumper)

Conversion A - Reception wide band (already dealt with for M destinations)
E destinations - Eliminates mounted chip jumper resistor R546 (0 Ohm)
K destinations - Cuts the mounted jumper wire (W501)
Conversion B - Repeater/answer back (Already dealt with for K destinations)
Chip jumper resistor 0 Ohm added (R92-0670-05) - The chip removed in Conversion A can be used in Conversion B. When adding or eliminating the chip jumper resistor, be careful not to peel off any of the printed cicuit pattern and not to harm any other parts.

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73s - ON1DJU

John Bates, Jr. <kb0uy@iland.net> wrote in article
<3385D0B8.6830@iland.net>...
> Is the Kenwood TM-V7A expanded receive as stated in the literature or is
> something done to make it greater.
>
> Thanks
>
> John kb0uy
>

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4725. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1EB0B01.Bu6@netcom.com>
Source record: 174126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <01bc6cf1$d0dd1840$594e99ce@chadj>,
Chad Johnston, KC8ADE <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> wrote:
>I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
>alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
>it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
>"on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
>morning.
>
>I know plenty of other amateurs who leave their mobile rigs on
>24-hours/day. I have it hooked to an external DC-powered speaker, which is
>switched with my ignition. So, the mobile can't even produce any audio
>through it's own speaker (which would draw a tiny bit more amperage).
>
>I've checked the radio out. It's an Icom IC-2350H. On standby-receive is
>draws 0.42 amps. Is this outrageous? I know other amateurs in the area
>who leave their mobile rig on, their cell phones charging, and a spare HT
>charging 24-hours/day with NO problems.
>
>I think it's the battery. The dealer I took it to charge me a whopping
>$91.00 to charge my battery up and tell me it was my aftermarket equipment
>that was killing my battery overnight. I kid you not. I could get home
>from my weekly 500 mile trip (which should do a great job of charging my
>battery), and the next morning -- click! The vehicle won't start.
>
>The mechanic was telling me that the vehicle's battery is rated for a 20 ma
>(that's 0.020 amps!!!) draw, and anything over that is beyond it's rating.
>Excuse me, but I should be able to leave my vehicle sit for a MONTH with a
>tiny little draw like that -- and then when I go to start it, it should
>JUMP to life!!!
>
>I'm just looking for a little information on what these batteries can
>handle. Currently, I have a "factory" 17ma draw for normal accessories
>like the clock, etc. So, if we add the draw from my mobile rig, we come up

Theoretically, a 400 amp-hour battery should last 800 hours at that rate.
.437 amps is pretty large amount of current for a receiver to draw
just the same. It should not pull more than .1 amp.

Check your alternator. You should measure 13.8 volts across
the battery while engine is running (close to this anyway).

If you have a lame alternator, that could explain it.

4726. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dsterner@neosoft.com
Message-ID: <5mn76b$6o2$3@uuneo.neosoft.com>
Source record: 174127

On Thu, 22 May 1997 17:19:00 (CDT), Ej Mars said.....
>
>I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and
>willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to
>ej.mars@lagn.comThanks
>

Thanks to our wonderful (!) government, I think the taxes alone are more than
$5/can.

4727. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <865015236snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174128

In article <338EEFD0.4DF@mcrut.mv.com>
rut@mcrut.mv.com "Phillip S. Rutledge" writes:

> I downloaded their demo software and it looks quite impressive! Can't say
> if it's impressive to the tune of $2K however!

You do get some hardware along with the full version of the software.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4728. Re: Yaesu FT-757GXII Tuning Knob Removal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: U40241@uicvm.uic.edu
Message-ID: <97150.121255U40241@uicvm.uic.edu>
Source record: 174129

I had this problem last fall with my mobile 757. Disassembly proved complica-
ted, so I settled for some teflon lube dripped on the shaft and a little heat
and a little vice-grip turning once in a while. I had the rig face up and
repeated the process for about a week until the lube fully penetrated and made
the tuning smooth as butter, better than new. Time solves many things. K9ZAT.

4729. Re: PL239 Hood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: res@cmprime.cis.att.com
Message-ID: <5mn867$o0l@anchor.cis.att.com>
Source record: 174130

: Would anyone know where i could get some of those hoods that fit on the
: back of a chassis mount PL239 for shielding. I haven't seen any of those

RF Connections told me in Dayton that they expect to have them during
June. Their supplier had been shipping them in colors such as pink,
and they are having the supplier do them in black

Rick K2XT

4730. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Lindsey <blindsey@metricom.com>
Message-ID: <338F27E6.7802@metricom.com>
Source record: 174131

Split mode would work fine if all repeaters shifted in one direction
-- they don't. Split mode just offsets by the setting you choose in the
initial setup mode. (power on and lock together) As far as I know you
have to change it (the offset) there -- unless you know something I
don't.. (which is possible)

-b
kc5rbz
blindsey@sepulcher.com

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Thu, 29 May 1997 17:01:59 -0500, Ben Lindsey
> <blindsey@metricom.com> wrote:
>
> >F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur wrote:
> >>
> >> What do you think about It ???
> >>
> >> Tnx Vincent F5MJV
> > >
> > >
> > > More power on 2 meters (20 watts now) and a quieter fan (yippee)
> > >But still has the ridiculous repeater offset problem.. You have to turn
> > >the thing off and go into setup mode to change your direction of shift.
> > >I heard another fellow here describe it as brain dead - I'd have to say
> > >that was hitting the nail on the head. Anybody know a way around this?
> > >
> > >-b
> > >kc5rbz
> > >blindsey@sepulcher.com
> > For repeater offsets just use the split mode, works fine.
> >
> > Gary
> > THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
> > MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

4731. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstroppe@uhl.uiowa.edu
Message-ID: <5mnb2m$k3k$1@flood.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Source record: 174132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

the battery probably is not a 400 AH 12VDC battery. Might be 400 cold cranking amps. (sales lingo). I would guess that most car batteries (guess) have about 30 to 50 AH rating at a 1 amp discharge rate. This means you should be able to run a 1 amp load for 30 to 50 hours. Higher load rate for a shorter time. Example 30 amp load will not run for 1 hour.

Now your problem. Turn off your loads. See if the battery still goes down over night. The battery could be bad. The altenator could have a diode that is leaky. This would discharge the battery when the car was not running. See if there is current being drawn from the battery that cant be explained.

Drop me an e mail if this sounds all fishy.

john
WA0VYZ

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The University of Iowa - Hygienic Lab | Amateur Radio: WA0VYZ
Oakdale Research Campus, OH-M7A | Voice: (319) 335-4500
Iowa City, IA 52242 | Fax: (319) 335-4555

4732. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970530125036.5716B-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 174133

On Fri, 30 May 1997, Ben Lindsey wrote:

> Split mode would work fine if all repeaters shifted in one direction
> -- they don't. Split mode just offsets by the setting you choose in the
> initial setup mode. (power on and lock together) As far as I know you
> have to change it (the offset) there -- unless you know something I
> don't.. (which is possible)

Actually, it's pretty easy to do... though I can never remember the
procedure when I want to! I'll try to remember it, and check it when I
next get the chance (& repost if necessary):

1) The off-set is the default 600KHz.
2) Go to VFO mode, and select VFO B.
3) Dial in the *Transmit* frequency.
4) Press and hold the Split key (until you hear beep-beep and
see "Split" on the LCD).
5) Switch to VFO A.
6) Put the settings in the memory.

It sounds like more work than it is. All you're really doing is dialling
the frequency in the "other" VFO and putting the TX frequency there
instead of the Rx frequency. Works like a charm.

Like I said, I keep forgetting the exact procedure, but what I have
outlined above is pretty close and I'll repost if it's incorrect.

Julian
--
INET: jmfrost@uci.edu - Public Key for Encrypted Mail available.
** Irvine Aikikai (USAF Western Region) Home Page --
** http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/Aikido/Aikido.html
The Unofficial SIG-Sauer Home Page --
http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/sig/sig.html

4733. Need help with PK-88 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: fjh@alpha1.csd.uwm.edu
Message-ID: <5mnbt6$5ma@uwm.edu>
Source record: 174134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Would someone be kind enough to make me a copy of their PK-88 manual?
I've been using the thing for years without one and now have need of
it. I'll be happy to pay for copies/postage etc.

Thanks & 73,

Fred, N9FH (ex KF9ZI, WB2WDW)

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Fred J. Helmstetter fjh@csd.uwm.edu
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (414) 229-4903

4734. RE: Cherokee 6m handheld DOWNFALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5mnc7v$g13$1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 174135

Hello in response to a small downfall of the new 6m Cherokee hand held is that it does not I mean does not do a 1.7mhz split! So if your band plan as IRA has here in Illinois a 1.7mhz split is the standard for coordinated 6m repeaters! Just a warning to think about so the band plan gets us again hi hi! CUL..sk

'73 de David kb9lpk ><>

4735. Kenwood TH-75A help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Gladu <mgladu@warwick.net>
Message-ID: <338F0D37.1F04@warwick.net>
Source record: 174136

Greetings all Kenwood TH-75A owners and experts,

I recently aquired a used Kenwood TH-75A and would like to ask a
few
questions about it. From looking at the schematic, I was curious what
D2, D3, and D4 do exactly to the operation to the radio.
I would like to modify this handheld to transmit up at 470 to
480 MHz.
Is this possible ??? Have any of you documented what each of these
diodes does ??? I used to own one and used it in the 450 to 460 MHz
band for commercial 2-way transmissions at the 2-way radio shop I used
to work for. I know that I had to "tweek" the UHF VCO.
Also, I would be interested in purchasing the service manual for
this
radio. Does Kenwood still sell service manuals ??? Any one have one
they would like to sell ???
Thanks for any and all info. You can email me directly at:
mgladu@warwick.net

73 de N1fbz ----------- Michael Gladu ----------------------

4736. SIMPLEX TELEPHONE PATCH sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: spkatzmann@ccgate.dp.beckman.com
Message-ID: <spkatzmann.28.000D82E1@ccgate.dp.beckman.com>
Source record: 174137

The patch has been sold thank you.

4737. FS TS850SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lou <lou-nn2g@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338F7580.53EE@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174138

I have the following for sale:

A TS850SAT....Pristine condition!....Kenwood Servcie went over the whole rig and it is 100%!...It has the 1.8 SSB filter (YK88SN-1) and the 500 CW filter (YG455C-1)....and of course, the hand mike...

$1200 for the package...or $1050 for the rig without the filters...

This rig is in perfect condition...Either EMail me or call me at 516 420 7640....Thanks....Lou

4738. Re: FT2500 Display problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: trynor@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <5mnd0d$852$1@agate.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 174139

In article <fleet-3005971052220001@pom1.mbl.edu>, fleet@mbl.edu (Barnett) wrote:
>I received a radio in a trade and the display has no backlighting, I tried
>to adjust the levels per manual and even though the visible lighting
>around the large know increases or decreases there is no change in the
>display, has anyone any input or know how to do a hard reset. Thanks in
>advance

If the FT2500 is anything like the FT2400, there is a little light bulb I
belive behind the display that burned outin mine. They are inexpensive, and
you should be able to put them in yourself.

Regards,

Don VE9NZ

4739. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr.Magoo" <davida@interex.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.93.970530132950.32608B-100000@tdl.com>
Source record: 174140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

As a retired auto mechanic [18 years] and now elect.engr., I find the fact that a 525CCA battery is being used in a '96 vehicle rather suspicious. As I look at a battery replacement guide, I see replacment batteries listed with ratings from 650 to 1100 CCA. I have personally put a 1000 CCA battery in my '79 Olds with a 455 cid engine that use the diesel starter left over from the orig. motor. Orig. setup was two [2] 525 CCA Delco Freedom batteries for the diesel setup. I would check the alt. output voltage [as another person suggested] with a digital meter.At 2000 rpm , the voltage with a charged battery and accessories off should be a minimum of 13.8 and a maximum of 14.8 volts. The alternator is probably rated at 80-94 amperes max. output. If you can put a shunt inline with the negative battery cable, you can get the real lowdown on where all your electrons are going. Seems to me, a trunk light draws about 200 ma. And I have left lights like that on for more than overnight with no low battery conditions. The best test, however, would be to put a shunt rated at 100-200 amps at the alternator output [hot lead] and see how many amps are being pumped back into the battery after you find the vehicle unable to start on its own. With a known goo battery found accidently run down, after jumo starting, the initial current out of the alternator will 55-70 amps, and the charging rate will taper off fairly quickly [5-7 min] to about 15-20 amps. then the rate will drop much more slowly as the battery approaches full charge. the output current must drop almost to zero or the battery probably has a bad cell, new battery or not. Cranking the motor for 30 seconds on a charged battery must display a minumum of 10.5 volts at the battery or their is something wrong.

Hope that helps....nothin' worse than bein' stuck when you gotta go

dave

On Fri, 30 May 1997, charles copeland wrote:

> In article <01bc6cf1$d0dd1840$594e99ce@chadj>,
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> wrote:
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> >"on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
> >morning.
> >
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>

4740. FS Various

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Bryan <Bryan@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Message-ID: <338F0841.3FB0@accnet.assiniboinec.mb.ca>
Source record: 174141

I have a number of Ham items for sale:

Kenwood TS440S (With AT) Like new, in boxes, with manuals.
PS50
SP430

ICOM 144 MHz FM TS - Hand held (IC-2AT)

CB Radio - Midland 77-861

Advanced Electronics Applications Inc. Computer Patch interface Model
CP-1 with Vic 20 and software.

30' Antenna with rotor and control.

Please contact me if interested in any of this.

Greg Bryan
Brandon, Manitoba, Canada
(204) 763-8869
Bryan@Accnet.Assiniboinec.Mb.Ca

4741. FS : Alinco DR 605 T dual band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <EB0Hzv.LBr@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 174142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Alinco DR 605 T dual band mobile radio, 2M - 440, with OPTIONAL EJ-24U tone decode board for sale. This radio is MINT, and in brand new condition, purchased on 3/25/97. It is in the box, with original packing, manual, and ALL accessories. I will provide the receipt as well. The radio was used twice in the base for about three hours, and put away. Never used mobile, and I am a non-smoker.

$400.00 shipped to 48 if pre-paid, COD is $5.00 extra

NO TRADES

E-Mail if interested.

dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

4742. HAM RADIO VACATIONS IN CRETE GREECE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "NERANTZULIS MANOS(SV9ANJ)" <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc6cdf$309af620$e6915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 174143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,uk

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS.OPEN FROM 14/April/97 TO
31/October/97.
FOR INFORMATIONS CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA EMAIL OR FAX AT
++30 81 761382

4743. FS:Drake R8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <338F7B41.308A@erols.com>
Source record: 174144

Mint condition Drake R8A with Vhf converter board. Radio is
about one year old. Comes with original manuals, original box, Rs-232
interface, Vhf converter (Drake), Scan-cat gold for windows. This radio
sells for $1056.00 with out the Vhf converter which costs another
$220.00. On top you get scan-cat gold for windows for the radio. The
price is $900.00 FIRM! If interested please email me here or call.

Or, if in the Delaware Valley area, stop in and try the radio out! If
you like, I will sell it to you with out the VHF board for $790.00....
You just can't beat the price. I guarantee there is nothing wrong with
this radio or I will give you your money back....

Don't Wait too long... This is a top rated Radio in all of the SWL
and Ham radio review books and Magazines......

Brian Berkes
217 Garfield Ave
Cherry Hill, NJ 08002
(609)-482-6976 Home
(609)-758-3446 Work

4744. Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marco S Hyman <marc@dumbcat.codewright.com>
Message-ID: <x74tbkvc36.fsf@dumbcat.codewright.com>
Source record: 174145

Opinions wanted:

Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you buy things?

I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.

// marc

4745. Icom T-22 airband rx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg0xp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970530222600.SAA17500@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174146

I need to know how to program the T-22A to receive the airband
frequencies.
Does anyone have the information?

Thanks,

Ken, KG0XP

4746. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave VanHorn <dvanhorn@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <01bc6d51$225055c0$a2f135ce@hammer.stonewest.com>
Source record: 174147
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> Nice to see a CBer not being knocked for a change.
> I'll agree to dissagree on the mobile amp Will, my friend G3NNY and
> myself run full legal in the mobile, to say we get jealous/sarcastic
> comments from the megabuck base stations with a dummy load on a stick
> for an antenna, is a severe under-statement. We have a much modded
> BugCatcher and on 160m we can rattle most loudspeakers around the
> country, even the dummyload on a stick op's with a deaf receiver.
> We're trying to tell them to get their act together, and we're only
> running a 13'6" whip. TopBand, a most difficult band to master!
>
> Phil G4ZOW/Xtreme mobile. We accept no prisoners, lifes too short for
> QRP!
> --
> philip de cadenet

Nice to see a CB op with a clue! You're a rare item!

73's KC6ETE

4747. mailorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom <thr810@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <338F624A.EB1@ibm.net>
Source record: 174148

Could somebody suggest a mail-order place where I can get an "Antenna Specialist" 5db cellular antenna at a good price?

Thanks

tom

For e-mail please change the number in my address to "500"

4748. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338F793C.6B25@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174149
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
>
> I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
> alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
> it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
> "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
> morning.
Snip
>
> I've checked the radio out. It's an Icom IC-2350H. On standby-receive is
> draws 0.42 amps. Is this outrageous? I know other amateurs in the area
> who leave their mobile rig on, their cell phones charging, and a spare HT
> charging 24-hours/day with NO problems.
>
Snip
>
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

A good battery should be in the range of 50 amp-hours. At .4 amps,
the battery should last about 100 hours. Where did you measure
the current? At the radio or at the battery? If you measured
it at the radio, check the current draw at the battery. If it
is significantly different, pull fuses to find what is drawing
power.

To see if it is your charging circuit or your battery,
you can measure the charging voltage and current, or you
can put the battery on a AC powered charger and see if
the battery goes dead again after a full charge from
an external charger.

Richard Ferguson
KA0DXM

4749. Icom software/cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher C. Sigsbee" <rpenguin@cdsnet.net>
Message-ID: <338F7A5E.598D@cdsnet.net>
Source record: 174150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for info on the software & cable for the IC-T7A. I
understand there is logic in the cable connector shell--any schematic
available for this? Can programming be done from a "dumb terminal"
package? Any help appreciated!
-73's
Chris
N4LYP/7

4750. Does Marymac still exist?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: 'MX' Wade Pfau <wpfau@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95.970530201952.57168A-100000@green.weeg.uiowa.edu>
Source record: 174151

Hi!

I finally decided to buy a 2M from radio shack, so I tried calling the phone number for the "Marymac" radio shack outlet in Texas. This is a number from 1994. It didn't work. Did they go out of business, or just change phone numbers?

Thanks, Wade N0VTV

4751. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: van lincoln <vlincoln@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <338F8D10.43A4@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Richard A. Ferguson wrote:
>
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
> >
> > I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
> > alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
> > it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
> > "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
> > morning.
> Snip
> >
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> > who leave their mobile rig on, their cell phones charging, and a spare HT
> > charging 24-hours/day with NO problems.
> >
> Snip
> >
> > Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
> > webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
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> A good battery should be in the range of 50 amp-hours. At .4 amps,
> the battery should last about 100 hours. Where did you measure
> the current? At the radio or at the battery? If you measured
> it at the radio, check the current draw at the battery. If it
> is significantly different, pull fuses to find what is drawing
> power.
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> To see if it is your charging circuit or your battery,
> you can measure the charging voltage and current, or you
> can put the battery on a AC powered charger and see if
> the battery goes dead again after a full charge from
> an external charger.
>
> Richard Ferguson
> KA0DXM
no, .42 amp should run for days on a GOOD battery. I'd suspect your
battery capacity is low (buy a new one) or check when radio is off is
there still a substantial current draw easiest way is to disconnect
your
battery, put a 2 ohm resistor in the line and measure voltage accross
the resistor then use ohms law. If there is, check why, i've seen glove
compartment and trunk lights, and even under the hood lights stay on.

small drain, but it hurts bad because they're aways on.

4752. WWW Message Board Experiment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <338F7F52.7886@primenet.com>
Source record: 174153

WWW Message Board Experiment

Folks,

May I engage your services for an experiment...

As you know, I set up a "Personal Web Server" on my
home computer running Win95. Previously, the server
had only a copy of my web page...

But, now...

I have taken the mirror of my home page off and installed
an automated message/discussion group faility called aptly
"Short Circuits"...

Please go to my home page http://www.qsl.net/k7on and click
on the rotating arrow and while I'm connected you'll be then
connected to my personal server where you can access the messages
entered by you and others.

It is threaded and resembles a Usenet newsgroup, but will not
be spammed as it is not connected to the Internet by a static
IP address...(this is part of the experiment, BTW...)

Please give it a shot!

I'll be watching for messages on there and I've put 2 already myself.

73, Brian http://www.qsl.net/k7on

4753. IC 706 Repeater Offsets (+/-) "How To"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970530191720.10986A-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 174154

Refering to programming positive offsets on the ICOM 706, I wrote...

> Actually, it's pretty easy to do... though I can never remember the
> procedure when I want to!

Here is the procedure for programming both Positive and Negative offsets
on the IC-706:

Both cases assume that the default 600KHz offset is set, that Quick
Split mode is enabled in setup (the default), and that you are currently
in VFO mode...

Negative Offsets
================
1) Dial the *RECEIVE* frequency into VFO A.
2) Press and hold the SPL (Split) button for 1 second (until you hear
the double-beep).
3) Set PL.
4) Press and hold MW (Memory Write) to put it in a memory.

Positive Offsets
================
1) Dial the *TRANSMIT* frequency into VFO A (that is, the RX
frequency + 600KHz).
2) Press and hold the SPL (Split) button for 1 second (until you hear
the double-beep).
3) Switch to VFO B
4) Set PL.
5) Press and hold MW (Memory Write) to put it in a memory.

As you can see, it's VERY easy to do. You don't need to mess around
changing the start-up options (which involve turning the 706 off, then on
again, then off, then on again!). Programming a positive repeater offset
requires exactly one key-press more than programming a negative repeater
offset.

Julian
--
INET: jmfrost@uci.edu - Public Key for Encrypted Mail available.
** Irvine Aikikai (USAF Western Region) Home Page --
** http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/Aikido/Aikido.html
The Unofficial SIG-Sauer Home Page --
http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/sig/sig.html

4754. Need info on Manassas hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage1@mailhost.epix.net
Message-ID: <338FAA59.2FEC@mailhost.epix.net>
Source record: 174155

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------6E731352B82
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-2022-jp
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I need location talk in freq and ph# would be nice
for the Manassas hamfest on the first.
Thanx
Doug

--------------6E731352B82
Content-Type: image/gif; name="DILBERT_.GIF"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="DILBERT_.GIF"

<encoded_portion_removed>
ADs=
--------------6E731352B82--
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4755. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gray Frierson Haertig <gfh@haertig.com>
Message-ID: <338F8EEC.526D@haertig.com>
Source record: 174156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
>
> I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
> alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
> it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
> "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
> morning.
>
<snipity snip>.
>
> 73 and thanks!
>
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

Auto batteries hate to be deep discharged. If during the alternator problem your battery got really flat a few times, or has gotten really flat few times since, your battery is probably shot.

Try charging the battery up fully (nice long road trip), and measure the voltage across the battery with a voltmeter as soon as you park it, engine off, headlights on. Then immediately disconnect one of the cables (losing all the presets on your car radio, but then you've been dealing with that all ready, I guess). Come back the next morning, reconnect the cable and before you start the engine again measure the battery voltage with the headlights on. I think you'll find the battery voltage much lower. The battery will have self discharged over night.

When battery discharges, its plates shed lead (which is later redeposited during charge). Sometimes when the battery is deeply discharged, the plates warp from their own weight, or some of the shed lead wedges across the bottom of alternate plates causing an internal short which discharges the battery when it is just sitting there.

Hope this helps

Gray

--
Telecommunications Engineering
Gray Frierson Haertig & Assoc.
820 North River Street, Suite 100
Portland, Oregon 97227
503-282-2989
503-282-3181 FAX

gfh@haertig.com

4756. Value of FT-990AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: WmLB@prefer.net
Message-ID: <338F0892.77AF@prefer.net>
Source record: 174157

I am thinking about buying the new FT-920 and selling my FT-990.. (Yeh, I know it may not be totally the best of decisions.)

Anyways.. I need to try to figure out what a reasonable value is for the 990 now..

Bought it in 1991
Internal Power Supply (AC)
All Filters (250hz, 500hz, 2.0K and 2.4K)
Clean Unit, (nobody smokes here)
No problems I am aware of. I use it for SSB and digital for the most part (not into CW)
Don't have the original containers anymore,; the manual is a bit dog eared and crunched, (but it's all there)... do have the original hand mike and will consider throwing in the SP-6 speaker and a YS-60 (I think) headset.

So whatdaya think a reasonable asking price might be?

4757. Re: Kachina Communications DSP transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Ho <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <338F95A3.2AB5@one.net>
Source record: 174158

On Fri, 30 May 1997 15:18:40 GMT, "Phillip S. Rutledge"
<rut@mcrut.mv.com> wrote:
[Deleted]
>
>I downloaded their demo software and it looks quite impressive! Can't
say
>if it's impressive to the tune of $2K however!
>
> Phil-- K1HS

I, too, had downloaded their GUI and played with it for a while. The initial feeling of the software to me is acceptable.

This new concept really requires a 2 part evaluation: Software and Hardware.

As a software engineer, I believe that the GUI is a very subjective thing to talk about. Programmers write codes according to their understanding of __HOW__ the machine works as well as the underlying object oriented anatomy. On the other hand, users want some totally different things such as the classy look and such. Without investing more ergonomic features to a software means that the program is hard to use (or sell).

The good thing is that new features can be added in the future, if the radio itself is designed to accomodate that down the road.

It is still has yet real talks about the performance of the TX/RX/Digital mode/SSB/DSP/etc. These are some different issues.

I wonder if the radio is immune to my HP Vectra VL 5/166 desktop computer. It is a FCC Class A certified equipment.

This is a daring concept because almost all of us are so used to knobs and buttons, plus $2K is a heavy investment for many people. IMHO, unless the tranceiver and the software really shine, the market will need a _L_O_N_G_ time to sbsorb this idea. I believe this is a good place to start, though.

My suggestion to Kachina is to work hard on making a good solid radio and write a good function library, as well as to keep the design open and modular. Sell the radio along with the function library for garage programmers/HAMs to make the baby really shine. For example, Nothern Telecom made its key switch system for small companies around the world. They also release firmware upgrade and development tool kits. All of a suddent, a tradional phone switch has added powerful features like Automatic Call Distribution, Call Accounting, and etc.

Just think of the potential of a computer controlled radio both inside and outside of the ham bands. For recreational purpose, how about a computerized remote controlled airplane to fly patterns? Wouldn't that be fun?

Much like Microsoft, they developed the operating systems and allow others to access to its core service with their tools, while Intel to make the chip set. Look how successful PC's are today!

I got flamed last time when I talked about modular implementation on ham gears. I can care less about that! We are on the internet! I don't understand why there are people who can never took constructive ideas that are different from theirs.

So much for now. I know that there are fans out there. You don't have to flame me.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
davidho@one.net

4758. RTTY Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dledoux@laci.net
Message-ID: <5mo5u5$f7r@news1-alterdial.uu.net>
Source record: 174159

A while back there was a message posted about some software that allows the use of a sound card for sending and receiving RTTY. I'd appreciate seeing that info again. I PROMISE to keep a copy this time

Dale
KD5QI

4759. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5mndjf$kao@snews5.zippo.com>
Source record: 174160

res@cmprime.cis.att.com (Richard E Stealey) wrote:
>: internals of the Drake amp, but I WILL point out that it is virtually
>: *POINTLESS* to do what you are suggesting if your purpose is to make any
>: increases in your received signal that even BEGIN to be perceptible. The
>: difference between 1 KW and 1.5 kw is a non-perceptible 1.5 db at BEST,
>
>A common misconception.
>This statement might be true if you are talking about a strong signal
>on a quiet band.

<SNIP>

>I can tell you this,
>2 db in a pileup is a MAJOR improvement that will make your signal stand
>out in a major way from the rest of the din.
>
>Rick K2XT
>

SORRY CHARLIE.... But no matter *HOW* you slice it, 1.5 - 2 db is for all
intents IMPERCEPTIBLE, and authorities far more knowledgable than you or
I have long since demonstrated that *3 db* is the SMALLEST change in
level discernable to the human ear - HARDLY the "major way" you would
suggest, ESPECIALLY in a DX pileup!
--
Gary..KJ6Q..

4760. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: nv7v@burgoyne.com
Message-ID: <nv7v.89.001767A6@burgoyne.com>
Source record: 174161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <01bc6cf1$d0dd1840$594e99ce@chadj> "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE"
<webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> writes:
>From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
>Subject: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?
>Date: 30 May 1997 12:03:19 GMT

I wrote a long dissertation on this subject and tried to mail it to you.
Please send me a good E-mail address and I will send it to you.

nv7v@burgoyne.com

Master ASE certified Auto Repair Technician

4761. looking for a set of UHF (440) duplexers good for 50 watts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: lon seaboldt <seaboldt@gwtc.net>
Message-ID: <338F931E.778D@gwtc.net>
Source record: 174162

I am looking for a set of 440 duplexer cavities good for 50 watts or more and if possible, tuned to 444.900 (that is the repeater output).

I just got a repeater up and running but the separation between recieve and transmit is no good no matter where I put the ant.

Please respond via e-mail direct to seaboldt@gwtc.net

thanks

Bob N7ITW

4762. IC-T2A Cloning instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Knepp <Greg_Knepp@amdahl.com>
Message-ID: <338F564F.7F5B@amdahl.com>
Source record: 174163

I'm a new ham looking for info on cloning an IC-T2A. I think the radio is cloned via a very simple 2 wire cable I could make myself. I further think the cloning is accomplished by entering a special "mode" by pressing a special key combination while turning on the radio.

Anyone out there know the secret, or a specific ICOM news group I could try?

Thanks,
Greg
--
Greg Knepp Amdahl Corp.
Greg_Knepp@amdahl.com

4763. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Demolition Man <demoman@rollanet.nospam.org>
Message-ID: <338F65D0.18A2@rollanet.nospam.org>
Source record: 174164
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

William Lee wrote:
>
> Paul Grohe <grohe@galaxy.nsc.com> wrote in article
> <33892016.4866767@139.187.81.1>...
> > On Mon, 26 May 1997 04:18:22 GMT,
> > in the newsgroup rec.radio.scanner,
> > orion@xyzcapital.net
> > from Logical Net thoughtfully posted:
> >
> > Round' here, the 154 MHz VHF "dot" channels are already plagued
> > with "I'm stepping on you" idiots. I turned on the radio one
> > night and swore I was listening to CB channel 14.
> >
> > It is just amazing what happens when technology is placed into
> > the hands of the "average" person.
> >
> > Cheers,
> > Paul Grohe
> >
> > ---
> > Paul Grohe National Semiconductor Corp.
> > Sr. Electronics Technician 2900 Semiconductor Drive
> > Standard Products Apps Group Mail Stop C2693
> > grohe@galaxy.nsc.com Santa Clara, CA. 95052-8090 USA
> > (408) 721-7389 Tel (408) 721-2513 Fax
> > ---
> >
>
> Paul, Perhaps what is needed is a CW test to weed out the undesirables
> before they get a radio permit. No... wait a minute..... That has already
> been tried and it did not work very well. Those same idiots got by the
> test. Oh well.....
>
> William Lee

spiffy..... the last argument was for vhf and uhf freqs. guess that
blasted theory testing didn't work either.
resistance is futile, you will be assimilated. ;)
nothing works 100%, i'll grant you that.
--
A.C.Curtis
KB0WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman/

4764. Question about an antenna i found ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: yerke@csrlink.net
Message-ID: <5mld2bdoe1@pigpen.csrlink.net>
Source record: 174173

I recently found a military antenna # AT-197/GR.It is red in color and has two sets of metal rods coming out of the main post sort of like the metal parts of an umbrella.I am a collector of old radios and not a ham ,so i would appreciate anyone telling me what equipment this antenna was used on .Thanks Rick

Rick Yerke
42 Williams
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4765. Re: Info: Johnson Courier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5ml6b0$nn0@snews5.zippo.com>
Source record: 174174

Jay Tyson <skipt1@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>I would like to get some info on the Johnson Courier. How many watts out,
>finals, AM only, years of manufacture, etc.? Also what would be a fair price
>to pay for one of these amps.
>Thank you very much for your help.
>Skip Tyson KE6YRZ

THOSE amps were made in the 50s and 60s, were good for about 500 watts SSB, PEP, and about 100 watts max on AM. A "FAIR" price is difficult, depending on condition - many of those amps were kit-built, and construction abilities varied greatly. But a really good one might be worth about $150 or so. By the way, they had NO input impedance matching circuit, so modern solid state rigs might have a problem driving one, and these amps also lacked internal antenna switching, so some external system must be provided for current rigs.

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Gary..KJ6Q..

4766. Re: Cherokee 6-m Handheld - Opinions!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: narc@pacifier.com
Message-ID: <5mlg55$5fh$1@news.pacifier.com>
Source record: 174175

Does anybody know if they can be modified for out of band tx?????

4767. Re: Illegal Transmission

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwbran1@uswest.com
Message-ID: <5mlg43$c71$1@sanews.uswc.uswest.com>
Source record: 174176

Especially the anti-gun loonies would love this idea.
They could kill 2 birds with one stone!

In article <01bc6bcf$9bb27f20$640f2399@peter->, "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> writes:
>Bob Sull <wa8imo@kellnet.com> wrote in article
><33887C45.2C6D@kellnet.com>...
>> Geeeeee..... Everybody wants more governmental control over what they
>> do. At least thats what I read here. Have a government agency police
>> sales of ham gear. What a shitty idea.
>
>Hey! I have a GREAT idea! How about we make it a law that every radio, in
>order
>to be allowed on the airwaves, accept a "smart card" which every ham is
>given which
>allows transmitting priviledges in accordance with the license! And the
>radio then
>transmits a data burst with the license info! These radios could of course
>be remotely
>de-activated, and could even have GPS in them so the gov't knows EXACTLY
>where
>all of us are!
>
>Just kidding, but I'll bet a lot of people would go for this...
>

4768. Re: !!!!!MAKE MONEY FAST!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <338e556b.20103917@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 30 May 1997 01:18:21 GMT, reznor_nin@hotmail.com (chris)
wrote:

>1) G. Carroll, PO Box 204, Muncie, IN 47308-0204
>
>2) R. Gebbie, 17 Church Lane, Loughton, Milton Keynes, MK5 8AS, England,
>Europe
>
>3) S. Hogan, 36 Prenton Lane, Prenton, Wirral, Merseyside, L42 8LB, England,
>Europe
>
>4) J. Larsen, Grinnek rrsvgen 50, 436 56 Hovs, Sweden, Europe
>
>5) C. Mason, 473 44th Ct. NW, Rochester, MN 55901-6666

What i do not understand is the people's mind who want to show their
name + address...

>STEP (3)
>Post the article to at least 200 news groups. There are at least
>20000 news groups at any give moment in time. The more groups you
>post to, the more people will see your article and send you cash!
>It's recommended that you do AT LEAST 200 news groups for a lot of
>people to read it!

and how many people respond to the article ? anyone have done this
thought of thing ?

>STEP (4)
>You are now in business for yourself, and should start seeing
>returns within 7 to 14 days. Remember, the Internet is new and
>huge. There's no way you can lose.

there's no way you can lose your mind huh ? keep posting your name +
address. you will become pretty famous !! well... in a bad way.

Masa
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/ (General Interest)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/radio.htm (Ham Freqs + BC Freqs)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/scanner.htm (R.S. scanners)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/pro26.htm (Cellular Bands Info)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/at600.htm (AT-600 Dual Bander)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/freqs.htm (Int'l Freqs Info)

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/mod.htm (Modifications)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/cb.htm (CB General Info)
Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4769. *** Re: !!!!!MAKE MONEY FAST!!!!! ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme-x.com
Message-ID: <338e58c1.20957729@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 30 May 1997 01:18:21 GMT, reznor_nin@hotmail.com (chris)
wrote:

>If you want to know how to make thousands of dollars quickly,
>legally

>Well, two weeks later, I began receiving money in the mail!

>Fold a $1 bill
>inside each paper, and mail them to the following five addresses:

well... sending out a cash in a mail is NOT legal. Get a life. You
are contradicting yourself.

>Now here is how and why this system works:

>Out of every block of 250 posts I made, I got back 5 responses.
>Yes, that's right, only 5. You make $5.00 in cash, not checks or
>money orders, but real cash with your name at #5.

>Each additional person who sent you $1.00 now also makes 250
>additional postings with your name at #4, 1000 postings.
>On average then, 50 people will send you $1.00 with your name
>at #4 ... $50.00 in your pocket!
(...)

how do you know that the people actually send you the money ? fake !!
I can just post the "money make fast" with slipping my name into #5 of
this, and post the article again. Just right now... without sending
out the money. Remember, this kind of stupid stuff will not work.
Get a life.

Masa
Masa@WriteMe-X.com
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/ (General Interest)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/radio.htm (Ham Freqs + BC Freqs)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/scanner.htm (R.S. scanners)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/pro26.htm (Cellular Bands Info)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/at600.htm (AT-600 Dual Bander)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/freqs.htm (Int'l Freqs Info)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/mod.htm (Modifications)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/cb.htm (CB General Info)
Spam Security is ON:
Remove "-x" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4770. For Sale Kenwood TS711A 2M All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: morryn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970530045401.AAA14750@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174179

I have a Kenwood 711A 2meter all mode in mint condition for sale. This radio is like new and I have the manuals and box. Would like $675 shipped. Contact Morry Nelson (612) 636-9288

4771. Motorola MX charger 9.6v exc.cond FS:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5mlrjdkgv1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 174180

Hello all I have a Motorola MX Bat. Charger
60.00 shipped to your door! If your interested
please reply to kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net tnx

de David kb9lpk ><> ><> ><>

4772. MFJ-704 0-30mhz low pass filter Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5mlrrg$kh3$1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 174181

Hello all, MFJ-704 0-30mhz 1.5kw lowpass filter
40.00 shipped please reply kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net

tnx de David kb9lpk ><> ><> ><>

4773. AZDEN 7500H 50w 6m sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5mlqph$kc3$1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 174182

Hello All,I have a Azden 7500h 50w excellent
condition radio w/all options that includes
the tone suelch board also encode decode pl
works great want to get different band radio
so this has to be put on the chopping block he he!
Will ship to your door lower 48 us 325.00 prepaid
US postal money order and will be shipped insured
via US postal same week day the money order is
recieved. Please send reply to kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net
tnx again ..><> ><> ><> ....sk

4774. FS:Motorola Mitrek 65w VHF4ch complete!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5mlsghkjq1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 174183

Hello all complete Mitrek w/cable head speaker
and mic 1 set of elements w programable pl bord
and also has time out timer board! 165.00 shipped
to lower 48 us prepaid US postal Money Order!
presenty on 153.0mhz covers 140-174mhz
please reply to kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net
PS>this radio also makes great 9600bps packet
radio with minor mods to IF's

tnx de David kb9lpk ><> ><> ><>

4775. FS:Alinco DX-70TH 100w 160-6m +++ 1mo old

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5mlr9t$kc3$2@news.dls.net>
Source record: 174184

Hello all I have a Alinco DX-70TH for sale ,I have
Just moved into a apartment unexpected move! I have
some restrictions here that prevent the operation
of this radio! This is the package deal sale!
This equiptment all have original boxes and warranty
cards just bought last month!
1 Alinco DX-70TH complete!
1 MFJ-969 roller inductor 300w tuner 160-6m
1 Alinco EMS-14 base mic
1 MFJ 422C Bencher combo keyer (Pacesetter)
1 G5RV 160-6m Dipole new as well
I will not seperate will sell all for 1,350.00 +
shipping and insurance! This is a firm price
invested over 1500.00 for all please reply
to kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net tnx >><> ><> ><>

de David kb9lpk

4776. WTB: Outbacker antenna.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Andrew Bell <rbell@uniserve.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6cc7$1e164940$LocalHost@satan>
Source record: 174185
Cross-posted to: can.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,van.forsale

I'm looking for an Outbacker antenna in good clean condition and will pay upto $150 us shipping included.

Rob. VE7IGZ
Abbotsford,BC,Canada.

4777. Re: Make Cash, not the same old Scam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <338F2664.1011@pacifier.com>
Source record: 174186
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.pictures.teen-idols,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.

Flipper Boy wrote:
>
> Make money selling stupid stuff on the Net (Great for Teenagers)
>
> Hey there are ways to do it, In my 5 page book, ill give you all the
> locations on the net to sell stuff that costs you nothing. Ill give you all
> the address's to online auction house's, Newsgroups to post to, and all the
> rules in the game. Hey you wont make a million bucks, but you sure as hell
> can increase your income by about 200-500 dollars a week, Spending only 5-6
> hr. a week at the computer. And who wouldn't mind that.
>
> For "How to make cash on the Net"
>
> Send $5.00 cash and an empty SASE to:
>
> Make Cash
> PO Box 26
> Edge water MD 21037-0026
>
> Not responsible for lost or misguided orders. Please allow 2 weeks for
> delivery, Rush orders add $3.00 for priority mail. No Checks accepted, Cah
> only. Make Money, Relax!
You are posting on the wrong news group. Hams are to smart for a scam!

4778. Re: Arcron Radio Controlled Clock Review

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4xy@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <338e6412.11260762@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174187

Hi Bob... ONE of us-maybe both-has a bad unit... I have both clocks as well... MY Mega will ONLY work well in upstairs (e.g. above ground) windows, nowhere in the interior of the house w/o a lot of missed days... whereas, my Zeit ARCRON has percolated along from day 1 on my operating desk in my basement, 3 feet below ground, 6 or 8 feet from the nearest window. I use SWATCH via the Internet for my time anyway, but I'd REALLY like to improve the MEGA since I LIKE that anachronistic sweep second hand A LOT!!! I have considered surgery and an external (to the clock-NOT the basement) loop ant and preamp... but you make me wonder if they have a US repair center, since it could very well be flawed in the front end.

By the way, I DID get my Atomic Standard: An EFRATOM Miniature FRS Rhubidium Atomic Frequency Standard set for 10 MHz and, to keep it calibrated, a REAL WWVB Receiver: a TRACOR 900B with chart recorder. Short term on the FRS is 5x12... and it takes 3 days for to set it properly using the Tracor and charting. The FRS was RFE and the Tracor LOOKS new. Does need some setting up, and wiring and such, and a shielded loop and preamp seems about the best idea overall for input. I did get a Stabiline for a power source, and have a chunky AT&T battery backup I THINK will be OK when I replace the batteries.

Please pardon the BW guys... I should have used a personal email but got carried away... it DOES apply to WWVB stuff. Thanks.
On Fri, 30 May 1997 02:02:49 GMT, bnb@mindspring.com (B. Good & B. Rogers) wrote:

>I finally received my Arcron Zeit "ARCRON Radio-Controlled Desktop
>Clock Executive WWVB". That's what it's called in the manual coming
>with the clock. This is the clock advertised in QST, SWL magazines and
>several mail order catalogs, selling from $109 to $149.
>
>I have been trying to get all the WWVB clocks that I can, to see how
>they compare. I have had a Junghans MEGA Desk model for several
>years, got an Oregon Scientific Time Machine less than a year ago for
>$89.95 or there abouts, and also have recently purchased the Junghans
>MEGA Alarm and a MEGA Wall clock.
>
>My personal opinion of the Arcron Zeit:
>
>PROS:
>
>1. A signal strength indicator: bars which let you see where in a
>room to get the best signal, and how best to orient the clock. A very
>nice feature when setting up the clock the first time, especially

>during the day, when the signal will be the hardest to pull out of the
>noise and interference.
>
>2. The backlight is more uniform than the Junghans MEGA Alarm, but
>that may be because it has a smaller display. Brighter than
>theTimeMachine's dim green.
>
>3. Can manually set DST or Standard Time, in case it misses the
>change. Don't know if this is really of value or not, my TimeMachine
>and MEGA's never had any problem with the seasonal change.
>
>4. Can show two different time zones at once, of course you lose the
>date display when you do.
>
>5. An abbreviated instruction card is attached to the bottom of the
>clock, a nice touch.
>
>CONS:
>
>1. Not as sensitive as the Junghans MEGA's. It would not lock on in
>locations where the MEGA's would. My office/study is in our basement,
>below grade. The MEGA's lock on to WWVB whether on the wall or on
>lower bookcase shelves. The Arcron had to be on the top of the
>bookcase, near the ceiling to lock on during the day. The Time
>Machine would NOT sync in the basement, it has to be up in my 2nd
>floor bedroom.
>
>2. Much smaller display than the MEGA or Time Machine. The MEGA uses
>the whole front panel of the clock for it's display, The Arcron's
>display size is 1 1/8 inches high by 1 7/8 inches wide. The character
>height of the hh:mm time digits is 3/8 inches. The MEGA hh:mm are 1/2
>inch high and the display is 3/4 inches high by 4 3/4 inches wide.
>
>2. Even though the ad in the magazines shows 12/24, that is a
>"randomly chosen"? date display for December 24. The clock will NOT
>do 24 hour time. But, neither will the others.
>
>3. Design is much more complicated to set up, 4 pushbuttons, not
>labeled on clock, so you have to refer to the manual or the chart on
>the bottom of the clock for their function. Button/switch function
>are marked on the Time Machine and the MEGA Alarm.
>
>
>All this said, the Arcron does keep great time, don't see any drift
>whenever I check it during the day. And yes, I am the guy who sells
>Junghans MEGA clocks at discount, but I chose to sell them because I
>like them. I have had the MEGA Shelf/desk clock for over 3 years and
>it has been trouble free.
>
>Regards, Bob Good

>B and B Enterprises
>Fayetteville, Georgia
>USA

72/73

Ed Tanton N4XY EMAIL: n4xy@bellsouth.net
189 Pioneer Trail
Marietta, GA 30068-3466 TEL: (770)579-3933 V/MBX/FAX

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AdvRC #140 NORCAL #1779 NCDXF SEDXC

Life Member: ARRL AMSAT INDEXA QCWA

INTERESTS: DX QRP BoatAnchors Test Equipment Photography

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"Think you can, think you can't: either way you're right!" Henry Ford

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4779. Spurious 2m emissions from the MFJ 484B DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Charles <jaycee@midmarsh.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Qx59FEAosqjzEwM7@midmarsh.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174188

I have used my MFJ 484B tunable DSP to good effect on HF but recently
I've been using it on the SSB section of 2m and finding a lot of
spurious signals emitted by the filter.

Have others users noticed this - is it a 'feature' of the MFJ - can they
be suppressed?

I've tried running it from a 12v battery in case they were getting back
through the PSU but that made no difference, nor did connecting the case
to my RF earth. These emissions are still picked up when the DSP is
disconnected from the Rx. Physical distance between the units is about
18in. They are not strong enough to register on the S meter - just
annoying when tuning through the band to find weak continental
transmissions.

Out of interest they are noticable at:
144.231
144.255
144.263 *
144.271
144.279 *
144.343
144.351
144.359
144.391
The ones marked * being by far the strongest.

Any ideas on other possibilities for supressing them?

BW John (UK)
--
John Charles

4780. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <338EAA82.6E95@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174189
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP wrote:
>
> I used to have good luck with a 5/8 wave "Firestick" top loaded coil
> type- they've got them as short as 2 ft long, which work very well
> even at highway speeds with a 6 inch mag mount set- can get both of
> these at your friendly neighborhood truck stop for a total of about
> $20! Also works great as a scanner antenna.....but not so hot on 2 M!
>
> ck (proud owner of a 94 Trooper)
>
> "Peter A. Forkes" <pforkes@pobox.com> wrote:
>
> >I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
> >installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
> >Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
> >best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
> >What can you suggest?
> >Peter
> >
>
> Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP KC5EVN, Member, PGBFH
> remove "nospam*" in the "from" address to reply
> "Reckless, Hell! I hit jus' where I was aimin'"
> "Bubba Shot the Jukebox!" Mark Chestnut, 1995

In my opinion nothing beats a 102" stainless steel whip. 16 bucks at
radio shack.

4781. WTB: ICOM ACCYS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5mmbf8$pd7$1@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 174190

I need 2 items for my Icom Z1A

I need a belt clip for this radio. I recently bought this radio used, and the belt clip was missing. I use this radio when mountian bike riding and with out the belt clip, it's a pain.

Also - I need any dead nicad for this radio:

BP- 171, BP-172, BP-173 or BP-180

Or I can use the dry cell battry case BP-170

Is this stuff laying around your shack and you want to sell it?

Dave

e-mail: dgsholar@gte.net

4782. FS: Alinco DJ-180 2m HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor D. Mete" <KE4QJK@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6ceb$2c14b440$8b6592cf@AT&TWorldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:
Alinco DJ-180 HT
good condition
soft case
PL encode/decode
12v adapter
drop-in charger
manual
$120

Victor / KE4QJK
ke4qjk@worldnet.att.net
954-974-9136
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4783. HELP - INFO on HF Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5mmc32fse1@news5.gte.net>
Source record: 174192

My son and I are both working on our upgrade to General

We are looking for a good HF rig around $1,500 or less.

I'm asking for advice on Kenwood, Yaesu and Icom rigs in this range.

I'm drawn to the ICOM 706 Mark II because of it's 2 meter and 6 meter ability's. Would love to hear from any and all who like or don't like this rig.

Or if you considered this rig and went with another type instead, ie Yaesu or Kenwood - please let me know.

I don't want to waste a lot of $$ (who does) - so help me out folks - share some of that wisdom with me please!!!

Thanks

Dave KE4YDY and
Joel KE4ZXQ

email: dgsholar@gte.net

4784. Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6cf1$d0dd1840$594e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 174193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the morning.

I know plenty of other amateurs who leave their mobile rigs on 24-hours/day. I have it hooked to an external DC-powered speaker, which is switched with my ignition. So, the mobile can't even produce any audio through it's own speaker (which would draw a tiny bit more amperage).

I've checked the radio out. It's an Icom IC-2350H. On standby-receive is draws 0.42 amps. Is this outrageous? I know other amateurs in the area who leave their mobile rig on, their cell phones charging, and a spare HT charging 24-hours/day with NO problems.

I think it's the battery. The dealer I took it to charge me a whopping $91.00 to charge my battery up and tell me it was my aftermarket equipment that was killing my battery overnight. I kid you not. I could get home from my weekly 500 mile trip (which should do a great job of charging my battery), and the next morning -- click! The vehicle won't start.

The mechanic was telling me that the vehicle's battery is rated for a 20 ma (that's 0.020 amps!!!) draw, and anything over that is beyond it's rating. Excuse me, but I should be able to leave my vehicle sit for a MONTH with a tiny little draw like that -- and then when I go to start it, it should JUMP to life!!!

I'm just looking for a little information on what these batteries can handle. Currently, I have a "factory" 17ma draw for normal accessories like the clock, etc. So, if we add the draw from my mobile rig, we come up with a 0.437amp draw. HOW LONG SHOULD MY BATTERY LAST WITH THAT DRAW??

Any and ALL information will be greatly welcomed. Please email me with your responses, in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.

73 and thanks!

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

4785. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <338ec8c9.1247603@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 174194

On Thu, 29 May 1997 17:01:59 -0500, Ben Lindsey
<blindsey@metricom.com> wrote:

>F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur wrote:
>>
>> What do you think about It ???
>>
>> Tnx Vincent F5MJV
>
>
> More power on 2 meters (20 watts now) and a quieter fan (yippee)
>But still has the ridiculous repeater offset problem.. You have to turn
>the thing off and go into setup mode to change your direction of shift.
>I heard another fellow here describe it as brain dead - I'd have to say
>that was hitting the nail on the head. Anybody know a way around this?
>
>-b
>kc5rbz
>blindsey@sepulcher.com
For repeater offsets just use the split mode, works fine.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

4786. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Phillip S. Rutledge" <rut@mcrut.mv.com>
Message-ID: <338EEFD0.4DF@mcrut.mv.com>
Source record: 174195

John A. Hansen wrote:
>
> David Ho (AF4BH) wrote:
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> >
> > After reading the followup posts of your message, I am interested in
> > knowing how much this new concept will potentially set us back?
> >
> > Thanks!
> >
> > 73!
> >
> > de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
> > davidho@one.net
>
> about $2000 is the initial estimate.
>
> John Hansen WA0PTV

I downloaded their demo software and it looks quite impressive! Can't say
if it's impressive to the tune of $2K however!

Phil-- K1HS

4787. Yaesu FT-757GXII Tuning Knob Removal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <338EC9AC.2C2F@acm.org>
Source record: 174196

The tuning knob on my FT-757 GX II has become stiff and has a "gritty" feeling to it. I have tried adjusting the tension screw with no luck. I don't have the service manual so I was wondering if anyone out there knows how to disassemble the tuning assembly so that it can be cleaned and lubricated.

TIA
Robert de N2JTX
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****
* Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX * *
* (914) 425-9819 * [This space for rent] *
* mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org * *
****

4788. Re: FS 14.4 modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <338ed751.5048925@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 174197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 29 May 1997 02:16:51 GMT, "Mike Cage" <MCage@Cyou.com> wrote:

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>
>Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil> wrote in article
><33846596.76B7@apollo.wes.army.mil>...
>> U.S. Robotics 14.4 Sportster fax modem. As new 65.00 shipped CONUS.
>>
>> Butch KF5DE
>>
>
>Try a U.S. Roboitcs 33.6 WinModem part number 1125 at Sams for $90.00 but
>make sure that you send in the U.S. Robotics Fast $40.00 rebate. Thats
>only
>$50.00 and its upgradeable to 56.6k.

But... what about if you don't have a SAMS membership. What then?

4789. Re: Looking for a radio List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <338ED823.51DF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174198

> Donald Fairchild wrote:
> >
> > I am looking for a list of ham equipment with model numbers that have
> > specifications associated with the equipment. For instance: Suppose you
> > were looking for a hand held radio and you spot an ad for an ANYTRONICS
> > model AN300D Radio, you dont have any idea of what this device is or
> > what it can do. A cross reference list would be handy. So, I would like
> > to find a list with this information in either hard copy or on the
> > internet somewhere. Got any Ideas? E-Mail me please.

Hi Don
A quasi-equipment list can be found on the ARRL Page at URL:
http://www.arrl.org/tis/info/prodrev.html

Hope this helps.

73
Rod in San Diego

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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4790. Re: RTTY Collector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <338edccb.9935873@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 174199

"Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com> wrote:

:*WTB* Collector of older RTTY terminal units and SSTV scan
:converters looking for more to add to collection, including:
:Hal ST-5, ST-5000, Robot 400/800 other commercial or homebrew
:RTTY/SSTV equipment (IRL, Flescher, Frederick, Dovetron, etc)

I wish you luck but you are up against two problems. First, collectors of the equipment you specified are not all that common. Second, I don't think you are allowed to by human beings these days so if you want a collector the best you can expect is to borrow of hire him rather than buy.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

4791. WTB:Kenwood 1.2Ghz module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Edwards <threepalms@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <338ED288.456A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 174200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur,misc

WANTED:

UT-1200 module for Kenwood 642/742/942 radio.

If you have one you would like to sell or trade, please email me at:

threepalms@earthlink.net

Thanks....<re>

4792. Re: Kachina Communications DSP transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <338E7010.2C7D@shani.net>
Source record: 174201

David,

If you don't afraid about new technologies and
new unconventional concepts, I think this one
will be quite refreshing.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

> David Ho (AF4BH) wrote:
> >
> > On 22 May 97 16:21:10 GMT, morel@shani.NET
> (morel grunberg) wrote:
> >
> > >I'm looking for more info and impressions
> > >on Kachina 505-DSP computer controlled HF
> > >transceiver. For those who already saw it
> > >at Dayton, how the receiver sounds ?
> > >
> > >Any reply will be appreciated.
> > >
> > >73 de Morel, 4X1AD
> > >
> >
> > After reading the followup posts of your message, I am interested in
> > knowing how much this new concept will potentially set us back?
> >
> > Thanks!
> >
> > 73!
> >
> > de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
> > davidho@one.net
>

4793. FS: KWD TS 450 AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <338EE6EE.74C3@erols.com>
Source record: 174202

Hi,
Thanks for reading. I have a TS450 W/ automatic tuner. It is excellent condition.
I am asking $725 + shipping.

send reply to:
rcuffee@erols.com

4794. Re: Make Cash, not the same old Scam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W2GL <w2gl@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <338EE382.DAD@qsl.net>
Source record: 174203
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.pictures.teen-idols,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.

Anyone who likes stupid ideas could look at the following URL:
http://www.dreamnets.com/youtalk/index.html

BTW, I was listed on the counter as #1. Either this dolt can't write CGI scripts, or he isn't making 200-500 dollars a week on this scam!

73, W2GL
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Flipper Boy wrote:
>
> Make money selling stupid stuff on the Net (Great for Teenagers)
>
> Hey there are ways to do it, In my 5 page book, ill give you all the
> locations on the net to sell stuff that costs you nothing. Ill give you all
> the address's to online auction house's, Newsgroups to post to, and all the
> rules in the game. Hey you wont make a million bucks, but you sure as hell
> can increase your income by about 200-500 dollars a week, Spending only 5-6
> hrs a week at the computer. And who wouldnt mind that.
>
> For "How to make cash on the Net"
>
> Send $5.00 cash and an empty SASE to:
>
> Make Cash
> PO Box 26
> Edgewater MD 21037-0026
>
> Not responsible for lost or misguided orders. Please allow 2 weeks for
> delivery, Rush orders add $3.00 for priority mail. No Checks accepted, Cah
> only. Make Money, Relax!

4795. FS - Rohn - HBX-48 - Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc2bcg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970530144200.KAA11437@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174204

I have an Rohn HBX-48 Tower for sale.
6 Sections each being 8 feet long.
All the paperwork showing Accessories,Part numbers, Instructions, customer
Drawings, and Foundation & Anchor Bolt details drawing.
Includes: BX-SM Mount assembly - for mounting an omni on the side.
10 sq.ft. wind loading
no hardware (bolts and nuts)
Unit resides in central NJ.
I need to get $ 250.00 for it.
Only the serious need reply!

Email - GDHarris@ AMP.com or KC2BCG@AOL.com
Thanks for reading this Ad.

Take Care of Number 1
Don't Step in Number 2

4796. FT290R or 290R Mark II for sale?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: greenbay@tcd.NET
Message-ID: <199705301442.IAA22269@tcd.net>
Source record: 174205

John:

What model is this? I bought my FT290R way back in 1983(?) for $300 in mint condition with all accessories. If you are selling the newer FT290R Mark II then that's another thing. If that's the case please post the whole model number. I'm sure we're all going to see the same thing with the Icom 706's when the Mark II's start showing up on the FS lists when some newer whiz-bang rig comes on the market. People will want to know which version of the rig is being offered.

I notice that the FT290R Mark II is being discounted again. Perhaps Yaesu has a new portable SSB rig in the works. Anyone heard any rumors.

73,

Gary, N7ARE

***Date: 26 May 1997 20:44:00 GMT
***From: Phoenix Crystals <phxtal@nava-link.net>
***Subject: FS Yaesu FT-290 Multi-mode

***Hi,
***I have for sale a Yaesu 2 meter FT-290 multi-mode (SSB/CW/FM) rig,
***complete with mobile mount, hand mike, separate NI-Cad battery pack,
***batteries, and charger. Includes manual. Rig has never been run mobile,
***just in my shack, and is clean but has a few minor scratches. The reason
***I'm selling it is that I replaced it with a Yaesu FT-736. Also I am a
***non-smoker.
***$500.00 Prepaid shipping to lower 48.
***Thank you for your interest.

***73
***John
***E-mail: phxtal@nava-link.net
***Phone: 1-417-667-6179

4797. FS or Trade SSTV (Robot 1200C Clone)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfunaro@dsmnet.com
Message-ID: <5mmofd$r90@dsm6.dsmnet.com>
Source record: 174206

For sale or trade I have a Copy of the Robot 1200C. It is called the NS88.$200 Shipped.I have a Sony monitor for the unit $100. Computer interface card $40. If you have any questions or have something to trade please email me. Thanks
73, Mike N0XD
mfunaro@dsmnet.com
515-961-6140

Looking for a 2 or 6 meter amp.

4798. FS: MFJ-784B DSP FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <338EE8AC.4457@erols.com>
Source record: 174207

Hi,
Thanks for reading. I have a MFJ-784B tunable DSP filter. It is
excellent condition. I only used three times. I am asking $150.

Send reply to:
rcuffee@erols.com

4799. FT2500 Display problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-3005971052220001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 174208

I received a radio in a trade and the display has no backlighting, I tried to adjust the levels per manual and even though the visible lighting around the large know increases or decreases there is no change in the display, has anyone any input or know how to do a hard reset. Thanks in advance

4800. FT-920 programming software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mondoray <mondoray@netway1.netway.com>
Message-ID: <338EC4AC.3A84@netway1.netway.com>
Source record: 174209

Anyone have information about Yeasu sw to program the FT-920?

4801. Re: New Yaesu FT-920 vs Good Ol' FT-990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert L. Willsey" <w4nul@mail.brightok.net>
Message-ID: <338EE248.5EB6@mail.brightok.net>
Source record: 174210

WmLB@prefer.net wrote:
>
> I suspect it may be a little premature to be asking this question , but
> has anymore recently acquired a new FT-920? Or had some "hands on"
> experience with one Would appreciate getting your initial comments on
> this rig. I am "Yaesu" person who is wondering if this might be a
> viable replacement for my good ol' FT-990..(now officially discontinued
> except for existing inventories I guess)
>
> Just off the top.. it looks like I would gain some pretty good DSP
> capabilities but lose a internal power supply which the 920 does not
> have. HRO actually selling the 920 for less then what I paid for the
> 990 back in about 91 or so...
>
> Any comments would be appreciated
>
> Bill, KN6FJ
I have the FT-920 and like it. It was a bit confusing to use at first but that was because of all the options available. The receiver is very hot! It has better gain than a FT 690 on six and the 690 is a one band radio! The preamplifiers (sp) for hf and 6 meters work very well. The DSP unit is much better than the MFJ or Timewave 9+ that I have used with my Kenwoods TS-140 and TS 450s. I like the way you can choose to tune the xmitter and/or the receiver for a match.

I am really enjoying the rig and have moved the Kenwood to my truck for mobile use.

I think that you can get a better price from RT Systems. This is where I got mine. Check QST or call 800-723-6922. I am very pleased with the way they did the deal. The shipping was fast and done when they said also.

BTW I am not with the company. I live in OK and this was my first purchase from them. It won't be my last.

73 de Bob w4nul@brightok.net

4802. equipment reviews?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Terwilliger <a229aa@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6d0f$aef26730$490a69dd@huckle>
Source record: 174211

Does a web site, etc. exist somewhere that highlights features, user comments, good, bad,and the ugly about various HF rigs? I would like to compare various rigs that I have no personal knowledge of but might see at the next hamfest...I know you can always look up the QST product reviews, but those don't give real in-the-field reviews and can't tell you about problems that cropped up 2 years after manufacture. Maybe we should all just pick one favorite rig that we own and use and write it up. Then someone could host a single web page pointing to the individual reviews....

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/// Chris Terwilliger
/// Phoenix Applied Research Center
/// a229aa@email.mot.com

4803. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: res@cmprime.cis.att.com
Message-ID: <5mmuvv$m5m@anchor.cis.att.com>
Source record: 174212

: internals of the Drake amp, but I WILL point out that it is virtually
: *POINTLESS* to do what you are suggesting if your purpose is to make any
: increases in your received signal that even BEGIN to be perceptible. The
: difference between 1 KW and 1.5 kw is a non-perceptible 1.5 db at BEST,

A common misconception.
This statement might be true if you are talking about a strong signal
on a quiet band. In that case yes, the ear cannot hear the difference.
Now consider this, however:
1.5 times power increase is 2 db. Consider the 2 db as one possible
improvement that you could make to your total system gain, along with such
things as cutting down feedline loss, improving the gain of the antenna,
raising the antenna. All added together COULD result in 4-5-6 db of gain,
which makes a BIG improvement. Of the things mentioned above, that
2 db of amplifier gain costs you almost NOTHING to get ! Do it !
And just ask any DXer what advantage 2 db gives him in a pileup and see if
you get the same "POINTLESS" response you got above !! I can tell you this,
2 db in a pileup is a MAJOR improvement that will make your signal stand
out in a major way from the rest of the din.

Rick K2XT

4804. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Skjerve <mark@pcis.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6d18$d4a754f0$f4ebe5cd@mail>
Source record: 174213

I have never pesonally been to HRO, but just recently ordered a radio from them, and had a good/bad experince with them.

I ordered a Yaesu FT-8000 recently, I knew what I wanted, did my homework, checked prices on most all vendors on the 'net that published prices and HRO as the cheapest BY FAR on this radio.

Called to place the order, got a sales guy who could hardly speak english, ordered the radio on a monday and paid a extra $10.00 for 3 day shipping. Wendsday rolled around and no radio, called and got a tracking #, only to find out that the radio was shipped that day (three day's after placing the order). I repeated the address to the sales person 4 times on the phone (like I said, he could hardly speak english), and he still mispelled the city and the zip code was wrong. I did get a shipping number, and the radio did arrive the following monday, although I was really worried that UPS would ship it back to HRO because of a mispelled address, but I did get the radio. Never called them back to complain about getting back my $10.00 for 3 day shipping, oh well, they were $50.00 cheaper on the radio than anybody else I could find, so I didn't worry much about it.

Only other comment, I requested 4 times in the last year on their web page to send a catalouge, and never recieved one. After placeing my order for the radio, I got a catalouge in the mail 3 day's later without asking...

My 2 cent's worth...
Mark (kb0vla@pcis.net)

Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> Good morning,
>
> I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
>
> I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent

> questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
>
> Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
>

4805. Kenwood TS-530SP information, am looking for

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: astro@bai.reno.nv.us
Message-ID: <5mmvr0$s5g$1@news.greatbasin.net>
Source record: 174214

Am seeking information on the Kenwood TS-530SP (Serial No. 6030076)

I'm a newbie ham (Tech Plus, KC7WDC), and am interested
in finding out more about the new radio on my desk.
I would appreciate any guidance you might have as to
where I might find:

a service manual
a copy of the QST review of this rig
when this model was in production
what the original retail price was
what the HAM community views are on this rig
any text or discussions of specific operating/maintenance issues with this rig

Thank you for your time.
I'll soon be operating in CW on 40m, evenings, Reno, Nevada

4806. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <DL0vfuAfyrjzEwd7@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174215
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <338CEC4A.1424@mts.net>, Brian Ward <blward@mts.net> writes
>Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP wrote:
>>
>> I used to have good luck with a 5/8 wave "Firestick" top loaded coil
>> type- they've got them as short as 2 ft long, which work very well
>> even at highway speeds with a 6 inch mag mount set- can get both of
>> these at your friendly neighborhood truck stop for a total of about
>> $20! Also works great as a scanner antenna.....but not so hot on 2 M!
>
>The best you will find for a mobile whip with gain and only 4-5 feet in
>height is a WILSON 1000.
>
>Have a look for it. They are made in Vegas.
>
>
>
No antenna I've seen for mobile use on 11m produces gain!

Phil G4ZOW/M
--
philip de cadenet

4807. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ArAvXrANwrjzEwe8@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174216
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <01bc6bcf$0dd9a160$1cf431cf@william-lee>, William Lee
<willee@inwave.com> writes
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>
>Greg Emerson <gregemmy@lni.net> wrote in article <338B0200.5A73@lni.net>...
>> >Watch out Andy, I gave somewhat of the same advice and was told by many
>do
>> >good posters that it was illegal to run an amp. on CB.
>>
>> I wasn't one of those "do good" posters, but what's so bad about doing
>> good??? Why be a petty criminal? Just use your 2 meter rig and don't
>> worry about the CB...or do it with the legal 4 watts. No rocket science
>> needed here.
>>
>> Regards,
>>
>> Greg WG8N
>>
>
>Well Greg, I drive from state to state a lot and very seldom hear anyone on
>the 146.520 calling freq. I monitor it all the time and call out about
>every 50 miles or so but seldom make a contact. Sometimes its a long way
>between repeaters. On the other hand the CB channel 19 is always active
>with weather, road, and bear conditions. Also those truckers can tell some
>very good stories. True, there is a lot of trash in there, but sometimes
>you can find a real jewel amid it all. Radio is Radio regardless of
>frequency.
>
>William Lee
Could'nt agree more. Phil G4ZOW/M
--
philip de cadenet

4808. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <YLMpfkA$rrjzEw$f@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174217
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <01bc694d$93944fa0$62f135ce@hammer.stonewest.com>, Dave
VanHorn <dvanhorn@127.0.0.1> writes
>
>> >bumper to reduce the overall highth. The Wilson K-40 antenna is a good
>> >choice as it is shorter but still very effective. Of course you can use
>a
>> >shorter antenna and a small (25-50W) R.F. amplifier to make up for the
>loss
>> >of transmit range.
>>
>> You can't legally use any amp on the CB band. Anything over 5 w is not
>> legal.
>>
>> >William Lee
>
>Legality dosen't matter. Actual performance dosen't matter. What matters
>is how can I impress my friends with the amount of money I dumped into
>this crap.
>
>These guys buy antenna gadgets for insane prices that have absolutely no
>measurable effects, screw up their audio with processors and reverbs, add
>in a "roger beep" that's 20 dB overmod, operate on any frequency they can
>get their gear to run on, (remote control users.. TOO BAD!)
>
>In actual fact, if the band is open, you can work the world with 5W (on 10
>meters, where it's legal). If the band is closed, then no amount of power
>will help. the only use for all this junk is a nightly screaming match.
>Repeat
>in every town out to the edge of ground wave propagation, and it's no
>wonder
>you can't use CB for anything useful anymore.
>
>Back in my CB days, I used to get a lot of fun by outperforming very
>expensive
>base stations from a 5W mobile rig. Of course I read and understood the
>ARRL antenna handbook, and actually installed my system properly..
>The total cost of my antenna mod was about a nickel.
>
>Still, they don't care what problems they cause for other users in the fire
>and
>police bands, ham bands, TVI.. Just as long as they can out-shout the
>idiot down the street, that's what matters.
>

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Read my post on 'Megapower mobiles' in the homebrew ng.

Phil G4ZOW/Xtreme mobile.
--
philip de cadenet

4809. 50 MHz module for FT-726 R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3wts2@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970521.125051.4567.0.n3wts2@juno.com>
Source record: 174218

From: n3wts2
Full-Name: melvin h rudasill
To: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Cc: Ham-Equip@ucsd.edu
Subject: Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #586
References: <199705252133.OAA19232@noc.ucsd.edu>
X-Status: New
X-Mailer: Juno 1.15

I am looking for a 50 MHz module for a FT-726 R , if anyone has this
module For sale, I would like to buy it from you. 73s N3WTS MEL
N3WTS2@JUNO.COM
410-515-1768

4810. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: philip de cadenet <phil@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <b70pTiAcprjzEw9F@two-way.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174219
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <01bc6901$989ad920$bdee65ce@william-lee>, William Lee
<willee@inwave.com> writes
>
>
>Peter A. Forkes <pforkes@pobox.com> wrote in article
><33874237.7E89@pobox.com>...
>> I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
>> installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
>> Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
>> best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
>> What can you suggest?
>> Peter
>>
>>
>Well Peter, you have a real dilemma on your hands. The best mobile antenna
>for CB would be a 9 foot whip mounted on the roof. Anything else is a
>compromise. Some people mount this stainless steel whip on their back
>bumper to reduce the overall highth. The Wilson K-40 antenna is a good
>choice as it is shorter but still very effective. Of course you can use a
>shorter antenna and a small (25-50W) R.F. amplifier to make up for the loss
>of transmit range. Do not go overboard on the amp as you can not talk to
>someone you cannot hear. Good luck in your quest for the ultimate signal
>from your mobile. Let us know what you come up with as we mobilers are
>always looking for a better antenna.
>
>William Lee
Nice to see a CBer not being knocked for a change.
I'll agree to dissagree on the mobile amp Will, my friend G3NNY and
myself run full legal in the mobile, to say we get jealous/sarcastic
comments from the megabuck base stations with a dummy load on a stick
for an antenna, is a severe under-statement. We have a much modded
BugCatcher and on 160m we can rattle most loudspeakers around the
country, even the dummyload on a stick op's with a deaf receiver.
We're trying to tell them to get their act together, and we're only
running a 13'6" whip. TopBand, a most difficult band to master!

Phil G4ZOW/Xtreme mobile. We accept no prisoners, lifes too short for
QRP!
--
philip de cadenet

4811. Be Smart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970530173800.NAA23398@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174220

You are right on about with your comments. Please spread the word. What word. #1 be patient, if you don't compare, then you drive up the price for all of us. Do you have, to have it today? Can't you wait for UPS? #2 Don't forget to factor in extra options, tax OR shipping. #3 Consider mail order for new products. Don't forget to factor in your drive times. Get the less expensive extras included with your larger purchases for shipping. #4 Consider the used market. Buyer beware. #5 Write the manufactures with your feature requests. #6 Don't forget, YOU make a difference.

4812. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidho@one.net
Message-ID: <338eff48.14583950@news.netnews.att.com>
Source record: 174221

On Fri, 30 May 1997 15:18:40 GMT, "Phillip S. Rutledge"
<rut@mcrut.mv.com> wrote:
[Deleted]
>
>I downloaded their demo software and it looks quite impressive! Can't say
>if it's impressive to the tune of $2K however!
>
> Phil-- K1HS

I, too, had downloaded their GUI and played with it for a while. The initial feeling of the software to me is acceptable.

This new concept really requires a 2 part evaluation: Software and Hardware.

As a software engineer, I believe that the GUI is a very subjective thing to talk about. Programmers write codes according to their understanding of __HOW__ the machine works as well as the underlying object oriented anatomy. On the other hand, users want some totally different things such as the classy look and such. Without investing more ergonomic features to a software means that the program is hard to use (or sell).

The good thing is that new features can be added in the future, if the radio itself is designed to accomodate that down the road.

It is still has yet real talks about the performance of the TX/RX/Digital mode/SSB/DSP/etc. These are some different issues.

I wonder if the radio is immune to my HP Vectra VL 5/166 desktop computer. It is a FCC Class A certified equipment.

This is a daring concept because almost all of us are so used to knobs and buttons, plus $2K is a heavy investment for many people. IMHO, unless the tranceiver and the software really shine, the market will need a _L_O_N_G_ time to sbsorb this idea. I believe this is a good place to start, though.

My suggestion to Kachina is to work hard on making a good solid radio and write a good function library, as well as to keep the design open and modular. Sell the radio along with the function library for garage programmers/HAMs to make the baby really shine. For example, Nothern Telecom made its key switch system for small companies around the world. They also release firmware upgrade and development tool kits. All of a suddent, a tradional phone switch has added powerful features like Automatic Call Distribution, Call Accounting, and etc. Just think of the potential of a computer controlled radio both inside

and outside of the ham bands. For recreational purpose, how about a computerized remote controlled airplane to fly patterns? Wouldn't that be fun?

Much like Microsoft, they developed the operating systems and allow others to access to its core service with their tools, while Intel to make the chip set. Look how successful PC's are today!

I got flamed last time when I talked about modular implementation on ham gears. I can care less about that! We are on the internet! I don't understand why there are people who can never took constructive ideas that are different from theirs.

So much for now. I know that there are fans out there. You don't have to flame me.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/4
davidho@one.net

4813. FS : Alinco DR 605 T dual band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <EAyu71.H8F@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 174365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Alinco DR 605 T dual band mobile radio, 2M - 440, with OPTIONAL EJ-24U tone decode board for sale. This radio is MINT, and in brand new condition, purchased on 3/25/97. It is in the box, with original packing, manual, and ALL accessories. I will provide the receipt as well. The radio was used twice in the base for about three hours, and put away. Never used mobile, and I am a non-smoker.

$435.00 shipped to 48 if pre-paid, COD is $5.00 extra

NO TRADES

E-Mail if interested.

dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

4814. For sale or swap 2M, laptop, SW RX, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5ml74l$p2u$1@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 174366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Following for sale/swap

Genuine IBM PS2 laptop, 386, 8meg, 1.44 FDD, 100m HDD (as I recall, it isn't in front of me now), VGA mono, lotsa software, new MS mouse, 2 P/S, 3 batts., and two Diconix 150 plus inkjet printers, lots of extra goodies, nice soft case. $350

Yaesu FT2500M 2M 50W mobile, AS NEW in the box, with FTS17a encode/decode board, MH27 mike, $250

R/S DX440 portable SW RX, digital, clock/timer, memories, lots of nice features, same as Sangean 803, AS NEW in the box with new AC adapter $100

R/S TRC232 40 ch. top of the line handheld CB, about 4 hours use AS NEW in the box sells around $150 new, first $90

PRO-62 handheld 200ch scanner w/800 (blocked) mhz., w/adapter/charger, VG-EXC condition, no box. $125

Nokia 100 cell phone w/DC cord, good shape,
Audiovox Pro-95 bag phone, GC, no battery, DC cord only, best offers on both

consider swaps for any/all.
ppd MO/cert. only, shipping extra.
email replies please

4815. For sale or swap 2M, laptop, SW RX, scanner, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5ml7a0$ts0$1@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 174367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Following for sale/swap

Genuine IBM PS2 laptop, 386, 8meg, 1.44 FDD, 100m HDD (as I recall, it isn't in front of me now), VGA mono, lotsa software, new MS mouse, 2 P/S, 3 batts., and two Diconix 150 plus inkjet printers, lots of extra goodies, nice soft case. $350

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Audiovox Pro-95 bag phone, GC, no battery, DC cord only, best offers on both

consider swaps for any/all.
ppd MO/cert. only, shipping extra, or can deliver to Rochester Hamfest this weekend.
email replies please

4816. Re: ALX-2E ALINCO INFO. Required.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Fay <tonyfay@indigo.ie>
Message-ID: <338E24E9.6986@indigo.ie>
Source record: 174368

bacidoy@nac.net wrote:
>
> Tony Fay wrote:
> >
> > CAN YOU HELP PLEASE,
> > I have an old but much loved Alinco ALX-2E 2metre handheld which i wish
> > to pass on to my son now entering the hobby. I am looking for User
> > /Service manual (or copies)for this handheld.
> >
> > Also a speaker mike and also a loud speaker for same (my loud speaker
> > was damaged by iron filings and is now distorted.
> >
> > Any help would be appreciated.
> >
> > Regards, TONY EI6EQB (e-mial tonyfay@indigo.ie)
> I am also in the same boat as you I have one of these radios and am also
> looking for any info if you find some please pass it along

I have no info yet but e mail me with your e mail so i can send any info
I get direct to you as well as posting it here.
By the way do you know what the PRI button is for ???
regards , TONY

4817. PROBLEM WITH MY ICOM 751

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: sq3dzk@gw.ab6qv.ampr.ORG
Message-ID: <5203@gw.ab6qv.ampr.org>
Source record: 174369

Hello readers

My icom 751 developed a problem:
it transmits, but it does not receive ANYTHING with the antenna connected to the main port. However when I connect the receiving antenna to the RECEIVE ANT IN terminal it works OK as usual.

Any ideas with it?

vy73! de Jacek sq3dzk

4818. Re: Strobe wipes out mobile rig!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawnerz@xSprintmail.com
Message-ID: <338e2655.10751568@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 174370

Your scanner is picking up the RF generated by the charging circuit in
the stobe light. I don't know what the circuit oscilates at, but
basically you've got a bunch of square waves generating harmonics
charging a capactor. The only thing I can suggest is to move the
antenna as far as possible away from the strobe light.
-Shawn

4819. Arcron Radio Controlled Clock Review

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bnb@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33913530.16539510@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174371

I finally received my Arcron Zeit "ARCRON Radio-Controlled Desktop Clock Executive WWVB". That's what it's called in the manual coming with the clock. This is the clock advertised in QST, SWL magazines and several mail order catalogs, selling from $109 to $149.

I have been trying to get all the WWVB clocks that I can, to see how they compare. I have had a Junghans MEGA Desk model for several years, got an Oregon Scientific Time Machine less than a year ago for $89.95 or there abouts, and also have recently purchased the Junghans MEGA Alarm and a MEGA Wall clock.

My personal opinion of the Arcron Zeit:

PROS:

1. A signal strength indicator: bars which let you see where in a room to get the best signal, and how best to orient the clock. A very nice feature when setting up the clock the first time, especially during the day, when the signal will be the hardest to pull out of the noise and interference.

2. The backlight is more uniform than the Junghans MEGA Alarm, but that may be because it has a smaller display. Brighter than theTimeMachine's dim green.

3. Can manually set DST or Standard Time, in case it misses the change. Don't know if this is really of value or not, my TimeMachine and MEGA's never had any problem with the seasonal change.

4. Can show two different time zones at once, of course you lose the date display when you do.

5. An abbreviated instruction card is attached to the bottom of the clock, a nice touch.

CONS:

1. Not as sensitive as the Junghans MEGA's. It would not lock on in locations where the MEGA's would. My office/study is in our basement, below grade. The MEGA's lock on to WWVB whether on the wall or on lower bookcase shelves. The Arcron had to be on the top of the bookcase, near the ceiling to lock on during the day. The Time Machine would NOT sync in the basement, it has to be up in my 2nd floor bedroom.

2. Much smaller display than the MEGA or Time Machine. The MEGA uses the whole front panel of the clock for it's display, The Arcron's display size is 1 1/8 inches high by 1 7/8 inches wide. The character

height of the hh:mm time digits is 3/8 inches. The MEGA hh:mm are 1/2 inch high and the display is 3/4 inches high by 4 3/4 inches wide.

2. Even though the ad in the magazines shows 12/24, that is a "randomly chosen"? date display for December 24. The clock will NOT do 24 hour time. But, neither will the others.

3. Design is much more complicated to set up, 4 pushbuttons, not labeled on clock, so you have to refer to the manual or the chart on the bottom of the clock for their function. Button/switch function are marked on the Time Machine and the MEGA Alarm.

All this said, the Arcron does keep great time, don't see any drift whenever I check it during the day. And yes, I am the guy who sells Junghans MEGA clocks at discount, but I chose to sell them because I like them. I have had the MEGA Shelf/desk clock for over 3 years and it has been trouble free.

Regards, Bob Good
B and B Enterprises
Fayetteville, Georgia
USA

4820. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7lxo@olympusTrAsH.net
Message-ID: <339074d8.5344751@news.olympus.net>
Source record: 173975

Clif <avvid@onramp.net> wrote:

>Ej Mars wrote:
>>
>> I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and
>> willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to
>> ej.mars@lagn.comThanks
>>
>>
>
>Federal tax on a can is $6.50
>

And anyone that sold it to you, if you don't have the proper certification that you are an authorized technician as governed by the applicable section of 40 USC Part 82 would be liable for fines in excess of $10000. Quite an expense to make a pittance on a $5 can of refrigerant, don't you think.

Are you a government agent trying to ferret out sellers of illegal refrigerant?

Are you one seeking to entrap an unwitting, or uninformed, or crooked, or illegal importer, or dumb, innocent guy that just happens to have a few old cans he bought years ago, and then turn him/her in for the sizeable reward to be gained?

While I am a certified technician, and while I'm not sure I fully agree that the shift to alternate refrigerants was warranted, I would still say, "Bite the bullet. Make the shift. It might make the atmosphere a bit better for those who follow us."

Chuck
>Clif

+=+++++=================================+
Charles W. O'Hara n7lxo@olympus.TrAsHnet
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When sending me personal e-mail, please
remove the TrAsH from my e-mail address.
+=====================================+

4821. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339089dc.117824166@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173976

On Sat, 31 May 97 06:18:22 GMT, tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk ("Anthony R. Gold") wrote:
>In article <5mndjf$kao@snews5.zippo.com>
> Reporter@sparc1.castles.com "Gary - KJ6Q" writes:
>
>> SORRY CHARLIE.... But no matter *HOW* you slice it, 1.5 - 2 db is for all
>> intents IMPERCEPTIBLE, and authorities far more knowledgable than you or
>> I have long since demonstrated that *3 db* is the SMALLEST change in
>> level discernable to the human ear
>
>It's my recollection is that it was 1dB, not 3dB, that has been
>demonstrated as the smallest discernable change in sound level.

That's correct. Under some conditions, some people can discern a
smaller change by ear than I db, but on average for the population,
1 db is the smallest discernable change in sound level.

3 db is perceived as *twice as loud*, so it is quite significant.

The db scale is, of course, a log scale because the human auditory
response is also logarithmic.

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4822. FS Standard C468A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: stuart underwood <stu@harborcom.net>
Message-ID: <33908A8C.2D90@harborcom.net>
Source record: 173977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Standard C468A for sale. I am a non smoker. This HT is in "mint" new condition. It is less than a year old. I used the radio until 02/97. For my BD my wife bought myself a dual band HT. Comes with wall charger, stock antenna, leahter case, box, and manual. Asking $245.00 OBO. 73, Stuart KB8VIY stu@harborcom.net

4823. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33908bcd.118321110@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173978

On Fri, 30 May 1997 14:17:58 -0500, Ben Lindsey <blindsey@metricom.com> wrote:

>Split mode would work fine if all repeaters shifted in one direction
>-- they don't. Split mode just offsets by the setting you choose in the
>initial setup mode. (power on and lock together) As far as I know you
>have to change it (the offset) there -- unless you know something I
>don't.. (which is possible)

In the initial set menu, setup repeater offset to be -600 kHz and setup
split to be +600 kHz. Now you can use repeater offset for those repeaters
using negative offset, and split for those repeaters using positive offset.
Simple really, but Icom should have known better.

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4824. Re: Kenwood 732A problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3390910d.119665151@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173979

On 31 May 1997 01:15:36 GMT, "mpayne@gte.net" <mpayne@gte.net> wrote:
>Anyone had problems with the 2 meter power amp blowing up? I bought 3 of
>these radios new several years ago and have had to replace the power amp
>several times. anyone Know how to stop this problem? I get no where with
>Kenwood, they say they don't have a problem with these radios.

Typically the problem is thermal. These things get *very* hot and the metalization in the module fails. Make sure the replacement is properly installed with heatsink compound and makes an intimate thermal connection with the heatsink. Add a fan if your mounting location doesn't have good air flow.

Poor thermal design is a chronic problem with Kenwood VHF+ radios. They all have problems with it to one extent or another, and the 732 is among the worst.

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4825. 50 MHz module for FT-726 R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3wts2@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970522.161139.4567.0.n3wts2@juno.com>
Source record: 173980

I am looking for a 50 MHz module for a FT-726 R , if anyone has this module For sale, I would like to buy it from you. 73s N3WTS MEL N3WTS2@JUNO.COM

4826. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33908e00.118884000@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173981

On 30 May 1997 15:17:49 -0700, Marco S Hyman <marc@dumbcat.codewright.com> wrote:
>Opinions wanted:
>
>Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
>most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
>prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
>buy things?

You mean besides an antenna? That's pretty important if you're going
to operate. Now if you operate HF, the best purchase may be an antenna
tuner. Most solid state rigs expect to see a 50 ohm load, and few *good*
HF antennas provide one over an entire band. (If the SWR is flat across
the band, you're probably measuring a dummy load.)

The other priority is probably *test equipment*. You can never have enough.
If you can't measure something, you don't really understand it. This list could
grow very long, but at minimum you need the basics, multimeter, scope, RF
power meter, etc. The exact RF test gear you'll want depends to an extent
on whether you operate HF or VHF+.

Another shack accessory I consider essential is a *computer*. It is useful
for *many* things in the ham station. It can host design and analysis software,
it is needed for digital operation, it can log, it can serve as your callbook, etc.

The list of accessories you might want can go on and on depending on what
you like to do in ham radio. For example, if ATV is your thing, you'll obviously
need a camera and monitor.

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4827. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33909221.119941396@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173982

On 31 May 1997 07:20:34 GMT, enboe@aol.com (ENBOE) wrote:
>Does anyone know if the HTX204 meets FCC spectral requirements when used
>on the Family Radio Service frequencies? This would be useful to me as
>I'm the only living ham in the family. Also, if the radio meets the
>spectral requirements but has not been type accepted for that application,
>is it still legal to use? Lastly, does anyone have a listing of the
>specific 14 frequencies used for FRS? Thanks for any info.
>
>Eric (ENBOE@aol.com) (K0AVW)

The radio does not meet Type Acceptance requirements for the FRS,
and is illegal to use there.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

4828. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 31 May 1997 12:54:36 -0400, Greg Corteville <cortevi5@pilot.msu.edu> wrote:
>I was wondering if anybody had experience with using power inverters in
>a mobile installation? I used a "Power-to-go" 140 watt continuous power
>inverter to power my Toshiba 425CDS laptop for GPS and APRS use while on
>a roadtrip a few weeks ago. On my way home, the alternator in my 1990
>GMC Safari seized up and stopped turning. The belt was just moving over
>the alternator and making a hideous noise. I was wondering if running
>my power inverter almost constantly on that trip might have played a
>hand in this situation? Or was it just coincidence that this would
>happen on a 7 year old vehicle with 100,000+ miles. I was also using my
>Kenwood 733A mobile rig on high power a few times, but not very often.

It's likely that it was just the alternator's time to go. From the description
of the failure, the bearings seized, and that's a mechanical problem, not
an electrical one. It doesn't sound like you were attempting to draw excessive
power from the unit.

>The Toshiba laptops have built-in power supplies and therefore need 110V
>AC. Too bad Toshiba didn't leave a 12V DC port on the outside of the
>case. That would have made it more mobile-friendly.

Yeah, but lots of laptops want 18 VDC (that's what their wall warts supply)
to charge their batteries and leave a regulator margin for their 12 VDC
internal needs (RS-232, disk drive power, etc). So using an inverter in the
car is about your best option.

I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled
to the vehicle electrical system with diode steering (RV kit). All I had to
do was cut the wire to the beeper telling me AC power was lost and I was
set. An inverter might be cheaper if bought new, but I had an extra UPS
that used 12 volts internally (some series connect their batteries and use
a higher DC voltage internally, these won't work in the car).

One advantage of using a UPS instead of just an inverter is that the
power is typically better conditioned and isolated from the vehicle
electrical system. That can be important if you're powering an expensive
laptop.

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Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

4829. Yaseu FT-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickmudd <rickmudd@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6e0d$d14f5a00$dc79a3ce@rickmudd>
Source record: 173984

I am looking for the manuals and any accessories that might be available
for this radio. Reply to rickmudd@teleport.com

4830. FS: Kenwood TS-950SD HF Transciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6e0e$3866f400$ba50b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 173985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Kenwood TS-950SD in excellent condition with original box, mic, and manual. It is the "D" model with the DSP unit and loaded with filters. $1890.

E-mail me at nu6x@sedona.net or call 520-284-6848.

Thanks Mark NU6X

4831. Re: FT50,ICT7A,ICW32A advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531221500.SAA04184@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173986

Get the FT-50. It can NOT do full duplex but it does have a "VDUP" mode
that receives one band and automaticaly transmitting on the other (half
duplex split band). This is about all you need from an HT. Its your
chioce.
All things considered, the 50 is best for the buck. Check the manuals of
these rigs for feature compareisions. ALLWAYS compare rig, accessories,
price and tax or shipping.
Kind Conversation 4 Serious Radio Nut
KC4SRN

4832. Re: Kachina Communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com>
Message-ID: <339001D6.44@mcipnet.com>
Source record: 173987

Hi All,

I just want to add a few words about Kachina Communications and my dealings with them. Last winter I found at a HamFest a Kachina KC-1 which is a 6 and 10 meter transceiver made in 1975. The radio is fully solid state USB and LSB and AM had a noise blanker and push-pull out stage that should deliver about 70 watts. I was very inpressed by the workmanship that went into the radio. It looked like a radio that was way ahead of its time. It took me awhile to find the company but once I did it has been very refreshing to work with them. I needed a manual because the transmitter wasn't working. When I send them E-mail I was sure that I would get a canned answer back telling me that because of the age of the radio they had no info on it but instead the message came back tell me the history of the radio and where did I want the manual sent. No comments about money or a minimum charge. They made about 100 of these radios and at this time they only know of about 6 that are still around. I was told that if I had any more questions or needed more help please do not hesitate to give them a call and that my message would be forwarded to the President of the Company who origanally had designed it.

So here is a company that I have not spent one red cent on giving me more help than companys that I had spent thousands with.

I have no doubt that their new radio is again way ahead of its time and I also have no doubt that it is made with the highest level of workmanship.

I am looking forward to seeing and hearing the new radio on the air and who knows one of these days instead of everybody saying:

" I am running a Rice Box radio"

maybe they will be saying:

" I am running an all US made station here a
"Kachina radio" driven by an my multi-processor
PPP+++ "Gateway Computer".

Enjoy,

WA0KDS/7 RON

PS: I do not work for Kachina and am not getting paided by them for the comments that I am making here.

4833. For sale: Yaseu FT-2400H 2 meter transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531222900.SAA05375@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173988

I have a Yaesu FT-2400H 2 metre transceiver for sale. Included with it are the following; DC cable, packet cable, mobile bracket, MH-27 DTMF microphone, manual, service manual, reviews and original box. I just got it back from Yaesu and it meets all factory specs (receipt included). There are a few scratches but nothing bad; the display is mint. It has only been used a few times mobile, just for public service events. It puts out 50, 25 or 5 watts. This rig still has some of the best specs ever for a 2 metre. It is virtually intermod proof.
I am asking $235.00 for the above which includes shipping.

73 Zack Schindler, N8FNR, 413 Vester, Ferndale, MI 48220-1955
Phone 810-541-1740

4834. F.S. Yaseu FT-2400H 2 meter transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531222900.SAA05439@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173989

I have a Yaesu FT-2400H 2 metre transceiver for sale. Included with it are the following; DC cable, packet cable, mobile bracket, MH-27 DTMF microphone, manual, service manual, reviews and original box. I just got it back from Yaesu and it meets all factory specs (receipt included). There are a few scratches but nothing bad; the display is mint. It has only been used a few times mobile, just for public service events. It puts out 50, 25 or 5 watts. This rig still has some of the best specs ever for a 2 metre. It is virtually intermod proof.
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4835. MOTO Mike Pinout???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5doc@dxnet.com
Message-ID: <3390921c.23948014@news.dxnet.com>
Source record: 173990

HELP!!

I just picked-up a really clean Motorola HMN1010A Microphone,
mobile type WITH *Touchtone....

***Do you have the pin-out/connection data for the Mike Jack
(telephone modular type)??

Thank you!

Any help will be greatly appreciated!

WA6IGJ

5doc@dxnet.com Please remove "5" from my email address to respond!

4836. FT-3000M cell mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531223200.SAA05719@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173991

Is there a mod to enable cellular reception on the Yaesu FT-3000? Any info will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

4837. Yaesu FT-3000M Cellular Reception Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531223300.SAA05774@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173992

Is there a mod to enable cellular reception on the Yaesu FT-3000? Any info will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

4838. Cellular reception mod for Yaesu FT-3000M?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531223400.SAA05812@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173993

Is there a mod to enable cellular reception on the Yaesu FT-3000? Any info will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

4839. Manual Wanted for Icom IC-730

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold L Snyder <haroldx@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5mq9ja$heu@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173994

I recently bought a second hand IC-730 rig. Although the previous owner showed me how to run it,
I would feel more comforable if I had a copy of the operating manual.

I would appreciate any info about sources for this. I am willing to pay a reasonable fee for a
copy.

Please respond via e-mail.

-Harold
WD5KCA
haroldx@ix.netcom.com

4840. Need Heath AR-3 Manual,Part

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mlicht103@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531225901.SAA08049@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173995

I just acquired a Heath AR-3 rcvr and am in need of a manual or a copy of one. I also need the plastic dial piece for the bandspread control. Please respond to mlicht103@aol.com. Appreciate any help. Mike KF6KXG

4841. IC-T22A Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: a <hawkke@inow.com>
Message-ID: <3390B1BC.52D8@inow.com>
Source record: 173996

Anyone have any mods for the Icom IC-T22A 2m handheld? Or know a mods website or packet bbs that has mods for this radio. I've already searched these sites and found nothing:
http://members.aol.com/bucherj/mods.html
http://www.qsl.net/k7on/radmods.htm
http://hamster.ivey.uwo.ca/mods/
ftp://ftp.qrz.com/mods/

4842. RE : ADMS-2 Windows Software...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "SuperBrad.god" <superdude@ufo.org>
Message-ID: <01bc6e16$d7b795c0$bbfa41ce@default>
Source record: 173997

Will someone plaese post a copy of the ADMS-2C Windows Programming Software
for the Yaesu F-8500 Dual Bander...

4843. Charging a gel cell battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Walker <SciCon@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3390DA8D.40AA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173998

I have a 12v gel cell rated at 17.2Ah, and I have the usual questions about charging.

Here are the specs:

cyclic 14.4 - 15.0v 4.3A Max
standby 13.5 - 13.8v no limit

Now I'll eventually build some sort of smart trickle charger for the battery, but in the mean time with Field Day coming up, I just want a utilitarian way to charge the battery.

Can I use my car battery charger? It's rated at 6 amps. Will that overheat the battery too much?

I have a charger that came with a 12v 4Ah battery used for starting model airplanes rated at 12v 500ma. Can I use that?

Can I use my HT overnight charger rated at 12v and 100ma?

Thanks for any advice

73 de KE6LBX

4844. FS:Icom IC-2SAT HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <74551.2354@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <5mqlvl$13h4$3@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 173999

For Sale:

Icom IC-2SAT 2 meter HT in very good condition.

Includes the following:
Internal 300mah battery
External 1000mah battery
HM-46 hand mike
Icom wall charger
Icom car lighter plug

$175 shipped to you in the CONUS. Email reply.

Tx and 73,

Jim KB2YWS

4845. FS:Icom BC-72 Desk Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Porter <74551.2354@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <5mqm1k$13nc$1@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 174000

For Sale:

Icom BC-72 Desk Charger for SAT/W2A series Icom
battery packs, including BP-81, 82, 83, and 84.

$75 shipped to you in CONUS.

Tx and 73,

Jim KB2YWS

4846. Alinco DJ-S41 Mods and Cell Frequencies on 460 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mirarainee, Tribal Priestess" <lraymond@sisna.com>
Message-ID: <3390DB77.6A1E@sisna.com>
Source record: 174001

I own a DJ-S41, and read that it is modifiable for expanded operation, basically from 400-500 MHz. Does anyone know what the mod is and how to do it? I want the expanded reception.

Also, I own a Radio Shack PRO-2044 scanner, which picks up several cell phone tower frequencies in the 463-MHz range. This scanner does not have 800-MHz reception capability, and it is a triple-conversion receiver. Does anyone know how it can pick up cell towers this way?

Thanks
Mike KC7RHR

4847. Last comment about Ham Radio Outlet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3390F116.37C7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174002

Ok, I've read all the replies to my statements about the quality of service I've encountered at Ham Radio Outlet. Here's my last statement. From what I can tell, the real problem for HRO is their Sunnyvale, California store. Almost all the negative replies I received were either about their Burlingame store or the Sunnyvale store. The funny thing being they closed their Burlingame store and moved it to Sunnyvale so obviously they took the bad help with them. I only heard a bad review about one other store back east. Other than that it was all good, except for the Sunnyvale location. Since the Sunnyvale location is the one I was speaking of, I feel vindicated. The good majority (75% roughly) of the replies specifically about the Sunnyvale store were supporting my position.

Overall I just wanted to see if I was alone in my opinions. I found I wasn't alone and for the most part I was engaged in good quality debate about my opinions. Of course there were the expected small minded childish replies, they didn't get in the way fortunately.

Talk to you later... KD6BYC

4848. Ham Radio Outlet one last time...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3390EF95.24B2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174003

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Talk to you later... KD6BYC

4849. Re: FT290R or 290R Mark II for sale?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <338FBB3E.23FA@icss.net>
Source record: 174004

Gary, are you just curious, or are you interested in a MKII? Brian

4850. IC-48A Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3390A49B.3A81@icss.net>
Source record: 174005

I need the manual with schematics for the IC-48A (440 mobile). Let me know what you've got.
Thanks,
Brian/N0iMD

4851. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: griffin@jgfl1.allcon.com
Message-ID: <EB1FEM.23H@jgfl1.allcon.com>
Source record: 174006

Marco S Hyman (marc@dumbcat.codewright.com) wrote:
> Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
> most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
> prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
> buy things?

Must have:
- TX/RX
- Antennas
- Power supply
- Tools

Should have:
- UPS
- Backup equipment

Just my $.02,
73, Jens, DB9LL
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Disclaimer: Not only do I speak for myself; I am myself.

4852. Re: New 2 piece N connectors.. any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <338f8713.51564767@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174073

On 29 May 1997 23:20:19 GMT, "Rick Pemble" <pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>The 2 piece N connector relies on a soldered connection to the braided
>shield just like the PL-259. I have two problems with that. 1) to heat
>the back shell to the temps needed to effectively solder the braid, it is
>almost inevitable to melt the dialectric. 2) the mechanical connection of
>the classical N used the torque of the backshell to hold the connector and
>the co-ax together. with the two piece, the solder joints constitute the
>only mechanical hold. and it isn't much!
>
>I have used several 2 piece connectors recently because it was all I could
>get. They work -- but I heavily taped the backshell to the coax to keep
>the connector from twisting free.

My favorite N connector is the Kings crimp connector. No soldering at all,
but a good strong gas tight crimp connection makes the connection rugged
and reliable (NASA approved for aerospace use). You do need to buy the
(expensive) crimp tool, but that's a once in a lifetime purchase and all your
connector woes will be over. I also use the Kings BNC and PL259 connectors.
Out of the thousands of Kings connectors we use in our plant, there has only
been one failure, and that was because some idiot was too lazy to walk to the
shop for the crimp tool and tried to put the connector on with gas pliers.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

4853. Looking for old keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: fumi kobayashi <fumikobayashi@ppp01.infopepper.or.jp>
Message-ID: <01bc6d70$7054c660$0100007f@guest>
Source record: 174074

Looking for old keys any type any condition. If you have and can please e
mail me with price and type.
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Fumitaka Kobayashi fumikobayashi@ppp01.infopepper.or.jp
My telegraphkeys Home Page URL is
club.infopepper.or.jp/~fumikobayashi/

4854. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <sharon@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6d79$6b7177c0$55a745cf@saratoga>
Source record: 174075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Chad,

I also have a 96 Blazer and have had the same problems except mine drained down with just a cell phone on all night. The Chevy folks (the now neutered Mr. Goodwrench) told me that the on board computers that are standard with the truck, along with the keyless entry system, are enough to drain the system over a long weekend. Surprise, Surprise. I have not followed up in the past month or so but your post has just prodded me back to remembering the problem. I will follow up with you as I find anything.

Mark Bryant

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> wrote in article <01bc6cf1$d0dd1840$594e99ce@chadj>...
> I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
> alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
> it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
> "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
> morning.
>
> The mechanic was telling me that the vehicle's battery is rated for a 20 ma
> (that's 0.020 amps!!!) draw, and anything over that is beyond it's rating.
> Excuse me, but I should be able to leave my vehicle sit for a MONTH with a
> tiny little draw like that -- and then when I go to start it, it should
>
> Any and ALL information will be greatly welcomed. Please email me with
> your responses, in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.
>
> 73 and thanks!
>
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
>

4855. Re: Icom T-22 airband rx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: wr1q@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <5mnrpa$dr2$1@kayrad.ziplink.net>
Source record: 174076

I have a T22A and there's no mention in the manual about the ability to receive aircraft signals which I believe are AM. The unit only receives FM. To enable wideband recieve press the # and B keys while turning then power switch on.

In article <19970530222600.SAA17500@ladder02.news.aol.com>, kg0xp@aol.com says...
>
>I need to know how to program the T-22A to receive the airband
>frequencies.
>Does anyone have the information?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Ken, KG0XP

4856. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <865059502snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174077

In article <5mndjf$kao@snews5.zippo.com>
Reporter@sparc1.castles.com "Gary - KJ6Q" writes:

> SORRY CHARLIE.... But no matter *HOW* you slice it, 1.5 - 2 db is for all
> intents IMPERCEPTIBLE, and authorities far more knowledgable than you or
> I have long since demonstrated that *3 db* is the SMALLEST change in
> level discernable to the human ear

It's my recollection is that it was 1dB, not 3dB, that has been
demonstrated as the smallest discernable change in sound level.

Does anyone have a citation of who really made such a test and the
result that were obtained?

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

4857. HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: enboe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531072001.DAA04943@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174078

Does anyone know if the HTX204 meets FCC spectral requirements when used on the Family Radio Service frequencies? This would be useful to me as I'm the only living ham in the family. Also, if the radio meets the spectral requirements but has not been type accepted for that application, is it still legal to use? Lastly, does anyone have a listing of the specific 14 frequencies used for FRS? Thanks for any info.

Eric (ENBOE@aol.com) (K0AVW)

4858. WTB: Kenwood SM-230 Station Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Herb Rosenberg <rosenbeh@netsoft.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6d87$849fa9c0$010200c0@rosenbeh.netsoft.com>
Source record: 174079

I am looking to buy a Kenwood SM-230 Station Monitor. It appears that these have been discontinued by Kenwood, and I didn't realize that. I am looking for one in perfect condition, or brand new.

If you have one, or know where I can get one, please let me know.

Thanks and 73's.

Herb - KG6OK

4859. GE ceramic planar triodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: drussell@idirect.com
Message-ID: <338F88E9.7EEA@idirect.com>
Source record: 174080

I am looking for technical information (characteristic curves,

specifications, mechanical drawings, application notes, etc) for the

familly of ceramic planar triodes made by GE. Some example type numbers

are : 7296 7462 7588 7625 8081 8082 8083

Any other information would also be appreciated, thanks in advance.

73

david, VE3 VDO

4860. NEED MANUAL 4 AIWA TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fredrik Hedman <terra@terrakonsult.se>
Message-ID: <01bc6dab$d66c7ac0$10a3b0c0@EnatorNetworks>
Source record: 174081
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.cellular-phone-tech,sci.electronics.misc,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Hi

Need a manual operators and maintenance manual
for an AIWA VX-T1000 Mk II SH 14" Television

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Fredrik Hedman

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Getbergsv&#65533;gen 3
S-931 39 SKELLEFTE&#65533;
SWEDEN
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Fax: +46 (0)910-77 96 85

E-Mail: terra@terrakonsult.se

4861. ISO Battery for Kenwood TH-215A Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mthule@primus.paranoia.com
Message-ID: <5movoa$6dq$1@news2.digex.net>
Source record: 174082

I have a KenwoodVHF FM Transceiver Model TH-215A and need a new NiCad battery. The one I have is a model PB-2, also made by Kenwood, but I have had no luck in finding a replacement. If anyone can help me, please respond via email. Thanks!

Love & Kisses,
-mthule

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-(This .signature is currently out of service)-

4862. FT-5100 packet hookup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <33901504.6558@mindspring.com>
Source record: 174083

Does anyone realy know how to hook a tnc to the Yaesu FT5100. I have heard to use the front Mic jack and others say use the rear data jack. I want to hookup a 12 baud TNC and would prefer to use the Mic connector if it doesn't matter.
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Bill WA8INZ

4863. Kenwood TM-V7A MUTE???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken@seemessage.com
Message-ID: <ken-3105970813390001@nas-nh1-04.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174084

I purchased a Kenwood TM-V7A 2m/440 mobile radio, and very much love it, EXCEPT for the fact that, unless it's cockpit error on my part, that I discovered it has no MUTE function. On some radios, even other Kenwoods, there is a MUTE function, so if the memory on the active band is busy, when the memory on the other band becomes busy, it will be muted so it won't interfere, until the active band becomes silent, at which point the other band can be easily heard. I sure miss that MUTE function on this radio.

So, any ideas? What can I (we) do? Is there a MUTE function and I just missed it? If there's NOT a MUTE function, can one be added? Is there a mod or something that would allow such a change? One would hope that a MUTE function could be added by making a change to the ROM, maybe adding another MENU function? Any MUTE ideas appreciated.

Thanks...

Ken

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My real email address is "ken@wino***grad.com". Actually, just omit the asterisks from the address and that's it. Sorry for the mess, but I'm trying limit any junk mail that often results from public posts.

4864. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmaass@freenet.columbus.oh.us
Message-ID: <5mp4lb$p2t@login.freenet.columbus.oh.us>
Source record: 174085

Anthony R. Gold (tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk) wrote:
: In article <5mndjf$kao@snews5.zippo.com>
: Reporter@sparc1.castles.com "Gary - KJ6Q" writes:

: > SORRY CHARLIE.... But no matter *HOW* you slice it, 1.5 - 2 db is for all
: > intents IMPERCEPTIBLE, and authorities far more knowledgable than you or
: > I have long since demonstrated that *3 db* is the SMALLEST change in
: > level discernable to the human ear

: It's my recollection is that it was 1dB, not 3dB, that has been
: demonstrated as the smallest discernable change in sound level.

: Does anyone have a citation of who really made such a test and the
: result that were obtained?

Audio dB and signal-level dB are different things. What the "smallest (dB)
level discernable to the human ear" is extraneous to the present
discussion, since the human ear cannot hear RF.

If your signal is 1.0 dB below the exiting QRN/QRM noise level at the
receiver, a 1.5 dB signal gain will make *ALL* the difference in being heard!

73,
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Jeff Maass (jmaass@freenet.columbus.oh.us) Amateur Radio K8ND
USPSA/IPSC # L-1192 NROI/CRO NW of Columbus Ohio
25000 Members in 2000!

4865. Re: WTB: Kenwood SM-230 Station Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chuck (Jack) Hawley" <c-hawley@uiuc.edu>
Message-ID: <33901852.6D16@uiuc.edu>
Source record: 174086

Herb Rosenberg wrote:
>
> I am looking to buy a Kenwood SM-230 Station Monitor. It appears that
> these have been discontinued by Kenwood, and I didn't realize that. I am
> looking for one in perfect condition, or brand new.
>
> If you have one, or know where I can get one, please let me know.
>
> Thanks and 73's.
>
> Herb - KG6OK

Michigan Radio in Detroit had them at Dayton for $899. I don't know
their phone no. though.
I just bought a used like new one for $500.

Chuck, KE9UW

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Charles (Jack) Hawley Jr.
Amateur Radio: Chuck, KE9UW
BMW Motorcycles: Jack, BMWMOA #224
c-hawley@uiuc.edu
Sr. Research Engineer Emeritus
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

4866. Re: Value of FT-990AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33902471.24CB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174087

WmLB@prefer.net wrote:
>
> I am thinking about buying the new FT-920 and selling my FT-990.
SNIP SNIP
> Anyways.. I need to try to figure out what a reasonable value is for the 990 now. So whatdaya think a reasonable asking price might be?

WmLB -- Good Morning from San Diego. -- Might try this -- Go to Da Ja
News at URL:
http://www.dejanews.com/
Search for FT-990 or Yaesu FT-990 (both current and old posts). Several FT-990's will appear -- saw one for $1300 or so.

73
Rod
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4867. Re: Need info on Manassas hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3390257C.3D07@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174088

mirage1@mailhost.epix.net wrote:
>
> I need location talk in freq and ph# would be nice
> for the Manassas hamfest on the first.
> Thanx
> Doug

Howdy Doug
Go to the "INDEX" below -- click on Hamfests. This will take you to the
ARRL Page for Hamfests. The Manassas Hamfest info is there.

73
Rod in San Diego

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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4868. Kenwood TS-140S Filter & IF-10C pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Marsh <kb2sgm@juno.com>
Message-ID: <33908B5A.3D3D@juno.com>
Source record: 174089

Hi everyone,

I need to find pinout for the 6 pin DIN connector on an IF-10C serial interface. It's installed in a TS-140S, but I didn't get any documentation for the interface.

I'm also looking for either a YK-455C-1 or YG-455C-1 500 Hz CW filter for the TS-140. I was buying one, but the deal fell through. Please reply to me at <bmarsh@hicom.net>.

tnx es 73 de Bob/KB2SGM

4869. Kenwood TS-530SP informat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: don.phelps@infoway.com
Message-ID: <865086723@infoway.com>
Source record: 174090

As> Am seeking information on the Kenwood TS-530SP (Serial No. 6030076)

As> I'm a newbie ham (Tech Plus, KC7WDC),

Congratulations on getting your first license with cw exam.
Welcome to cw on 40.

and am interested
As> in finding out more about the new radio on my desk.
As> I would appreciate any guidance you might have as to
As> where I might find:

Since you have internet access, you have a wealth of info at
your fingertips.
With your e-mail, send to
info@arrl.org
in the body put
Index
Info
Help
Quit

I forget exactly how one is supposed to do that, but that is enough
to get you started. You will get an index from which you can get
the bibliography for your rig. Then you will need a source of QSTs,
such as public library and your local amateur radio club.

Do you have web access?

As> a service manual
As> a copy of the QST review of this rig
As> when this model was in production
As> what the original retail price was
As> what the HAM community views are on this rig
As> any text or discussions of specific operating/maintenance issues with
As> this rig

As> Thank you for your time.
As> I'll soon be operating in CW on 40m, evenings, Reno, Nevada

Hope to hear you on the air soon.
73, Don n6mce
You are welcome to web to my home page for leads...

... don.phelps@juno.com www.qsl.net/n6mce POB 9739 San Rafael,CA94912-9739
___ Blue Wave/386 v2.30 [NR]

4870. WANTED-COLLINS MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: swoodwar@fix.net
Message-ID: <5mpbb4hju1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 174091

Looking for a manual for the Collins 62S1 Transverter.
Any info helpful. Thanks
W7AZF
swoodwar@fix.net

4871. Re: Icom software/cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <339036ab.2260493@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 174092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 30 May 1997 18:09:50 -0700, "Christopher C. Sigsbee"
<rpenguin@cdsnet.net> wrote:

>I'm looking for info on the software & cable for the IC-T7A. I
>understand there is logic in the cable connector shell--any schematic
>available for this? Can programming be done from a "dumb terminal"
>package? Any help appreciated!
>-73's
> Chris
> N4LYP/7
The DOS version of the T7A software is about $ 12.00 and ICOM will now
furnish a schematic of the cable for the asking. RT Systems has a
nice windows version and they include the cable for about the same
cost as the program and $ 48.00 cable from ICOM.
No information has been released on the actual protocol the T7A
requires so using a dumb terminal is doubtful.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

4872. VHF MARCONI MARCOM V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Lapointe <dclapointe@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6dcd$80c2bae0$69db60cf@datatrig>
Source record: 174093

CAN SOME ONE HELP ME.
I HAVE THIS RADIO AND I WOULD LIKE TO PROGRAM IT FOR 2 METER USE. THIS
RADIO HAS A 2732 EPROM FOR FREQUENCY PROGRAMMING AND I HAVE ALL THE
FACILITY FOR PROGRAMMING THIS EPROM BUT I NEED TO KNOW THE WAY THAT THE
INFORMATION IS BEING BURNED IN THE EPROM
I WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE TO HAVE THIS INFORMATION
VE2 FJ
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Denis Lapointe
dclapointe@videotron.ca

4873. Help for the 706 MKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fernando Robalo <frobalo@mail.telepac.pt>
Message-ID: <01bc6dcf$3d958c00$1af241c2@host.telepac.pt>
Source record: 174094

Hi

I want to buy a new rig for my station, perhaps the new one 706 MKII, i
would to like if possible, to get some oppinions about the rig.
Are there improved differences betwwen the old 706 ???, the 2 mts (in SSB)
work well ??? how is it the sensitivy and selectivity in HF ???

Thanks in advance and 73's
Fernando Robalo
CT1FNO

4874. FS: Sure 444T, Kenwood YK88C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: t-ranch@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <3392466f.1953517@nntp.humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174095

Sure 444T desk mic with preamplifier. The preamp is generally not needed and but is adjustable and can be left in the lowest gain setting. Excellent shape, clean audio. $45 + UPS

Kenwood YK88C 500 hz cw filter for TS-120S, TS-130S, TS-430S & TS-830S, $50

Randy Tomer, W6RA

4875. Icom 775DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5ua@net-connect.net
Message-ID: <5move7$s77$1@news.net-connect.net>
Source record: 174096

FS: Icom 775DSP, serial 1779, six months old, mint condition, no blemishes. $2800, buyer pays shipping.

Charles, K5UA
reply to k5ua@net-connect.net

4876. Want PC Control Software for IC-821 and IC-756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph M Zawodny <zawodny@exis.net>
Message-ID: <33904A29.132F@exis.net>
Source record: 174097

Hi,

I'd like to run my rigs, IC-821 & IC-756, from my PC.
I have the CT-17 & cables, but no software. I am surprized
that the Icom HomePage does not have any to download. Does
anyone know where I can find some programs?

TIA,

KO4LW
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Joseph M. Zawodny http://wwwp.exis.net/~zawodny
zawodny@exis.net

4877. PROGRAMMING A MARCONI MARCOM V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Denis Lapointe <dclapointe@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6dd0$1e639880$69db60cf@datatrig>
Source record: 174098

CAN SOME HELP ME IN TELLING ME THE WAY THAT FREQUENCIES ARE BURNED IN THE
EPROM(2732) FOR A MARCONI MARCOM V
MANY THANKS VE2 FJ
Denis Lapointe
dclapointe@videotron.ca

4878. Quick Battery Charger Necessary?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Allen <daniel@gil.net>
Message-ID: <33904D02.44A@gil.net>
Source record: 174099

I am looking for my first HT (used) and I am wondering if I should get a package that includes a quick battery charger. It seems to me that as long as I have two batteries, I can always have one available even with the slow charger that comes with HTs. Is this true? If it is, then are quick battery chargers just luxury items? Thank you.

4879. FS: Dentron Clipperton L

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Fairclough <wfairclo@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc6ddc$1618fba0$a85ab5cf@wfairclo.netcom.ca>
Source record: 174100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Dentron Clipperton L amplifier in real nice condition. 160-10 meters.
Manual included. $500.00 (US) plus shipping.

Thanks for reading.

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Walter Fairclough
Manotick, Ontario
wfairclo@netcom.ca

4880. Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Corteville <cortevi5@pilot.msu.edu>
Message-ID: <339057CC.2880@pilot.msu.edu>
Source record: 174101
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I was wondering if anybody had experience with using power inverters in a mobile installation? I used a "Power-to-go" 140 watt continuous power inverter to power my Toshiba 425CDS laptop for GPS and APRS use while on a roadtrip a few weeks ago. On my way home, the alternator in my 1990 GMC Safari seized up and stopped turning. The belt was just moving over the alternator and making a hideous noise. I was wondering if running my power inverter almost constantly on that trip might have played a hand in this situation? Or was it just coincidence that this would happen on a 7 year old vehicle with 100,000+ miles. I was also using my Kenwood 733A mobile rig on high power a few times, but not very often.

The Toshiba laptops have built-in power supplies and therefore need 110V AC. Too bad Toshiba didn't leave a 12V DC port on the outside of the case. That would have made it more mobile-friendly.

73's DE KB8WFV

4881. Re: Need info on Manassas hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5mpkjalls1@nw001.infi.net>
Source record: 174102

>
>I need location talk in freq and ph# would be nice
>for the Manassas hamfest on the first.
>
The Hamfest will be held on Sunday, June 1st from 8:00AM til 4PM. The
hamfest will be held at the Prince William Co. Fairgrounds.

Contact person is Jack, N4YIC 703-335-9139.
(commercial vendors)

Also Mary Blasdell, KB4EFP, 703-369-2877.

Directions- Take I66 to Rt. 634. Go South on 634 to the Fairgrounds.

Talk-in- 146.97 and 224.66.

I am assuming you are talking about the Manasses, VIRGINIA hamfest and
not a Manasses, elsewhere??? I am planning on going depending on what
the weather looks like.

73
Andy
WD4KDN

4882. FS: Realistic PRO-2021 base scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: t-ranch@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <33934c9c.3534808@nntp.humboldt1.com>
Source record: 174103

Sure 444-T preamplified desk microphone $40

Kenwood CW filter for TS120, TS130, TS430 & TS830
transceivers, model YK88C, 500 hz. $50

Realistic PRO-2021 base scanner

Full sized base scanner with excellent audio.
Has steel case, covers to 512 Mhz.
Built-in AC supply + 12v dc input.
Tape output jack.
Can be used mobile.
The LCD display light is dim, otherwise the
unit works perfectly.

$75 + UPS
Randy Tomer

4883. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A MUTE???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5mplvs$hkb@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 174104

You are right there is no mute as hard as that is to believe!

Kenwood left it out! For what reason I dont know. But the usual reason is
to reintroduce it as a new feature on a later model radio. New mute!

The best work around is to use the mike remote control and vary the volume
that way. It works well.

The mile can do lots of things like vary the squelch etc.

Its an otherwise great radio.

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: EXCEPT for the fact that, unless it's cockpit error on my part, that I
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: there is a MUTE function, so if the memory on the active band is busy,
: when the memory on the other band becomes busy, it will be muted so it won't
: interfere, until the active band becomes silent, at which point the other
: band can be easily heard. I sure miss that MUTE function on this radio.

: So, any ideas? What can I (we) do? Is there a MUTE function and I just missed
: it? If there's NOT a MUTE function, can one be added? Is there a mod or
: something that would allow such a change? One would hope that a MUTE function
: could be added by making a change to the ROM, maybe adding another MENU
: function? Any MUTE ideas appreciated.

: Thanks...

: Ken

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: My real email address is "ken@wino***grad.com". Actually, just omit
: the asterisks from the address and that's it. Sorry for the mess, but
: I'm trying limit any junk mail that often results from public posts.

4884. Re: FT-5100 packet hookup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531173801.NAA09250@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174105

It's easier to use the back 3-pole stero type plug. It's s cheaper plug
too. You then have fixed volume out. Use the 5100's recomended resistor
(PTT to Audio out on TNC) to "pull" the PTT.
This way you can still use the rig's hand held mic. You may want to unplug
it (hand mic) during packet so it doesn't pick up room noise.

the Serious Radio Nut KC4SRN

4885. YAESU EDC-12, INTEL 90mhz MB PCI, MORE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531173900.NAA09340@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174106

YAESU EDC-12 Cigar adapter/noise filter/voltage regulator/fuse/batt clip/trickle charging/fits FT-11/41 & FT-51. New in box. $39 *SHIPPED* US.

YASEU CSC-67 Soft case for FT-51, FNB-31 small battery. Has open flap at bottom for larger batt and for above EDC-12 connection (without removing this protective case). $20 *SHIPPED* US.

14.4KBPS internal modem $29 *SHIPPED* US.

INTEL PENTIUM 90mhz MB, CPU with PCI, FAN and Y-connector. Compleate INTEL manual $169 *SHIPPED* US.

PCI SVGA card $39 *shipped*

If you prefer COD, add $20

4886. FT50,ICT7A,ICW32A advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: igothiccup@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531174800.NAA10132@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174107

I'm looking to buy a handheld transciever to use with my mobile and I would like to be able to talk "full duplex" between them. I know this is possible if I go with the ICW32A from Icom, but what about the ICT7A, or Yaesu's FT50RD? Can either of those radios transmitt on one band while simultaneously receiving on the other? I really like the FT50 for it's size and wide receive range. Does anyone know if the ICW32A's receive can be expanded or not?
Thanks in advance! Aaron KC7LYF

4887. Cherokee 6-metre HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstefani@mnsi.net
Message-ID: <339000ac.127179982@snews.mnsi.net>
Source record: 174108

Thanks to all who e-mailed me or posted in this newsgroup on the Cherokee 6-metre HT. In summary, it sounds like an inexpensive way to get a portable 6-m station going... but those preset 500/1.0Mhz splits may haunt some later day.

73...de VE3TIZ

4888. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5mpi8i$gmf@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 174109

jmaass@freenet.columbus.oh.us (Jeffrey Maass) wrote:
>Anthony R. Gold (tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk) wrote:
>: In article <5mndjf$kao@snews5.zippo.com>
>: Reporter@sparc1.castles.com "Gary - KJ6Q" writes:
>
>: > SORRY CHARLIE.... But no matter *HOW* you slice it, 1.5 - 2 db is for all
>: > intents IMPERCEPTIBLE,

<SNIP>

>If your signal is 1.0 dB below the exiting QRN/QRM noise level at the
>receiver, a 1.5 dB signal gain will make *ALL* the difference in being heard!
>
>73,

YEAH, SURE, happens *ALL THE TIME* :-)

AND, the pursuit of that last 1db is sufficient reason to push our
equipment right to the wall to obtain it, regardless of the vastly
unnecessary wear and tear it creates to that equipment. The "brute force"
method of operation common to bands like 20 meters is what makes that
band such a joy to operate for the "ordinary" ham, and we haven't even
BEGUN to address the issue of spurious emissions and splatter to the
adjacent frequencies caused in this foolish effort to squeeze the last
possible gasp from that amp.... While another ham further down the band
is working the same country using *QRP!*

PARTY on dudes - and be *SURE* you get the last POSSIBLE watt out of that
amp....

>--
>Jeff Maass (jmaass@freenet.columbus.oh.us) Amateur Radio K8ND
> USPSA/IPSC # L-1192 NROI/CRO NW of Columbus Ohio
> 25000 Members in 2000!

--
Gary..KJ6Q.. 2nd AMENDMENT: THE ONLY ONE WITH TEETH!
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MYTH OF THE 90's: "Today's retirees are "wealthy", and
neither need or deserve Social Security"! Problem is,
no one claiming this has ever had the guts to personally
state his dollar definition of "wealth"... OR actual
stats on how many retirees really fit that definition...
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4889. WANTED - 32V3 any condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: trouts1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531182600.OAA13578@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174110

Looking for a 32V3 in any condition
N1RBM
davidk@artax.webo.dg.com
trouts1@aol.com

4890. UNIDEN HR-2510, CHIPSWITCH, MRF-477 finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pisstank@mail.onlink.net
Message-ID: <33904a33.1879779@news.onlink.net>
Source record: 174111

FOR SALE...

Uniden HR-2510
NINT CONDITION, NOT A SCRATCH
non-smoker
Motorola MRF-477 finals
chipswitch mod (transmits 24.8-29.9)

REASONABLE..

e-mail me for more information

Jordan.. VA3DBI

4891. LOOKING FOR ICOM DUAL-BAND HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pisstank@mail.onlink.net
Message-ID: <33904b0b.2096043@news.onlink.net>
Source record: 174112

hello

im looking for an ICOM dual band HT

with manuals and box

e-mail me..

4892. Radio/Elec. Eq. F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ej.mars@lagn.com
Message-ID: <77711464@lagn.com>
Source record: 174113

I have the following Radio, Electronic, and Computer equipment for sale or willing to trade up or down. Please reply to My email address if interested or have questions about specific items. Reasonable offers will be considered. All working last time tested unless noted.

Thanks
EJ (ej.mars@lagn.com)

Kenwood TS-820S - Ditigal Ham Transceiver 120-10 meters. Looks and works good. 100W output. Can be converted to 11 meters. $400

Tempo-1- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. Looks and works good. 100W output. Can be converted to 11 meters. $275

Siltronix 1011C- 10 meter and CB AM or SSB Transceiver. Looks and works good except the S-Meter is not working.250-300W PEP output on SSB. $250.

Siltronix VFO Model 80. $75

Heathkit Hw-101- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. Receives, but does not transmit. $100.

Heathkit SB-102- Tube type Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply 80-10 meters. No Receives or transmit. $100.

Heathkit SB-110- Tube type 6 Meter Ham Transceiver/with Power Supply. No Receives or transmit. $100.

Yaesu FRG-7 Solid State General Coverage Short wave Receiver. Looks and works Great, except the Power Switch has the tip broken off.but still working OK. $250

National Two/Seventy Ham Receiver with 6 Meters. All Tube with matching speaker $250.

Pearce Simpson, Guardian 23- All tube CB Transceiver/with mobil power cord and mounting bracket. Looks and works Good. $200.

Lafayette, Constat 25- All tube CB Transceiver. Have two. One is working the other for Parts or can be repaired. both for $ 200.

Pal, VFO- 11 meter CB $50.

Traynor, Group Two B- Audio Amp Head. High/ Low mic. in puts. Master volume, volume, bass, treble and tone shaper controls. $150

Sears- 10 channel Crystal Control Table top Scanner. $50
Regency- 10 channel Crystal Control Table top Scanner. Wood case $75

Realistic Pro30- Programable Hand Held 16 Channel scanner. 30-50,108-136, 138-174, 380-512 Mhz. $75

Regency HX2200- Programable Hand Held 20 Channel scanner. 118-950 Mhz including cell. coverage. $100

Craig- 6=94 Reel to Reel Tape Stereo Recorder. $75

AR Inc.- Stereo Amp, all solid state. $150

Heathkit- Model-AA-32 Tube Steteo Amp. $100

Bell Fax Line 1500- Fax and Phone Machine. Was working Great, but stopped working last time I plugged in. $50.

Yashica Eletro 35- 35MM Camera with Telephoto 1:4 , Wide Angle 1:4 and Tele-wide finder lense. $150

Macintosh Plus Computer- Built in Monitor have Keybord, Mouse System Disk and 4 Megs Memory. $200.

286 and 386 Mother boards and Misc Computer Hardware. Controllors, vedio, network cards. Tell me what you need.

4893. YAESU 901DM HF with AC/DC,Tuner, Keyer...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: childoking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531183600.OAA14461@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174114

YAESU 901 DM (deluxe Model) HF 160/80/40/20/15/10a/10b/10c/10d/WWV with 11 meter mod! 100W.
SSB/FM/AM/CW/FSK.
Bright red LED Frequency display.
All solid state plug in modular boards with (2) tube, smooth finals. Tuner and finals match wide range of Antennas.
VOX. Keyer. APF CW filter. SSB notch filters. Noise Blanker. Plugs right in to AC or easy to wire for DC (AC/DC internal). Operation manual included!
Easy connections on back for patch or transverters unit (6m,2m,440).
Save big time because this highly sensitive rig has a built in AC or DC power supply, Tuner, Keyer,VOX, Current meter, SSB and CW filters, 11 mod, and optional transverters. Unbeliveable nice signal and recieve charateristics. After all, it's a YAESU. All for only $429 plus $25 shipping UPS to your front door. If you prefer COD add $49 for shipping.

4894. WTB Timewave DSP-59Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: brufel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970531184000.OAA14758@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174115

This is the Timewave DSP unit that fits into the Yaesu SP-5 speaker

Bruce, K3BF
brufel@aol.com

4895. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5mpppjruo1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 174116

>
>Does anyone know if the HTX204 meets FCC spectral requirements when used
>on the Family Radio Service frequencies? This would be useful to me as
>I'm the only living ham in the family. Also, if the radio meets the
>spectral requirements but has not been type accepted for that
application,
>is it still legal to use? Lastly, does anyone have a listing of the
>specific 14 frequencies used for FRS? Thanks for any info.

Eric, The HTX would NOT be legal to use on the FRS frequencies. One, it
is not FCC type accepted for that application. Second, the FRS units
operate on what is called "splinter" frequencies which are 12.5 khz split
and are between the 7 GMRS repeater pairs most if not all of your
amateur transcievers do not go down to the 100hz frequency resolution
that the FRS units operate on. Thirdly, the FRS units are limited to
3khz deviation, whereas most amateur and commercial two-way units operate
with 5khz deviation.

The FRS frequencies are-

1- 462.5625
2- 462.5875
3- 462.6125
4- 462.6375
5- 462.6625
6- 462.6875
7- 462.7125
8- 467.5625
9- 467.5875
10- 467.6125
11- 467.6375
12- 467.6625
13- 467.6875
14- 467.7125

4896. Hamfest Sunday June 8th - Bethpage, Long Island, NY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Mark Nadel" <mr_ufo@i-2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6df2$07f76be0$abe0e7ce@hmn>
Source record: 174117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.swap

The Long Island Mobile Amateur Radio Club (LIMARC) cordially invites all to our spring 1997 Hamfest located at the New & Enlarged campus of Briarcliffe college at 1055 Stewart Ave. Bethpage, Long Island, NY. Directions to the campus can be obtained by calling the club information line at 516-520-9311 ANYTIME.

Gates open at 7:00 am for seller and 9:00 am for buyers. The cost for sellers is $15.00 per selling place and $6.00 all others. Reservations are NOT required.

There will be a VE session given at the site.

For additional details email Rich Seltzer, N2WJL at n2wjl@juno.com.

4897. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marco S Hyman <marc@dumbcat.codewright.com>
Message-ID: <x7206nv2vj.fsf@dumbcat.codewright.com>
Source record: 174118

I wrote:
> Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
> most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to

This is what I've received via e-mail so far. Any other opinions?

1) Antenna (of course :-)
2) Antenna tuner
3) SWR/Wattmeter
4) Dummy load
5) Headphones
6) Clock
7) Linear

Not mentioned: tape recorder, freq counter, electronic keyer, map, etc.

// marc

4898. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <david084@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33908191.6901@flash.net>
Source record: 174119
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

James O'Brien wrote:
>
> Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP wrote:
> >
> > I used to have good luck with a 5/8 wave "Firestick" top loaded coil
> > type- they've got them as short as 2 ft long, which work very well
> > even at highway speeds with a 6 inch mag mount set- can get both of
> > these at your friendly neighborhood truck stop for a total of about
> > $20! Also works great as a scanner antenna.....but not so hot on 2 M!
> >
> > ck (proud owner of a 94 Trooper)
> >
> > "Peter A. Forkes" <pforkes@pobox.com> wrote:
> >
> > >I'm looking for a CB aerial to mount on my Nissan Pathfinder. The local
> > >installer recommends a $140 Antenna Specialist antenna.
> > >Obviously, since the aerial is the most important part I want to get the
> > >best, but I don't want some huge aerial sticking high up on my car.
> > >What can you suggest?
> > >Peter
> > >
> >
> > Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP KC5EVN, Member, PGBFH
> > remove "nospam*" in the "from" address to reply
> > "Reckless, Hell! I hit jus' where I was aimin'"
> > "Bubba Shot the Jukebox!" Mark Chestnut, 1995
>
> In my opinion nothing beats a 102" stainless steel whip. 16 bucks at
> radio shack.

Shhhh. Dont tell them that its the best antenna you can buy. RS will
be flooded with demands for it and the price will go up.

4899. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinf@sinesurf.co.nz
Message-ID: <3390825c.2838771@news.sinesurf.co.nz>
Source record: 174120

On 28 May 1997 04:25:00 GMT, viper@visi.net (David Whitehurst) wrote:

>I have dealt with the Woodbridge,VA HRO for about 7 years now (nearly all of
>that as an Extra class ham) & spent thousands of $$$$'s there. I can say that
>they r very kind & helpful. But they r just people.
>I try to be understanding of closing times,etc. Usually if a customer treats
>them w/respect, they really try hard. Nevertheless, I have heard a few
>dainbramaged cases needlesly hassling the employees. There is a difference in
>asking info & being a jerk-I know, I've worked in retail for years. I know
>what BOTH sides of the counter r like. Many people cannot say that.
>Many times,either on the phone or in person, they (HRO,VA) have taken time to
>answer MANY questions as honestly as they can. For example. I
>went to HRO one saturday AM (a 4 hour drive 4 me) & was all set to buy
>one dualbander (I believe an icom) & wound up buying a kenwood. Why?
>The salesman was very familier from his own experience with the kenwood & ,
>after hearing of my specific interests for the rig, nailed it down to that
>rig. I have been VERY happy with that purchase! Anyway, it wasn't on sale, nor
>were they pushing that rig. I have been very happy with the service. Just
>remember that HRO (or AES,EEB) is NOT burger king! Ham gear is VERY complex &
>often times hard for ANYONE to answer some questions!
>BTW, I have been talked out of unnecessary purchases more than once!
>Just my 2 cents worth....N4ZGT
>
Just for the record I recently made several purchases from HRO all via
the net. I had excellent service and all e-mail querries were promptly
answered. They were also happy to fill an overseas order. I will
certainly use them again
Robin ZL1RNF

4900. Re: Quick Battery Charger Necessary?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339083CE.59B2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174121

Daniel Allen wrote:
>
> I am looking for my first HT (used) and I am wondering if I should get a package that includes a quick battery charger. It seems to me that as
> long as I have two batteries, I can always have one available even with the slow charger that comes with HTs. Is this true? If it is, then are quick battery chargers just luxury items? Thank you.

Hi Daniel -- you have ventured into the controversial world of NiCad battery charging. Many myths and different opinions will probably come your way.

Having worked at a place (HP) that had to have expertise in that field -- our engineers considered one the best sources to be the 'General Electric Book on NiCads' care and feeding thereof. In fact they designed their charging circuits around GE recommendations.

On the web, I think one of the better sources for information is at URL:
http://www.cc.columbia.edu/~fuat/cuarc/NiCd.html

I have seen a NiCad thread run for weeks here about NiCads with opinions from awful to expert.

Start with the URL above then get GE's book if you can find it.

May your batteries last for the thousands of cycles they were designed for.
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

4901. Re: Yaesu FT-50 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: bnb@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33908729.4464139@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174122

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>On Thu, 29 May 1997 21:46:26 -0400, Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:
>>The stock rubber ducky on the Ft-50 is not very good. So I am looking to
>>buy a new antenna but am not sure which is the best one. Because I want
>>to get one with a wide recieving range. But tx only needs to be between
>>144-148 and 430-450
>>Thanks for all your help,
>>Chief
>
>Comet SMA-3 is what you want.
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
>Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
>Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

I agree. I have tried several.

Bob, AB4G

4902. Re: Kenwood V7A Problems!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5mnsnu$jbu@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174165

Todd Snyder <kb9nvh@bluemarble.net> wrote:

>Problems I have encounterd so far:

>Cant seem to change bands remotely from an HT keypad (you can change
>bands from the mic PF key). This is important for being able to
>remotely control both sides of the radio.

I may be wrong about this, but I believe that it is only legal to use the 440 band frequency as the control channel, not 2 meters. I often use my Icom 2700 via remote DTMF control, but I always operate control on the 440 side. As far as I know, it is not possible to change bands via remote DTMF on that radio either.

If I am wrong about the regulations thing, someone please post a correction here. I'd like to know too.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

4903. Kenwood 732A problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "mpayne@gte.net" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5mnu3o$ni5$1@news5.gte.net>
Source record: 174166

Anyone had problems with the 2 meter power amp blowing up? I bought 3 of these radios new several years ago and have had to replace the power amp several times. anyone Know how to stop this problem? I get no where with Kenwood, they say they don't have a problem with these radios.

4904. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpanek@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <338f7a92.512749@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> wrote:

>I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
>alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
>it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
>"on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
>morning.
>
>I know plenty of other amateurs who leave their mobile rigs on
>24-hours/day. I have it hooked to an external DC-powered speaker, which is
>switched with my ignition. So, the mobile can't even produce any audio
>through it's own speaker (which would draw a tiny bit more amperage).
>
>I've checked the radio out. It's an Icom IC-2350H. On standby-receive is
>draws 0.42 amps. Is this outrageous? I know other amateurs in the area
>who leave their mobile rig on, their cell phones charging, and a spare HT
>charging 24-hours/day with NO problems.
>
>I think it's the battery. The dealer I took it to charge me a whopping
>$91.00 to charge my battery up and tell me it was my aftermarket equipment
>that was killing my battery overnight. I kid you not. I could get home
>from my weekly 500 mile trip (which should do a great job of charging my
>battery), and the next morning -- click! The vehicle won't start.
>
>The mechanic was telling me that the vehicle's battery is rated for a 20 ma
>(that's 0.020 amps!!!) draw, and anything over that is beyond it's rating.
>Excuse me, but I should be able to leave my vehicle sit for a MONTH with a
>tiny little draw like that -- and then when I go to start it, it should
>JUMP to life!!!
>
>I'm just looking for a little information on what these batteries can
>handle. Currently, I have a "factory" 17ma draw for normal accessories
>like the clock, etc. So, if we add the draw from my mobile rig, we come up
>with a 0.437amp draw. HOW LONG SHOULD MY BATTERY LAST WITH THAT DRAW??
>
>Any and ALL information will be greatly welcomed. Please email me with
>your responses, in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.
>
>73 and thanks!
>
>Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
>webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
Chad,

Check the battery by soubstitution. Some aftermarket batteries sold by national chains are just no good. About 1 in 4 of our fleets batteries failed after 1 year of normal use.
At a 400 milliamp draw after 24 hours you have used up about 9.6 amps of aproximatel 60-80 amphour battery . So after 48 hours you have used up 20% of the batteries total reserve. Car starting batteries are not designed for deep draws. Try a Diehard.
Also some rigs draw cuurent through their final amplifiers even though they are not turned on.
Good Luck
Dave Panek

4905. Re: Yaesu FT-50 SMA to BNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <338f8a88.52450371@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174168

On Thu, 29 May 1997 21:58:09 -0400, Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:
>Where can I get a SMA to BNC connector for my Yaesu FT-50?
>Thanks,
>Chief

Radio Shack carries the adapter. Caution, however, unlike the antennas made for radios with SMA connectors, the adapter doesn't have a shoulder to relieve the strain on the SMA connector. Be careful when using the adapter or you can break the SMA right out of the radio case.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

4906. Re: Yaesu FT-50 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <338f8a68.52417851@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174169

On Thu, 29 May 1997 21:46:26 -0400, Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:
>The stock rubber ducky on the Ft-50 is not very good. So I am looking to
>buy a new antenna but am not sure which is the best one. Because I want
>to get one with a wide recieving range. But tx only needs to be between
>144-148 and 430-450
>Thanks for all your help,
>Chief

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4907. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <5mo0j2$6jv@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 174170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150
148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is
offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal
Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. You
can also get Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone
(800)972-3226. |

Plectrom SM-series Scanning Receivers |

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured |
in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of |
Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models |
and are included in this article for the sake of |
completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and |
feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for |
each channel to net the crystals on frequency. |

Band Frequency Limits |
_____________________________ |
VHF-low 30 - 50 |
VHF-high 150 - 174 |
UHF 450 - 470 MHz |

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits |

Model UHF VHF-high VHF-low |
_____________________________________ |
SM-301 X X X |
SM-302 X X |
SM-303 X X |
SM-304 X X |

Table 5. Plectron SM Models |

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from |
the crystals used in the conventional single channel |
Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas: |

VHF low band: |
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz |

VHF high band: |
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3 |

UHF band: |
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) / |
10 |

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are: |

CR 25/U holder |
3rd overtone |
20 pF load capacitance |
parallel resonant |
max series resistance 40 ohm |
max drive 2 mW |

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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4908. FS Icom IC-T22A 2meter HT w/UT-94 Tone Squelch Unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: seanr@cts.com
Message-ID: <338f8fc7.16180480@news3.cts.com>
Source record: 174171

Icom IC-T22A 2meter HT w/UT-94 Tone Squelch Unit
Excellent Condition, includes box and manual.
Prefer Local Buyer.
$185
Sean
seanr@cts.com
KC6VIU

4909. FS: Kenwood TS-140S $575 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekugrad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5mo3rq$aju@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have upgraded my station to a TS-850S/AT, and I have an excellent condition Kenwood TS-140S for Sale.

Rig is in like new condition. Never mobile, and always kept covered when not in use.

Comes complete with Boxes, Manual, Hand Mic, and Power cord.

I will ship (Lower 48) to your Door for $575 (No COD) .

Will consider a trade, Up or Down on another HF Rig.

Thanks
David
KA4IKH

ekugrad@mindspring.com

4910. ICOMS WANTED IC275H, IC475H, IC575H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: guesswho@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3391f242.16079920@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173925

ICOMS WANTED IC275H, IC475H, and IC575H e-mail to Al KD1UF, advise price, condition, and phone number by e-mail to guesswho@mindspring.com

4911. FS: FT-8000/FT-5100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ed8$88de69c0$0b8caccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 173926

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Need to sell one or the other
Yaesu FT-8000, new, $425
or FT-5100, $325

73 Stan W3INK
w3ink@erols.com
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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
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4912. WTB: Motorola channel elements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ed8$958a6e80$0b8caccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 173927

Looking for Motorola Channel Elements KXN1086A & KXN1095A
for a UHF Mitrek. Actually I wouldn't mind getting
another UHF and VHF Mitrek if they were cheap enough.

73 Stan W3INK
w3ink@erols.com
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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com

4913. Astron RS-35A Power supply (Sold)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601221101.SAA20327@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173928

The astron RS-35A power supply has been sold. WZ1U Steve

4914. FS: 386 Motherboards + RAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ed8$b33c5c40$0b8caccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 173929

386-40 mb w/ 8 mb RAM $50
386-20 mb w/ 4 mb RAM $25
386SX-25 w/ 8 mb RAM $40
Will sell memory separately. There is 16 1mb 70 ns simms
and 4 1mb 80 ns sipps (simms w/ tabs that can be removed).
How many do you want?

73 Stan W3INK
w3ink@erols.com
--
Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
http://www.qsl.net/w3ink/

4915. Collins KWM-380/HF-380 owners - click here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2112@cris.com
Message-ID: <5mss41$l12@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 173930

KWM-380/HF-380 Parts Kit

Part # Quantity Description

281-0659-020 1 Main Tuning Knob
281-0659-040 1 Dual Pot Knob Set
266-5424-010 1 Main Power Switch
376-0276-050 1 RF/AF Gain Pot
229-9702-010 1 Encoder
293-1332-010 2 sets Matched IF Crystals (39.15KC)
351-8870-050 1 ROM Chip (WARC)
352-1138-010 2 PT5701 Transistor
638-6788-001A 1 Coupler Circuit Board

Note: The above items are sold as a kit only and are NOS in factory packaging.

Price: $149.00 shipped. There are a limited number of these kits.

The following parts are available on a very limited basis:

259-8018-030 Selectivity Switch $20.00 each

Crystal Oven (used on oscillator board of HF-380) $60.00 each

Contact: Harry Snyder
PO Box 6107
Carefree AZ 85377
602-488-4287

4916. AEA 6m loop manual needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <3391fac2.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 173931

I need a copy of the manual for the AEA 6 meter loop antenna.
Anyone help ?

Thanks, Hugh VA3TO

4917. Yaesu FT-2400 Memory Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: R J Staebler <DrRobin@doctor4u.com>
Message-ID: <33920D4A.55F4@doctor4u.com>
Source record: 173932

I need assistance and instruction in replacing the memory backup battery
in my FT-2400.. Anyone who can help me please!!
NN3L

4918. FS: 800 MB TAPE BACKUP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33921B44.3001@erols.com>
Source record: 173933

Hi,
Thanks for reading this message.
I have a Conner 800 MB interal tape backup for sale. It includes 3
tapes.

I am asking $80 + shipping.

Send reply to:
rcuffee@erols.com

4919. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33921C90.7F52@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173934

Grant Youngman wrote:
>
> Radiomatt wrote:
> >
> > Kachina does not sell ham radios..only commercial stuff and some
> > military.
> > Most banana republics use their stuff because it's cheap...relatively
> > speaking.
> > Matt
>
> Not so. There's been another quite olng thread on the subject already.
> Look at http://www.kachina-az.com/ and follow the link to the 505DSP
>
> Grant/NQ5T

I work on Hospital Telemetry Equipment that is very close to this
product and I think it is the way of the future. I have worked 6 years
on similar telemetry equipment and have VERY FEW HARDWARE PROBLEMS. Most
of the service calls are PC related or SOFTWARE "BUGS" related.
I predict it is the way of the future for Basestation Ham Radio.
73's Steven Hershman NS1R

4920. WTB: Racal 6790/GM (R-2174(P)/URR) HF Receiver Manual and Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <865217683.31720@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173935
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Wanted: Racal 6790/GM HF Receiver Manual and Asymetrical Sideband Filters

Looking for a complete manual and a set of Asymetrical Sideband filters
for the Racal 6790/GM (R-2174(P)/URR) HF Receiver.

Mike Nowlen WB4UKB
Reston, VA
(703)716-1363 7pm to 10 pm eastern
mike@3dnet.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

4921. Re: Yagi not above roof worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Hwang <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <33923234.5A7C@netcom.ca>
Source record: 173936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Jim N8XYN wrote:
>
> Stan Huntting wrote:
> >
> > norman <norsan@bright.net> wrote in article
> > <5lr4gp$9ru@cletus.bright.net>...
> > > gain is gain and the small lower elevation of the yagi should not meen
> > > anything. Norman N8RGR
> >
> > Rubbish!
> >
> > A yagi's gain is only achieved by focusing the radiated energy in the
> > desired direction. As a yagi's height above ground becomes very small the
> > take-off angle approaches the vertical and there is very little directivity
> > in azimuth. At that point, it looks very much like a dipole at the same
> > height. To make matters worse, at low heights the yagi's feedpoint
> > impedance diverges from 50 ohms even more than does the dipole resulting in
> > higher losses.
> >
> > A low yagi can be good for the owner's ego, but only if he doesn't ask too
> > many questions! ;-)
> >
> > Stan
> > ----------------------
> > Stan Huntting KF0IA
> > Email: stan@mutadv.com
> > Fax: 303 444 2314
> > KaWin home page: http://www.mutadv.com/kawin/
> > Postal address: 4655 Pleasant Ridge Rd.,
> > Boulder, CO 80301-1731, USA
>
> Whats low refer to? In terms of wavelength what is considerd low? A 2
> meter or 440 yagi is gonna have to be pretty low for this to be a
> problem?
Less than 1/2 lambda is low. If this is the case, I'd use quad. From
my HF experience Quad was much better than Yagi at element being about
6 feet or so off the ground working on typical tri-bander.
Tony, VE6CGX--
SLTG

4922. Re: ! MAKING MONEY !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: NeilT@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33925D2A.2370@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173937

goldstar@NET wrote:
>
> Take five minutes to read this and it WILL change your life.
> A little while back, I was browsing through these newsgroups,
> just like you are now, and came across anarticle similar to
> this that said you could make thousands of dollars in weeks, with only
> an initial investment of $5! So, I thousght, "Yeah, right, must be a
> scam", but I was curious, like most of us, so I kept reading. Anyway,
> it said that you send $1 to each of the 5 names and addresses stated in
> the article. You then place your own name and address in the article at
>
> the bottom of the list at #5, and post the article in at least 200
> newsgroups (there are thousands). No catch, that was it!
> So after thinking it over, talking to a few people first, I figured what
>
> have I got to lose except for 5 stamps and $5, right? This is from
> someone who has tryed it and it worked like a charm. I started getting
> money in the mail! I was shocked! I still figured it would end soon,
>
> and didn't give it another thought. But then the money kept comin IN.
> tripling in size and multiplying by 10 - 20 times the amount that I got
> the first week! In my first week I made about 20 to 30 dollars. But by
>
> the end of the second week, I had made a total of over $1,000!!! In the
>
> third week, I had over $10,000 dollars, and it's still growing! This is
>
> my fourth week and I've made about $42,000 TOTAL, and believe
> it or not the money is still coming in....
> Let me tell you how this works and most importantly, WHY it works....
> also, make sure you print a copy of this article NOW, so you get the
> information from it, and begin making money.
>
> The process if very simple, and it consists of 3 easy steps:
>
> STEP 1: Get 5 sepearte pieces of paper and write the following on each
> sheet of paper... "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST. And include
> your name and mailing address.
> Get five $1 bills, and place ONE inside each piece of paper that you
> have just written on, and fold each piece of paper so the bill will not
> be seen in the envelope (otherwise, nosey people who like to steal
> envelopes with money in it will get yours). Put one paper inside the
> envelope and seal it. Do the same for all 5. You should now have 5
> envelopes sealed, EACH having a piece of paper AND the $1 bill inside.

> NOTE: Make sure those words that were stated above are written on each
> piece of paper. What you are doing is creating a service by this. This
> is PERFECTLY LEGAL. Now, mail the 5 envelopes with the paper and $1 in
> each to the following 5 addresses:
>
> 1.
> Scott Lewis
> 2150 Stadium Drive #C-4
> Phenix City, AL 36967
> 2.
> Bob Jackson
> 2614 Dewitt
> Irving, TX 75062
> 3.
> Ken Haggerty
> 6599 E. Thomas Rd. #1001
> Scottsdale, AZ 85251
> 4.
> Arby Day
> P.O. Box 70
> Chinese Camp, CA 95309
> 5.
> Director
> 5020 46 st.
> Olds Alberta, Canada
> T4H - 1A5
>
> STEP 2: Now take the #1 name off the list that you see above, move the
> other 4 names up (5 becoming 4, 4 becoming 3, etc.) and put YOUR NAME as
>
> number 5 on the list. You can slightly alter this article if you need
> to, editing what you need to edit.
>
> STEP 3: Post your amended article (with your name at #5) to at least
> 200 news groups (there are around 18,000 of them!). All you need is say
>
> at least 200. HOW TO DO THIS: If you have Netscape 3.0 do EXACTLY the
> following:
>
> 1)Click on any news group like normal, THEN click on 'TO NEWS", which is
>
> on the far left when you're in the newsgroups page. This will bring up
> a box to type a message in.
> 2)Leave the newsgroup box as it is, but CHANGE the subject box to
> something eye-catching, like, 'NEED CASH$$$ READ HERE" or "FAST CASH"!!!
>
> 3)Tab once and you should be ready to type or copy and paste the article
>
> from a text program. Now, retype (only once) or copy and past (ctrl - c
>

> to copy + ctrl-v to paste each time) THIS WHOLE ARTICLE, word for word,
> except to insert your name at #5, and to remove #1 off the list, plus
> any other small changes you think you need to make. Keep almost all of
> it the same.
> 4)When you're done typing the WHOLE article, click on FILE in THIS BOX,
> right above send, NOT where it says netscape news on the first box.
> Click on SAVE AS when you're under FILE. Save your article as a text
> file to your C: or A: drive. DO NOT SEND OR POST YOUR ARTICLE UNTIL YOU
>
> HAVE SAVED IT. Once saved, move on to number 5 below.
> 5)If you still have all of your text, send or post to this newsgroup now
>
> by simply clicking Send, which is right below FILE, and right above the
> Cc: button.
> 6)Here's where you're going to post all 200. OK, click on any news
> group then click on "TO NEWS', again (in the top left hand corner of
> your netscape navigator. Leave the newsgroups box alone again, put your
>
> eye-catching title in the SUBJECT BOX, hit TAB once you're in the body
> of the message, and then click on ATTACHMENT, which is below the
> Subject box. You will get another box to come up. Click on ATTACH
> FILE, then find YOUR FILE THAT YOU HAVE SAVED; click once on this file,
> and then click OPEN. Now click on OK. If you did this right, you
> should see your file name in the attachments box, and it will be shaded
> green.
>
> IF YOU USE I.E. EXPLORER, IT'S JUST AS EASY: Holding down the left
> mouse button, highlight this article. Then press the "CTRL" key and the
>
> "C" key at the same time, to copy this article. Then print this article
>
> for your records to have the names of those you will be sending $1 bills
>
> to. Next, go to the news groups and press "POST AN ARTICLE". A window
> will open. Type in your headline in the subject area and then click in
> the large window below. If you want to edit the article, do so and then
>
> highlight and copy it again. Now everytime you post the article in a
> new newgroup all you have to repeat is "CTRL and "V" and press POST.
> 7)That's it! Each time you do this, all you have to do is type in a
> different newsgroup, so that way, it posts to 200 DIFFERENT newsgroups.
> You see? Now you just have 199 to go! (Don't worry, each one takes
> about 30 seconds, once you get used to it). REMEMBER, 200 IS THE
> MINIMUM. The more your post, the more money you will make.
> AND THAT'S IT!!!
>
> You are now in the mail-order business and will start receiving your $1
> envelopes from various people all over the world, within days! HINT: THE
>
> MORE NEWSGROUPS YOU POST TO, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE.

> You may want to rent a PO Box eventually, because of all the mail. If
> you wish to
> stay anonymous, you can come up with a name, such as "manager" or
> "investor". Just make sure all the addresses that you have typed in for
>
> the 4 people plus yourself are correct, please.
> LET ME TELL YOU WHY THIS SYSTEM WORKS!
> Out of every 200 postings, let's say I ONLY recieve 5 replies, which is
> actually VERY LOW. So I made $5 dollars with my name at #5. Now, each
> person who just sent me $1 dollar makes, say 200 postings, now with my
> name at number 4, WHICH IS A TOTAL OF 1000 POSTINGS, not including yours
> too.
> 50 people send you $1 dollar now - that's $50 dollars you have made!
> Next, your new 50 agents each post 200 newsgroups with your name at
> number 3, or 10,000 POSTINGS (50 X 200 = 10,000). The average returns at
>
> $1 dollar each, or $500 dollars. They in turn make 200 postings, which
> is 5,000 returns at $1 dollar each, which is $5,000 dollars! And
> finally, 5,000 people make 200 postings with YOUR NAME AT NUMBER 1. YOU
> NOW GET A RETURN OF $50,000 DOLLARS BEFORE YOUR NAME DROPS OFF THE LIST.
>
> AND THAT'S IF EVERYONE ONLY MAKES 200 POSTINGS, AND IF ONLY 5 PEOPLE
> RESPOND!!!
> When your name is no longer on the list, you simply take the latest
> posting that is appearing in the newsgroups, and SEND OUT ANOTHER $5
> DOLLARS TO THE NAMES ON THE LIST, PUTTING YOUR NAME AT #5 AGAIN. And
> start posting again. The thing to remember is, THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE ALL
> OVER THE WORLD ARE JOINING THE INTERNET AND READING THESE ARTICLES EVERY
> DAY - just like you are now!!!
> So can you afford $5 dollars to see if it really works? I think so..
> People have said, "What if the plan is played out and no one sends you
> the money?" So what! What are the chances of that happening when there
> are TONS OF NEW HONEST USERS AND NEW HONEST PEOPLE whos are joining the
> internet and newsgroups every day and are willing to give it a try?
> Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users every day, with THOUSANDS of
>
> those actually joining the internet.
> Remember, PLAY FAIRLY, AND HONESTLY, and this WILL WORK. I promise ou!!
>
> You just have to be honest. Make sure you print this article out RIGHT
> NOW.
> Also, try to keep a list of everyone that sends you money and always
> keep an eye on the newsgroups to make sure everyone is playing fairly.
> REMEMBER: HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY! you don't need to cheat the idea
> to make money.
>
> GOOD LUCK TO ALL, PLEASE PLAY FAIRLY, AND YOU WILL REAP THE HUGE REWARDS
>
> FROM THIS - TONS OF EXTRA CASH!!!
> One last note: if you try to decieve people by posting the messages with

>
> your name on the list and not sending the money to the people already on
>
> the list, you will not get much in return.
> Someone I talked to knew someone who did that and she only made $150
> dollars, and that's after eight weeks! Then she sent the 5 $1 dollar
> bills, people added her to their lists, and in 4-5 weeks she had over
> $10,000 dollars!!!

It sure changed my life! I was reading this post while unbeknownst to me
Ed McMahon was ringing my doorbell. Being preoccupied I didn't answer
the door and he left.

4923. FS PS 430 Power SUpply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <339152A8.5B75@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 173938

ps 430 with Orig Box and manual; 150 shipped
73 Roger,KO4O

4924. FS: Tektronix 465's!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@emodus.com
Message-ID: <33923b23.0@news.cyberannex.com>
Source record: 173939

Hello!
We have a couple of specials this month:

TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned and
calibrated, 120 day warranty shipping free in the USA, $465.00 each!

JAN 6186W, equal to 6AG5WA, sharp cut-off pentodes 7 pin miniature
made by Philips in the USA 1986, NOS, individual boxes, 8000 available,
$0.10 each, shipping in the USA: 1 - 199 $3.00, 200 or more shipping free!

For more ELECTRON TUBES (both new and/or used), various ANTIQUE RADIO
COMPONENTS or ELECTRONIC TEST EQUIPMENT, please E-mail

sales@emodus.com

For a complete list.

Thank you!

4925. WTB NRD JST-245

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Johnson <BP93@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3392554E.1B70@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173940

WTB JST245 TRANSCEIVER

BOB K7EYT

4926. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <5mtks5$4uk@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 173941

n7lxo@olympusTrAsH.net (Charles O'Hara) writes:
>While I am a certified technician, and while I'm not sure I fully
>agree that the shift to alternate refrigerants was warranted, I would
>still say, "Bite the bullet. Make the shift. It might make the
>atmosphere a bit better for those who follow us."

Is there an alternative refrigerant that can be used in systems originally designed for R-12? If so, does it require all of the R-12 to be removed from the system first?

(I have a car with an R-12 system - not much else was available in 1991. So far it hasn't needed any extra refrigerant...)

Dave

4927. CLOSET CLEANING SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8zuu@iserv.net
Message-ID: <33940ac9.3652726@news.iserv.net>
Source record: 173942

Reply to n8zuu@iserv.net
Doug Luurs

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** NOTE: ALL PRICES DO *NOT* INCLUDE SHIPPING & COD CHARGES IF **
** NEEDED / ALL ITEMS SOLD AS-IS NO WARRANTRY **
** ALL ITEMS TESTED OK UNLESS SO NOTED **
****

WILL CONSIDER ALL OFFERS / I MAY SELL PIECES OF SYSTEMS

-:For Sale :-
---
2 Laptop Computers (Sold Together) 50.00 For BOTH
T1100PLUS (MORE FOR PARTS USE THAN ANYTHING)
8088 Processor
640K Memory
Dual 720Kb Floppy
12 x 24 Mono CGA Screen
*** NO POWER CONVERTOR OR BUILT-IN BATTERY ***
*** WORKING CONDITION NOT GUARANETTED ***
T1200PLUS
8088 Processor
640K Memory
Single 720Kb Floppy
20 Meg Hard Drive
12 x 24 Mono CGA Screen
1200 bpx Modem
Battery & Power Convertor / Charger
*** BATTERY HOLDS CHARGE FOR ABOUT 30 MINUTES ***
MS-DOS 3.30
*** NO WINDOWS - BUT WILL RUN VERSION 3.0 & EARLIER ***
CARRYING CASE
ASST SOFTWARE & MANUALS

AMIGA 500 125.00
1 Meg Memory
Power Supply
Single Interal Floppy
Exteral Floppy Case ** No Drive **
1084S Monitor *** NOTE: NO SOUND From Monitor ***
Asst Software & Manuals & Books

APPLE][gs / WOZ Limited Edition 125.00

1 Meg Memory
1 5.25 Floppy
1 3.5 Floppy
Softcard (For CPM Appl�s)
APPLEWORKS
APPLE RBG Monitor (Model A2M6014)
Asst Software & Manuals

MAC SE/30 50.00
4 Meg Memory
40 Meg Hard Drive
*** NOTE: -12v is Dead - A Hobbist Could Fix Easy ***
Asst Software (Most On HD) & Books

Star NX-1000C Printer 30.00

Citizens 200GX Color Printer 30.00

SCSI CASE 75.00
Storage Dimensions / LAN4-100S1A-BF2
Supports 4 Full Height Drives
All Interial - No Outside Bays
2 Interal Power Supplies
*** Note: Uses Older Centronics Type Interface Cables ***

PS/2 - Microchannel Cards
1 Mb Memory Card 5.00
** NOTE: This is the OLD Card with a 3x32 Connector
2-EGA Card 3.00 Each
7-Floppy Drive Controllers (FCC ID:AND9JW6451007) 3.00 Each
15.00 for All 7
SMC Ethernet 3016/TP Card 7.00
RLL Hard Drive Controller 7.00

2400 bps Modem 5.00
2400 bps/9600 Fax Modem 7.00
Novell NE1000 NIC Card (BNC/AUX) 5.00
MainLan System (2 Lan Cards&Manual&Cable) 15.00
VGA/EGA Card (Trident 8800c/512k) 5.00
EXPANZ! Disk Expander Card (Software&Manuals) 5.00
3 Different AT RAM Expandion Card w/Software 3.00 Each
VLB SVGA Card (Cirrus Logic 2MB/GD5428) 10.00

CHIPS ?? Make Offer
I80386-20 I80386-16 I80387DX 16-33
I80387-16 I80286-6 I80387SX-16
DS1287 (3) I80387SX-16 I80386DX-25
I80486SX-25
RAM (DRAM / CACHE - Too Many Types To List / Please Ask)

AMD 386SX/SL-33 Motherboard w/0 kb RAM 20.00
6 16-Bit / 4 30-Pin SIMM
ALI Chipset / AMI BIOS

AMD 486-40 w/Fan & Motherboard w/0 kb RAM 40.00
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3 VLB / 3 16-Bit / 1 8-Bit
8-30 pin SIMMS / 256k Cache

ALLOY APT-40/Q Model 500 Tape Drive (40Mb) 10.00
COLOADO 250 Tape Drive (250Mb) 30.00
SCSI HARD DRIVE (80 MB / IBM WDS-380) 15.00
IDE HARD DRIVE (540 MB / WD CAVIAR 2540) 40.00
** NOTE: I HAVE HAD INTEMITTED PROBLEMS WITH THIS DRIVE **

RADIO SHACK PC-6 Scientific Calculator 10.00
Printer/Cassette Interface/Manual

SOFTWARE
Concurrent PC Dos 5.00
WATCHDOG System Security Guard 5.00

WILL CONSIDER ALL OFFERS / I MAY SELL PIECES OF SYSTEMS

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** ALL ITEMS TESTED OK UNLESS SO NOTED **
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Reply to n8zuu@iserv.net
Doug Luurs

4928. Diagrams of home made transceivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jos&#65533; Fran&#65533;a Santos <jecfranca@mail.telepac.pt>
Message-ID: <3391E179.DC65C726@mail.telepac.pt>
Source record: 173943
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,pt.rec.radio.amadorismo

I'm new on this, and I'm going to build by my self, my own 144 and 10m transceivers.
If anyone can help me with electrical diagrams, my address is

jecfranca@mail.telepac.pt
Jos&#65533; Fran&#65533;a Santos
Rua Poeta Jose Marques Cruz, 114-2&#65533; E
2410 Leiria
Portugal
Telef. (351-044) 24866

4929. WTB: Hallicrafters SX-25 or SX-28

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Scarlett <scarlett@nanospace.com>
Message-ID: <339219DB.37AE@nanospace.com>
Source record: 173944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Please advise condition and price & respond by e-mail - thanks!

4930. Want info Yaesu VX1r mini HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <339702fc.40122545@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 173945

I have seen specs on a new radio from Yaesu, its a dual band HT half the size
of a C-508a, with twice the power! Anybody have more info?
What I have

Dimensions 3 3/16 x 1 3/4 x 7/16
Weight 4.4 oz.
Power .5 watts,1 watt with ext power
290 memories in 9 banks
Wide receive to 999mhz.
CTCSS encode/decode
DCS encode/decode
most of the other features of the FT-50r.
Oh and the kicker is IT HAS A KEYBOARD!
Does anyone know where to get one now?
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/ \ / \ .-. / \
/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
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4931. Amateur Ads Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: v.coletti@iol.it
Message-ID: <3391d285.11150472@news.mclink.it>
Source record: 173946

If you want to write your sell/buy ads for amateur radio items
and make selective searches to find quickly what you want,
please do try this new site:

http://www.webcom.com/vcoletti

then click on AMATEUR RADIO MARKET

Vinicio Coletti - v.coletti@iol.it - http://www.webcom.com/vcoletti

4932. FS: Astron 35A power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601000101.UAA13700@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174007

I have for sale an Astron 35A power supply in very good condition, has some scratches, but works fine, will sell it for $90 plus shipping. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993

4933. Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5mqj6fdrk1@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 174008

Everyone is talking about this new Great Kachina Communications radio but i think they are keeping there whereabouts a secret. Does anyone have an email address, phone number, or web address so i can order one and tell you all how good it is.

Thanks, Jim

4934. Re: Kenwood TS-140S Filter & IF-10C pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Gilhuly <brian@synapse.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6e2d$ff15e560$e23454c7@finn>
Source record: 174009

Hi Bob,

Here is the pinout, seen from rear:

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3
2 4
6
1 5
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pin 1 - ground GND
2 - transmit data TXD
3 - receive data RXD
4 - transmit enable CTS
5 - receive enable RTS
6 - not connected

There is lots of info on PC interface options on the Kentrol Web site.

73 de Brian
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Brian Gilhuly VE3BGB Kentrol Software Web Site:

http://www.synapse.net/~kentrol/
e-mail:
brian@synapse.net

Bob Marsh <kb2sgm@juno.com> wrote in article <33908B5A.3D3D@juno.com>...
> Hi everyone,
>
> I need to find pinout for the 6 pin DIN connector on an IF-10C serial
> interface. It's installed in a TS-140S, but I didn't get any
> documentation for the interface.
>
> I'm also looking for either a YK-455C-1 or YG-455C-1 500 Hz CW filter
> for the TS-140. I was buying one, but the deal fell through.
> Please reply to me at <bmarsh@hicom.net>.
>
> tnx es 73 de Bob/KB2SGM
>

4935. Re: FS: RADIO SHACK HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3ab@ptdprolog.net
Message-ID: <3390d5ec.2315478@news.ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 174010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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>>I'll paint ANY car for $29.95!
>
>I'll pay you $29.95 to paint Masa. (with tar and feathers.)
>
>--
>73,
>Butch
>To send mail,
>delete the xyz
>from my address
```

I'll kick in $29.95 too.

4936. yaesu FT50R question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <3390d72f.13233863@news.enter.net>
Source record: 174011

Ive got a friend who is a deputy sheriff in Pittsburgh. He's got a line on an FT50R with a serial number beginning 6L. He's wondering if this can be opened up to tx above 470? there is a european model which can be programmed to do this; its possible the 6L serial number is for a canadian unit which may be openable. anybody have info? thanks all...

delete the xx from my email address to reply

4937. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <3390d80e.13457402@news.enter.net>
Source record: 174012

On Fri, 30 May 1997 17:38:49 GMT, davidho@one.net (David Ho (AF4BH))
wrote:

>I wonder if the radio is immune to my HP Vectra VL 5/166 desktop
>computer. It is a FCC Class A certified equipment.

Dont know about that, but they h ad it right next to a computer at
dayton and it sounded pretty gud. in addition because the control head
is remote locatable, the radio doesnt have to be in the same area as
the computer.
>
>This is a daring concept because almost all of us are so used to knobs
>and buttons, plus $2K is a heavy investment for many people.

this is true, but its alot less than an ic 775 DSP or similar rig. i
wonder, comparing apples to apples (performance wise) how it behaves?

delete the xx from my email address to reply

4938. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <3390d94c.13775373@news.enter.net>
Source record: 174013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 26 May 1997 15:07:57 -0300, Matthew Mayfield <slayer@exis.net>
wrote:

>FOR SALE:
>Yaesu FT-50R 5 watt 99ch Handheld
>
>Extra Options include:
>FTT-12 DTMF keypad, Digital Voice Record, ctcss encode/decode, DTMF
>paging and Squelch.
>
>E-DC-6 External Power Cable
>MH-34B4B Speaker Mic
>RH-1 Rubber case Protector
>SMA to BNC adapter

Tried to send this via email but for some reason it wont go. Is this
radio openable to tx above 470? whats the serial number?
>Dual Band Telescoping Ant.
>
>$375.00
>

delete the xx from my email address to reply

4939. Re: HELP - INFO on HF Rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <3390da14.13974988@news.enter.net>
Source record: 174014

On 30 May 1997 11:01:54 GMT, dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY) wrote:

>My son and I are both working on our upgrade to General
>
>We are looking for a good HF rig around $1,500 or less.

how about used equip? the ic 765 is in this price range...but it doesnt have 6 or 2 meter capability.
>

delete the xx from my email address to reply

4940. rci 2950 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: _prg22@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3390e935.5143433@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 174015

does anybody know how to mod the rci 2950 for 25-33Mhz? or where can
I get this information? thanks

remove the "_" in my e-mail address to reply
prg22@ix.netcom.com

4941. Standard c1208DA F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEFF kelly <kellyj@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6d78$347f6ac0$1d07bacc@default>
Source record: 174016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

A Standard C1298DA 2 Meter Mobile radio controls all in mike 5-10-50 watts output
200 Channel .Like new I bought this radio for my Dad and its to much radio for Him.
$300.00 obo email me Kellyj@ptd.net or Ph 610 776-0339 . Thanks for reading this article.

Jeff Kelly de N3MFT

4942. Very rare and unusual "tubes"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgp <pelley@qbc.clic.net>
Message-ID: <33912341.5BAA@qbc.clic.net>
Source record: 174017

Please follow this link :

http://www.ebay.com/aw/item.cgi?item=viv9125

4943. fs: Kenwood TS440s AT Very fine

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mike d." <techman@series2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6e43$d09940e0$1e44f2cd@mikes-notebook>
Source record: 174018

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Kenwood TS440S AT HF Transceiver
Includes:
MC-60 Desktop Microphone
Kenwood Phone Patch
1:1 Balun dipole antenna
Very fine condition

750.00 + shipping

Email techman@series2000.com

Thanks
Mike
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4944. FS: Alinco DJ-180 2m HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor D. Mete" <KE4QJK@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6e4a$6f31c820$166692cf@AT&TWorldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:
Alinco DJ-180 HT
good condition
soft case
PL encode/decode
12v adapter
drop-in charger
manual
$120

Victor / KE4QJK
ke4qjk@worldnet.att.net
954-974-9136
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4945. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Marks <foneco@flash.net>
Message-ID: <339104DC.704E@flash.net>
Source record: 174020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
>
> I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
> alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
> it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
> "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
> morning.
>
> I know plenty of other amateurs who leave their mobile rigs on
> 24-hours/day. I have it hooked to an external DC-powered speaker, which is
> switched with my ignition. So, the mobile can't even produce any audio
> through it's own speaker (which would draw a tiny bit more amperage).
>
> I've checked the radio out. It's an Icom IC-2350H. On standby-receive is
> draws 0.42 amps. Is this outrageous? I know other amateurs in the area
> who leave their mobile rig on, their cell phones charging, and a spare HT
> charging 24-hours/day with NO problems.
>
> I think it's the battery. The dealer I took it to charge me a whopping
> $91.00 to charge my battery up and tell me it was my aftermarket equipment
> that was killing my battery overnight. I kid you not. I could get home
> from my weekly 500 mile trip (which should do a great job of charging my
> battery), and the next morning -- click! The vehicle won't start.
>
> The mechanic was telling me that the vehicle's battery is rated for a 20 ma
> (that's 0.020 amps!!!) draw, and anything over that is beyond it's rating.
> Excuse me, but I should be able to leave my vehicle sit for a MONTH with a
> tiny little draw like that -- and then when I go to start it, it should
> JUMP to life!!!
>
> I'm just looking for a little information on what these batteries can
> handle. Currently, I have a "factory" 17ma draw for normal accessories
> like the clock, etc. So, if we add the draw from my mobile rig, we come up
> with a 0.437amp draw. HOW LONG SHOULD MY BATTERY LAST WITH THAT DRAW??
>
> Any and ALL information will be greatly welcomed. Please email me with
> your responses, in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.
>
> 73 and thanks!
>
> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

Replace the battery.

I have a 94 Chevy Impala SS and keep several Motorola Maxtrac radios on
24 hours a day. The battery holds up fine unless I Deep discharge it a
couple of times...leave the lights on or leave the radio equipment on
for an extended length of time (4 or 5 days without driving the car).
The stock Delco Freedom batteries DO NOT like to be deep discharged.
Once or twice is enough to permanently damage them. If you are really worried about it, get a deep
cycle marine battery and a battery isolator and run the radio equipment
off of it, and leave the starting battery alone. Also if you do leave
your equipment on for an extended period of time and drain the second
battery, your truck will still start.

Mike

4946. New Yaesu (VX1R) Spotted + Good Warranty Experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: enboe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601054501.BAA14786@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174021

Went to HRO Anaheim today. Was allowed to fondle the new Yaesu VX1R.
Dual bander, 0.5W, 1W with power cord, Li ion battery, wide receive
including the usually-skipped 200's, small & lite, and suppose to be under
$300. Should be a strong competitor to STD 508A & 510A. Looks good too.
Was told would be available in 1.5-2 weeks.

Also picked up my FT50R from repair. Monitor button stuck. Yaesu and HRO
chose to fix it on-the-house, even though I was 2 months out of warranty.
Thanks.

Eric (K0AVW)

4947. Re: RE : ADMS-2 Windows Software...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33910c32.151195373@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174022

On 31 May 1997 23:10:35 GMT, "SuperBrad.god" <superdude@ufo.org> wrote:

>Will someone plaese post a copy of the ADMS-2C Windows Programming Software
>for the Yaesu F-8500 Dual Bander...

Yaesu would prefer that you pay them money for it. It is a commercial product.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

4948. Kenwood TH-79A Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhine41015@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601065301.CAA19523@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174023

I'm looking for any and all available mods to be made to the TH-79A. Any ideas, suggestions would be greatly appreciated?

-Thank you

4949. FS TS520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: RZVB03A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5mqtpn$1r5q@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 174024

FOR SALE:

Kenwood TS520
CW Filter
SP520 External Speaker
Spare set of Finals
Mike / Box / Manuals

$250.00 Plus Shipping

If interested please contact me via email.... I am listing this radio
for Doug / K7TLX

Thanks... Pat KA9LNP = RZVB03A@Prodigy.COM

4950. FS: Kenwood HF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don & Monica Casella <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <3391284C.1E11@ziplink.net>
Source record: 174025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

Please see: > http://www.ziplink.net/~casella1/680s.html

4951. WTB Software for AEA PK232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: NeilT@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33915C32.405D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174026

Seeking software for AEA PK232. Please respond by e-mail to
NeilT@worldnet.att.net or NTesh@aol.com
Neil KE2SV

4952. Re: Standard C116

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Magnus Lindgren <magnus.lindgren@tangman.pp.se>
Message-ID: <01bc6e6a$7810ffe0$09a8edc2@FOO.telia.com>
Source record: 174027

Hello!
A friend of mine has bought a Standard C116 radio and he want to know
if there is any way to make it receive frequencies below 100MHz.

73 de SM2WLS

4953. FS: Collins S-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601094000.FAA25763@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174028

This Collins S-line is being listed for a friend who does not have access to the internet. So please contact him, because I will not be of any help on this.

His call is N1HCV Dan located in New Bedford, Ma.and the phone number is (508)993-0678

His has the following, Collins 75-3B, Collins 32S-3, Collins 312B-4, Collins 516-F2
and a Shure 444D desk Microphone to go along with it. He has all the manuals and is asking $1100 for the set-up. Before I forget its all wing emblem.

So 73's.................WZ1U Steve

4954. Need Plate caps for 3-500Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33914799.65E0@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174029

I need (2) finned aluminum with attach screw on top plate caps for my SB220. I know RF Parts has them but they have a $25.00 min. order. Looking for the original type used on SB220. If you can help please let me know.

Thnx
Bob
Pelham AL

4955. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-140S $575 shipped

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ekugrad@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5mrm4f$5mo@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 174030

The TS-140S is sold.
Thanks to all who replied

73's
David

4956. donot read only a test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: sv1cvy@tee.GR
Message-ID: <MAPI.Id.0016.006565303132323230303038303038@MAPI.to.RFC822>
Source record: 174031

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it is only a test
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4957. FS: Collins HF-8050/851S-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobph <a9097@gn-intl.net>
Message-ID: <33917639.3276@gn-intl.net>
Source record: 174032

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XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
X X
X For Sale: Collins HF-8050/851S-1 commercial grade reciever X
X with Collins Maintenance Manual, $800.00. X
X X
X WA4CFG X
X X
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
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4958. Just starting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jshie90420@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601134500.JAA05243@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174033

I find radio communications facinating and I would like to delve into the world of amateur radios. Could anyone tell me what sort of equipment is required, the costs envolved, and where the equipment can be picked up.

I live in the UK so a shopp in or around essex would be helpful. If you can help, please email : turkyparty@aol.com

4959. Re: Kenwood 732A problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Doran S. Platt" <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33918393.22C6@erols.com>
Source record: 174034

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On 31 May 1997 01:15:36 GMT, "mpayne@gte.net" <mpayne@gte.net> wrote:
> >Anyone had problems with the 2 meter power amp blowing up? I bought 3 of
> >these radios new several years ago and have had to replace the power amp
> >several times. anyone Know how to stop this problem? I get no where with
> >Kenwood, they say they don't have a problem with these radios.
>
> Typically the problem is thermal. These things get *very* hot and the metalization
> in the module fails. Make sure the replacement is properly installed with heatsink
> compound and makes an intimate thermal connection with the heatsink. Add a fan
> if your mounting location doesn't have good air flow.
>
> Poor thermal design is a chronic problem with Kenwood VHF+ radios. They all
> have problems with it to one extent or another, and the 732 is among the worst.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
> Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
> Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

Kenwood (east) informed me that yes, they have sold quite a few modules
for repair purposes, indicating there is a problem. They (K-wood) also
told me to buy the replacement from RF Parts... not them... to save
money! Interesting, what?

4960. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: res@cmprime.cis.att.com
Message-ID: <5ms0r3$858@anchor.cis.att.com>
Source record: 174035

: SORRY CHARLIE.... But no matter *HOW* you slice it, 1.5 - 2 db is for all
: intents IMPERCEPTIBLE,

THe handle's Rick, OM. (!)

We don't have a basic disagreement here. In fact I see and agree with
the intent of your statements.
A point I wanted to make was that it is a common misconception that a
SIGNIFICANT increase in power, doesn't produce meaningful results on
the air. I still stick by that and if I may I'd like to give 2
(admittedly extreme) examples to clarify my point.

On a band where signals are strong (lets say ten meters in a nice band
opening, or a 75 meter roundtable in the evening hours) yes, it doesn't
make a perceptible difference if your signal changes by 2 db, no one will
notice.
However..... if you are pushing the envelope a bit, such as on a weak
tropo opening on VHF, or trying to come out on top of a pileup
where there are 90 other signals at the same level you are, 2 db
makes a significant difference. It does, it really does.
Then I said, if the 2 db is considered along with other improvements
that could be made to a station such as lowering cable loss, improving
the antenna, etc. it just might be a fairly cheap way of getting
2 db especially if all the owner of the L4B had to do was flip a
switch and go to the 1500 watt legal limit. If the owner takes the
2 db from the linear, combines it with better coax, gets a bigger
beam, raises the tower, etc. he comes out on top. The 2 db improvement
in the linear is an important component in that equation.
I do not advocate getting the 2 db at the expense of trashing up
the bands, but I think a pair of 3-500Zs with 3000 v on the plates
is one of the cleanest linear signals. Its not the same as driving a
pr of 813s to a kw!

Nice debate - sure a lot better than all of the FS adn WTB ads on
here.

73
Rick K2XT

4961. F. S. W2A Icon Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33918BDE.48D8@whidbey.net>
Source record: 174036

I am selling my seldom used Icom W2A HT, with all it accessories.

These include:

Rapid Charger
Spare Battery
Spare Antenna
Radio Holster

All manuals and boxs.

John

4962. AEA Iso Loop with computer stuff, $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: whowell@ici.net
Message-ID: <5ms1hn$7d3$2@bashir.ici.net>
Source record: 174037

6/1/97

Must sell AEA 10 MHz to 30 MHz HF 'LOOP' antenna

AEA ISO LOOP HF antenna with computer control
option (IT-1) - this is the 'automatic, extra cost
gadget, all essentially unused, manuals.

$200

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

residence Mansfield MA, work Quincy MA
whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872
or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

4963. Kenwood TS 690 with auto tuner, filters and stable osc. $950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: whowell@ici.net
Message-ID: <5ms18v$7d3$1@bashir.ici.net>
Source record: 174038

6/1/97

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6Mw

Kenwood TS 690 S/AT HF xcvr w/6M
with
YG455CN-1,
YK88C-1,
YK88S-1,
SO-2 (not installed),
and the automatic antenna tuner

$ 950

All shipping to be paid by buyer.

Please contact Bill Howell, N1IPQ,

whowell@ici.net or 508 339 7872

or POB 2041, Norton MA 02766

4964. Re: Yaesu FT-50 antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K. R. Fraley" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <33919034.5471@planetc.com>
Source record: 174039

B. Good & B. Rogers wrote:
>
> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>
> >On Thu, 29 May 1997 21:46:26 -0400, Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:
> >>The stock rubber ducky on the Ft-50 is not very good. So I am looking to
> >>buy a new antenna but am not sure which is the best one. Because I want
> >>to get one with a wide recieving range. But tx only needs to be between
> >>144-148 and 430-450
> >>Thanks for all your help,
> >>Chief
> >
> >Comet SMA-3 is what you want.
> >
> >Gary
> >Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
> >Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> >534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
> >Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org
>
> I agree. I have tried several.
>
> Bob, AB4G
Try a Diamond SRH519, I've had good result with one!
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Remove xxx to e-mail me (antispam).
IMPEACH BILL CLINTON!!!! RODNEY KE4NWI

4965. WTB: Yaesu FT301 (Working or Non-working)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Grady Donaldson, WE4S" <donaldsong@atl.cistech.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ea0$20db58c0$899c45cf@GDHOME.atl.cistech.com>
Source record: 174040

I am looking for a Yaesu FT301 transceiver in working or non-working (ANYcondition). I also need a VOX Unit (PB-1438) and other misc. components.

Please respond via e-mail.

Grady, WE4S

4966. fs-icom w2a+2m amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Jentis <andrewj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33918FDD.296F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 174041

FOR SALE

Icom 2m/440mhz dual band HT W2a

includes bp84, bp90, car adaptor, speaker mic, charger. good condition.
all for $320 including shipping.

2M Amp

5w in- 35w out- works fine

$45

contact andy, n6xkn
andrewj@earthlink.net
805-254-3883

4967. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601154700.LAA15147@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174042

Kachina does not sell ham radios..only commercial stuff and some military.
Most banana republics use their stuff because it's cheap...relatively
speaking.
Matt

4968. National NBS-2 Receiver f/s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Mark Nadel" <mr_ufo@i-2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ea2$4c29dae0$b6e0e7ce@hmn>
Source record: 174043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a general coverage receiver model NBS-2 mfg by National. The receiver is in excellent condition and works great. The price is $350.00. I do not have the manual. I will not ship this as to its size and weight. I am located on Long Island and will sell only as a pick up.

--
H. Mark Nadel
Amateur Radio Station W2UFO
State Government Liaison New York City / Long Island Section
The American Radio Relay League < http://www.arrl.org >

"Always Available Through Technology" ... < mr_ufo@i-2000.com >

4969. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8blk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601160801.MAA16952@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174044

In article <339057CC.2880@pilot.msu.edu>, Greg Corteville
<cortevi5@pilot.msu.edu> writes:

>I was wondering if anybody had experience with using power inverters in
>a mobile installation? I used a "Power-to-go" 140 watt continuous power
>inverter to power my Toshiba 425CDS laptop for GPS and APRS use while on
>a roadtrip a few weeks ago. On my way home, the alternator in my 1990
>GMC Safari seized up and stopped turning. The belt was just moving over
>the alternator and making a hideous noise. I was wondering if running
>my power inverter almost constantly on that trip might have played a
>hand in this situation? Or was it just coincidence that this would
>happen on a 7 year old vehicle with 100,000+ miles. I was also using my
>Kenwood 733A mobile rig on high power a few times, but not very often.
>
>The Toshiba laptops have built-in power supplies and therefore need 110V
>AC. Too bad Toshiba didn't leave a 12V DC port on the outside of the
>case. That would have made it more mobile-friendly.
>
>73's DE KB8WFV

It's difficult to see how any load on the battery could cause the
alternator
to suddenly seize. It sounds more like horrible coincidence than anything
you did, unless of course somehow having to charge the battery was
the cause, and of course, just taking short trips can cause the
alternator to run more but once again that's supposed to be part of
the operating cycle of the electrical system in a car.

It sounds more like an alternator without sufficient lubrication going
crazy, hope it didn't hurt your wallet too much!
-art clemons-

4970. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5ms7bu$192$1@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 174045

Radiomatt wrote:
>
> Kachina does not sell ham radios..only commercial stuff and some
> military.
> Most banana republics use their stuff because it's cheap...relatively
> speaking.
> Matt

Not so. There's been another quite olng thread on the subject already.
Look at http://www.kachina-az.com/ and follow the link to the 505DSP

Grant/NQ5T

4971. FS: TS-530s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <3391A0C7.5310@southeast.net>
Source record: 174046

Hello,

For Sale:

Kenwood TS-530s, 160-10 meter HF transciever. Includes WARC bands.
200 watts.

MC-50 microphone.

Original owner, original box and manuals.

Excellent condition.

$400

If interested, contact:

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
904-223-6020 evenings
904-348-2316 days

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

4972. Which 10m Mobile?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Fossum <n0nsv@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <3391A320.1672@amsat.org>
Source record: 174047

Thanks for reading this!

I'm thinking about the purchase of a good 10m Mobile Radio for my vehicle. Has anyone got suggestions as to which brand to buy? I want a good quality all-mode unit.

Thanks for your help!

Mark Fossum

4973. Every dB counts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: km1h@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970601.114823.9695.2.km1h@juno.com>
Source record: 174048

Gary and others do not confuse lab tests run at audio and expect them to be identical in all RF receiving applications. In fact the accepted standard at audio today is that everyone can discern a 3dB change, 50% can discern 2dB and a small number can tell a 1.5dB change. This is in a controlled enviroment.

At RF even a 1dB improvement can make the difference when the signal is at the noise. I noticed a big improvement on 160M DX CW QSO's when I went from 800 to 1200W. Numerous DXers and Contesters have noted that going from 100W to 1000W makes a lot more than an APPARENT difference of 10dB during certain propagation conditions on any band. There appears to be a threshold level where a higher percentage of the signal is either absorbed or reflected.

EME operators fight for tenths of a dB in their systems and have proven time and again that every fraction of a dB is important.

Then there are those other times when I would 100% agree that even 3dB makes no apparent difference.

73...Carl KM1H

4974. FS Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jennifer <jenifer@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ea9$9d7748e0$56203fce@gold-coast>
Source record: 174049

I have for 4 scanners for sale or trade, details are as follows....

Radio Shack Pro-2024 $100.00. Some info at....
http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/doc31/31324.txt

Radio Shack Pro-43 $225.00 Some info at....
http://w5gb.nmsu.edu/kc5kto/handheld.html#pro43

Uniden/Bearcat 890XLT $150.00 Some info at.....
http://www.osha.igs.net/~durhamradio/bc890.htm

Regency/Wilson MX3000 $100.00 or best offer

Email me if interested, may consider interesting trade. These radios are
located in the Seattle, WA area.

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Jennifer Bond
http://www.halcyon.com/jenifer

4975. Wanted mike or connector for Yeasu FT290R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage1@mailhost.epix.net
Message-ID: <3391C7F1.66AD@mailhost.epix.net>
Source record: 174050

Anybody have a mike or connector for the 290r its different from the
290RII the pins are offset different.
So I am looking for help.
Doug

4976. Re: For sale or swap 2M, laptop, SW RX, scanner, cellphones, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5msae0$1oq6$1@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 174051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com (robbin decker) wrote:

Following for sale/swap

Genuine IBM PS2 laptop, 386, 8meg, 1.44 FDD, 100m HDD (as I recall, it isn't in front of me now), VGA mono, lotsa software, new MS mouse, 2 P/S, 3 batts., and two Diconix 150 plus inkjet printers, lots of extra goodies, nice soft case. $350

>SOLD SOLDYaesu FT2500M 2M 50W mobile, AS NEW in the box, with FTS17a
>encode/decode board, MH27 mike, SOLDSOLD

R/S DX440 portable SW RX, digital, clock/timer, memories, lots of nice features, same as Sangean 803, AS NEW in the box with new AC adapter $100

R/S TRC232 40 ch. top of the line handheld CB, about 4 hours use AS NEW in the box sells around $150 new, first $90

PRO-62 handheld 200ch scanner w/800 (blocked) mhz., w/adapter/charger, VG-EXC condition, no box. $125

Nokia 100 cell phone w/DC cord, good shape,
Audiovox Pro-95 bag phone, GC, no battery, DC cord only, best offers on both

consider swaps for any/all.
ppd MO/cert. only, shipping extra.
email replies please

4977. F.S. FT-51R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ben P. Cook" <bcook@juno.com>
Message-ID: <3391BD4F.4C8C@juno.com>
Source record: 174052

I've got a Yaesu FT-51R that I'm looking to sell. It's in great condition and used for about a year. I'm looking to buy the new Icom 706MKII. I've got the Ni-Cad battery, the charger, the AA baterry pack, rubber ducky it came with, and all the manuals. I'm asking $345 for the package. I've got extras if you're intrested, or make me an offer!
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Ben Cook Paintball: Ham Radio:
bcook@juno.com Tag Team KE6YPF Tech.
San Jose,CA TIP#1763 Yaesu FT-51R

4978. Re: Charging a gel cell battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: griffin@jgfl1.allcon.com
Message-ID: <EB3F4w.3LL@jgfl1.allcon.com>
Source record: 174053

I'm using a 12v gel cell at 9.5Ah and have built a simple charger
with a 7815 followed by one or two silicon diodes to achieve the
necessary voltage drop (1 diode => 14.4V, 2 diodes => 13.8V).
Since the maximum charging current is a bit higher than the maximum
current from the 7815, there is no need for other current limiting.

I'm sending the schematics via email.

Hope that helps,
73, Jens, DB9LL

Dan Walker (SciCon@ix.netcom.com) wrote:
> I have a 12v gel cell rated at 17.2Ah, and I have the usual questions
> about charging.

> Here are the specs:

> cyclic 14.4 - 15.0v 4.3A Max
> standby 13.5 - 13.8v no limit
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Disclaimer: Not only do I speak for myself; I am myself.

4979. 3-500Z Plate Caps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: km1h@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970601.132425.9695.9.km1h@juno.com>
Source record: 174054

Brand new ones are available at @ $7.50 ea from:
Jeremy Communications
Box 973
Pelham, NH 03076

Phone: 603-635-1170

No minimum orders. All kinds of other SB-220 parts also available;
switches, coils, variable caps, transformers.

73....Carl KM1H

4980. WTB Yeasu YM-47 mike for 290r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage1@mailhost.epix.net
Message-ID: <3391E276.1D59@mailhost.epix.net>
Source record: 174055

Anybody got this animal or connector
Doug

4981. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Nance <jnance@one.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6eb9$7189e980$37c270ce@computer>
Source record: 174056

At Dayton they showed a USA made 505DSP computer controlled rig (no knobs) 100 watt output to be available at the end of July for retail $1995. They state it is TRUE if DSP @ 40 mhz. I was told at their both this is their commercial rig with differant software for Ham Radio. Their address is www.kachina-az.com.

73 de KE4WY Jim

Radiomatt <radiomatt@aol.com> wrote in article <19970601154700.LAA15147@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Kachina does not sell ham radios..only commercial stuff and some military.
> Most banana republics use their stuff because it's cheap...relatively
> speaking.
> Matt
>

4982. FS: JRC JST245 HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Gusky <mgusky@premier.net>
Message-ID: <3391BA20.7CF7@premier.net>
Source record: 174057

For sale: JRC JST 245 HF Transceiver
Excellent condition
Still in factory warranty
150 watts HF+6 meters
Pass Band Tuning
Variable Bandwidth Control
Auto Notch Filter
Auto Ant Tuner

This rig is "as new" and from the latest production run (s/n 2894).

$1800 plus shipping

Mike K5UX (504) 293-8409
mgusky@premier.net

4983. Re: Make Cash, not the same old Scam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor <victor@vicmck.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <L3oEzCAFiWkzEw3G@vicmck.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 174058
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

You are quite right it is NOT the same old scam.
Its a NEW one !
Please go elsewhere as scam merchants are not welcome here.
--
Victor

4984. 8072 Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel J. Marshall" <danmarshall@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3391CA17.66D9@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174059

Say, I am not really into Ham eq., but have some 8072 tubes, which I understand are used in such equipment. Could someone tell me whether this tube is currently in common use and what such tubes would be worth. I am not sure they are new, so will assume they are used and will be checked before any are sold or traded. Any help would be appreciated as I have quirte a few of these tubes. Antique Electronics lists them new for $129.60 each. Also, I would appreciate a copy to my E-Mail address, as I do not habitually frequent this NG. If anyone is interested in any of these tube, please let me know.

Dan Marshall

4985. @@@ HF + 6M Tranceivers @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme.NOSPAMcom
Message-ID: <3391c899.3132043@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 174060
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello.

I am considering to buy a new HF tranceiver w/6M (+ 2M preferable,
but optional) with a reasonable price. (well... I have to get a morse
code qualification first though. I will try to get a CW qualification
within a month or two... as soon as I finish the school !!)
I am looking around CAN$1500-2000 (US$1100-1500).
The tranceiver must (be):

- All mode TX, All mode RX
- Min. 100W HF + Min. 10W 6M TX
- multi continuous RX
- Antenna Tuner

ie. Kenwood's TS-570S

If there is a used equipment that fits above catagory [must be able to
tune in digital (I am not looking for something that is 10 years old
!!), all mode TX tranceiver], I am willing to pay 50-75% of new
equipment price. I, however, prefer a new one as long as the
warranty is concerned.

Thanks for your help !!!!!

Masa
Masa@WriteMe.NOSPAMcom
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/ (General Interest)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/radio.htm (Ham Freqs + BC Freqs)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/scanner.htm (R.S. scanners)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/pro26.htm (Cellular Bands Info)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/at600.htm (AT-600 Dual Bander)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/freqs.htm (Int'l Freqs Info)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/mod.htm (Modifications)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/cb.htm (CB General Info)
Spam Security is ON:
Remove "NOSPAM" from noted e-mail address to contact me.

4986. Re: WTB- Old broadcast and pro-audio eqpt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel J. Marshall" <danmarshall@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3391D1BD.7DF5@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 174061

Mark Linett wrote:
>
> I am interested in purchasing all kinds of compressor/ amplifiers, older
> microphones, mic preamps,mic mixers and other professional broadcast and
> recording equipment for my collection and recording studio.
>
> Especially interested in anything by Langevin and RCA.
>
> The older the better, and basket cases are always welcome.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> .Mark Linett
> 818-244-1909

Mark,

I have an old PA amplifier that looks as though it may have come out of the thirties or forties. It uses 6L6G, 6N7s, etc. Am not sure of the brand and haven't fired it up yet. It has a grey hammertone chassis sith sloping front panel and has a grey hammertone cage. Overall condition looks to be quite good. Is this something in which you might have an interest? I likely will check it out and get it operational before too long.

Dan Marshall

4987. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Lanza <kc7im1@c2i2.com>
Message-ID: <3391C764.634A@c2i2.com>
Source record: 174062

Ej Mars wrote:
>
> I need a few small cans of Refrigent 12 used in Automotive AC Systems and
> willing to pay $5 each. Let me know how many you have. Please respond to
> ej.mars@lagn.comThanks
>
>
Try Mexico they make it there and sell it for about $2-$3 per lb.

4988. FS: Compaq 4/75 laptop loaded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Alexander <alexander@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3391CF44.7917@mindspring.com>
Source record: 174063
Cross-posted to: az.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:

Compaq LTE Elite 4/75cx color laptop with:

24MB RAM

PCMCIA cards (two can be used at a time):
3Com Ethernet (10Base-T) PCMCIA card
Megahertz 28.8 PCMCIA modem
Noteworthy Audio PC Card (PCMCIA) for external mic, speakers

Two batteries with external dual-battery charger

Full-size case

This is in excellent condition, but is now rarely used. I need a new
desktop for my kids instead!

This is over $4000 worth of stuff, but will sacrifice for $1150 (all
serious offers considered). Please email for details (steve@inorbit.com)

--
steve@inorbit.com

4989. Clone cable for IC-2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwowen@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970601204500.QAA12140@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 174064

Looking for anyone who has the cloning cable or the schematics for it.

Also, if you have a problem with high mic gain on this unit, call Icom America and they can send you the modification for it or you can send the microphone in and they will modify it for you. The modification reduces the mic gain by 10dB, and REALLY cleans up the Xmit audio. Makes it sound like the great radio that it is.

73

Cliff Owen
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Clifford W. Owen
N3YYP
n3yyp@callsign.net

My thoughts are my own, and NO ONE can control them!
Protect "Freedom of Speech" and oppose "Censorship"!

4990. need 706 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ***drx1001@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3391b5bc.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 174065

Hello,
I need "VHF Mars mod" or any VHF mods. I know that the transcever is not type accepted when modded! Before the radio police swoop down on me work on 11 meters!

4991. Re: fs: Kenwood TS440s AT Very fine

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3391b804.1056921@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 174066

On 1 Jun 1997 04:27:34 GMT, "Mike d." <techman@series2000.com> wrote:

>Kenwood TS440S AT HF Transceiver
>Includes:
>MC-60 Desktop Microphone
>Kenwood Phone Patch
>1:1 Balun dipole antenna
>Very fine condition
>
>750.00 + shipping
>
>Email techman@series2000.com
>
>Thanks
>Mike
MIKE:
INTERSETED IN YOUR 440 AND THE MC 60.
Send me your Phone #.
Albert. Wa3fib.
aldel@ibm.net
Tnx.

4992. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3391e273.206051940@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174067

On 1 Jun 1997 15:47:34 GMT, radiomatt@aol.com (Radiomatt) wrote:
>Kachina does not sell ham radios..only commercial stuff and some military.
>Most banana republics use their stuff because it's cheap...relatively
>speaking.
>Matt

Well that has certainly changed now. They debuted their new *amateur radio*
at Dayton.

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4993. A Copy of FT-8500 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe scanman <joe@mama.net>
Message-ID: <3391EAD5.4B85@mama.net>
Source record: 174068
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: Wft8500.exe

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

4994. FS: O-scopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: radarguy@gdi.net
Message-ID: <3390e6a3.280678@news.gdi.net>
Source record: 174069

Tektronix 321A - This is a portable that can run on AC power or with D size batteries. 6 Mhz single trace. Comes with nice leather case. $150 SALE PENDING

HP 1740A - 100 Mhz Dual trace scope Excellent condition - asking $450 SOLD

HP 1740A - 100 Mhz Dual trace scope Excellent condition except handle is removed and one foot off the back is broken - asking $410

Tektronix 504 - This is a low BW scope but working It includes a spare for parts. Make me an offer around $40 for both to get them out of my garage.

Tektronix 604 scope monitor. Working with small cosmetic flaw in fron bezel. Asking $50

Shipping is extra

For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son,
that whoever believes in Him should not perish,
but have eternal life. John 3:16

4995. FS: electronic heating pads

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: radarguy@gdi.net
Message-ID: <3390e66e.227663@news.gdi.net>
Source record: 174070

Heating pads-

These are about 1/16" thick rubber type material 24" by 10".
One side has adhesive.
Operate on 240 volts and delivers 120 Watts.

3 available. Asking $15 each plus shipping.

Russ
For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son,
that whoever believes in Him should not perish,
but have eternal life. John 3:16

4996. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3391ec40.208561679@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174071

On 31 May 1997 08:13:31 -0400, jmaass@freenet.columbus.oh.us (Jeffrey Maass) wrote:

>Audio dB and signal-level dB are different things. What the "smallest (dB)
>level discernable to the human ear" is extraneous to the present
>discussion, since the human ear cannot hear RF.

For modulations where SNR = CNR, IE most modulations we use other than
FM and some digital techniques, there is a one to one correspondence between
RF signal ratios and demodulated signal ratios (discounting use of AGC). A
db is a db. For example, for SSB one can consider demodulation to simply
be frequency conversion from RF to AF with any signal dynamics preserved
in the translation.

For systems such as FM, modulation indexes greater than 1 allow recovered
SNR to exceed CNR. And of course coding gain can do the same for digital
modulations. So the correspondence isn't as straightforward in these cases.

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4997. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3391ee99.209163118@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 174072

On 1 Jun 1997 18:26:28 GMT, "Jim Nance" <jnance@one.net> wrote:

>At Dayton they showed a USA made 505DSP computer controlled rig (no knobs)
>100 watt output to be available at the end of July for retail $1995. They
>state it is TRUE if DSP @ 40 mhz. I was told at their both this is their
>commercial rig with differant software for Ham Radio. Their address is
>www.kachina-az.com.

That's 40 *kilo*Hertz.

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4998. Re: Mobile CB aerial suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5muet0$5e7@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173875
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ckrin@Iamerica.net*no.spam (Charles S. Krin, DO FAAFP) wrote:

>I used to have good luck with a 5/8 wave "Firestick" top loaded coil
>type- they've got them as short as 2 ft long, which work very well
>even at highway speeds with a 6 inch mag mount set- can get both of
>these at your friendly neighborhood truck stop for a total of about
>$20! Also works great as a scanner antenna.....but not so hot on 2 M!

>ck (proud owner of a 94 Trooper)

About using CB antennas on a 2-M rig; there is a 2-M strip-line
filter in the ARRL Handbook that I made one of, and it matches
2-M to CB antennas like crazy!

A foot of 1/2" copper tube and a var cap and a couple 50-ohm
connectors and a 2" X 2" X 14" box, and a bit of patience is all it
took.

Try it, you'll like it.

WB0NRU
Lou.

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

4999. Re: rg-8 coax specifications?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5muet3$5e7@camel7.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173876

cruzz@aa.net (james k) wrote:

>I might have a deal that i cant pass up but need more information on rg-8 coax
>cable.
>What i have a possibliity of buying is 2 500 foot rools of older radio shack
>large rg-8 coax still on the woden spools for a total of 1,000 feet.

>I need to know what are the freqency limits of rg-8 coax and other limitations
>plus what this normally sells for since its parts number is discontinued?

>james

If it is the stuff I got from them once (never more) then it has about

65-75% braid coverage, and is going to be leaky as all git-out.

I wouldn't touch it.

Lou WB0NRU

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

5000. Re: Kenwood V7A Problems!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6f52$42613700$574e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 173877

It seems to me, if you are using the UHF side for remote control, and you change the UHF frequency established for control, then suddenly your mobile will be listening on it "control" band to a DIFFERENT frequency than you're transmitting on from your HT, therefore, it won't work. My Icom IC-2350H operates the same way. I CAN'T change the UHF side since it's used for remote control and must remain on the same "control" frequency.

That is MY justification for NOT being able to do that...

73,

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

> >Cant seem to change bands remotely from an HT keypad (you can change
> >bands from the mic PF key). This is important for being able to
> >remotely control both sides of the radio.
>

5001. Schematics needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: xczarek@apci.net
Message-ID: <3393c1bf.448462@news.apci.net>
Source record: 173878

Can anyone help?
Need schematics for:
Techtronics scope mod. 212
H/P counter mod. 5381A
Thanks from W9SAY and...
Regards,
Charlie
-
For return mail, remove the "x"

5002. Re: Cherokee 6-m Handheld - Opinions!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Valdes <jvaldes@whoi.edu>
Message-ID: <3392D7E8.819B76D9@whoi.edu>
Source record: 173879

Brian wrote:
>
> Yes Bill, I have always tought that Uniden could blow away the
> competition (Kenwoods TS-60 for $1000) with a 6 meter version of the
> 10M
> ALL mode HR-2600. Imagine an all mode 6 meter rig for under $300!
> Brian/N0iMD

Are there any WEB pages to describe the Cherokee??

5003. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: res@cmprime.cis.att.com
Message-ID: <5mull2$fg6@anchor.cis.att.com>
Source record: 173880

: anyhow, back to the original question:

: will i damage my tubes? :-)

Nah.
You are going to run about 2500 watts input to get 1500 watts out. That is 500 watts dissipation per tube, intermittant duty (ssb or cw assumed). If you never stopped talking you would still be well within the ratings of the tube. And the amp gets to cool off even more during your receive periods. If you are reasonably carefull tuning up those 3-500s should last a lifetime.

Rick K2XT

: delete the xx from my email address to reply

5004. FS or Trade: FT2400H 2-meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Chisholm <chisholm@spec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6f68$9071f2c0$c0956bc0@sleepy.spec.com>
Source record: 173881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Yaesu FT2400H 2 Meter mobile with mike ,dc cable, mounting bracket ,
factory box and manual for sale or trade. I really want to trade it for a very compact 2 meter mobile such as a Kenwood TM241, IC 281, or Alinco 150 T. I bought a small car and the Yaesu is to deep to fit in the good location. Any radio I trade for must be in excellent condition as this radio is. Again the key word is "compact". If you want to buy the radio outright I would like $245.00 for it but I really just want to trade it for what I need. Please send offers to chisholm@spec.com. I am in the Austin, Texas area.

5005. HELP! w/Motorola Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5doc@dxnet.com
Message-ID: <3394d7c8.532827@news.dxnet.com>
Source record: 173882

HELP!!

I just picked-up a really clean Motorola HMN1010A Microphone,
mobile type WITH *Touchtone....

***Do you have the pin-out/connection data for the Mike Jack
(telephone modular type)??

Thank you!

Any help will be greatly appreciated!

WA6IGJ

5doc@dxnet.com Please remove "5" from my email address to respond!

5006. FS; ALINCO DR-150T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cheewug@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602153801.LAA29339@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173883

Hello , I have a 10 month old and in mint condition , ALINCO DR-150T
$230.00 (I'll Ship/48) - $215.00 (U-Ship)
I have the box , mic , mobile bracket , power cord.
I do not have the manual but it is easy to program.
100 memory , 440 & Aircraft RCV. Mars-Cap.
If interested send reply for phone or send your phone #.

73 , Rich.

5007. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <3392e5e6.13082758@news.enter.net>
Source record: 173884

On 30 May 1997 15:17:49 -0700, Marco S Hyman
<marc@dumbcat.codewright.com> wrote:

>Opinions wanted:
>
>Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
>most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
>prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
>buy things?
>

although its not 'in the shack' the best piece of equipment that makes
a difference is the antenna.

delete the xx from my email address to reply

5008. Re: yaesu FT50R question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3392da69.3645488@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 173885

wf3h@enter.netxx wrote:

:Ive got a friend who is a deputy sheriff in Pittsburgh. He's got a
:line on an FT50R with a serial number beginning 6L. He's wondering if
:this can be opened up to tx above 470? there is a european model which
:can be programmed to do this; its possible the 6L serial number is for
:a canadian unit which may be openable. anybody have info? thanks
:all...

I suggest yo don't give him any info at all. Being a deputy sheriff it would be in his interest to report anybody suspected of using such a radio to tx out of band. No service, other than amateur radio, and perhaps some experimental licences, allow tx with non type approved radios.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

5009. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3392d9f8.3532132@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 173886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

wf3h@enter.netxx wrote:

:On Mon, 26 May 1997 15:07:57 -0300, Matthew Mayfield <slayer@exis.net>
:wrote:
:
:>FOR SALE:
:>Yaesu FT-50R 5 watt 99ch Handheld
:>
:>Extra Options include:
:>FTT-12 DTMF keypad, Digital Voice Record, ctcss encode/decode, DTMF
:>paging and Squelch.
:>
:>E-DC-6 External Power Cable
:>MH-34B4B Speaker Mic
:>RH-1 Rubber case Protector
:>SMA to BNC adapter
:
:Tried to send this via email but for some reason it wont go. Is this
:radio openable to tx above 470? whats the serial number?

If it could be made to put out reasonable power at 477 Mhz it could
be used on the UHF CB band where it is unlikely anybody would worry
about lack of type approval.

:>Dual Band Telescoping Ant.
:>
:>$375.00
:>

Barry

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return address.

5010. Amateur radio virtual stations (like "Dr. DX") for the PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmg60@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602160201.MAA01233@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173887

I would like to get a virtual radio station (like "Dr. DX" for the
Commadore C 64).
I would like to be able to use it with my PC.
Any information will be appreciated.

5011. Non-inductive resistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: BFletche@mail.state.wi.US
Message-ID: <339312A5@ecbgateway.wecb.state.wi.us>
Source record: 173888

I am looking for a source or sources for non-inductive high power resistors.
I am in the process of re-doing my T2FD antenna; consequently the need for
such. Thanks.

Bill Fletcher AF9B
bfletche@mail.state.wi.us

5012. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3392f518.13733263@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173889

On 1 Jun 1997 22:14:45 -0700, davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:
>n7lxo@olympusTrAsH.net (Charles O'Hara) writes:
>>While I am a certified technician, and while I'm not sure I fully
>>agree that the shift to alternate refrigerants was warranted, I would
>>still say, "Bite the bullet. Make the shift. It might make the
>>atmosphere a bit better for those who follow us."
>
>Is there an alternative refrigerant that can be used in systems originally
>designed for R-12? If so, does it require all of the R-12 to be removed
>from the system first?
>
>(I have a car with an R-12 system - not much else was available in 1991.
>So far it hasn't needed any extra refrigerant...)

There is an alternative. It is called GHG-12. It isn't certified for automotive use, but it isn't forbidden either. It will mix in any proportion with R-12, and it is compatible with the lubricants used with R-12. Best of all, it is cheap, and you can even make it yourself. It is a mixture of propane and isobutane, 80/20 by weight. It actually offers about 10% better cooling efficiency than R-12 and contains no ozone destroying chlorine (note that R-134 *does* contain ozone destroying chlorine, just not as much as R-12).

Don't be concerned that this is a combustible mixture. R-134 *with its lubricant* is also a combustible mixture. In the quantities used in an automotive system, there is no excess hazard from using GHG-12.

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Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5013. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gtk@mis.haselow.com
Message-ID: <gtk-0206971239450001@gkopp.haselow.com>
Source record: 173890

I personally am a big fan of mail order. I'd rather not give the xtra 5.25% to the state of Ohio. I live/work winthin 30 minutes of the Wickliffe, Ohio Amateur Electronics Supply. The people behind the counter are, for the most part, nice guys. All hams (and they can speak english!). I go up there on my lunch hour sometimes to just browse the store. I don;t look at too many radios, they're behind the counter, and if you're "just looking" they're typical in what I've seen in store front/mail order companies. They'd rather take the commission on the 5 mail orders they get on the phone, than waste 20 minutes with you. It's rather understandable. Most of thier business, and HRO's comes from mail order phone orders.

I will buy smaller items at AES, books, tapes, maybe an antenna. But I usually go mail order for the bigger items. I can almost always get a better price. However, I have bought a couple HT's from AES in the store. But all of my mobiles have come from other places. I have found Oklahoma Comm Center to be okay on price, too.

Just my two cents.

73 de Greg N8JMS

In article <01bc6d18$d4a754f0$f4ebe5cd@mail>, "Mark Skjerve" <mark@pcis.net> wrote:

> I have never pesonally been to HRO, but just recently ordered a radio from
> them, and had a good/bad experince with them.
>
> I ordered a Yaesu FT-8000 recently, I knew what I wanted, did my homework,
> checked prices on most all vendors on the 'net that published prices and
> HRO as the cheapest BY FAR on this radio.
>
> Called to place the order, got a sales guy who could hardly speak english,
> ordered the radio on a monday and paid a extra $10.00 for 3 day shipping.
> Wendsday rolled around and no radio, called and got a tracking #, only to
> find out that the radio was shipped that day (three day's after placing the
> order). I repeated the address to the sales person 4 times on the phone
> (like I said, he could hardly speak english), and he still mispelled the
> city and the zip code was wrong. I did get a shipping number, and the radio
> did arrive the following monday, although I was really worried that UPS
> would ship it back to HRO because of a mispelled address, but I did get the
> radio. Never called them back to complain about getting back my $10.00 for
> 3 day shipping, oh well, they were $50.00 cheaper on the radio than anybody
> else I could find, so I didn't worry much about it.
>
> Only other comment, I requested 4 times in the last year on their web page
> to send a catalouge, and never recieved one. After placeing my order for

> the radio, I got a catalouge in the mail 3 day's later without asking...
>
> My 2 cent's worth...
> Mark (kb0vla@pcis.net)
>
> Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
> <337F0727.6539@ix.netcom.com>...
> > Good morning,
> >
> > I would like to ask everyone who reads this not to shop at any Ham Radio
> > Outlet store ever again. Why? Here's why...
> >
> > I work in sales. I am good at it. I make a lot of money. The reason I
> > make a lot of money is because my customers are happy and give me their
> > business. Why are they happy? Because I provide great customer
> > service. I listen to my customer's needs and meet them on a daily
> > basis. Yes, I do this so I can get their money. I also do it so the
> > customer will feel good about giving it to me and I will feel good about
> > taking it. When I spend money at Ham Radio Outlet I don't walk out
> > feeling good about the whole thing. From the moment I walk in I feel as
> > if I am being analyzed. Am I buying something or am I just looking. If
> > I'm looking I'm suddenly a waste of time. When I do converse with a
> > "sales" person. I'm treated like a retard. As if I should already know
> > the answers to the questions I am asking. I try to ask intelligent
> > questions in order to make an intelligent purchase. The sales people at
> > Ham Radio Outlet treat me like I should walk in, throw down my money,
> > and walk out. Don't want to make them work too much ya know? Well I
> > walked out last time thinking, "I know my customers wouldn't put up with
> > the terrible customer service at Ham Radio Outlet and neither will I."
> > Ham Radio Outlet is the only game in town besides mail order. They have
> > you over a barrel and they plan to keep you there. I myself hate mail
> > order but that is the only place I am going to spend my money. The
> > level of customer service certainly couldn't be any worse. I'm not sure
> > why the people behind the counter at Ham Radio Outlet act the way they
> > do. I know I'm not going to put up with it any longer.
> >
> > Don't even ask me how they treat you when they find out you're a no-code
> > technician. They almost throw up. It would be interesting to see what
> > percentage of their business goes to no-code technician class operators.
> >

5014. Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: AndFre@RELM-COMM.COM
Message-ID: <c=US%a=_%p=RELM-COMM%l=ATOM-970602171516Z-462@atom.relm-comm.com>
Source record: 173891

I am looking for manuals for the following:

AN/PRC-47

AN/ARC-2A

ALFRED model 5071 sweep network analyzer

Fred Anderson KB4DMQ

5015. Help with RS htx-242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boliver Allmon <ballmon@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5muukq$50k$1@news5.gte.net>
Source record: 173892

Can anyone help me with a RS HTX-242? I just purchased new and the controls on the mike do not work. (The PTT does, but that is all.) I have made sure the Lock button is not in the on position. I am just about ready to return it and get another, but I would hate to do so if I am doing something wrong.

Thanks and 73,

Boliver Allmon, KC5PCS

5016. KNWD MS-1 mobile stand

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: marshall@hilconet.com
Message-ID: <5mumdt$qbs@snews2.zippo.com>
Source record: 173893

I have old mobile stand, power supply or charger for older handhelds.
Anyone need one for ten bux shipped?? tks es 73 PS itis the Model
NS-1, has cord to plug into car cigarette lithgter.

5017. WTB WINRADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROBERT C JOHNSON <TELTEKUSA@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3393425A.12D@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173894

WANT TO BUY WINRADIO

BOB

5018. Azden AZ-61 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Sherwood <kf5gc@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3393786A.7562@hotmail.com>
Source record: 173895

Does anyone have any mods for the azden AZ-61 6 meter handheld. If so please e-mail me. I have just recieved one and it seems like a real nice handheld.

5019. WTB: Motorola HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: annen@execpc.com
Message-ID: <865300562.25473@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173896

I am in search of a motorola HT suitable for the 2 meter amatuer radio band. A radio with at least 3 channels and a battery in good working condition would be nice. The radio should be in full working condition. Basically I am looking for a budget priced radio that does not have to have all the bells and whistles, just enough to work repeaters and a little simplex. Many thanks, Matt Annen, KB9OIV

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5020. Sony SW-55 Shortwave Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmorr@travelin.com
Message-ID: <865301107.26023@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Receives AM/SSB/CW as well as FM stereo.
New condition. Excellent audio. Tuning steps of 100 Hz.
Digital display shows time (local and GMT/UTC),
frequency, map of the world, etc. Lots of memories, alphanumeric naming of
stations, power on/off features. Comes in its own soft case.
Radio itself is 8x5x1-9/16 inches in size and weighs
about 2 lbs.

Radio fits into a small paded slip case which can then be placed
into the full carry case along with the AC adaptor, clip-on reel-out
antenna, frequency directory, and manual.

Original box all accesories and manuals as new, asking $250 delivered
FedEx 2nd day COD

Sells new for $350. Asking $270, in perfect shape.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5021. FS:DrakeR8A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3393A030.6B0B@erols.com>
Source record: 173898

Mint condition Drake R8A with Vhf converter board. Radio is about one year old. Comes with original manuals, original box, Rs-232 interface, Vhf converter (Drake), Scan-cat gold for windows. This radio sells for $1056.00 with out the Vhf converter which costs another $220.00. On top that you get scan-cat gold for windows with the radio. The price is $900.00 FIRM! If interested please email me here or call. Or, if in the Delaware Valley area, stop in and try the radio out! If you like, I will sell it to you with out the VHF board for $790.00.... You just can't beat the price. I guarantee there is nothing wrong with this radio or I will give you your money back....

Don't Wait too long... This is a top rated Radio in all of the SWL and Ham radio review books and Magazines......

Brian Berkes
email or call
(609)-482-6976 Home
#

5022. Need TS130SE schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Tucker <sts@ac.net>
Message-ID: <33938C33.7C77@ac.net>
Source record: 173899

Hello,

I am looking for a good readable schematic or copy for the Kenwood TS130/SE. If you have one that you can copy or send I'll gladly pay copy/mailing costs. I would also be interested in a copy of the service manual for same radio. Thanks much!
--
Larry Tucker, N4KVP

5023. WTB: MFJ 989C 3kw tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <5muf2e$32g@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 173900

Looking for a MFJ 989c tuner in very good or better condition

If you have one that needes a home,
please contact me at:

E-mail afn02823@afn.org
or W 352-395-0316
H 352-331-2415

David Price, Ke4zqz

5024. FS: Kenwood TS-20 HF Rig ForSale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Penguin@thepentagon.com
Message-ID: <865304822.28645@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173901
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

I have for sale an Amateur Radio Kenwood HF unit model Ts-20..VERY good condition, and in Excellent condition. $850.00 Or Email me your offer or questions at ===dapackers@hotmail.com=== I will be happy to supply more info.

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5025. Info on overhauling rotators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Orville Beach <orv@micom.com>
Message-ID: <33938A12.21182FD7@micom.com>
Source record: 173902

I'm getting ready to pull my rotator out of my tower. It's been up
there 10 years, and over the years got harder and harder to start
rotating. I suspect either a bad AC starting capacitor, or some
mechanical binding through the thrust bearing, or possibly both.
It's a HAM IV.

I'd be interested to know where one can buy/order repair parts for such
a creature.

Thanks In Adance

73 - Orv - W6BI (ex-WB6WEY)
orv@micom.com

5026. Need "Blank" or "Bad" Bird slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33939266.5B28@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173903

I need (2) Blank Bird slugs or (2) defective bird slugs for a Bird 43. I want to modify my Bird without actually modifying the case. Plan to add switches to the Blank or Defective Bird slugs. Not sure this whole idea will work out so am looking to spend as little as possible. If you can help me out please let me know.

Thnx
Bob

5027. ICOM IC-706 MK II for CAP/MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian A. Berry" <b.berry@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3393927D.3CDB@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173904

I'm trying to find out if the new MK II version of the IC-706 will support CAP/MARS operations in the HF and 2m bands. Specifically:

1) Can it be modified to transmit and receive outside of the normal ham bands, and

2) Can it be modified to operate with a TX/RX split of at least 5 MHz in the 140 -150 MHz range?

I have received conflicting reports from official and unofficial sources on the above. I would like testimonials from those who have actually determined the IC-706 MK II's capabilities in this area.

Thanks. (BTW, this is a "legitimate" request: I am active in both CAP and MARS).

5028. 2510 Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. B. Spencer" <spencer@satcom.net>
Message-ID: <3393875D.815@satcom.net>
Source record: 173905

Announcing the location of a website dedicated to the owners and operators of the 2510/Lincoln 10 meter transceiver. Check it out at http://www.spiraweb.com/lincolnweb/ e-mail: lincoln1000@spiraweb.com

5029. FS: Hobbyist's tube stock...over 800 types!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: *locoprom@adan.kingston.net
Message-ID: <5mue53pbm2@gollum.kingston.net>
Source record: 173906
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

We're clearing out the garage!

This garage, however, contains an extensive stockpile of NOS and used vacuum tubes which has been growing since the mid-1930's.

The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all at fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio Equipment, etc. please email:

locoprom@adan.kingston.net

Thanks for your interest!

5030. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Edwards <threepalms@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33939B0A.40F2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

norman wrote:
>
> AMP DRAW DEPENDS ON THE BATT. A 350 AMP HOUR BATT WILL DELIVER 350 AMPS
> FOR 1 HR, OR HALF THAT FOR 2 HRS ETC, ETC.

NOT TRUE! There are time and temperature constants that are involved.

> CHECK THE BAT TERMINALS WITH
> THE ENGINE RUNNING AT A FAST IDEL. SHOULD READ 13.5 TO 14.4
> MOST LIKELY YOU BATT IS SHOT.
>
However, your diagnosis is probably very correct.

73 de KD6HRT

5031. Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Gray <sgray@richmond.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc6f7a$8d8c32c0$2b6aa68d@gray.urich.edu>
Source record: 173908

anybody tried out the new Yaesu FT-920? if so, would appreciate a review.

73/KU4EE
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Sam Gray
sgray@richmond.edu
http://www.richmond.edu/~gray

5032. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <33935705.4619047@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 173909

On Mon, 02 Jun 1997 05:03:13 -0700, NeilT@worldnet.att.net wrote:

>Marco S Hyman wrote:
>>
>> Opinions wanted:
>>
>> Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
>> most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
>> prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
>> buy things?
>>
>> I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.
>>
>> // marc
>
>A ham sandwich on rye with mayonaisse and a bottle of 12 year scotch

A coffee cup with some white fuzzy stuff in it, One white sock,
random books and newspapers, bills on the table, a broken light bulb.
a few nickels and dimes, and a water ski (slalom)
..what else?
...Dave

5033. INTEL MB/CPU, YEASU ACCESSORIES, MORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602191501.PAA16124@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173910

YAESU EDC-12 Cigar adapter/noise filter/voltage regulator/fuse/batt clip/trickle charging/fits FT-11/41 & FT-51. New in box. $39 *SHIPPED* US.

YASEU CSC-67 Soft case for FT-51, FNB-31 small battery. Has open flap at bottom for larger batt and for above EDC-12 connection (without removing this protective case). $20 *SHIPPED* US.

14.4KBPS internal modem $29 *SHIPPED* US.

INTEL PENTIUM 90mhz MB, CPU with PCI, FAN and Y-connector. Compleate INTEL manual $169 *SHIPPED* US.

PCI SVGA card $39 *shipped*

If you prefer COD, add $20

5034. Re: ft26 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris ayres <cjayres@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <5mvbqg$uhm@proxy5.proxy.ozemail.net>
Source record: 173911

vk3two@bssc.edu.au wrote:

>i have seen some mods for the ft-26 and i have tried them but they don't
>seem to work!!! i need to know the status of all of the 10 solder pads
>
>thank you to any who can help!
>

If you have an Australian version FT-26, it uses a CPU that has
Australian band plan repeater offsets, but won't allow general coverage
transmit operation. Other functions are pretty much the same as the USA
version.

Cheers,
Chris Ayres,

5035. Re: ft26 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris ayres <cjayres@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <5mvbsl$uhm@proxy5.proxy.ozemail.net>
Source record: 173912

vk3two@bssc.edu.au wrote:

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>seem to work!!! i need to know the status of all of the 10 solder pads
>
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>

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transmit operation. Other functions are pretty much the same as the USA
version.

Cheers,
Chris Ayres,

5036. TRADE: 2meter amp for Alinco DR-130, DR-119, or HTX-212

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Smith <gsmith@dnaco.net>
Message-ID: <5mur8o$e05$1@pike.dnaco.net>
Source record: 173913

Hi alls:

I have a a 10watt in 80 watt out 2meter amp, I've personally never used. =
I would like to trade it for one of the mobile rigs listed. Alinco =
DR-130, or DR-119 or HTX-212. I like these rigs because I know they =
will fit in my small car.

Thanks,

Greg, N8PPZ

5037. FS: ICOM 735 plus Astron Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John D. Dobbs" <jdobbs@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <33932502.4E16@crosslink.net>
Source record: 173914

ICOM 735 all bands transceiver with broadcast bands receiver. Plus
Astron power supply. $500. Northern Virginia area. Reply by email.

5038. HOW LONG DOES IT HAVE TO SUCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Nolle <wa8inz@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <33937295.1688@mindspring.com>
Source record: 173915

Gosh how long will everyone go on and on about HRO. I thought i was going to like this newsgroup but i'm starting to have my doubs as to it's value to the Amateur radio group as a whole.
--
Bill WA8INZ

5039. JST-245 HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Gusky <mgusky@premier.net>
Message-ID: <3392D1F8.28D3@premier.net>
Source record: 173947

For sale: Japan Radio JST-245 HF+6 meters transceiver.
This unit is excellent condition and still in warranty.
Latest production run serial number 2894.

150 watts HF thru 6 meters
Auto Ant Tuner
Variable Bandwidth Control
Pass Band Tuning
Auto Notch Filter

$1800 plus shipping.

Mike K5UX
mgusky@premier.net
(504) 293-8409

5040. F. S. AL811 AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhickey389@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602000201.UAA00833@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173948

For sale: Ameritron AL811 600 watt amplifier. 3 years old. Very low hours. Excellent condx-one scratch. Best offer over $400.

Dennis WD9ALX

5041. ICOM 27H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mlussier <mlussier@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ee8$7236e700$6347accf@mlussier>
Source record: 173949

Help !!!
Does anyone have any mods for the ICOM 27H Mobile its only an 8 channel radio and I want to expand it to at least 16 channels. any ideas ??? I am also looking for the ICOM service manual for it (I have the owners manual !!)

5042. F. S. CD-45 II Rotator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhickey389@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602000500.UAA01095@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173950

For sale: Hygain CD-45 II Rotator. 3 years old, but new in box, never installed. Also, have 100 ft. rotator cable. Best price for both over $200. I ship.

Dennis WD9ALX

5043. Hey, stuff for SALE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602000800.UAA01321@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173951

YAESU EDC-12 Cigar adapter/noise filter/voltage regulator/fuse/batt clip/trickle charging/fits FT-11/41 & FT-51. New in box. $39 *SHIPPED* US.

YASEU CSC-67 Soft case for FT-51, FNB-31 small battery. Has open flap at bottom for larger batt and for above EDC-12 connection (without removing this protective case). $20 *SHIPPED* US.

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5044. Repeater Conversion instructions needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mlussier <mlussier@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6ee9$c40aaac0$6347accf@mlussier>
Source record: 173952

I am looking for a Repeater Conversion for a GE MASTR II
The Mobile is a UHF 100watt radio. any help would be appreciated.

Thank you

Mike Lussier
KF4MQF
mlussier@erols.com

5045. FS: YASEU 726 440 MODULE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: nimski1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602002000.UAA02431@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173953

I HAVE FOR SALE A 440 MODULE FOR THE YAESU 726 MULTIMODE. PRICE $225
STEVE W1SN

5046. NEW SPKR/MIC FOR KNWD HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6eea$715aa5e0$30d666ce@paul>
Source record: 173954

I HAVE FOR SALE A JCK SPM-301 SPEAKER/MIC FOR A KENWOOD HT. IT IS BRAND NEW//NEVER USED. COST $36.50 == WILL SELL IT FOR $25.00 DELIVERED USA. REASON: I SOLD MY KENWOOD HT AND NEVER GOT AROUND TO USING IT.

PAUL LONDON ki4xz@peganet.com ki4xz@kf4hfr

5047. Re: Hey, stuff for SALE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobw@col.hp.com
Message-ID: <5mt81v$mf6$1@nonews.col.hp.com>
Source record: 173955

Hey, try rec.radio.swap !

5048. Re: Every dB counts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5mt9gc$neg@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 173956

In article <19970601.114823.9695.2.km1h@juno.com>,
km1h@juno.COM wrote:

>Gary and others do not confuse lab tests run at audio and expect them to
>be identical in all RF receiving applications. In fact the accepted
>standard at audio today is that everyone can discern a 3dB change, 50%
>can discern 2dB and a small number can tell a 1.5dB change. This is in a
>controlled enviroment.
>
>At RF even a 1dB improvement can make the difference when the signal is
>at the noise. I noticed a big improvement on 160M DX CW QSO's when I
>went from 800 to 1200W. Numerous DXers and Contesters have noted that
>going from 100W to 1000W makes a lot more than an APPARENT difference of
>10dB during certain propagation conditions on any band. There appears to
>be a threshold level where a higher percentage of the signal is either
>absorbed or reflected.
>
> EME operators fight for tenths of a dB in their systems and have proven
>time and again that every fraction of a dB is important.
>
>Then there are those other times when I would 100% agree that even 3dB
>makes no apparent difference.
>
>73...Carl KM1H

From my o...ld experience when I was working on tropo-scatter systems and
microwave, LOS or refraction, no doubt every db counts. When you're just at
that threshold, even more so.
Tony, VE6CGX

5049. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <33922de8.6072146@news.enter.net>
Source record: 173957

On 1 Jun 1997 15:47:34 GMT, radiomatt@aol.com (Radiomatt) wrote:

>Kachina does not sell ham radios..only commercial stuff and some military.
>Most banana republics use their stuff because it's cheap...relatively
>speaking.
>Matt

sorry matt, your info is out of date. Kachina was at the dayton
hamvention...with the CEO in attendance. he said the ham market looked
attractive which is why theyve decided to enter it.

delete the xx from my email address to reply

5050. Re: drake l4b full power?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <33922b2c.5372167@news.enter.net>
Source record: 173958

On 1 Jun 1997 14:26:43 GMT, res@cmprime.cis.att.com (Richard E Stealey) wrote:

>
>A point I wanted to make was that it is a common misconception that a >SIGNIFICANT increase in power, doesn't produce meaningful results on >the air. I still stick by that and if I may I'd like to give 2 >(admittedly extreme) examples to clarify my point.

i agree as well. when you look at the math:

10dB=log (Pf/Pi)

for an antenna claiming 8dB gain then the ERP difference between 800 watts out, and 1400 watts out is:

10 E(-0.8)= Pf/Pi

or 6.3= Pf/Pi

for 800 W, ERP is 5 KW. for 1400W ERP is almost 9 KW.

while all the points made about relative signals 'sound' true, discussions ive had on this issue with some dxpeditioners of the Frankford Radio Club using blind tests indicate that 1 dB does make a 'hearability' difference.

anyhow, back to the original question:

will i damage my tubes? :-)

delete the xx from my email address to reply

5051. NDi 2m mobile transciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: snake@nternet.COM
Message-ID: <01BC6ECC.B2391380@john-lala>
Source record: 173959

I'm looking for any information I can find on the Ndi company or the NDi Hc 1400.. I recently acquired one in
need of repair, and would like to get it fixed. I am also looking for recieve and transmit modifications for the alinco dr592T

Thanks and "73's"
KC5OPE John

5052. NDi 2m mobile transciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: snake@nternet.COM
Message-ID: <01BC6ED7.6FFFF280@john-lala>
Source record: 173960

I'm looking for any information I can find on the Ndi company or the NDi Hc 1400.. I recently acquired one in
need of repair, and would like to get it fixed. I am also looking for recieve and transmit modifications for the alinco dr592T

Thanks and "73's"
KC5OPE John

5053. Collins 651S-1 receiver *** SOLD***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From:
-----++++++++++++++++++++++----------++
<ldhont@ti.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6a2e$44e48c80$135e5bc0@A0927429.itg.ti.com>
Source record: 173961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The 651S-1 is ** SOLD **

Thanks!

5054. ICOM - SM2 DESK MICROPHONE F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5mt976$139e@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 173962

ICOM SM 2 MICROPHONE F.S. LIKE NEW IN ORIGINAL CARTON
PRICE 50.00 PLUS S&H...

bob_weiss@prodigy.com

5055. EV-664 Wiring Diagram needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Valentine <tde@ntplx.net>
Message-ID: <339249DE.216D@ntplx.net>
Source record: 173963

Does anyone have the wiring diagram that comes with the EV-664 MIC? I need it for hi/lo impedence re-wire job. - Maybe send as attachment if you have a scanner!??!?? Thanks.
Rick, N1SQJ

5056. Need Kenwood IF-10C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: greenbay@tcd.NET
Message-ID: <199706020444.WAA03666@tcd.net>
Source record: 173964

I am still looking for the interface board that goes into the TS140S.
Please e-mail me if you have one you are willing to part with. Also any
inforation on any small ham stores, etc. with one still in stock.

73,

Gary, N7ARE

5057. Best Repeater Controller ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mead@dg.com
Message-ID: <5mtiqo$5v5@dg-rtp.dg.com>
Source record: 173965

Our club is planning on replacing our current controller. We would like to hear from others on what they are using and how they like it. We want a system that can be managed remotely via a windows program and is from a company that is likely to be around for a while. The controller needs to support at least four radios and should include a DVR.

Thanks,
Glenn Mead - ke4zea

5058. Icom 706mk2 on 10mtrs/FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: _meneer@poboxes.com_
Message-ID: <3392905b.10450149@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 173966

Hi,

Who is using FM-mode on 10 mtrs and can say if it works well?

I'm planning to buy this radio but FM 10mtrs MUST be good.

73, Rob

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I have put underscores in my e-mail address.
Remove them before sending your message.

5059. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: NeilT@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3392B681.7FB1@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173967

Marco S Hyman wrote:
>
> Opinions wanted:
>
> Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
> most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
> prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
> buy things?
>
> I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.
>
> // marc

A ham sandwich on rye with mayonaisse and a bottle of 12 year scotch

5060. WTB: 6CA& tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970602094700.FAA13095@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173968

Trying to help a friend locate new Amperex 6CA7 tubes. Thanks.

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

5061. FS: Yaesu FT-470 Dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc6f3c$3452e520$2978d4cd@admin>
Source record: 173969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello and thanks for reading this. I have the following items available for sale.

Yaesu FT-470 Dualband Handheld Radio
Rubber Flex Antenna
FBA-9 AAA Battery Case
PA-6 DC Car Adapter/Charger
NC-280 NiCd Battery Wallwart charger
Leatherette carrying case

Asking $225....I can be reached at kelchr@bright.net if you are interested.

5062. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33929B86.9C@hevanet.com>
Source record: 173970

NeilT@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
> Marco S Hyman wrote:
> >
> > Opinions wanted:
> >
> > Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
> > most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
> > prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
> > buy things?
> >
> > I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.
> >
> > // marc
>
> A ham sandwich on rye with mayonaisse and a bottle of 12 year scotch

And a warm YL to keep me company while I ... but then I wouldn't need
the
transmitter.....decisions, decisions...
--
Please remove NOSPAM from return address before replying.

5063. SB1000 circuit diagram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Duncan Clark" <duncan@genesys.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <0qLFbCARIqkzEww4@genesys.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 173971
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Folks,

Does anyone have a copy of the circuit for the Heathkit SB1000 single 3-500 linear. My instruction manual is missing page 70-72 and I want to modify it as I put the kit together to cover 6m in place of 160m.

I'll pay etc

Many thanks

Duncan
G4ELJ
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The problem with being on the cutting edge is that you occasionally get sliced from time to time....

Duncan Clark
DNAmp Ltd.
TEl/FAX 01252376288
http://www.dnamp.com
http://www.genesys.demon.co.uk

5064. Re: 50.620 packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <n9hyn@ntslink.net>
Message-ID: <3392AA98.47FA@ntslink.net>
Source record: 173972

Dave Booth wrote:
>
> Is anyone out there doing any packet on 50.62 or anyother 50mhz freq??
>
> If so please let me know your call and freq. and if it's APRS of regular
> packet. I'm thinking of starting a list of packet op's on 50mhz.
> Also thinking of getting my packet of 50.620.
>
> Thanks
> Dave Booth kc6wfs
>
> http://www.geocities/Hollywood/5860
> http://www.geocities/Hollywood/5860/50am.html
>
> Note the spamsaver when replying!!!!!!

There are 2 stations in our area running packet at 50.610. They are:
KB9GSS PBBS on Port 2 and WA9VRH PBBS on Port 4. Both run at 1200 baud
and are attached to nodes which connect to HF, 2M and 440.

5065. Help: Need repairman for AT-250 ant. tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: harry@connix.com
Message-ID: <3392b01f.1315838@news.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 173973

Hi and thx for reading.
I have a Kenwood AT-250 that appears to have a problem with the relays; in auto-tune mode, the set appears to reach an endpoint and then simply sits there (running). Looking for either a Maine repairman, by-mail repairman with references, or info on how to contact Kenwood to arrange repair. To anyone with a similar experience, please send info regarding repair cost, etc.
Thanks and 73
Harry
N1QVE

Harry White
Forest Pathology Laboratory
Department of Forest Ecosystem Science
University of Maine
5755 Nutting Hall
Orono, ME 04469-5755

5066. WTB Blank slug for Bird 43

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3392BC67.1DB3@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173974

Need a blank slug for my Bird 43. If you can help me out in this let me know.

Thnx
bob

5067. Re: Hey, stuff for SALE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W9FL <tbrock@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <5n020s$9j3@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 173775

bobw@col.hp.com (Bob Witte) wrote:
>Hey, try rec.radio.swap !
>

Hey! Hay? Hey!

5068. WTB: 900 MHz (33cm) Base/Mobile Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: lui@netcom.com
Message-ID: <luiEB6L36.6Fq@netcom.com>
Source record: 173776
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm looking for a 900 MHz (902-928) Base/Repeater and mobile antenna. Please e-mail with model, condition and price. Thanks!

Stephen

5069. FS: IRCs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art & Linda Hubert <n2au@lightlink.com>
Message-ID: <33939C76.1385@lightlink.com>
Source record: 173777

I have 300 IRCs for sale. 65 cents each. Postage paid for orders of 25 or more.

N2AU

5070. Looking for equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: eliminate@spam.com
Message-ID: <3393d471.9338872@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 173778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Wanted:

Gonset GR-212 or National NC-121 reciever.
Must be in like new original condition w/manual and preferably box.

Contact--------- K. Cox
15800 E. 44th Terr,
Inedpendence, Mo.
64055

5071. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #615

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: snake@nternet.COM
Message-ID: <19970603084602622.AAA174@john-lala>
Source record: 173779

I'm looking for any help I can get on obtaining information on
the NDi company or more specificlly the Hc1400 2m mobile
transciever.. I recently acquired one in need of repair. It's a really
nice looking rig and definitley a heavy duty one.. It's
in need of a mic, and a powercord also. I could use anyhelp I
can get.. recomendations for a repair tech who know's the radio anything..
you can email me at

"snake@nternet.com

Thanks
KC5OPE John

5072. Yaesu FT-1000MP FSK/Data Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nfn04270@naples.net
Message-ID: <33940b11.2888582@news.gate.net>
Source record: 173780

Yaesu FT-1000MP:

On the rear panel are two jacks labeled, "RTTY" and "Packet".
Is the FT-1000 MP capable of FSK as well as AFSK data input
from a multimode TNC?

Thanks for any info. 73. --John, K8JS

5073. Ten-Tec Omni VI PLUS FSK/CW Filters Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: nfn04270@naples.net
Message-ID: <33950c73.3242976@news.gate.net>
Source record: 173781

Ten-Tec Omni VI PLUS:

Is there anyone out there who happens to be using this rig for both
CW as well as the FSK mode?

Is it possible to have physically installed the FSK 500 Hz filter
as well as the CW 500 Hz and 250 Hz filters, and be able to
utilize each of those filters for the appropriate modes?

I operate mostly Pactor and CW and desire the capability of
being able to switch-in the appropriate filter as needed.

Thanks and 73. --John, K8JS

5074. HF remote controlled stations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel.GRunberg@telrad.co.IL
Message-ID: <c=US%a=_%p=TELRAD%l=MISMAIL-970603125935Z-280@mismail.MIS.ELEX.CO.IL>
Source record: 173782

I'm living in a very densely populated area with a lot
of electrical noise from HV lines and a bad antenna
location due to a lot of taller buildings around. For
this reason I've decided to install a HF complete station
on the sea beach, about 150' from the water line on the
roof of a hotel which manager is an old friend. I'm
living about 2 miles from this point and I don't have
any problem to reach the remote QTH by VHF/UHF
link or regular phone line .

I intend to remote from my home a HF transceiver, a
automatic-tune amplifier 500-1KW output, 2 beams
mounted on same tower/rotator, a vertical and a wire
antenna.

My questions are:

* what amplifiers can be remote controlled by a RS-232
link (I know only about the AlphaPower 87A model and
maybe JRC-2000) ? Which software is doing the job ?
Is the software able to indicate the forward & reflected
output power on same window ?
* what antenna switch matrix can be remote controlled in
same manner (I know only the AlphaPower). Is Alpha
supplying a common software for the 87A and antenna
switch ? Can they be controlled at same time ?
* what antenna rotator can be remote controlled (I know
only about Yaesu G-1000SDX and G-2800) ? Is Yaesu
supplying the needed software ?
* Is there any software package available today capable to
integrate on same data stream all the transceiver features
and commands, the TX/RX audio, the amplifier on/off switch
and bandswitch, antenna selecting switch and rotator control ?
or I have to use 2-3 separate links ? What are the proper
modems for this ? The new Kachina Communications 505-DSP
PC-controlled transceiver seems to solve a part of the problems
and I beleive that their remote control feature combine the TX/RX
audio from the SoundBlaster with the rig features commands
stream. Any other aplicable solutions ?

Please reply directly to my e-mail: morel.grunberg@telrad.co.il

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

5075. WTB: 2 meter handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Andrew Bell <rbell@uniserve.com>
Message-ID: <01bc6fe9$726de8c0$LocalHost@satan>
Source record: 173783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,van.forsale

I am looking for an older type 2 meter handheld tranceiver,must be synthesized and have memories such as FT 208 FT23 TH2500 TH215 IC 02AT RS HTX202 etc can only afford $100 us including shipping by US mail, thanks.

Rob. VE7IGZ
Abbotsford,BC,Canada.

5076. Re: Want info Yaesu VX1r mini HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ack Thhpt! <ack@remove.this.to.reply.netins.net>
Message-ID: <33943581.5E2@remove.this.to.reply.netins.net>
Source record: 173784

Benjamin Blavat wrote:
>
> I have seen specs on a new radio from Yaesu, its a dual band HT half the size
> of a C-508a, with twice the power! Anybody have more info?
> What I have
>
> Dimensions 3 3/16 x 1 3/4 x 7/16
> Weight 4.4 oz.
> Power .5 watts,1 watt with ext power
> 290 memories in 9 banks
> Wide receive to 999mhz.
> CTCSS encode/decode
> DCS encode/decode
> most of the other features of the FT-50r.
> Oh and the kicker is IT HAS A KEYBOARD!
> Does anyone know where to get one now?
> .-.
> / \ .-. .-.
> / \ / \ .-. / \
> /_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
> \ / \ / \ / \ /
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> `-' `-'

Actually held one in my hand at Dayton. Nice unit. Looked like something
I'd
hang on my keyring. Didn't have a keyboard though, just 4 buttons on the
front.
Also didn't have FCC type approval yet. Yaesu said hopefully they'd have
it
by the end of July. Price about $230 US.

| Ack Thhpt!
ack@netins.net |

5077. Ndi 2m mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: snake@nternet.COM
Message-ID: <01BC6FF8.9638AB00@john-lala>
Source record: 173785

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------ =_NextPart_000_01BC6FF8.9641D2C0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have an NDi mobile 2m radio in need of repair.. also a mic
and a power cord.. If anyone could help me with info on this
company or a technician who know's these radios I would
greatly appreciate it..
I'm also looking for recieve and transmit mods for the alinco
dr592t
You can reach me at: snake@nternet.com
Thanks and 73's
KC5OPE John

------ =_NextPart_000_01BC6FF8.9641D2C0
Content-Type: application/ms-tnef
Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64

<encoded_portion_removed>
2hvFIXC8AR4APQABAAAAAQAAAAAAAABk5A==

------ =_NextPart_000_01BC6FF8.9641D2C0--
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5078. Re: Looking for equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@cybercomm.net
Message-ID: <339409ed.6669106@news.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 173786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

How 'bout unopened!

On Tue, 03 Jun 1997 08:26:24 GMT, eliminate@spam.com (Craig) wrote:

>Wanted:
>
>Gonset GR-212 or National NC-121 reciever.
>Must be in like new original condition w/manual and preferably box.
>
>
>Contact--------- K. Cox
> 15800 E. 44th Terr,
> Inedpendence, Mo.
> 64055

5079. Re: Info on overhauling rotators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gordon or Nina Adams <ja@laplaza.org>
Message-ID: <33941C04.562A@laplaza.org>
Source record: 173787

Orville Beach wrote:
>
> I'm getting ready to pull my rotator out of my tower. It's been up
> there 10 years, and over the years got harder and harder to start
> rotating. I suspect either a bad AC starting capacitor, or some
> mechanical binding through the thrust bearing, or possibly both.
> It's a HAM IV.
>
> I'd be interested to know where one can buy/order repair parts for such
> a creature.
>
> Thanks In Adance
>
> 73 - Orv - W6BI (ex-WB6WEY)
> orv@micom.com

I just re-built mine. Took it all apart, replaced all the old grease
and generally cleaned it up. I'm pretty sure that Telex still supports
these rotors, as I got parts for mine from them a couple of years ago.
I also replaced the motor capacitor in the control head. They're probably
available from Telex, although I got mine from W.W. Grainger, for $2.50.
Hope this helps.

73,
Gordon, WU5B

5080. Re: FT-50 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Nelson <johnn@flatline.com>
Message-ID: <339422E5.DD8AC238@flatline.com>
Source record: 173788

Connie Hulst wrote:

> I am considering buying a Yaesu FT-50. Anyone who owns this radio and
>
> has opinions on it, I am interested in hearing about it. Also, I know
>
> this has been covered here before, but what are some addresses of web
> pages with FT-50 info?
>

I've had a '50 for about a year now. Great little rig, with an extremely sturdy design. I can be a bit of a klutz, and the thing has been subjected to a few "four foot drop tests". It still works like the day I bought it.

I especially like the AMS-1C software programming. Sure, it costs a few bucks extra, but it makes managing large numbers of repeater settings, etc. very easy to manage.

My only beef is the antenna connector. I occasionally connect the rig to a mobile or base antenna, and the small SMA connector on the FT-50 requires an SMA to BNC adapter.

5081. FL-32a ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meissner <amateur@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.970603004335.13829A-100000@linda.teleport.com>
Source record: 173789

Hello, is there a difference between a Icom FL-32 filter and a FL-32a
filter? I have an Icom 751a that someone took the stock fl-32 out of, so
I have a chance of geting a FL-32a and wanted to know if it would work...
Please respond by email... Thanks for reading!
73, Mike, K7NE

****
* Michael Meissner <amateur@teleport.com> *
* Portland, Oregon *
* Ham Radio: K7NE, ex: KB7NGN *
****

5082. Azden AZ-61 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Sherwood <kf5gc@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3393E9BE.628F@hotmail.com>
Source record: 173790

Does anyone have any mods on the Azden AZ-61 six meter handheld or know where I can find them?

5083. SCSI SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Arnold" <D.Arnold@primocomputers.com>
Message-ID: <33944C78.2410@primocomputers.com>
Source record: 173791
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: SCSI.DOC

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

5084. Want Manuals - AEA pk-90 and Uniden 2020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpfinder@atcon.com
Message-ID: <5n0bh6enf1@thor.atcon.com>
Source record: 173792

Hi..
I'm looking for some Manuals for myself and a good friend.

AEA PK-90 TNC - Access to manual, especially the settings for mailbox, and TCP/IP protocols for 9600

Uniden Model 2020 - Have friend looking for.. willing to pay associated costs of copy and shipping..

Anyone one with access to this information or advice on where to find it, I would appreciate it..

Thanks.

73' DE VE1CPI@VE1DRG Charles (Amherst NS)

5085. Alinco DJ-180T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Jan Skontorp <skontorp@tonsberg-maritime.vgs.no>
Message-ID: <3393C7ED.73B6@tonsberg-maritime.vgs.no>
Source record: 173793

Tnx for reading!
I'm looking for a decription to extend the frequency range of the
Alinco Dj-180T. 'The software way' is of special interest!!

73's de Karl Jan

5086. FS: Standard C508A Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Chisholm <chisholm@spec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7031$29461b20$c0956bc0@sleepy.spec.com>
Source record: 173794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: Standard Dual Band HT. Smallest dual band HT made. It works well in big cities within 5 or so miles of the repeater and has great intermod rejection. This is a great radio to take traveling because it uses regular AA batteries and weights next to nothing. I would like $240.00 and it comes with the factory box and manual. You can see the spec at http://www.burnabyradio.com/ham/standard/vu_ht.html.
Please e-mail if interested.
Robert
KB5OBI

5087. WANTED Alinco DJ-F1T Operations Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: amcgee@pathway.net
Message-ID: <3394347b.1074793@news.pathway.net>
Source record: 173795

I just purchased an Alinco model DJ-F1T at a hamfest today.
It works fine but it did not have an operations manual. I need it to
do most of
the programing.

Can anyone help?

Tnx & 73,
Al McGee
N3UGV

5088. Azden AZ-61 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Sherwood <kf5gc@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3393F306.3E88@hotmail.com>
Source record: 173796

Does anyone have any mods for the Azden AZ-61 six meter handheld or know where I can find any?

Barry sherwood
kf5gc@hotmail.com

5089. 50.400AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <*SPAMSAVER*booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <33943806.446B@pactitle.com>
Source record: 173797

I just updated my page 50.400AM page.

Sorry it took 2 weeks for me to add the calls from 5/23/97
What a nice opening it was!
Got in on it late but worked many stations up north.

I'll be on 50.400 today around 15:30(pdt)(22:30z) today for a few hours.
I'll call CQ every half hr. starting at 15:30 pdt.
Hope to catch some of you out there.

Go and check out the grids I worked on AM.
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

I'll keep adding to the list every week.

Dave Booth kc6wfs dm04rk
booth@pactitle.com
ic-726 marage a1015 arx-6
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/

5090. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@usa.net
Message-ID: <865352333.22792@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
>
> I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
> alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
> it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
> "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
> morning.

[snip]

> I'm just looking for a little information on what these batteries can
> handle. Currently, I have a "factory" 17ma draw for normal accessories
> like the clock, etc. So, if we add the draw from my mobile rig, we come up
> with a 0.437amp draw. HOW LONG SHOULD MY BATTERY LAST
> WITH THAT DRAW??

Your battery is toast. Get a new one. With less than a half amp of
draw, the battery should last for hundreds of hours.

73, de Hans, K0HB

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Horoscope:

Leo (July 23 - August 22)

Today, someone named "Svlad" will appear at your door,
carrying a large inflatable penguin, a climbing belt, and a
bag of pistachio nuts. Despite your better judgement you
will give him access to your antenna farm.

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----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5091. FS: Systron-Donner Time-of-Day Digital Clock (Time Code Generator)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott@gorzarg5.phy.bnl.gov
Message-ID: <5n1cjb$hjv@sun20.ccd.bnl.gov>
Source record: 173799

FOR SALE: Systron Donner Time Code Generator, Model 8120.
Asking $55 plus shipping.

This is a fancy Time-of-Day clock with display of Day-of-Year, Hours, Minutes, and Seconds. Also outputs IRIG time code (for those of you doing missile flight telemetry).

Unit is in working condition. I used it for a few weeks, until I found a neater clock :). The time-code output appears to be working, but I can't decode it, so I'm not sure.

- Rack mount unit, 17 inches wide, 17 inches deep, 3.5 inches tall. Rack mount ears are missing, as are cosmetic side panels.

- Neon seven-segment display of days, hours, minutes, and seconds. NOT LEDs, neon. All segments work.

- Front panel mounted thumb-wheel switches for setting of days, hours, minutes, and seconds.

- Front panel switch for PWR OFF, STOP, HOLD, and GEN.

- Front panel toggle switch for RESET and PRESET.

- Front panel is clean, no scratches, dings, or old stickers.

- Rear panel connectors for EXT OSC IN (1MHz), UPDATE, DC CODE, CODE OUT, BCD OUT/SEARCH CONTROL, and PULSE RATE. Also switches for ID/366/365 for DAYS display, and INT/EXT OSC.

- Inside is very clean, no dust accumulation. Card extender board included.

- Internal 1MHz room-temperature oscillator.

- All TTL logic, 1974 date codes.

- Uses current 5-sided modular power cord (not included).

- Weight approx. 20 lbs, shipping from zipcode 11973.

- No manual or other documentation.

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Scott Coburn Brookhaven National Laboratory
mailto:scott@bnl.gov Building 510B Upton, NY 11973

http://gorzarg5.phy.bnl.gov/~scott (516) 344-7110

5092. FS:TenTec Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33943C34.6E37@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173800

Selling my Ten Tec Scout-new 10/16/96-mint,as new condition-never off the desk. Includes noise blanker, 40 meter band module and # 701 Ten Tec mic. $ 400 add shipping. Brian K3USC-Erie,PA 814-866-2585 or email

5093. FS:AEA DX Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33943CD7.8FE@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173801

Selling my AEA DX Handy MX28s (10meter) near mint condition, seldom used w/all original odds and ends,instructions and box. $ 165 shipped. Brian K3USC-Erie,PA 814-866-2585 or email

5094. FS : BELDEN 9913 coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <EB7HA3.Aqp@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 173802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have Two (2) rolls of BELDEN 9913 coax, app. 100 ft each with connectors on both ends for sale. Coax is in good shape, less then six months olds.

$25.00 per roll, buyer pays shipping...

E-Mail if interested ....No Trades
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

5095. FS:Autek MK-1 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33943F16.4506@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173803

Selling my Autek Research MK-1 programmable-4 memory keyer. Looks and works great. w/instructions $ 60 shipped Brian K3USC- Erie,PA 814-866-2585 or email

5096. FS:Drake CW75 keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33943FE9.6683@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173804

Rare ! Drake CW-75 keyer-matches the 7 line. Like new condition
w/original box and instructions- Complete your 7 line collection !!
$110 shipped. Brian K3USC-Erie,PA 814-866-2585 or email

5097. Re: [TowerTalk] HF remote controlled stations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick.GReen@valley.NET
Message-ID: <199706031626.MAA17289@norwich.valley.net>
Source record: 173805

> Which software is doing the job ?
> Is the software able to indicate the forward & reflected
> output power on same window ?

In the case of the AlphaPower 87A, the software is built-in to the amplifier. You only need an ASCII terminal or a simple terminal program running on a PC to communicate with the Alpha. The 87A uses a typical command line interface. For example, if you type the command 'PWR<ENTER>', it will display forward power. There is no command to display the forward and reflected power at the same time, but there are two separate commands used for this purpose, one for forward and one for reflected. The command set allows you to control every function of the amp (including power on/off and standby/operate.) The amp was specifically designed for the type of remote control you have in mind.

> * what antenna switch matrix can be remote controlled in
> same manner (I know only the AlphaPower). Is Alpha
> supplying a common software for the 87A and antenna
> switch ? Can they be controlled at same time ?

Alpha's DAS antenna switch is daisy-chained to the 87A so it can be controlled over the same RS-232 interface. There are two ways to change antennas. The simplest way is to set the transceiver to the desired frequency and transmit. The 87A detects the frequency change by sampling the RF and automatically switches both the amp and the antenna switch to the correct band segment settings and antenna. This takes less than a second and no part of your transmission is lost (it will pass the RF through from the transceiver until the switching is complete.) You can also use specific RS232 commands to switch bands and antennas (e.g., if you issue the 'band 1' and 'ant 3' command, the 87A switches to 160 meters and antenna number 3.)

> * Is there any software package available today capable to
> integrate on same data stream all the transceiver features
> and commands, the TX/RX audio, the amplifier on/off switch
> and bandswitch, antenna selecting switch and rotator control ?
> or I have to use 2-3 separate links ?

I don't know of any software that can do this. The problem is that there are a lot of different command interfaces to support out there, and a limited market for this application. Each device has a separate RS232 interface. The best (and perhaps only) way to really solve this problem is to use put a computer in the remote shack and operate it from packet or a telephone modem (this is your control link.) You will need one port for the packet or phone modem, one port for the transceiver, one port for the amp, and one port for the rotator. Then you need software that can accept

commands over the packet or phone link, select the appropriate port, and pass commands to the desired device. I know of no software that is engineered to do this (although it may exist.) However, you can write your own using a terminal program with a built-in scripting language.

Some scripting languages are powerful enough to do this, while others may not be. The nice thing is that you don't have to write a bunch of complex communications software to run the ports. A relatively simple script can be written to monitor the packet or phone modem port for commands you issue remotely. Then it switches to the desired devices, passes on your commands, and returns status from the devices (if any.) I wrote such a script in order to make coax power loss measurements at my antenna without any help. I use a miniature portable packet station (Baycom TNC, HT, HP 100LX palmtop computer, and a battery) to communicate with a computer and packet setup in my shack. The transceiver is the Kenwood TS-950SDX. I can issue commands that tell the computer to set various transceiver modes and frequencies, turn on the amp, set the amp to operate, and transmit on/off (or operate the Kenwood's built-in memory keyer or voice record/playback.)

I used a product called MLINK. That was my choice because I co-designed and sold it for over ten years, so the script was easy for me to write. Unfortunately, this program may be difficult to obtain since it is sold exclusively to businesses and is not sold through typical retail channels (I sold the company and product, both of which ended up in the hands of Computer Associates -- you could try contacting them.) Another good choice would be TERM, from Century Software in Salt Lake City. There are probably a bunch of other ASCII communications programs with scripting languages, but you have to pick one that has a language powerful enough for this application.

As for the TX/RX audio, I don't know how that would work (I'm not familiar with the Kachina transceiver.) Seems to me that the best way would be to hook up the transmit and receive audio to a phone patch and use a phone connection for that part (and use packet for control.) You could also use VHF, but that's probably more expensive (it would be best to use two full-duplex dual banders.) If you want to send CW, you would probaby have to wire up a keying line to the shack computer's LPT line and write some software that sends CW. That's not particularly easy to do!

That's my take on the situation. I have a feeling it might be less expensive to isolate your home shack from the RF interference (like, build a metal cage around the room and filter the heck out of the power lines.)

73, Dick, WC1M

5098. WTS: Metal Detector for HF Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbutler@awod.com
Message-ID: <33940cd8.15717447@news.awod.com>
Source record: 173806

I have a LOCATION TECHNOLOGY pulse induction metal detector,
waterproof to the control box, 11" search coil, battery charger, and
homemade carrycase. Sold originally for $870, exc. working condition.
Will trade for reliable HF rig (10-160) - preferably a KW of some
sort, but all offers considered. Split shipping...I ship mine, you
ship yours.

Butch Butler kf4sag
Mt. Pleasant, SC
803-881-4273 after 5PM EDT, weekdays - anytime weekends
email: bbutler@awod.com (Home)
butch_butler@esd.tracor.com (Work)

5099. FS: Butternut Antenna Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: t-ranch@humboldt1.com
Message-ID: <339542a8.1077518@nntp.humboldt1.com>
Source record: 173807

Butternut TBR-160S 160 meter resonator for HF-2V and HF-6V antennas,
brand new in unopened box. $55 shipped UPS 48

Butternut 30-MRK 30 meter resonator for HF-2V antenna.
used, $25 shipped UPS 48.

Butternut 20-MRK 20 meter resonator for HF-2V antenna.
brand new, $25 shipped UPS 48.

Randy Tomer, W6RA

5100. Re: HOW LONG DOES IT HAVE TO SUCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970603172601.NAA24345@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173808

Amen, amen and amen again. I'm sure that we have a lot of company.
Thanks for pointing this out.

5101. Re: Info on overhauling rotators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Shelby <shelby@nortel.ca>
Message-ID: <33945641.83B@nortel.ca>
Source record: 173809

Gordon or Nina Adams wrote:
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> Orville Beach wrote:
> >
> > I'm getting ready to pull my rotator out of my tower. It's been up
> > there 10 years, and over the years got harder and harder to start
> > rotating. I suspect either a bad AC starting capacitor, or some
> > mechanical binding through the thrust bearing, or possibly both.
> > It's a HAM IV.
> >
> > I'd be interested to know where one can buy/order repair parts for such
> > a creature.
> >
> > Thanks In Adance
> >
> > 73 - Orv - W6BI (ex-WB6WEY)
> > orv@micom.com
>
> I just re-built mine. Took it all apart, replaced all the old grease
> and generally cleaned it up. I'm pretty sure that Telex still supports
> these rotors, as I got parts for mine from them a couple of years ago.
> I also replaced the motor capacitor in the control head. They're probably
> available from Telex, although I got mine from W.W. Grainger, for $2.50.
> Hope this helps.
>
> 73,
> Gordon, WU5B

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Speaking of rotors, I have an old HAM2 rotor and control box. I've had
it in the air for almost 20 years. It still works great, except I cannot
keep the control box in alignment. When I depress the switch to align
the needle it will not always rest on the SOUTH, and I cannot turn it
far enough to align. Also, it 'creeps' up the scale the longer it is
on. Obviously something, and I think the something is in the rotor, is
changing value. I'm just no sure what. Any ideas?

Thanks....
.=-.
| James E. Shelby - KC9VJ | |
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5102. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: vx701205@woods.uml.edu
Message-ID: <1997Jun3.142347.1@aspen>
Source record: 173810

> The alternator is probably rated at 80-94 amperes max. output.
> If you can put a shunt inline with the negative battery cable, you can
> get the real lowdown on where all your electrons are going. Seems to
> me, a trunk light draws about 200 ma. And I have left lights like that
> on for more than overnight with no low battery conditions. The best
> test, however, would be to put a shunt rated at 100-200 amps at the
> alternator output [hot lead] and see how many amps are being pumped
> back into the battery after you find the vehicle unable to start on
> its own. With a known goo battery found accidently run down, after
> jumo starting, the initial current out of the alternator will 55-70
> amps, and the charging rate will taper off fairly quickly [5-7 min] to
> about 15-20 amps. then the rate will drop much more slowly as the
> battery approaches full charge. the output current must drop almost to
> zero or the battery probably has a bad cell, new battery or not.

I think you can get an equivalent test at your typical Sears Automotive Service Center, for example. It now is all computer-controlled, digitally-accurate, with real-time loads.

5103. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rusty Haddock <rusty@NOSPAMti.com>
Message-ID: <339470E9.6755@NOSPAMti.com>
Source record: 173811

Greg Kopp wrote:

> I will buy smaller items at AES, books, tapes, maybe an antenna. But I
> usually go mail order for the bigger items. I can almost always get a
> better price. However, I have bought a couple HT's from AES in the store.
> But all of my mobiles have come from other places. I have found Oklahoma
> Comm Center to be okay on price, too.

Alas, despite the good prices Oklahoma Comm Center bit the dust last
year
when Tucker's bought them. And, as we all know, Tucker's got out of
the
Amateur Radio Business not too long ago and sold their remaining stock
to
HRO (NH store).

-Rusty-

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Rusty Haddock, KD4WLZ Internet: rusty@NOSPAMti.com ___
Texas Instruments MSG ID: MWH2 |\/ o\ O
POB 869305 MS 8515 Phone: (972) 575-6838 | (-< o O
Plano, Texas 75086 Fax: (972) 575-4351 |/_V_/

5104. Outbacker info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Widener <jwide@kpt1.tricon.net>
Message-ID: <33948E71.4B27@kpt1.tricon.net>
Source record: 173812

Need Manual or instructions for Outbacker "Perth" mobile antenna. Will buy original or pay reasonable copy costs. Jim, W4VJ

5105. feb 1980 qst article on ts120

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hacker@flash.net
Message-ID: <339396cf.6265530@news.flash.net>
Source record: 173813

if you have this I would really like to be able to read the article
regarding this radio. If possible if you do have the article/mag
could you send copy?? I am willing to pay mail/copy costs.
thanx
kd5amz

5106. WTB: Kenwood TH-46AT HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jazz991@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970603204300.QAA10832@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173814

Hi all!

I would like to buy a Kenwood TH-46AT UHF 440 HT.
Needs to be in very good shape, and have a working batt.
Will pay good old American CA$H or trade you Motorola portables.
(Have HT-600 UHF 6CH/4W 440-470 and VHF model 5w/6ch 143-163)

let me know whatcha got!

Marty

5107. Re: Yaesu FT-1000MP FSK/Data Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walt N3JPR <profota@pop3.concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3394736A.1603@pop3.concentric.net>
Source record: 173815

Hi John
Yes the MP is able to do both and it works well both ways,I tried them both using my PK-900.Where you get into trouble is tring to use asfk for SSTV, you must use the phone patch otherwise your limited to LSB in the packet mode.
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Walt
Profota@concentric.net

5108. Re: rci 2950 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marty (Smiley)" <martyrip@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <33949F9A.65E@ptd.net>
Source record: 173816

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

PG wrote:
>
> does anybody know how to mod the rci 2950 for 25-33Mhz? or where can
> I get this information? thanks
>
> remove the "_" in my e-mail address to reply
> prg22@ix.netcom.com

--
@ @ N3PTU
^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
___/ Email martyrip@ptd.net

Vist the Schuylkill Amateur Repeater Ass.
At http://home.ptd.net/~cakunk/

A good scanner radio page.
At http://www.li.net/~j4dice/stateidx.html

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; name="RCI2950.TXT"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="RCI2950.TXT"

Subj: Ranger 2950 mods

Someone here recently posted a message asking for available mods
for the Ranger RCI-2950 10 meter radio. Here's what I have.

Frequency Modification
1. Remove the case. I *think* you can remove either the top cover
or the bottom cover to get to the PC board with the jumpers.
It will be a small PC board immediately behind the front panel.
2. Locate "J2". There will be a jumper on pins P3 and P4.
3. Remove this jumper to expand coverage to 26 MHz - 29.7 MHz.
4. Move the jumper from P3-P4 to P1-P2 to expand coverage to
26 MHz - 32 MHz.
5. After moving (or removing) the jumper, press the CPU reset button
(located below J2).
NOTE: Operation between 30-32MHz may require retuning the VCO.

CB Channel Readout Modification
1. Locate J1. There will be a jumper on pins P1-P2.
2. Remove jumper and place on P2-P3.
3. Press the LOCK button on the front panel. The readout will now
display the CB channel number 1-40 -- also will display "A" channels.
4. Press LOCK again to return to VFO mode.
NOTE: The SHF button will not operate while in CB mode.
This modification will disable the frequency lock function.

CB Channel 9 Select Modification
1. Locate J3. There is a jumper between P1-P2.
2. Remove the jumper and place it on P2-P3.
3. Press the "roger beep" button to go directly to CB Channel 9.
NOTE: Doing this modification makes it impossible to turn off the
roger beep feature (unless, *possibly* you make sure the
roger beep is turned off before moving the jumper. I'm not
sure).

"Tuneup" Modifications

Adjust VR14 (AMC) for maximum forward modification. Mod limiter
Q32 can be removed for more modulation, but it also disables VR12
(SSB ALC) and disables variable power for SSB. I do not recommend
removing Q32; you'll have plenty of modulation as is.

Tune L34, L13, L14, L46 and L10 in AM mode for maximum forward
swing, using a peak-reading wattmeter. Try to balance for even power
from top to bottom of frequency range.
NOTE: You'll have a LOT of trouble identifying these cans. Sorry,
I don't know for sure where they are either.

Adjust VR13 (AM High Power) for 12 watts dead key with the front
panel RF power control at maximum. Adjust VR15 (AM Low Power) for
2 watts dead key with front panel RF power control at minimum.
From the 12-watt dead key you should see a forward swing of 30-40 watts.
From the 2-watt dead key you should see a forward swing of 18-20 watts.

Adjust VR12 (SSB High Power ALC) for maximum PEP on SSB, then
back off just a little, with front panel RF power control at maximum.
Adjust VR16 (SSB Low Power ALC) for 5-6 watts PEP on SSB with front
panel RF power control at minimum. You should see 40-50 watts PEP
on SSB with front panel RF power control at maximum.

Microphone wiring diagram

Pin 1 -- shield
Pin 2 -- Audio
Pin 3 -- Transmit
Pin 4 -- Receive
Pin 5 -- Frequency select up \ These might be reversed.
Pin 6 -- Frequency select down /

Disclaimer:
The preceding message is posted for information only. I do not condone the modification of amateur transceivers for use outside the amateur band. It is *possible* that performing the tune-up modifications will shorten the life of the radio's components due to driving them too close to their design tolerances. I accept no responsibility for possible damage to any radio that is modified in this way. I cannot personally vouch for any of these modifications; they were given to me by a technically-inclined friend.

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5109. For Sale: VHF and UHF Mirage Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: UserName@prairie.lakes.com
Message-ID: <5n25gg$gne@usenet76.supernews.com>
Source record: 173817

I have the following Mirage Amplifiers for sale:

Mirage B108G (80 watts, preamp, SSB/FM, remote control unit with LED indicators for remote mounting) asking $125.

Mirage D1010 (100 watts, no preamp, SSB/FM, N-connectors) asking $225

Both units are in excellent condition, and include box and manuals.

If you are interested or would like more information, I can be reached at (507) 465-3634, e-mail: dennisjr@prairie.lakes.com, packet: N0RPI@WA0CJU.#SCMN.MN.USA.NA

73 Dennis Jr. -N0RPI

5110. Re: Yaesu FT-920

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339491B8.EC2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173818

Sam Gray wrote:
>
> anybody tried out the new Yaesu FT-920? if so, would appreciate a review.
>
> 73/KU4EE
> --
> Sam Gray
> sgray@richmond.edu
> http://www.richmond.edu/~gray

Please Post in on this News Group!

5111. WTB - Kenwood TH-22, 28, 78, or 79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Currier <currier@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3394919F.7CB@flash.net>
Source record: 173819

I am looking for the radios listed in the subject line for myself and a couple of other friends as possibly buys. Please e-mail me if you think you have a good deal. Thanks.

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****
David Currier
KC5IFK
currier@flash.net
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5112. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6ay@juno.com
Message-ID: <339496a7.1276621@news.calwest.net>
Source record: 173820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 31 May 1997 12:54:36 -0400, Greg Corteville
<cortevi5@pilot.msu.edu> wrote:

>I was wondering if anybody had experience with using power inverters in
>a mobile installation? I used a "Power-to-go" 140 watt continuous power
>inverter to power my Toshiba 425CDS laptop for GPS and APRS use while on
>a roadtrip a few weeks ago. On my way home, the alternator in my 1990
>GMC Safari seized up and stopped turning. The belt was just moving over
>the alternator and making a hideous noise. I was wondering if running
>my power inverter almost constantly on that trip might have played a
>hand in this situation? Or was it just coincidence that this would
>happen on a 7 year old vehicle with 100,000+ miles. I was also using my
>Kenwood 733A mobile rig on high power a few times, but not very often.
>
>The Toshiba laptops have built-in power supplies and therefore need 110V
>AC. Too bad Toshiba didn't leave a 12V DC port on the outside of the
>case. That would have made it more mobile-friendly.
>
>73's DE KB8WFV

If you are going to use a power inverter while you are running
the engine (which is the only way to use one) you must have a LARGE
battery, two deep cycle moterhome battries are best in place of your
regular battry. You cant draw from the alternator to power the
inverter, it has to draw from the battries and the alternator will
keep them charged.

73 de KO6AY

5113. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ko6ay@juno.com
Message-ID: <33949466.699689@news.calwest.net>
Source record: 173821

On 30 May 1997 15:17:49 -0700, Marco S Hyman
<marc@dumbcat.codewright.com> wrote:

>Opinions wanted:
>
>Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
>most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
>prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
>buy things?
>
>I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.
>
>// marc

The best investment is BACK-UP POWER!!!!!
ie 12v deep cycle battries (mor than just one) and an automatic
charger to keep them charged at all times.
Second, A generator either 110/220vac at about 5 to 10 KW
to run not only the radioes but also the refer and lights and cooking
applinces, OR atleast one that you can QUICK charge your 12v
battries with.

73 de KO6AY Gene

5114. Icom Ic-z1 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alberto Bavetta <albatetra@iol.it>
Message-ID: <01bc706f$0b052aa0$ba092dc3@albatetra>
Source record: 173822

Hi!

Help me!
How can I activate the CROSS BAND REPEATER mode, on my IC-Z1 transceiver

Thank

albatetra@iol.it

5115. TS130 manual found

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Tucker <sts@ac.net>
Message-ID: <3394C129.136E@ac.net>
Source record: 173823

Thanks
--
Larry Tucker, N4KVP

5116. Re: Does Marymac still exist?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5n2a8a$401@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173824

In <Pine.A41.3.95.970530201952.57168A-100000@green.weeg.uiowa.edu> 'MX'
Wade Pfau <wpfau@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu> writes:
>
>
>Hi!
>
>I finally decided to buy a 2M from radio shack, so I tried calling the
>phone number for the "Marymac" radio shack outlet in Texas. This is a
>number from 1994. It didn't work. Did they go out of business, or
just
>change phone numbers?
>
>Thanks, Wade N0VTV
>

The Marymac franchise was bought back by Rat Shack. U.S. Radio in Ft.
Worth was still discounting Rat Shack stuff last I heard.

Jerry

5117. Re: WTB: 900 MHz (33cm) Base/Mobile Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: smartino <smartino@mail.idt.net>
Message-ID: <3394D60A.3541@mail.idt.net>
Source record: 173825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good luck trying to buy one ..no comm.for that range

5118. Re: FT-5100 packet hookup

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5n2amn$qol@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173826

In <33901504.6558@mindspring.com> William Nolle <wa8inz@mindspring.com>
writes:
>
>Does anyone realy know how to hook a tnc to the Yaesu FT5100. I have
>heard to use the front Mic jack and others say use the rear data jack.
I
>want to hookup a 12 baud TNC and would prefer to use the Mic connector
>if it doesn't matter.
>--
>Bill WA8INZ

I use a FT-5100 on packet all the time. I chose to use the rear
connector as per the wiring diagram provided with the radio. There is
apparently a resistor in series with this connector so you don't kill
the mike input by being hooked up for packet at the same time. OTOH you
must set the TNC to high audio output to achieve proper deviation. I
find this packet setup quite convinent.

Jerry

5119. FS: Kenwood CW filter, YG-455-C-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD1EU <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <33948D2F.7D46@ziplink.net>
Source record: 173827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap

This filter is also available at:

> http://www.burghardt-amateur.com/Burghardt/HTML/used_product_frames/used_filters_frame.html

For $129, but I will ship for $100.

Don, KD1EU.

5120. FS: H.F. Antenna (ham radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: KD1EU <casella1@ziplink.net>
Message-ID: <33948C4D.757D@ziplink.net>
Source record: 173828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,ne.forsale,ny.forsale,nj.forsale

MFJ 1796 assembled, for pick up only, near Hartford, CT.
Asking $100

Please see picture and description at: >
http://www.mfjenterprises.com/mfj/antennas/mfj1796.html

Please e-mail me with any questions.

Don, KD1EU

5121. Re: For Sale: VHF and UHF Mirage Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3394C40E.7528@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173829

Dennis N0RPI wrote:
>
> I have the following Mirage Amplifiers for sale:
>
> Mirage B108G (80 watts, preamp, SSB/FM, remote control unit with LED
> indicators for remote mounting) asking $125.
>
> Mirage D1010 (100 watts, no preamp, SSB/FM, N-connectors) asking $225
>
> Both units are in excellent condition, and include box and manuals.
>
> If you are interested or would like more information, I can be reached
> at (507) 465-3634, e-mail: dennisjr@prairie.lakes.com, packet:
> N0RPI@WA0CJU.#SCMN.MN.USA.NA
>
> 73 Dennis Jr. -N0RPI

what bands are those amps for?

5122. FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3394C44E.3111@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173830

It would be nice to see a FT-920 review for this News Group. I myself can't decide weather to buy a Icom 756 or the Yaesu FT-920.

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5123. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <3394D38A.6D19@primenet.com>
Source record: 173831

> It would be nice to see a FT-920 review for this News Group. I myself
> can't decide weather to buy a Icom 756 or the Yaesu FT-920.
X-Authentication-Warning: ns1.qsl.net: majordom set sender to
owner-bitbucket@qsl.net using -f
X-Sender: ke7gh@mailhost.primenet.com
Date: Wed, 28 May 1997 19:42:46 +0100
To: BitBucket@qsl.net, Yaesu@Contesting.Com
From: "Brian K. Short" <KE7GH@primenet.com>
Subject: [BitBucket] *NEW* FT-920 Review
Sender: owner-bitbucket@qsl.net
Reply-To: "Brian K. Short" <KE7GH@primenet.com>
X-Sponsor: Al Waller K3TKJ QSL.Net

A 50MHz report for Yaesu UK Ltd: =

THE NEW FT920!

Here is Yaesu's new Baby! The FT920, sister to the famous FT1000MP, its
built like a tank, and performs superbly with the AF DSP.

Where do we start with a new Radio? we have to look at what is offered
in =

terms of new Technology! The Yaesu FT920 is new "HAT", a new radio, new
techniques!

Mr Barry Cooper of Yaesu UK Ltd asked me to "give it the works" on
50MHz. So here are a few of my findings! =

OPERATIONAL FEATURES!
I must say that on unpacking the Radio I was amazed at it's size, it's
about the same size as an FT1000MP and "really" feels like a radio. It
operates on DC not Mains AC. so you need a 20amp PSU.

Some months ago I had sold my trusty FT990 and had regretted doing so,
however, the FT920 has put the smile back on my face!
The front panel layout is well thought out with a dual bandstacking
keyboard available, twin VFO contols grace the front panel, but note!
these are for split and memory operations and not FULL "twin receivers".

DSP Unit!

(My comments on this have been noted to Yaesu UK Ltd and also to Icom UK
Ltd, on their IC 756, dedicated 50MHz users, and there's THOUSANDS of
us, require a radio that has two receivers so 28MHz AND 50MHz can be
monitored at the same time, I hope one day manufacturers will come up
with such a radio!)

I won't go into the HF side too much as I was asked for a 50MHz opinion.
IT DOES NOT DO DUAL RECEIVE! but does dual watch, ie ONE receiver!
Dual watch is fitted and the time delay can be varied, this is quite useful, as instead of scanning memories for say 28.885 and monitoring 50.150 etc, both vfo's can be programmed and "flipped" between 3 to 15 seconds. The time delay is set via a menu, yes! the FT920 has the new technology menu system like other radios, a menu system that usually contains sub menu's and further sub/sub
menu's.(sometimes known as a pain!)

Not so with the FT920 though, it has only ONE menu that controls ALL functions of the radio, 73 in all! that's a nice feature. I, like many, cannot remember all the sub/sub menu settings, and so just one menu is a much better idea.

The FT920 supports all modes, however I was surprised to see that the FM unit is optional. (see my comments later on the price structure).
Despite the rumours that the Digital Voice recorder is optional the news is that it is a standard feature (and that's worth 200 UKP) and boasts 2 "8" second memories, and 2 "4" second memories, (it says in the manual 16 seconds each!), Also the DVR can be left running in the receive condition, when put
into the play condition it will play the last 16 seconds of recorded receive audio, this is the same as the DVS2 that was an option with the FT650 and FT990/FT1000 radio's, the CW memory keyer is also standard and also boasts 6 memories, four 50 character and two 20 character. Both the voice recorder
and CW keyer are controlled by one set of switches, a PLAY and a RECORD. (ie PLAY 1/2/3/4) The CW Memory keyer is a "paddle/key" input device, the same as =

a "Super Keyer"(reg TM) This is much better to input data rather than using a keypad like the IC756. Weights and ratios can again be adjusted via the on screen menu.

The receiver front end has a Jfet and a Mosfet device, these can be swapped through the menu system if required, so that the Jfet device can be used at 50MHz instead of it's allocated bands of 160mtrs to 12mtrs and increasing dynamic range and less sensitivity. The 28/50MHz section incorporates the Mosfet RF stage. (lower noise figure) Three levels of attenuation are included of 6, 12 and 18db. =

THE NOISE BLANKER!
The noise blanker in this radio does actually work, it is also adjustable, however, there is a problem in this area especially noticed on HF.
Switching on the noise blanker with the audio gain turned off strange burbbles and whistles can be heard very weakly in the loudspeaker, using headphones really shows this up, there seems to be some kind of leakage/breakthrough of frequencies above and below the dial readout frequency. This is NOT the usual Noise blanker overload problem and it was noted on ALL HF bands.
Removing the antenna cures the problem, and note DSP was not turned on.

It is very weak but annoying, and maybe also due to the fact that my FT920 was one of the first radio's out. There is no sign of this problem on 50MHz.

DSP/NOTCH FILTERING/NOISE REDUCTION:
I was impressed here! wow! The Auto Notch filter is superb, I noted a station on 50.125 and had a computer birdy on top of the station at S5, hitting the auto notch REMOVED the computer junk and left a crisp clean signal. I could not believe the effect it had, but it is true! BTW don't try using the auto notch on CW otherwise the station will disappear! DSP high/low cut was also very effective in producing stations out of the noise, something we all dream of. The DSP operates at 33MIPS and is Audio DSP.

I have limited circuit information on the DSP section and note that it is built around a 120 pin LSI, I just hope that this IC never blows as that would be a major job to replace!

The noise reduction system seems to be much better than the IC756 that I tried, on the Icom a type of
"phasing" noise was noticed on the receiver, this was not so on the FT920.

TRANSVERTERS?
The radio does not offer any dedicated transverter ports, (ie any low level TX), but! it offers something quite unique! If the TX LED is pushed it goes into a low power mode offering a maximum of 10 watts which can be reduced with the power control to Zero! Another way of lowering the output for transverting is to initiate the power level settings in the menu, the levels at antenna ports can be adjusted to output 10, 50 or 100w, ensuring safety for your
transverter. FM scanning steps can be adjusted from 0 to 100kHz. There's also repeater shift for the VHF bods! =

MEMORIES!
The radio has 99 standard memories plus 5 "Quick" memories, and 10 split memories and a call memory for each band. Seven characters can be added to name each memory. =

LINEAR TUNER!
This is a first from Yaesu! a "Linear Amplifier Tuning Device". Hit the "ENT" key when in menu #52 and the FT920 emits a tuning pulsed signal, this pulse can be adjusted in frequency and timing upto 60 seconds. Very useful! =

VOX OPERATION:
The radio has vox, however, there is no indication to let you know that vox is selected! An LED needs fitting or the display should indicate this!!!!!! =

PRICE STRUCTURE:
My personal point of view is that this radio is under priced compared with other radio's of it's class, it is not an "added to FT1000MP" it is

a dedicated made machine offering superb craftsmanship and technology! =

OPRATIONAL ON AIR TESTS:
The tailormade voice facilities that are offered (DSP audio tx).
There are 4 levels of TX DSP, some are broadcast quality and some are punchy contest quality, it depends on your voice characteristics which will suite you. You can monitor the audio DSP via the radios own "MONI" function and headphones. I have worked 36 Countries on both CW and SSB on 50MHz with very good reports during the past week, including Country #158 SU1ER, others included JY9QJ, OD5SB and 4X1IF which are all over the 3500kms distance.
Nobody had any adverse comments on the signal (apart from my voice characteristics!). The receiver handles well, local signals in GJ were loud clean and narrow, however, local stations only run a max of 100 watts but considering GJ is only 45 square miles signals were endstopping with no intermod problems noticed. Several stations in Europe were excessivly "wide", and I'm sure that was their non linearity at their end!

On 7MHz the receiver showed no major intermod problems and copied JT at S5 when other G's were giving 5/1 reports, the antenna used was a 120ft long wire sloper poised at 100ft. The antenna tuner works on Rx as well as TX although this has to be initiated via the on line menu and not as the instruction books says (default). CTCSS is standard so you can access your local repeater. (fit the FM board first!). VHF repeater shift is included and adjustable up to 5MHz through the menu.

Different power levels can be set at the two antenna ports by the menu. Vox is included and also is a speech processor which worked quite well in our tests on the air. Scanning speed was good with adjustable time from 1 to 100ms per step. =

FREQUENCY COVERAGE:
The 50MHz section covers 48 to 54MHz, I'm currently in touch with Yaesu to see if this can be expanded to 30 to 54MHz, I feel sure it can as the IF is 68MHz. =

CONCLUSIONS!
This radio is undoubtably the best 50MHz radio I have ever operated, it will take pride place in my shack and the FT736 and FT650 will now be used as backup radios! Yaesu have certainly produced a radio that is a delight to operate.
The instruction book has many errors but these have reported to Yaesu, that and the noise blanker problem are THE ONLY faults I could find so far :-)

Yaesu UK Ltd Price =A31699.00. Ex Taxes ONLY =A31250.00 plus carriage! =

FM Unit =A349.00 inc VAT 13.8 Volt ONLY. No mains Version available. Mosfet PA finals. Quick Memory Banks Built in RS232 level converter....and lots more!

Geoff GJ4ICD 50MHz DXCC #33. 158 Countries on the Band!

5124. WTB: Aluminum Twist Tab Quad Electrolytic Capacitors 40/40/20/20 uF @ 350V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <865391549.24738@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,sci.electronics.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

Wanted: Aluminum Twist Tab Quad Electrolytic Capacitors 40/40/20/20 uF @ 350V

Ideally 1 3/8" diameter x 2 1/2" high maximum
Higher or close section values ok.

Please e-mail or call

Mike Nowlen
703-716-1363 Evenings 7pm-10pm

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5125. Re: FS:Autek MK-1 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mitch, W4OA" <w4oa@vibroplex.com>
Message-ID: <3394DDD9.6C82B90A@vibroplex.com>
Source record: 173833
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Brian Hemmis wrote:

Selling my Autek Research MK-1 programmable-4 memory
keyer. Looks and

works great. w/instructions $ 60 shipped Brian K3USC- Erie,PA

814-866-2585 or email

hi brian...

i'll take the mk-1... let me know where to send the check...

thanks,

mitch, w4oa

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---------Vibroplex - Since 1890, the oldest name in ham radio!--------
Felton "Mitch" Mitchell, W4OA email: w4oa@vibroplex.com
The Vibroplex Co., Inc., 11 Midtown Park East., Mobile, AL 36606-4141
Orders 800-840-8873, Info 334-478-8873, FAX 334-476-0465
Visit our web site: http://www.vibroplex.com/

5126. Re: FS:Autek MK-1 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mitch, W4OA" <w4oa@vibroplex.com>
Message-ID: <3394DDFF.E0248F8B@vibroplex.com>
Source record: 173834
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Brian Hemmis wrote:

Selling my Autek Research MK-1 programmable-4 memory
keyer. Looks and

works great. w/instructions $ 60 shipped Brian K3USC- Erie,PA

814-866-2585 or email

hi brian...

i'll take the mk-1... let me know where to send the check...

thanks,

mitch, w4oa

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5127. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: CJ Johansson <"-.-. .---"@boi.hp.com>
Message-ID: <33943070.7656@boi.hp.com>
Source record: 173835

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> Snip!
> >
> >Is there an alternative refrigerant that can be used in systems originally
> >designed for R-12? If so, does it require all of the R-12 to be removed
> >from the system first?
> >
> >(I have a car with an R-12 system - not much else was available in 1991.
> >So far it hasn't needed any extra refrigerant...)
>
> There is an alternative. It is called GHG-12. It isn't certified for automotive
> use, but it isn't forbidden either. It will mix in any proportion with R-12, and
> it is compatible with the lubricants used with R-12. Best of all, it is cheap,
> and you can even make it yourself. It is a mixture of propane and isobutane,
> 80/20 by weight. It actually offers about 10% better cooling efficiency than
> R-12 and contains no ozone destroying chlorine (note that R-134 *does*
> contain ozone destroying chlorine, just not as much as R-12).
>
>Snip!
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
> | | ke4zv@radio.org

There's another alternative, which is approved for use in autos and just
about anything else, calles R-406A. This is a drop-in replacement for
R-12, invented by the same guy as GHG-12 (George Goble). Take a look
at his web page at http://ghg.ecn.purdue.edu for more info and some
pointers to distributors. There's also some cool info on how to light
your barbeque in 3 seconds or less (hint: LOX).

I guess the real commercial web site is now
http://worldserver.com/R-406A/peoples/ghg/ghg.html
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Disclaimer: I have nothing to do with George Goble, his refrigerants,
etc. I just knew him in college...

|cj@boi.hp.com | KD6AEG |
|=|
Hewlett-Packard	Give a man a beer
Storage Systems Division	and he'll waste an hour
11413 Chinden Blvd. M/S 831	Teach him to brew
Boise, ID 83714	and he'll waste the rest of his life.

5128. Re: Info on overhauling rotators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Siegfried Rambaum <siram@light.lightlink.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.95.970603234343.10413F-100000@light.lightlink.com>
Source record: 173836

> > > I'm getting ready to pull my rotator out of my tower. It's been up
> > > there 10 years, and over the years got harder and harder to start
> > > rotating. I suspect either a bad AC starting capacitor, or some
> > > mechanical binding through the thrust bearing, or possibly both.
> > > It's a HAM IV.

Replace the capacitor in the control box. If you cannot get the right capacitance at the usually 50 volts rating, take one with a 117 volts rating, which should be available at any electric motor shop.

> Speaking of rotors, I have an old HAM2 rotor and control box. I've had
> it in the air for almost 20 years. It still works great, except I cannot
> keep the control box in alignment. When I depress the switch to align
> the needle it will not always rest on the SOUTH, and I cannot turn it
> far enough to align. Also, it 'creeps' up the scale the longer it is
> on. Obviously something, and I think the something is in the rotor, is
> changing value. I'm just no sure what. Any ideas?

think of it. Why should something purely mechanic in the rotor behave this insensibly? Chances are, it is an old paper type capacitor slowly "dying" (and changing value erratically....)

5129. Items For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones Family <wjonesjr@usa.net>
Message-ID: <3394F15A.D25@usa.net>
Source record: 173837

http://home.cdsnet.net/~wjonesjr/radios.txt

FOR SALE:

Yaesu FT-736R VHF/UHF All Mode Transceiver $1400 shipped

Yaesu FT-890AT HF Transceiver with autotuner $1100 shipped
and SP-6 Speaker with filters (MINT)

Kenwood TS-520SE $350
shipped

Kenwood Station: $1150
shipped

TS-440SAT HF Transceiver with autoturner and filters
TS-430 DC Power Supply
TS-430 Speaker
MC-60 Desk Microphone
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Service Manual

All rigs in excellent working order. All with original manuals and
documentation. For additional information, call (541)882-8330 in
the evenings (PST) or best yet, e-mail to wjonesjr@cdsnet.net.

73's
Walt
KC7HEX

5130. Question: Frequencies for TH-22 and TH-79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Currier <currier@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33949578.1B80@flash.net>
Source record: 173838

Can anyone tell me if there are any nifty ways of expanding the receivable frequencies on the Kenwood TH-22 and TH-79. I have a friend with a TH-79AD that has gotten down to 97 mhz, but I haven't been able to get anything else with my TH-22.

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David Currier

KC5IFK

currier@flash.net

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5131. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: i4086@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970603001200.UAA14096@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173839

In article <gtk-0206971239450001@gkopp.haselow.com>, gtk@mis.haselow.com (Greg Kopp) writes:

>
>

Superior sales and they answered all my questions, will buy there again.

my 2 cents

KC7WDV
73

5132. FS: SB-101, SB-600, HP23B, SB-610, Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Timothy L. Kean" <tlkean@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3394D8C8.773A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173840

Heathkit SB-101 xcvr in good condx, with many performance-improvement
mods, SB-600 speaker &
HP-23B P.S., Electro Voice model 638 dynamic mic, SB-610 monitor scope
in very good condx.
Asking $250.00 for all. Call evenings (319) 377-4875 or E-mail.

Tim
WB0VDR

5133. Re: NEED MANUAL 4 AIWA TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROAMER <ROAM@ROAM.COM>
Message-ID: <01bc6fba$242a8da0$3349d3d0@schnitz.snip.net>
Source record: 173841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,alt.cellular-phone-tech,sci.electronics.misc,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I hear this manual contains the mysterious "free cable TV - black box"
plans!

Fredrik Hedman <terra@terrakonsult.se> wrote in article
<01bc6dab$d66c7ac0$10a3b0c0@EnatorNetworks>...
> Hi
>
> Need a manual operators and maintenance manual
> for an AIWA VX-T1000 Mk II SH 14" Television
>
> --
> Fredrik Hedman
>
> Bostad (Home)
> Getbergsv�gen 3
> S-931 39 SKELLEFTE�
> SWEDEN
> Tel: +46 (0)910-77 57 99
> Mob (Cell.): +46 (0)705-77 57 99
>
> Arbete (Work)
> TERRA KONSULT AB
> Stationsgatan 3
> S-931 31 SKELLEFTE�
> SWEDEN
> Tel: +46 (0)910-77 96 75
> Fax: +46 (0)910-77 96 85
>
> E-Mail: terra@terrakonsult.se
>

5134. WTB: ICOM FL32A, FL63A CW filter, OPC025 DC cord

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970603003200.UAA16274@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173916

Looking for these accessories for the IC735.

Trade possible toward an AT150 auto tuner.

Alan, N3BJ

5135. FOR SALE: Kenwood TH-79a(D)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlg7503@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970603011700.VAA20882@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173917

Kenwood TH-79a(D)

Comes With:
-1 standard battery, 2 highpower batteries
-wall charger
-soft case for HP batteries
-extended tx/rx mod
-speaker/mic with 3 programmable function buttons
-lapel mic with ear piece
-2M/70CM antenna

For price and other info, please e-mail me:
JLG7503@aol.com

5136. WANTED:Info Yaesu VX10 VHF portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1nfc@callsign.net
Message-ID: <339377dd.0@199.76.206.53>
Source record: 173918

Who carries these and how much do they cost?

thanks

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@callsign.net
LT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
KINGSLAND FIRE RESCUE
Kingsland, GA 31548 AMPR:n1nfc@ampr.america.com
Home: 912-729-5287
Data: 912-729-6067
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/user/n1nfc/n1nfc.htm
http://www.eagnet.com/edipage/areaserv/kfd/kingsland.htm

"The fire pentahedron consists of: Oxygen, Heat, Fuel, Chemical
Chain Reaction, and the Chief. Take any one of the 5 away and the
fire goes out!"

5137. FS : TUBES TUBES TUBES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: subbustr@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <5mvtbq$jk3@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 173919

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RCA
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6SL7GT (3)
1A7GT (2)
6J5 (2)
117Z3 (1)
6SC7 (1)
67N (2)
OB2 (1)
6C5 (1)
12AX4GTB (1)
1G3GT/1B3GT (1)
6X5GT (1)
6AN8A (1)
6BZ7 (1)
6AH6 (1)
6SA7 (1)
6W4GT (1)
*** 6SJ7GT (7)
*** JRC-6H6 (3)

GENERAL ELECTRIC
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6W4GT (3)
6SN7GTB (3)
1B3GT (2)
6V6GTA (2)
6679/12AT7 (2)
1B3GT (1)
6V6GT (1)
6BL7GT (2)
12AX7 (1)
6X5GT (1)
3Q5GT (1)
6BA6 (1)
6BK7 (1)
6SQ7 (1)

JAN -CKR (KEN-RAD)
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*** 6H6 (same as RCA above?) (2)
*** 6SJ7 (1)

UNKNOWN
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6SK7 (2)

MISC

Missner Coil 16-6658 Plastic IF 456kc (1)

$1.25ea (5 minimum order plse) or ALL (58) for $75.00 shipping included CONUS
*** Denotes - NOT in org. box. ALL others have org. box.

Oak Harbor,WA
98277
subbustr@whidbey.net
de VE7-LFA/W7

5138. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5mvs6i$egm@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 173920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

AMP DRAW DEPENDS ON THE BATT. A 350 AMP HOUR BATT WILL DELIVER 350 AMPS
FOR 1 HR, OR HALF THAT FOR 2 HRS ETC, ETC. CHECK THE BAT TERMINALS WITH
THE ENGINE RUNNING AT A FAST IDEL. SHOULD READ 13.5 TO 14.4
MOST LIKELY YOU BATT IS SHOT.

DE NORM N8RGR

5139. FS: ICOM AT150 auto tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970603003400.UAA16488@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173921

In good condition, part of IC735 station buy, surplus to my needs...

$250.00 shipped

Alan, N3BJ

5140. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5mvrol$egm@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 173922

SWR/POWER METER

DE NORM N8RGR

5141. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5mvr1ngek1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 173923

Marco S Hyman <marc@dumbcat.codewright.com> writes: > Opinions wanted:
>
> Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
> most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
> prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
> buy things?
>
> I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.
>
> // marc
Well marc it may sound silly yet I have discovered that many hams
do not have proper grounding so my opinion for what its worth
good ground applications such as ground panels and rods hi hi!
of course this is always after they have puchased everything
they thought of to complete ther shack!
'73 de David kb9lpk

5142. ****NEED HELP WITH YAESU SOFTWARE.****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: alpha6469@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970603025000.WAA01564@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173924

I am looking for information on how to get a hold of the programming software for the Yaesu FTH 2070 Dual Band Transceiver. Any information would be appreciated,

Thank You.

5143. IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bhackett <bhackett@ic.net>
Message-ID: <339577B7.338C@ic.net>
Source record: 173726

Anyone figure out how to enable 162.55MHz on an IC706? Heard it couldn't be done. Sure sounds like a challenge to me. Thanks..
de Brian, WV1R

5144. Bendix/King AN/PRC-127 LPH VHF RADIO 14 CHANNEL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hhmercer@airmail.net
Message-ID: <865432827.13245@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

We are a small Police Department in Texas. We have 20+ Bendix/King AN/PRC-127 hand units. These units were procured from the military for use by tactical officers.

Bendix/King is unwilling to talk about these radios other than the fact that they acknowlege they exist. It is very frusterating - makes one want to think about a boycot.

We have no real budget at the department and these radios have filled a void that otherwise could never have been accomplished.

I have heard of several modifications that can be performed on these units. I am seeking information on any and all modifications that can and have been done to these radios. Such as installation of the high/low power switch, installation of the scan switch, etc. . .

Also seeking anyone that has accessories that they would be willing to sell or donate (for tax write off) for these units.

Anyone with information on these units please e-mail me at hhmercer@airmail.net

Thank You

Sgt. Lindsay Hodgdon
Lone Oak Police Department
Lone Oak, TX

Anyone with any information of the AN/PRC-127, I am interested in visiting with you. Anyone with information about the AN/PRC-127 (A), Please let me know what the revision (A) is . . .

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5145. FS: Misc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@postoffice.ptd.net
Message-ID: <5n3u6pdjr10@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 173728

MFJ Icom Computer Interface Cable and Rig Windows Software both new in box
$ 50.00 shipped.

Altec Lansing ACS100 Amplified Speakers (3" bass and 11mm dome) with
connecting cables, power supply, instructions and box $ 35.00 plus shipping.

Grove FCC Database w/mapping option on CD $ 25.00 shipped

Ramsey FM-10A Stereo Transmitter, assembled with case $ 25.00 shipped.

Please contact me via E-Mail. Thanks, John

johnl@postoffice.ptd.net

5146. FS: Computer Acc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@postoffice.ptd.net
Message-ID: <5n3upddjr15@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 173729

Intel EtherExpress LAN Adapters (2) ISA cards new in box with software and instructions $ 50.00 each both for $ 80.00

Colorado QIC-40 (Jumbo 120) Tape cartridges (6) $ 5.00 each or all 6 for $ 25.00.

Please reply via E-Mail. Thanks, John

johnl@postoffice.ptd.net

5147. ** PacComm PTC-II **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <339595F7.5342@primenet.com>
Source record: 173730

** PacComm PTC-II **

My second-hand (but unused) PacComm PTC-II Multimode DSP Communications Controller arrived and is hooked up. As it was purchased over a year ago and subsequently never used, it had old firmware. I have now loaded BIOS v1.2 and the v2.2 firmware. The upload (or is it download?) went quite smoothly using software available from the SCS web page.

I am quite impressed with this piece of equipment after being disappointed by my last "DSP Multimode" the DSP-2232 several years ago.

The PacComm unit in particular has a very attractive front panel display and case. The greyscale picture on their web page does not do it justice. It is very stylish and compact. (I have pictures on www at http://www.qsl.net/k7on/ptc.htm but a color picture is much needed...)

Anyway, I have been monitoring RTTY and Pactor some today (with FT-1000mp and XPWin -which I STILL need to register) and compared to my PK-232, the Pactor is amazing! I'm even inclined to say that it is far better on Pactor RX than my old P-38. I have not had a chance to evaluate weak/noisy copy on RTTY as yet (the P-38 did quite well), but I hope to next weekend in the ANARTS RTTY contest.

I have 512k memory in the PTC-II and no accessory modems for packet. I'm interested in any accessories others have added?

I have not yet connected the tranceiver interface. Will it work with my FT-1000mp (which has RS-232 input)? Are the frequency UP/DOWN signals just as useful?

One weak point is the year old manual. Is there a newer manual available? Where? (I just like manuals!)

I was reluctant about this equipment based on price, but so far it is my favorite multimode and my favorite DSP communications controller.

I'm not sure why I haven't heard more praise of the PacComm PTC-II anywhere? ** I LIKE IT VERY MUCH!! ** It has a happy home...

Hints? Tips? Ideas? Scheds for Pactor-II?

73, Brian

5148. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33959516.33F9@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 173731

Walker Brents wrote:
>
> My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He does
> not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments
> on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
> Walker N5KZZ

Hi, Walker. I have owned and operated an Ameritron AL-80A amplifier for the last four years and have not had any problems with the unit. It works exactly as advertised. I am very pleased and would not hesitate to buy another Ameritron amp. Can't speak for others' experiences, just my own.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

5149. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970604171000.NAA07050@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173732

Theres not much choice. The 920 is dual conversion compared to triple conversion and the list goes on. Play with them, 756 in a land slide.

5150. IC 706 Repeater offset programmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
Message-ID: <5n49lv$pea@news1.sjc.in.sel.sony.com>
Source record: 173733

I posted about a board that I purchased to automatically program repeater splits in the 706.

I keep forgeting to bring the data sheet to work so that I can post contact info.

Here is what I remember about it.

It consists of a small circuit board with a handfull of components. The major component is a new 8 pin microcontroller the PIC 12C508.

The band plans for 10, 6, and 2 meters are programmed in to the chip.

To activate the function you press the button in the "M" function for the narrow filter.

When you manually tune to a frequency that is in the repeater segment, the radio is programmed into the split mode with the two vfo's set properly.

You must then go out of the narrow filter mode to operate.

You can save your favorite repeaters in memory after setting them up.

It's easier then any other way I've seen.

Three wires connect it to the radio: power, ground, and serial data.

It can be mounted internally or externally (you have to supply a box).

It`s a kit.

Documentation is good.

Cost was ~$35 plus shipping.

I`ll tie a string around my finger so tonight I'll remember the contact info.

Jeff

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Jeff W2UA/6
reply to: jeff@sec.sel.sony.com
phone: (408) 955-4116

5151. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Stuart <w8an@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <3395A848.75FE@earthling.net>
Source record: 173734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael wrote:
>
> Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
> Which distribution and where is it available.
> I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
> ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
> UNIX guru to get working.
>
> Am I asking for too much?
>
> michael N6CHV

I have found just about any hamfest that has somebody selling CDROMs has a couple of choices. I recently bought the "InfoMagic LINUX Developer's Resource" for $12. It contains RedHat 4.0, Slackware 3.1, and Debian 1.2 kernals. Plus X-Windows, and an enormous amount of software and on-line documentation (6 CDs). Installation was simple by making a boot disk from a dos machine. (I prefer the RedHat as it needs only a single boot/install diskette). I now have a cool X-Windows interface, AX.25 on packet radio, Web Server, FTP server, Telnet server, and much much more. Hard to beat that price for all the neat stuff!

http://www.infomagic.com
http://www.redhat.com

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Steve Stuart internet: w8an@earthling.net
Toledo, OH http://www.glasscity.net/users/w8an
AmPRNet: w8an@w8an.ampr.org [44.70.161.132]
PBBS: w8an@w8hhf.#tol.oh.usa.noam

5152. FT: Two ITB USR 56K Sportster External Modems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Worley <jworley@afsnet.com>
Message-ID: <3395AEB8.FF130115@afsnet.com>
Source record: 173735

I have two unopened, In the box, US Robetics 56k X2 external modems I would like
to trade for a DualBand HT. I can put some cash with it.

Anyone interested in the trade, please send email to markg@okcforum.org
or markg@netplus.net.

5153. Yaesu FRG-8800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnl@postoffice.ptd.net
Message-ID: <5n4biulrf3@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 173736

Yaesu FRG-8800 in great condition with original manual and literature, also includes DC kit. This radio was serviced by Yaesu 3/96 and was checked and aligned to their specifications. $ 400.00 plus shipping. Please reply via E-Mail. Thanks, John.

johnl@postoffice.ptd.net

5154. Re: Diagrams of home made transceivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Avatar <l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Message-ID: <Pine.OSF.3.96.970604192728.9172C-100000@alfa.ist.utl.pt>
Source record: 173737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,pt.rec.radio.amadorismo

On Sun, 1 Jun 1997, Jos=E9 Fran=E7a Santos wrote:

> I'm new on this, and I'm going to build by my self, my own 144 and 10m
> transceivers.
> If anyone can help me with electrical diagrams, my address is

A unica coisa em que te posso ajudar de momento e o esquema do meu CB, um
Midland Alan 78 plus.

---------- [Avatar] --- l41085@alfa.ist.utl.pt -----------------
Electronics & Telecomunications - IST - Portugal
http://camoes.rnl.ist.utl.pt/~amlm #include <std.disclaimer>
-------- Gestor da mailing list de anedotas em portugues --------

5155. IC-900 + MORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Jones <bjones@smartlink.net>
Message-ID: <3395B90E.D1AA9ED0@smartlink.net>
Source record: 173738
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

For any of the items below, emai frostyoden@aol.com.

IC-900 band units, covers: 10, 6, 2 meters, 220 and 440. Total of 5
band units and the factory service manual. $1400
FIRM. With "A" and "B" heads, with fiber otics and interconnect plus pl
encode/decode: $1500 (Sorry, no owners manual)

LinkCom IC-900 module remote base interface w/2 modules, high power 2
meter and 440 band units w/cables and singel
antenna duplexer (low pass). $800

EMAIL: forestoden@aol.com

For any of the items below, emai frostyoden@aol.com.

IC-900 band units, covers: 10, 6, 2 meters, 220 and 440. Total of
5 band units and the factory service manual. $1400

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LinkCom IC-900 module remote base interface w/2 modules, high power 2 meter
and 440 band units w/cables and singel

antenna duplexer (low pass). $800

EMAIL: forestoden@aol.com

5156. WTB: Kenwood TM-701

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Jones <bjones@smartlink.net>
Message-ID: <3395BB18.46F8C4B7@smartlink.net>
Source record: 173739

I need a Kenwood TM-701. Please email bjones@smartlink.net.

Thanks.......

5157. Re: Kachina Communications??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <ssable@tdi.net>
Message-ID: <3395AEB0.6BA5B920@tdi.net>
Source record: 173740

Jim wrote:

> Everyone is talking about this new Great Kachina Communications radio
>
> but i think they are keeping there whereabouts a secret. Does anyone
> have an email address, phone number, or web address so i can order one
>
> and tell you all how good it is.
>
> Thanks, Jim

Their address and info as follows:
P.O.Box 1949
Cottonwood, Arizona 86326
FAX (520) 634-8053 Tel (520) 634-7828
http://www.kachina-az.com

Was the most popular display at Dayton!

--
It doesn't get any better than this!
ssable@tdi.net
http://www.tdi.net/ssable
N8NYU

5158. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdowning@amberjack.rdatasys.com
Message-ID: <5n4ev3$t9q$1@herring.rdatasys.com>
Source record: 173741

WB0NZV (wb0nzv@aol.com) wrote:
: Theres not much choice. The 920 is dual conversion compared to triple
: conversion and the list goes on. Play with them, 756 in a land slide.

I have written down some of my thoughts on the 920 on my web page:

http://www.wm7d.net/

I looked at the IC756, and chose the 920. I think like any other choice,
it is a matter of opinion.

--Mark (WM7D)

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Mark A. Downing Relational Data Systems
Phone:(714)263-3899 x157 30 Executive Park, Suite 260
Reply to: mdowning@rdatasys.com Irvine, CA 92714
http://www.rdatasys.com/ or http://www.wm7d.net/

5159. Looking for input on 2 meter mobile radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <varpenns@usaor.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7116$44c34b80$362ac7cd@usaor.net>
Source record: 173742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Thanks for reading this post. I am searching for input, opinion, and/or experience with the various models of 2 meter mobile radios. My location is very vulnerable to intermod problems so I am searching for a radio with excellent intermod characteristics.

So if you care to provide your experiences with the various radios on the market today such as the:
Icom IC-2000H
Yaesu FT-2500M
Kenwood TM-261A
Alinco DR-140T

or any other 2 meter radio, I would appreciate your comments. Please e-mail me your comments to varpenns@usaor.net

Thanks,

Don (WB3CEH)
e-mail: varpenns@usaor.net

5160. Re: Ten-Tec Omni VI PLUS FSK/CW Filters Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty_Gulseth <marty_gulseth@hp.com>
Message-ID: <3395C76B.703F@hp.com>
Source record: 173743

John P Skubick wrote:
>
> Ten-Tec Omni VI PLUS:
>
> Is there anyone out there who happens to be using this rig for both
> CW as well as the FSK mode?
>
> Is it possible to have physically installed the FSK 500 Hz filter
> as well as the CW 500 Hz and 250 Hz filters, and be able to
> utilize each of those filters for the appropriate modes?
>
> I operate mostly Pactor and CW and desire the capability of
> being able to switch-in the appropriate filter as needed.
>
> Thanks and 73. --John, K8JS

Hi John,

It is my understanding (not confirmed!) that with the VI + you can have 2 filters in the first IF, e.g., one CW such as the 218, and the FSK, # 216. (I'm at work, don't have exact #s "in memory.") Only two so you'll havta choose between the 500 Hz or 250 Hz CW filter for the 1st IF.

I plan to have the option 3 upgrade done on mine, go with the FSK filter in the added 2nd slot, and I'll get the really narrow CW selectivity via the 2nd IF when I "need" it. (Right now, the CW capability of the existing radio far exceeds that of the operator! Hope to change that...)

Hope I have this correctly, and hope it helps...

Best 73,
Marty (W7LEJ)
Spokane, WA

(std disclaimers)

5161. FS: ICOM Speaker Mic (HM-70) $25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ssr@netcom.com
Message-ID: <ssrEB9opw.C7r@netcom.com>
Source record: 173744

FS: ICOM HM-70 speaker mic.
Excellent condition, used once, with original box. $25 plus shipping.
Retails for $67.00

Fits the following ICOM radios:
2SRA
4SRA
D1A
W2A
W21AT
X2A

dave
<ssr@netcom.com>

5162. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5n4e6m$inp@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 173745

In <19970604171000.NAA07050@ladder02.news.aol.com> wb0nzv@aol.com (WB0NZV) writes:

>Theres not much choice. The 920 is dual conversion compared to triple

Gee, the OMNI VI is dual conversion and beats the socks off all
of them in my opinion, but what the heck :-) . Ya'll take it easy.
I am off to try out my friends new 920 later today just to see, I
have liked the latest Yaesu rigs.

Clark
WA3JPG

5163. FS: Yeasu FT-208R HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: noel@li.com
Message-ID: <3395c696.2313961@news.li.com>
Source record: 173746

I have for sale one (1) Yeasu FT 208R HT (144-18 Mhz)...wall charger
and hand mic. 10 memories......manuals and original paching. Good
condition. Only needs a new battery. $75.00. or trade for QRP
gear.....Great for packet.
****
Noel Anderson NI1Q
PO Box 342
Canaan, CT 06018-0342
****
Please visit my Web site at
http://home.li.com/~noel/noel.html
****

5164. FS: 200channel,800mhz, handheld, RSpro51 $170

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: warezjoe@geocities.com
Message-ID: <339bd947.1342993@news.erols.com>
Source record: 173747

I have a almost new pro 51 Scanner.
handheld
800mhz (from 29mhz-956mhz) unmodified
200 channels hyperscan
auto band scanning (fire,police,air,marine,wx)
10 monitor channels
BNC connector ant.
hardly used.

$170.00 +shipping

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5165. National NC188

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ej.mars@lagn.com
Message-ID: <92241512@lagn.com>
Source record: 173748

I have a National SW Receiver Model NC188 and would like to know what Yr. it was Manf. and approx value. I also have the matching speaker.

5166. IC-756 vs FT-920 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3395D9BD.3705@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173749

I am looking for comments as towhich is a better radio for the money.
Both radios cost about the same. The yaesu is less but when you add the
FM otion,AM filter option then the prices are at about $1950 USA .
All comments will be appreciated.

73's, Steven Hershman NS1R

5167. TM-V7A Mute, Display Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken@seemessage.com
Message-ID: <ken-0406971716140001@nas-nh3-16.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173750

I purchased, and really love, the Kenwood TM-V7A "cool blue" Dual Band 2m/440 radio. But, two things are driving me crazy about it. The first is that the radio does NOT have a MUTE function, so it's very hard to hear what's going on when both bands are busy at the same time. (Other Kenwood radios handle MUTE with no problem....but this radio doesn't even have a MUTE function at all.) The second problem I have is that the "cool blue" display is very hard to see under certain daylight conditions (sunlight, reflections, glare, etc.)

I called Kenwood Tech Support (310-639-5300) and asked about these problems. They certainly know about the display problem, but I don't think they are hearing enough feedback from disgruntled users about the lack of a MUTE function. Supposedly, I'm told, they DO listen to user feedback. If you own this radio, and are upset by the lack of a MUTE, please call this number and tell them so. I am very much hoping that they will fix this problem and make it possible for early owners of this radio to upgrade inexpensively. But, you must make it known to them that this a real problem.

The guy I spoke with was very nice indeed. ANd, their phone support wasn't bad at all. I left a message saying I wanted to talk to someone about this radio, and they actually called back a few hours later.

If you are upset about the LACK of a MUTE function, please call them.

Thanks,

Ken

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My real email address is "ken@wino***grad.com". Actually, just omit the asterisks from the address and that's it. Sorry for the mess, but I'm trying limit any junk mail that often results from public posts.

5168. Hey! MOTOROLA Service Guy!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5doc@dxnet.com
Message-ID: <3398e41c.59791739@news.dxnet.com>
Source record: 173751

Please help??

I just picked-up a really clean Motorola HMN1010A Microphone,
mobile type WITH *Touchtone....

***Do you have the pin-out/connection data for the Mike Jack
(telephone modular type)?? Any help will be greatly appreciated!

Thank you!
Doc
WA6IGJ

5doc@dxnet.com Please remove "5" from my email address to respond!

5169. SPEAKER/MIC FOR KENWOOD HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7131$6475a8e0$48d666ce@paul>
Source record: 173752

I HAVE FOR SALE A BRAND NEW//NEVER USED IN ORIGINAL PACKAGE
SPM-301SPEAKER/MICROPHONE FOR KENWWOD HT.

HAS ADJUSTABLE VOLUME CONTROL AND PTT LOCK.

SOLD MY KENWOOD TH-225A KENWOOD HT AND NEVER GOT A CHANCE TO USE THIS ITEM.
PAID $36.50 = TAX.

WILL SELL FOR $25.00 DELIVERED USA

5170. Atas 350 mnaual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James M.Carman", K6ARR <jmcarman@jps.net>
Message-ID: <5n4ai7$imu@blush.jps.net>
Source record: 173753

Looking for a technicial manual for the Atlas 350 SSB Tranceiver
James Carman K6ARR
jmcarman@jps.net
916 885 9335
428 Finley St.
Auburn, CA 95063

5171. Radio Vendor Directory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bro Bill <webmaster@cahaba.com>
Message-ID: <3395F1D8.3996@cahaba.com>
Source record: 173754

A comprehensive directory of Amateur Radio merchants conducting business
on the Internet is available at:

http://bro.net/explorer/vendor.html

Your submissions are welcomed!

5172. [=== LOOKING for HP 1740 Manual ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <865469426.17865@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

Looking for manuals for the following equipment:

HP 1740 100MHz Oscilloscape

Sony DXC-M2 Video Camera

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5173. WTB: Bird 43 2500H slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <339606F2.3576@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173756

Looking for one in new cond. E-mail price including shipping to Alabama
if you have one for sale.

bob

5174. FT1000D AND SP5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: troncoso@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33962216.1E6A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173757

FOR SALE FT1000D + SP5 NEVER USED IN TX ONLY RX BOTH LIKE NEW
$3,200.00, FOR INFOMATION PLEASE EMAIL AT.

TRONCOSO@WORLDNET.ATT.NET

5175. FS-TH-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <kf6atl@mail.telis.org>
Message-ID: <33963E5B.55CC@mail.telis.org>
Source record: 173758

For Sale Kenwood TH-79A, Original owner and in quality condition. It has the high power battery pack. This also comes with the original trickle charger which I never use and the rapid charger that also has the trickle feature. It also is in very good condition. I have all the paper work and the original boxes. Just don't use anymore, always on the mobil rig. I'll take 350.00 for all and I'll pay the shipping charges.

Sometimes I'm gone for a couple days but, I'll return your e-mail with a reply.

73's Don

5176. equipment reviews?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Terwilliger <aa7wd@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7174$76033d00$a914a5ce@lowly.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 173759

Are there any sites out there with reviews of HF tranceivers? It would be nice to find out the good, the bad, and the ugly of various radios you're likely to see at hamfests. I know I could always look up the QST product reviews, but they don't tell you about problems that show up 2 years after manufacture. Maybe we should all just pick one favorite rig, write it up and link all the reviews to one common web page...

Chris, AA7WD
aa7wd@primenet.com

5177. IC706MKII fan runs too much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "F. Feeney" <*spamsaver*_fkf1@cornell.edu>
Message-ID: <5n4411$lpq@newsstand.cit.cornell.edu>
Source record: 173760

hi,

I had the good fortune to pick up one of the new IC706MKII's at the Rochester hamfest this last weekend and it's a dandy radio - however, the fan on mine runs a lot. It comes on naturally enough when I do any transmitting, and in that small a package I expect that to get rid of the heat. But then it keeps on cycling on and off while all I'm doing is receiving. An hour after the last transmission, the fan is running about 50 percent of the time. Is this normal? In the mobile, I'd probably never notice, but in the shack it is a bit annoying. Any other MKII's out there that can compare - or how does this compare to the original.

I don't have too many hours on the rig yet, but I found it pretty easy to use and it does pretty much everything I expected.

Thanks

Kevin, WB2EMS

5178. FS:SGC Smartuner, Vibroplex

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lynne & Robert Scott <ks4vn@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3395CA44.2EAC@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hiya folks, I have execess to my needs the following items:

An SGC Smartuner, model Sg-130 less than 2 years old,
excellent condition. Box & docs, one year left on
warranty. I have an amp now and don't need the stealth
tuner anymore. $350.00 plus shipping OBO

Vibroplex EK-1 keyer. This is the Brass Racer with the
Curtis Keyer built into the base. This is an older model,
all brass, not aluminum. S/N 8398. $90.00 plus shipping.

If interested contact ks4vn@bellsouth.net, or ll at
561-364-8207.

73,
Bob KS4VN

5179. mod for Kenwood tm241a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fdisker <Fdisker@atcon.com>
Message-ID: <5n4uruivh1@thor.atcon.com>
Source record: 173762

need the rx mods 136-174 thanks

5180. FS: Yaesu FT-747GX - $500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <33975ba9.4598809@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 173763
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi All,

I have a Yaesu FT-747GX to sell. Covers .5-30 mz, all-mode AM,CW,SSB, and FM with optional accessory. Its "as new" in the box not a single mark on it. I would like to get $500.

BTW- I just got a old issue of CQ (1992) and there is a remote mounting mobile kit one can get for the FT-747GX.

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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
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5181. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <339610F4.1D16@icss.net>
Source record: 173764

N2YWD, I don't think these guys really care if its illegal. There is another request on the newsgroup on how to open up a 6m handheld - Why? CAP and MARS are not on these freqs. But cordless fones and baby monitors are! Maybe the guy wants to terrorize sleeping babies?
I dunno, but I'm sooooooooo tired of "whats the mod?" postings. I was thinking about forwarding them to the FCC, but then the FCC will probably give away the bands when they see that we're just a bunch of f&$#ing idiots.

Brian/N0iMD

5182. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hacker@flash.net
Message-ID: <3395c8da.30166721@news.flash.net>
Source record: 173842

On Mon, 02 Jun 1997 23:31:44 GMT, ham@cybercomm.net (Dave Edwards)
wrote:

>On Mon, 02 Jun 1997 05:03:13 -0700, NeilT@worldnet.att.net wrote:
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>>Marco S Hyman wrote:
>>>
>>> Opinions wanted:
>>>
>>> Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
>>> most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
>>> prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
>>> buy things?
>>>
>>> I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.
>>>
>>> // marc
>>
>>A ham sandwich on rye with mayonaisse and a bottle of 12 year scotch
>
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>
>A coffee cup with some white fuzzy stuff in it, One white sock,
>random books and newspapers, bills on the table, a broken light bulb.
>a few nickels and dimes, and a water ski (slalom)
>..what else?
>...Dave
you mustn't forget the computer!!!!!

5183. Re: Info on overhauling rotators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: hduff@ica.net
Message-ID: <3394ca85.0@lightning.ica.net>
Source record: 173843

Orville Beach <orv@micom.com> wrote:

>I'm getting ready to pull my rotator out of my tower. It's been up
>there 10 years, and over the years got harder and harder to start
>rotating. I suspect either a bad AC starting capacitor, or some
>mechanical binding through the thrust bearing, or possibly both.
>It's a HAM IV.
>I'd be interested to know where one can buy/order repair parts for such
>a creature.
>Thanks In Adance
>73 - Orv - W6BI (ex-WB6WEY)
>orv@micom.com

I happened across an interesting Web site called
"The Rotor Doctor" the other day.
I bookmarked it at work as I too own a Ham IV rotor
however I don't have the address handy here at home.
Do a search for "rotor doctor" on one of the search engines.
They carry just about every part to rebuild a Ham IV rotor.

Cheers, Hugh VA3TO

5184. WTB: Kenwood TS-130S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: noel@li.com
Message-ID: <3394d0bf.1673547@news.li.com>
Source record: 173844

I am looking for a clean TS-130S in good to excellent condition with
or without the base power supply and/or external vfo.

****
Noel Anderson NI1Q
PO Box 342
Canaan, CT 06018-0342
****
Please visit my Web site at
http://home.li.com/~noel/noel.html
****

5185. FS: Standard C150 (C158) 2m HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Yoshiki Hakutani <hakutani@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7094$00ef8860$531f67cf@jetta.nyquist.com>
Source record: 173845

Hello,

I was active a few years ago but have since gotten way too busy. As such,
I have a decent little HT forsale!

It is a Standard C150 (identical to the US model C158) and was factory
modified to work in US 2m freqs.

Specs and a picture are available at:

http://www.burnabyradio.com/ham/standard/v_ht.html

For the unit, I also have the following:

7.2V 400mAH short battery
7.2V 700mAH tall battery (same as in the picture)
CAW150 lighter plug adapter
CWC150 transformer / battery charger
Full schematic diagram sheet

unfortunately, the manual is in Japanese. However, I contacted Standard
Radio in Niles, IL and they have the manuals (in English, of course!) for
$20 + $3 S/H.

To be honest, I have no idea what the unit is worth.
I'll take best reasonable offer for it! I will also cover COD and shipping
costs.

73,

Yosh
KB8FCE

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Yoshiki Hakutani
hakutani@voicenet.com
STOP SPAM! remove * to reply!!

5186. FS: 7/8" Coaxial Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5kft@nts-online.net
Message-ID: <5n2kiknvj1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 173846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a quantity of 7/8" coaxial cable, mostly Andrews, in various lengths from 25 feet to over 400 feet on length. This cable is either new end pieces off cable spools or used cable that has just been removed from two way sites that are being shut down. No connectors on

any of the cable. Price is $1.50 per foot on short runs, $1.00 per foot on long runs.

This is the cable that has a loss factor of 0.86 db per 100 feet at 400 Mhz. THE GOOD STUFF!! Small rolls can be shipped UPS and larger rolls can be shipped motor freight at a 50% discount rate.

Great for any type installation where you need maximum fire in the wire regardless of frequency. Ideal for VHF, UHF, repeaters, or almost any application. New price on this stuff is about $7.50 per foot.

Bryan W5KFT

I have made arranagements to ship big rolls by motor freight at a 50% discount and short runs can be shipped via UPS

5187. Uniden SMU-300K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Kaeding <randyk@parrett.net>
Message-ID: <01bc708b$803d5740$a8e41ece@default>
Source record: 173847

I'm still looking for programming info for a Uniden SMU-300K transceiver.

Can anyone help?

randyk@parrett.net

5188. FS: 200channel,800mhz, handheld, RSpro51 $170

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: warezjoe@geocities.com
Message-ID: <33a1ea76.1204540@news.erols.com>
Source record: 173848

I have a almost new pro 51 Scanner.
handheld
800mhz (from 29mhz-956mhz) unmodified
200 channels hyperscan
auto band scanning (fire,police,air,marine,wx)
10 monitor channels
BNC connector ant.
hardly used.

$170.00 +shipping

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5189. What is a Kenwood SO-2 TCXO Unit?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Herb Rosenberg <rosenbeh@netsoft.com>
Message-ID: <01bc70a1$b94fedc0$010200c0@rosenbeh.netsoft.com>
Source record: 173849

I have a Kenwood TS-850 AT. I understand this rig has been discounted by Kenwood, and I am looking to pick up of the accessories, like filters, etc.

On the items I see listed in the manual is this SO-2 TCXO unit.

Can you tell me what this does and is it of any benefit?

Also, which filters would you recommend for this rig. I use it for both CW and SSB, but mainly SSB.

Thanks.

Herb - KG6OK

5190. FS: FOR EXPERIMENTERS ONLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7lxo@olympusTrAsH.net
Message-ID: <3394f9bf.36074410@news.olympus.net>
Source record: 173850

I have an ITT Mackay Marine Portable Lifeboat Transceiver Type 401-A that needs a new home.

It is a rugged, compact, entirely self-contained radiotelegraph transmitter-receiver designed primarily for use on survival craft (read lifeboats) to promote safety of personnel at sea. As built, this equipment provides for communication on the 500kc distress frequency and on the long range 8346kc channel between survival craft and between such craft and rescue vessels or aircraft.

All power required for operation of this radio equipment is provided by a built-in, hand-cranked electric generator.

Unit is waterproof and is built to float after a 20' drop into the sea.

Power from the two cranking handles is applied to an integrated electric generator through a "silent" chain ball-bearing drive with a 72:1 angular speed step-up ratio. Original lubrication normally suffices for the lifetime of the equipment.

RF power losses are minimized in the power amp adnoutput networks by use of silver-plated hardware, teflon antenna feed-through insulator, and high ! variometer wound on a low-loss glass-fibre malamine form.

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NOTE: Needless to say, this equipment must not be utilized such that it automatically broadcasts false auto-alarm or SOS signals. That would constitute a Federal crime with substantial penalties. The unit would have to be modified for other use, limited only by your imagination and inventiveness. Say...

Field day (they should make a special class for such projects)???
....

The Type 401-A package includes the following items:
a. 401-A transmitter-receiver in canvas cover (the cover is deteriorated after a career at sea).
b. Generator cranking handles stowed within pockets of cover.
c. Four section collapsible mast with antenna wire and rigging stowed within separate, but attached, pocket of cover.
d. Bround braid wound on a spool; one end of wire is secured to the panel while the spool is kept within the case cover.
e. Headphones housed within cover of case, with end of cord permanently secured to the equipment.
f. Spare parts, including the following tubes: 12AT7, 6AQ5, 6U8, 6BJ6, and neon lamp NE51.

g. ORIGINAL OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL, which contains:
1. Description.
2. Electrical circuit descriptions.
3. Operating instructions.
4. Maintenance.
5. Electrical parts list.
6. Illustrations/drawings, including 4 tables & 10 drawings.
h. Wall mounting bracket.

This complete package weighs about 60 pounds so UPS shipping costs
are about ???.

PRICE!
I don't know how to price this item so will entertain all offers
received before MIDNIGHT, June 15, 1997.

ANY OFFERS TENDERED SHOULD INCLUDE THE SHIPPING COST
IN THE TOTAL BID, THUS PRECLUDING MISUNDERSTANDINGS.

Hope this once in a lifetime acquisition will make someone the talk of
the local club.

73 Chuck N7LXO
(360) 385-4537
FAX (360) 385-0633
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Charles W. O'Hara n7lxo@olympus.TrAsHnet
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When sending me personal e-mail, please remove the TrAsH from my e-mail address.
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It is evident that the souls receive grace from the bounty of the Holy Spirit
which appears in the Manifestations of God, and not from the personality of the
Manifestation. (SAQ 146)
+===+

5191. FS: FOR EXPERIMENTERS ONLY (Revised II)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7lxo@olympusTrAsH.net
Message-ID: <3394fc88.36787446@news.olympus.net>
Source record: 173851

(Sorry, I blew the shipping cost paragraph) and then the BID paragraph!). I guess that's why we are called amateurs... :-)

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Field day (they should make a special class for such projects)???
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g. ORIGINAL OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL, which contains:
1. Description.
2. Electrical circuit descriptions.
3. Operating instructions.
4. Maintenance.
5. Electrical parts list.
6. Illustrations/drawings, including 4 tables & 10 drawings.
h. Wall mounting bracket.

This complete package will weigh about 63 pounds when packed so UPS
shipping costs will range up to about $40 depending on your location.
Check with UPS to determine your cost for shipping.

PRICE!
I don't know how to price this item so will entertain all offers
received before MIDNIGHT, June 15, 1997.

ANY OFFERS TENDERED SHOULD SPECIFY YOUR BID PRICE, AND INDICATE THE
SHIPPING COST AS A SEPARATE ITEM, THUS PRECLUDING MISUNDERSTANDINGS.

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73 Chuck N7LXO
(360) 385-4537
FAX (360) 385-0633
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Charles W. O'Hara n7lxo@olympus.TrAsHnet
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which appears in the Manifestations of God, and not from the personality of the
Manifestation. (SAQ 146)
+===+

5192. FS: FOR EXPERIMENTERS ONLY (Revised)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7lxo@olympusTrAsH.net
Message-ID: <3394faf9.36388965@news.olympus.net>
Source record: 173852

(Sorry, I blew the shipping cost paragraph)

I have an ITT Mackay Marine Portable Lifeboat Transceiver Type 401-A
that needs a new home.

It is a rugged, compact, entirely self-contained radiotelegraph
transmitter-receiver designed primarily for use on survival craft
(read lifeboats) to promote safety of personnel at sea. As built,
this equipment provides for communication on the 500kc distress
frequency and on the long range 8346kc channel between survival craft
and between such craft and rescue vessels or aircraft.

All power required for operation of this radio equipment is provided
by a built-in, hand-cranked electric generator.

Unit is waterproof and is built to float after a 20' drop into the
sea.

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electric generator through a "silent" chain ball-bearing drive with a
72:1 angular speed step-up ratio. Original lubrication normally
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5193. Help Need Azden AZ-61 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Sherwood <kf5gc@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3395235D.5758@hotmail.com>
Source record: 173853

Does anyone have any mods for the Azden AZ-61 handheld 6 meter radio or know where I can find them. Please e-mail me at kf5gc@hotmail.com if you can help.

Thanks
Barry
KF5GC

5194. FS:TS-870S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jnr@cpuinc.net
Message-ID: <865405526.32447@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

FOR SALE: KENWOOD TS-870S, NEW CONDITION IN THE BOX, THREE MONTHS OLD.
REASON FOR SALE - BACKUP RIG NOT USED, PURCHASING NEW HF RIG.
$1800.00 SHIPED, 616-429-4850 ASK FOR JOE SR.....

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5195. ICOM IC-31 INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alberto Tetra <albatetra@iol.it>
Message-ID: <01bc70c3$5b8afbe0$LocalHost@albatetra>
Source record: 173855

Hi!
I'm every Albert !
Can anyone help me to find tech-info & mods for ICOM IC-31.
In all FTP sites I visited, this radio don't exists!!!
(ex.ftp.oak.oakland....etc)

Thanks

albatetra@iol.it

5196. Re: Icom Ic-z1 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5n3d4u$3nd$1@news5.gte.net>
Source record: 173856

to cross band repeat do the following:

1. set the freq's like you want them on each band

2. then press [func] and [D] then turn the radio off - you will see a small [L] in the lower right corner of the display

3. then press [moni] and [rpt] and [#] while turning the radio on. (this takes a lot of fingers!! This is a littl tough, took me five tries to get mine to go into this mode.)

You will then see the [L] in the lower right of your display start to flash on and off - once it starts flashing - you then are in cross band repeat mode.

4. To stop crossband repeat - repeat step #3. You will see the [L] stop flashing. This means you are out of Cross band repeat.

5. to unlock your radio after stoping cross band repeat, press [func] then press [d]

IT works for me, just step #3 is sometimes difficult.

Good Luck

Dave

On 3 Jun 1997 22:52:03 GMT, "Alberto Bavetta" <albatetra@iol.it> wrote:

>Hi!
>
>Help me!
>How can I activate the CROSS BAND REPEATER mode, on my IC-Z1 transceiver
>
>Thank
>
>albatetra@iol.it
>

5197. CDR For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33955762.57A3@n-link.com>
Source record: 173857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.periphs.scsi,comp.publish.cdrom.multimedia,comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.cd-rom,it.comp.win95,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.d,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.old

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------235965C2442F
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

tomcmugs@n-link.com
www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs

--------------235965C2442F
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; name="CDRSALE.txt"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="CDRSALE.txt"

piggy wrote:

>

> got any cheap mail order places to buy drives from?

>

> the best i have found is a sony bare drive for $305

> and a card for $67

>

> also what is the best software to copy audio cd's with

>

> thanks,

>

> piggy@wwisp.com

I have a Panasonic CW7501 CD-R 2 Mos Old Includes Adaptec SCSI Controler

SCSI Cables, GEAR CD Recording Software.. Paid 700.00 but will sell for

350.00 You pay Shipping.

There is nothing wrong with this drive (Nearly New).

Tommie

512-556-4691
--------------235965C2442F--

5198. TRD: KW MC-60A for SP-6 or SP-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <33953B50.7390@nwlink.com>
Source record: 173858

I have a Kenwood MC-60A desk mike in good cond. I'd like to trade it
for a Yaesu SP-6 or SP-5 external speaker. They are approx. same value.

Mark KB7OID mchaous@nwlink.com Washington State

5199. CD Recorder For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33955ED5.6E45@n-link.com>
Source record: 173859
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.periphs.scsi,comp.publish.cdrom.multimedia,comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.cd-rom,it.comp.win95,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.d,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.old

FOR SALE
I have a Matsushita (Panasonic) CW-7501 CD-Recorder 2 Months Old
Includes Adaptec SCSI Controller SCSI Cables, GEAR CD Recording
Software. Paid $600.00 but will sell for $350.00
There is nothing wrong with this drive (Nearly New) Works like a champ.
Drive is a 4x Read and 2x Write
You pay Shipping
Tommie
512-556-4691 Voice 512-613-2444 Pager
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A1 Custom Mugs
Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special.

5200. TUBES WANTED: 8295 A, 8877 and 572B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dr. Hartmut Waldner" <waldner@uni-bonn.de>
Message-ID: <3395571C.FF0B32CD@uni-bonn.de>
Source record: 173860

Looking for cheap tubes (pull outs): 8295 Eimac or Penta, 8877
(3CX1500A7) and new 572B.

Pse contact: waldner@uni-bonn.de.

Vy 73's Hartmut
(DF6PW)

5201. FS: Standard C-508a - $225

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <339659cf.4125032@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 173861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi All,

I have a mini dual band wide band receive HT FS. I am asking $225. Works and looks like new (no scratches), Mars/Cap mod done.Includes box, strap, original 3" duck.
The specs are:

The Standard C508A

(a) 280 mW transmit power
(b) 60 memories; stores frequency, offset and CTCSS tones
(c) RX 100-180, 340-400 & 400-480 MHz
(d) TX Amateur bands 2M-70cm
(e) Store 2 M & 70 cm frequency in one memory
(f) Operates from 3 volts "2-AA" - Lasts weeks!
(g) Unsurpassed 0.158 micro volts sensitivity
(h) CTCSS Encode & Decode
(i) Scan 1 MHz, full range, memory, block, CTCSS
(j) Scan priority memory channels
(k) Scan pause, busy, hold
(l) One call channel
(m) Dual watch
(n) PTT lock
(o) One touch squelch-off button
(p) Battery save mode
(q) Automatic power off
(r) Rotary channel selection
(s) Keyboard lock
(t) Unsurpassed intermod rejection
(u) 1750 tone burst
(v) Dimensions: 3.35" (H) x 2.28" (W) x 0.98" (D)
(w) Weight with battery 5.65 oz

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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF_kfkjf@post1.com
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5202. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970604122300.IAA17614@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173862

Sorry bud, it is not lega to use.....I believe that your radio also has too much power, I understand that the FRS is limited to 300mw.....

5203. Re: Make Cash, not the same old Scam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: delawsej@esalp1.es.dupont.com
Message-ID: <5n3kab$222@topgun.es.dupont.com>
Source record: 173863
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.pictures.teen-idols,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.

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In article <338F2664.1011@pacifier.com>, Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com> writes:
>Flipper Boy wrote:
>>
>> Make money selling stupid stuff on the Net (Great for Teenagers)
>>
>> Hey there are ways to do it, In my 5 page book, ill give you all the
>> locations on the net to sell stuff that costs you nothing. Ill give you all
>> the address's to online auction house's, Newsgroups to post to, and all the
>> rules in the game. Hey you wont make a million bucks, but you sure as hell
>> can increase your income by about 200-500 dollars a week, Spending only 5-6
>> hr. a week at the computer. And who wouldn't mind that.
>>
>> For "How to make cash on the Net"
>>
>> Send $5.00 cash and an empty SASE to:
>>
>> Make Cash
>> PO Box 26
>> Edge water MD 21037-0026
>>
>> Not responsible for lost or misguided orders. Please allow 2 weeks for
>> delivery, Rush orders add $3.00 for priority mail. No Checks accepted, Cah
>> only. Make Money, Relax!
>You are posting on the wrong news group. Hams are to smart for a scam!

ccc

dir

5204. yaesu FT-5200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alberto Tetra <albatetra@iol.it>
Message-ID: <01bc70d2$2c52d3c0$LocalHost@albatetra>
Source record: 173864

Hello!

About FT-5200
How can I remote control this radio with DTMF from another Transceiver
!?!?!

Bye

albatetra@iol.it

5205. 220mhz and 2M mobiles for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geppetto07@aol.com
Message-ID: <865283155.10605@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173865

Yaesu 2500m 2m mobile w/dec,<1yr old, mint cond $275.00
Standard C228A 2m/220 HT w/dec <3mos old w/receipts,mint cond
also extra 1100mah batt $500.00
Kenwood 3530 220mhz mobile,20mem's,all pl's $250.00
CES SDI-50 Autopatch,simplex/half/full Dup $200.00
Kenwood TM 642 2m/220 mobile w/dec, mint cond. $650.00

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5206. Re: Azden AZ-61 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <33955F72.7E2@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 173866

Barry Sherwood wrote:
>
> Does anyone have any mods for the azden AZ-61 6 meter handheld. If so
> please e-mail me. I have just recieved one and it seems like a real nice
> handheld.

It is a nice rig. A pain to program, though. If you bought the rig used, do you have the 10M manual, or the one for the 6? If you have the 10M one, call Azden; they'll send you the right one (got mine free). Azden, when they first came out with the AZ61 didn't have the correct manuals, so they shipped the HT's with the manual for the 10M unit.
Also looking for mods; please post to the group here. Have checked the various mod pages, and found nothing.
Btw, does anyone know of a headset that works with the AZ61?
--
Jack
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
ARRL - N2MPU
NRA & NRA-ILA

5207. FS: Kenwood TH78A dual band hand held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bthaysen@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970604.075309.8735.16.BThaysen@juno.com>
Source record: 173867

The shack cleanout continues..

I have for sale a clean Kenwood TH78A dual band hand held, includes the
BC15A rapid charger, 2 nicads, the remote speaker mike, and the book.
The radio has the extended
freq coverage mods.

Asking $325.00 shipped, or trade for??

Thanks de Barry W6HZW/3
Mt Airy, MD

5208. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5n3qk1$rv5@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com> wrote:

>I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
>alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
>it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
>"on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
>morning.

>I know plenty of other amateurs who leave their mobile rigs on
>24-hours/day. I have it hooked to an external DC-powered speaker, which is
>switched with my ignition. So, the mobile can't even produce any audio
>through it's own speaker (which would draw a tiny bit more amperage).

>I've checked the radio out. It's an Icom IC-2350H. On standby-receive is
>draws 0.42 amps. Is this outrageous? I know other amateurs in the area
>who leave their mobile rig on, their cell phones charging, and a spare HT
>charging 24-hours/day with NO problems.

>I think it's the battery. The dealer I took it to charge me a whopping
>$91.00 to charge my battery up and tell me it was my aftermarket equipment
>that was killing my battery overnight. I kid you not. I could get home
>from my weekly 500 mile trip (which should do a great job of charging my
>battery), and the next morning -- click! The vehicle won't start.

>The mechanic was telling me that the vehicle's battery is rated for a 20 ma
>(that's 0.020 amps!!!) draw, and anything over that is beyond it's rating.
>Excuse me, but I should be able to leave my vehicle sit for a MONTH with a
>tiny little draw like that -- and then when I go to start it, it should
>JUMP to life!!!

>I'm just looking for a little information on what these batteries can
>handle. Currently, I have a "factory" 17ma draw for normal accessories
>like the clock, etc. So, if we add the draw from my mobile rig, we come up
>with a 0.437amp draw. HOW LONG SHOULD MY BATTERY LAST WITH THAT DRAW??

>Any and ALL information will be greatly welcomed. Please email me with
>your responses, in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.

>73 and thanks!

>Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
>webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

I don't know where you are, but 'your' bttery dealer isn't yours
at all, at all. You are his. The dealer we use in Tulsa, he would
do the tests free, and has several times.

Also he explained that to me, because a small lamp was left on, and ran the batt down.

Old batts were classed in total power storage. new batts are classed in cranking power.

New batts are less expensive to make, but do only the one job they are made for. If you are willing to pay more for deep-draft batteries,

you can have the old style. They require more service, and may not last as long.

That's what I heard.
Hope it helps.

Lou
WB0NRU

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

5209. Re: Icom Ic-z1 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc70eb$c8124fc0$424e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 173869

Check out the following sites:

http://www.qrz.com/mods/
http://ic.net/~jheaton/ic-z1a.html

73 and good luck,

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

Alberto Bavetta <albatetra@iol.it> wrote in article
<01bc706f$0b052aa0$ba092dc3@albatetra>...
> Hi!
>
> Help me!
> How can I activate the CROSS BAND REPEATER mode, on my IC-Z1 transceiver
>
> Thank
>
> albatetra@iol.it
>
>

5210. Re: FS:Autek MK-1 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Hemmis <K3USC@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33956F61.642C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173870

Mitch, W4OA wrote:
>
> Brian Hemmis wrote:
>
> Selling my Autek Research MK-1 programmable-4 memory keyer.
> Looks and
> works great. w/instructions $ 60 shipped Brian K3USC-
> Erie,PA
> 814-866-2585 or email
>
> hi brian...
>
> i'll take the mk-1... let me know where to send the check...
>
> thanks,
> mitch, w4oa
>
> --
> ---------Vibroplex - Since 1890, the oldest name in ham radio!--------
> Felton "Mitch" Mitchell, W4OA email: w4oa@vibroplex.com
> The Vibroplex Co., Inc., 11 Midtown Park East., Mobile, AL 36606-4141
> Orders 800-840-8873, Info 334-478-8873, FAX 334-476-0465
> Visit our web site: http://www.vibroplex.com/
Keyer has been sold-thanks to all who responded ! 73, Brian K3USC

5211. Battery drain, first hand

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <5n3sct$i4c@dailyplanet.wam.umd.edu>
Source record: 173871

OK, OK, I know I commented on the radio killing the battery,
so here's some first-hand evidence.

Six month old die-hard in a Mitsubishi Expo.

Radio left on at (verified) 380 mA drain instead
of normal 90 mA drain.

Battery was virtually stone-dead after four days of
not being driven.

96 hours @ 380 mA = 37.5 AH.

I have lead-acid deep cycle gel cells that do better
than that in a case 1/2 the size. Of course, they
can't start a car engine.
--
* Scott Rosenfeld NF3I Burtonsville, MD FM19mc QRV 80-10/6/2/440 *
*** 6m 75 grids worked on 8 watts *** HF 140 cfmd * QRP-L #147 ***
** QRP ARCI #9054 ** DXCC/WAS/WAC *** 100% dipole powered HF/6m **
* 301-549-1022 h / 301-982-1015 w *** Hamfest, life's simple joy *

5212. FS: Yaesu 2400H, Standard C508A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Chisholm <chisholm@spec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc70f0$8a23df80$c0956bc0@sleepy.spec.com>
Source record: 173872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Two Radios for sale:
1. Yaesu 2400H (2 meter mobile) in very good condition. Large easy to read display. Back lighted microphone. Mil spec rugged.$220.00 with book and mounting bracket.
2. Standard C508A Dual band HT. Wide band rcvr. Smallest dual band made. Very good for traveling.
$200.00 with book and factory box. Radio is in excellent condition.
e-mail me if interested.
Robert

5213. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John T. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970604065343.77904A-100000@homer21.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 173873

1). SWR meter if rig doesn't have one. 2). computer for logging and packet
3). amplifier. k7jy.

On Wed, 4 Jun 1997 hacker@flash.net wrote:

> On Mon, 02 Jun 1997 23:31:44 GMT, ham@cybercomm.net (Dave Edwards)
> wrote:
>
> >On Mon, 02 Jun 1997 05:03:13 -0700, NeilT@worldnet.att.net wrote:
> >
> >>Marco S Hyman wrote:
> >>>
> >>> Opinions wanted:
> >>>
> >>> Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
> >>> most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to
> >>> prioritize your purchases for extra equipment, in what order would you
> >>> buy things?
> >>>
> >>> I'm sure there are some diverse opinions out there -- let's hear them.
> >>>
> >>> // marc
> >>
> >>A ham sandwich on rye with mayonaisse and a bottle of 12 year scotch
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >>A coffee cup with some white fuzzy stuff in it, One white sock,
> >>random books and newspapers, bills on the table, a broken light bulb.
> >>a few nickels and dimes, and a water ski (slalom)
> >>..what else?
> >>...Dave
> you mustn't forget the computer!!!!!
>
>

5214. Re: Yaesu FT-50 SMA to BNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbostic@radix.net
Message-ID: <5n3see$q2f@news1.radix.net>
Source record: 173874

Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:

>Where can I get a SMA to BNC connector for my Yaesu FT-50?
>Thanks,
>Chief

Ham Radio Oulet (HRO)

5215. Re: FT-920 REVIEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5n7akh$4q2@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 173626

Well, I got to play with the FT 920 belonging to my friend, KB6VFC, and HF and 6 meter kind of guy.

He bought the radio two weeks ago, but just got it back from Yaesu, had a solder blob on a circuit board that put the rig into transmit constantly. That happens. They fixed is quickly and honestly. That is to their credit.

The radio itself is designed to look and feel like the 1000 series. However, it affords IF filtering only like the 890 / 900 series with the addition of an audio DSP. A nontrivial audio DSP, works nicely, but not in the AGC loop, the same tradeoff made in the external DSP's. AGC pumping from an adjacent strong signal will reduce its effectiveness.

Only a single IF filter is afforded in the SSB and CW modes. 8 poles, monolithic design, and way overpriced. Oh well. The Yaesu IF crystal filters will do a good job though. The DSP unit needs the help to prevent the AGC pumping in CW.

The audio DSP is designed to be controlled very cleverly. It allows the user to take a very small audio bandwidth and move it across the IF bandpass with "high cut" and "low cut" audio controls linked together at min bandwidth. You have to use it to appreciate it. Nicely done.

The DSP noise reduction is not very impressive, and it does introduce a "rolling" in the audio, which I consider unpleasant. It is not bad, I just don't like it. It seems to cut the very high response in the audio range too. I suppose that makes sense, but I like fuller range audio. The noise is not completely eliminated, just a low rumble remains. It can "help" to receive the audio from a very weak station, but I could not find a situation where it made the difference between copy and no copy. It did seem to reduce ear fatigue on CW.

The audio from the speaker was adequate, but was the standard restricted sounding SSB that comes from many radios. I think the FT 1000 sounds a lot nicer with its internal speaker, broader range.

Overall, a nice upgrade to the 900 series radios, making it a very good all around rig for the shack. I don't confuse this radio with the 1000, for me, it is not in the same league.

Clark
WA3JPG

5216. Re: ******NEED HELP TRACKING RADIO SIGNALS!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33973E17.669F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173627

ALPHA6469 wrote:
>
> I am looking for information on the least expensive, but effective method
> of tracking
> transmissions in the UHF 461 -465mhz band. The company I am with has a
> serious problem with employees with issued radios or former employees
> suspected of stealing radios, of interfereing with transmissions by
> playing on our frequencies. I would like to find a method of tracking
> these radios to reclaim stolen ones,or to remove them from those soon to
> be former employees. Please E-Mail me with any information.
>
> Thankyou,

Generally, this would be done with a small beam (Yagi) antenna
and a radio with a signal strength meter. An attenuator,
adjustable, would also be required. It takes a little practice,
but you can home in on a signal in an hour or so if transmissions
are frequent, especially if the distances are short. You can
practice by homing in on a base station radio that is used
frequently, such as a police dispatcher. This is an active
hobby within the amateur radio hobby. For example, 73 Amateur
Radio has a column in every magazine on this topic. Visit
your local amateur radio store and discuss your problem.

A small beam should cost $50 or so, and an attenuator $100
or less. A scanner with a meter might cost $250, if you
don't have a radio with a meter. You can use a radio
without a meter, but it is harder.

The hardest part is chasing it down to the last 200 feet or
so, but there are some tricks to help, such as listening
to the second or third harmonic instead of the fundamental
frequency.

You might be able to get some local hams who are interested
in DF (Direction Finding) to help you, as a kind of game
for them.

Good luck,

Richard

5217. FS: TS-50 + access. -- hf xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbohner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605215401.RAA18666@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173628

For sale:
Kenwood TS-50, New price @ AES=$1019 -- Asking $750
Kenwood AT-50 Antenna tuner, New Price @ AES=$329 -- Asking $245
Kenwood YK107C CW Filter, New price=$129 -- Asking $90

All in excellent condition, no scratches or marks. Original boxes and manuals. Purchased new 3/94 from AES. The AT-50 was used only about 30 minutes, I ended up using an SGC tuner instead, because of the type of antenna. It
has served me well, but I no longer need a small radio.
I'll pay COD shipping.

Send email to GBohner@aol.com
Guy, W6LJL
St. Petersburg, FL

5218. Re: Sell Autek QF-1A FILTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3397348f.184383@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 173629

AUTEK QF-1A SSB, AM, CW AUDIO FILTER.
MINT. $50.00 Shipped.
Call any Eve, 215/673-0485 or
e-mail. Albert, Wa3fib.

5219. Re: FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: TDF Technical Support <tdftech@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bc71eb$a8e403e0$75699ecf@tdftech.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 173630

Interesting....I just read that this mod allows transmit 140-174, 420-470 MHz. Guess that I'll be extra careful!

5220. Re: ******NEED HELP TRACKING RADIO SIGNALS!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5zgt@swcp.com
Message-ID: <5n7evr$650$1@sloth.swcp.com>
Source record: 173631

alpha6469@aol.com (ALPHA6469) wrote:

>I am looking for information on the least expensive, but effective method
>of tracking
>transmissions in the UHF 461 -465mhz band. The company I am with has a
>serious problem with employees with issued radios or former employees
>suspected of stealing radios, of interfereing with transmissions by
>playing on our frequencies. I would like to find a method of tracking
>these radios to reclaim stolen ones,or to remove them from those soon to
>be former employees. Please E-Mail me with any information.

Another person already answered your question, but for all the
information you need, please visit the best radio direction finding
website on the Internet at: http://www.swcp.com/~ab5p
73,
Brian, N5ZGT

Boy Scouts of America Amateur Radio - N5ZGT
Eagle Scout (12-6-96) ARRL QRP: NorCal# 1700 QRP-L# 580 AK/QRP # 125
JASM - Troop 41 Author of Worldradio's "Youth Forum" Column
Albuquerque, N.M. Packet: N5ZGT @ KC5IZT.ALBQ.NM.USA.NOAM
O.A. Lodge 66 <-W-W-W-<< Internet: n5zgt@swcp.com

5221. WTB: 440 Duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Withers <jeffrey@wln.com>
Message-ID: <33971BC6.4ABA@wln.com>
Source record: 173632

My club is looking for full size (Wacom type)
duplexers for a 440 link TX 439.325 RX 430.325
these units cost $500 new, we need (used?) for less.
Tnx/73 Jeffrey@WLN.com

5222. FS: HP LaserJet IIP printer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Tucker <sts@ac.net>
Message-ID: <339773BE.4049@ac.net>
Source record: 173633

I know this is a radio group but Hams have computers and printers so
here goes. I have a Hewlett Packard LaserJet IIP printer for sale. I
purchased it from an estate a few weeks ago and have decided to keep my
Epson dot matrix printer and sell the HP. It has:

New toner cartridge(less than 10 copies)
All documentation and manuals
Cable
2 Mb Ram board installed
Almost new and works great!

I will ship in the US for $350.00

If you are interested EMail at this address or call the number below.
Thanks.
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Larry Tucker, N4KVP
Lead Service Technician
Sandhills Technical Service, Inc.
910-974-7867
http://www.janrix.com/sts/

5223. FS: Motorola System Cables HKN4321A and HKN4256A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <865561170.23821@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Motorola System Cables

HKN4256A for Syntor X-9000,
HKN4321A for Maratac ?
New, Unused
$40 each

Mike Nowlen
mike@3dnet.com
Evenings 7pm-10pm Eastern, Weekends: (703) 716-1363

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5224. Re: ******NEED HELP TRACKING RADIO SIGNALS!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <339765AB.40F6@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173635

If you want to physically find the radio, the DF method described is about it. If you want to know who is playing around on the radio, assuming a currently known radio, look into an ANI (Automatic Number Identification). This is a neat little thing that many business use where in the radio transmits some form of ident each time it is keyed, from something as basic as Touch Tones to modern Data bursts. The base station has a decoder that displays what unit number (specific radio) keys up each time. If you are using some modern two ways, MOTOROLA, the data burst option may already be installed and the radios would only need to be reprogrammed, and the decoder purchased. If not, you will probably find this option very expensive.

Tom

5225. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33976DF6.56B9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173636

Geoff Brown GJ4ICD wrote:
>
> WB0NZV wrote:
> >
> > Theres not much choice. The 920 is dual conversion compared to triple
> > conversion and the list goes on. Play with them, 756 in a land slide.
>
> Had one in 1996...got rid of it!
> Some of it's features like having to input "LETTERS" from the key pad
> for the CW keyer are bad.
> There's also phasing noise using the NR, and complaints on phasing noise
> on TX that we have reported to Icom.
>
> FT920..much better!
> And nearly half the price over here!
> Geoff :-))))

In the USA the prices are $1920 for the Icom 756 and $1750 for the
Yaesu FT-920. When you add the AM filter and FM option the the Yaesu
FT-920 then both radios are about the same price!

5226. Re: RE : ADMS-2C Programming Software..... READ ME PLEASE....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <33973477.47F9@ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 173637

SuperBrad.god wrote:
>
>
> Will someone please post a copy of the ADMS-2C Windows Programming Software
> for the Yaesu FT-8500. This would be of great help... thanx!
>
> Brad,
>
> KB0NZA
>
> www.dialnet.net/users/kb0nza
> kb0nza@dialnet.net

It's a commercial product, not shareware or freeware. RT systems
has a pretty good price on it (I suspect that is because they hold
the copyright).

John WA0PTV

5227. Wanted: Tubes, RCA and other tube testers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin@UPSCALEaudio.com
Message-ID: <5n85pt$dji@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 173638

Seeking

RCA WT100A

Hickok 580A

Triplett 3444A

Tektronix 570 curve tracer

If you have any of these or tubes to sell, please let me know

Best Regards,

Kevin Deal High End, Home Theater,
UPSCALE Audio and Rare Vintage Tubes
1410 Lemonwood Dr West Voice (909) 931-9686
Upland, CA 91786 Fax(909) 985-6968

5228. re: FS: Standard C-508a - $225 - SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <33970ea0.1282360@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 173639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Thanks the HT has been sold.


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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF\_kfkjf@post1.com
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5229. Want Murata CFJ455K12 and TenTec 282,285

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ICS.UCI.EDU
Message-ID: <25515.865486505@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 173676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Howdy: I am still looking for the Murata ceramic 455 kHz SSB filter CFJ455 K12 or the V12 (out of the Kenwood 940 among other rigs...). I am also looking for the TenTec model 282 or 285 CW filters for the 6.3 Mhz IF (from Corsairs or OMNI V, VI).

Anything out there?

Clark
WA3JPG
QRP #3526

5230. ts120vfo wanted.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hacker@flash.net
Message-ID: <339733fb.7266127@news.flash.net>
Source record: 173677

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if anyone has one of these, I am in the market.
it must be complete, working order, and have the
manuals for installation into the ts120.
thanks in advance.
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5231. Re: IBM Thinkpad Notebook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Whit Crowley <wcrowley@magibox.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7173$7965e570$83198ed0@whitnt>
Source record: 173678

SOLD SOLD SOLD THANKS

Whit Crowley <wcrowley@magibox.net> wrote in article
<336FF951.6F0C@magibox.net>...
> For Sale: IBM Thinkpad 701C Butterfly Keyboard, 10.4" Active Matrix
> Display, 486DX4-75MHz, 720MB Hard Disk, 24MB Memory, 14.4 Modem/Fax,
> 2x Speed External CDROM/PCMCIA, 2 Power Adapters, Speakers, Running
> Windows 95 and runs Office 97 very well. Factory warranty will transfer.
> $1250.00 Shipped COD/Cash
>
> Please email wcrowley@magibox.net
>

5232. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <33972347.624F@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 173679

Marc --
While the coffee cup, pastrami on rye, and xyl are good ideas,
I'm particularly fond of my MFJ SWR Analyzer -- it doubles
as a grid-dipper, and allows me to test feed line, antennas,
antenna tuners, tuned circuits, works as a frequency counter,
signal injector, vswr meter, etc. Probably the best $150
I've ever spent on amateur radio "test" gear. It's as valuable
in the car as at home to boot!

Joe

Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China
http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html
ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.

5233. Re: TS-520S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <339724E0.2822@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 173680

Hi Brian,
Having owned several TS-520S radio's over the years, I have found
the "reduce the carrier" approach works fairly well for CW power
reduction. However, for SSB, backing off the microphone gain
leaves something to be desired -- I find that this seldom definitively
limits the radio's output. The problem with the mic gain reduction
is that there is no ALC action -- if you happen to close-talk the
mic, your output increases. If you back off of the mic, your
output slides to nothing. Running with the processor on makes
matters worse, as does running with a preamplified microphone.

Instead, I suggest using a 9V battery and potentiometer to
provide a constant voltage to the ALC connector to the back
panel of the radio.

This is the same principle used when running a linear amplifier
to prevent overdriving the amp (flat-topping the signal, splatter,
etc). The voltage on the ALC input reduces the power output.
Best of all, this works in both SSB and CW modes -- you can "mark"
the potentiometer for different power output levels and quickly
go from QRPp to full barefoot output without changing mic gain,
carrier, processor, or microphone preamplifier settings.

73,
Joe

>Is there an easy way to reduce the output power on this radio? I need
> >to reduce power on 75m to avoid an rfi problem.
> >Thanks,
> >Brian
> >KJ7VN

Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China

http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html

ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.

5234. Yupiteru Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martyn Allison <martyn@intecc.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bc717c$1003d020$6ae4f3c1@100076>
Source record: 173681

You will find an interesting web site offering Yupiteru Scanners at exceptional prices at the following web site http://www.multicomm2000.com you will also find AOR there as well as all the usual bits and pieces from Yaesu, Kenwood and Icom, I have delt with them and have had no problems.

Happy hunting

Martyn

5235. YAESU 901-DM $429

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: childoking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605064900.CAA22821@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173682

YAESU 901 DM (deluxe Model) HF 160/80/40/20/15/10a/10b/10c/10d/WWV with 11 meter mod! 100W.
SSB/FM/AM/CW/FSK.
Bright red LED Frequency display.
All solid state plug in modular boards with (2) tube, smooth finals. Tuner and finals match wide range of Antennas.
VOX. Keyer. APF CW filter. SSB notch filters. Noise Blanker. Plugs right in to AC or easy to wire for DC (AC/DC internal). Operation manual included!
Easy connections on back for patch or transverters unit (6m,2m,440).
Save big time because this highly sensitive rig has a built in AC or DC power supply, Tuner, Keyer,VOX, Current meter, SSB and CW filters, 11 mod, and optional transverters. Unbeliveable nice signal and recieve charateristics. After all, it's a YAESU. All for only $429 plus $25 shipping UPS to your front door. If you prefer COD add $49 for shipping.

5236. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: poseidon@ziplink.net
Message-ID: <33964d3f.17339456@news.ziplink.net>
Source record: 173683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 5 Jun 1997 00:46:46 GMT, Sid Boyce <szb50@juts.ccc.amdahl.com>
wrote:

>Steve Stuart wrote:
>>
>> Michael wrote:
>> >
>> > Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?

The only thing I know of that would refer to what you're asking for is
MiniLinux by sp2ong.
It can be downloaded from ftp.li.ncu.edu.pl from the directory
/pub/hamradio or something.
It works out of the box and gets installed on a msdos partition.

Benedict
kb2qzv
---------- be well and prosper -----------------
poseidon@ziplink.net

5237. FS: Icom SM8 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-0506970643170001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 173684

I have a mint SM8 with orig. box, 90.00 shipped

5238. WTB: Kenwood MC60A Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-0506970643560001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 173685

I'm looking for a MC60A in mint cond.

5239. WTB: Hf Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jls <jls@tminet.com>
Message-ID: <3396A211.FC03273D@tminet.com>
Source record: 173686

Looking for something along the lines of a TS-520S, TS-820S, or Icom
730. What do you have.

jls@tminet.com

73,
Jeff KG6UC

5240. Alinco DJ-S41 Low Power Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
Message-ID: <0550b24.199706050728.051BEED2@macgroup.org>
Source record: 173687

I just purchased an Alinco DJ-S41, mainly to use for crossbanding through my Yaesu 8000R. It works great, but I was wondering if anyone knows how much power it runs in the low-power setting. The manual does not say, but judging from the amount of current drawn from the batteries versus what is draw in the high power position (340 millwatts), I would estimate the low-power position to be about 100 millwatts.

I am using alkaline batteries now; don't know how long they will last. I may go to Nicads. Has anyone had any experience with battery life or other batteries?. I believe some company makes a rechargeable alkaline.

Bill
W8BC

5241. feg

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd6esz@shell.quick.net
Message-ID: <5n69b9$ql7@news.quick.net>
Source record: 173688

sdfg

5242. FS: Anderson Powerpole Connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd6esz@shell.quick.net
Message-ID: <5n69dj$ql7@news.quick.net>
Source record: 173689

For Sale: Anderson Powerpole DC Connectors 52 for $20 includes silver plated 30 amp contacts and all roll pins. Shipping additional $3
send to:
Richard Heryford
2796 Harbor Blvd, Apt #210
Costa Mesa, CA 92626
(714)851-8176

email:
wd6esz@kaiwan.com

73

5243. Re: Alinco DJ-S41 Low Power Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart Bowman <stuart.bowman@ukonline.co.uk>
Message-ID: <01bc71ab$e2cd8f80$cd7106c2@pc63.scs>
Source record: 173690

Bill Combs <Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG> wrote in article
<0550b24.199706050728.051BEED2@macgroup.org>...
> I just purchased an Alinco DJ-S41, mainly to use for crossbanding through
> my Yaesu 8000R. It works great, but I was wondering if anyone knows how
> much power it runs in the low-power setting. The manual does not say, but
> judging from the amount of current drawn from the batteries versus what
is
> draw in the high power position (340 millwatts), I would estimate the
> low-power position to be about 100 millwatts.

I think you're about right with 100mW.

> I am using alkaline batteries now; don't know how long they will last. I
> may go to Nicads. Has anyone had any experience with battery life or
other
> batteries?. I believe some company makes a rechargeable alkaline.

I can't put a definite lifespan on the alkaline batteries, but using mine
hasn't bankrupted me yet!!

Seriously, they seem to keep on running and running with ordinary alkaline
cells.

73 DE Stuart, G0SLX

5244. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: xczarek@apci.net
Message-ID: <3398b28c.1222300@news.apci.net>
Source record: 173691

I don't get the connection to radio, amateur, equipment but...
there is info on R-12 subsitute on the Penzzoil site.
Regards,
Charlie
-
For return mail, remove the "x"

5245. Hickok Model 288X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ej.mars@lagn.com
Message-ID: <51641518@lagn.com>
Source record: 173692

I friend gave me The Universal Crystal Controlled Signal Generator Model listed above. Does anyone know anything about it? It is big and heavy and appears to be a tube type. Is a Crystal Control model better than non Crystal?

5246. WTB: Micro 2 Meter HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Chisholm <chisholm@spec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc71b1$f5ee0c60$c0956bc0@sleepy.spec.com>
Source record: 173693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I am looking to buy a 2 meter HT with the following requirements
1) DTMF keypad
2) Very small size.
3) 5 watts out capable.
4) A few scratches OK but not "beat up"
5) I have $150.00 to spend or a little more if radio is very new.
6) Must have charger with the 5 watt battery.
7) at least 20 memories

Idea radios are Yaesu FT-10R, Yaesu FT11, Kenwood TH22AT, TH28A
ICOM IC-T22A , IC2sat (I think that is the little ICOM they used to make)
Anything similar to these would be a candidate.
e-mail me at
chisholm@spec.com

5247. AM/FM-CARD FOR FT 102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tore Moe <tore.moe@fou.telenor.no>
Message-ID: <5n6dk0$ht1@nntp.nta.no>
Source record: 173694

I need this extra card for YAESU FT-102. Anybody have one ??
Please e-mail me if you have one for sale.

5248. Kenwood TM-455A Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ralphmw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605135000.JAA09244@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173695

Does anyone know of any mods for the Kenwood TM-455A 430MHZ All-mode rig??? It's a nice rig but limited to 430-440 MHZ, it does not cover the FM portion of the 440 band. Thanks for any help.

Ralph NH6QT/W3
ralphmw@aol.com

5249. FS: Motorola r-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1ddzrjc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605135801.JAA09782@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173696

R-100 10 watts set for GMRS frequency with mobile duplexer and autopatch, manuals. Excellent and was never put into service. Will make a great basis for a 440 repeater. Unit is in a compact wall mount enclosure with internal power supply.

$1200 or BRO

Bob

5250. RE: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <9706050707431504 4@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 173697

>>Does anyone know if the HTX204 meets FCC spectral requirements when
>>used on the Family Radio Service frequencies?

As you were advised last week - NO. NO piece of amateur gear is legal to use on the FRS frequencies.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

5251. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <9706050707431504 5@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 173698

>>...I understand that the FRS is limited to 300mw.....

That's 500mW ERP.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

5252. UNIDIRECTIONAL Cross Band Repeater in ICOM's TRANSCEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alberto Tetra <albatetra@iol.it>
Message-ID: <01bc71bd$a3b2e860$LocalHost@albatetra>
Source record: 173699

Hallo!!
Can anyone help me!
I need than ICOM IC-Z1 or IC-W31 and other ICOM's radio function
as an UNIDIRECTIONAL Cross band repeater!!!!
more explain...
...if I set VHF as INPUT (RX) and UHF as OUTPUT (TX), I need that when
a signal appears on UHF band the transceiver don't transpose signal in VHF.

Thank You

5253. Re: CD Recorder For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: h ho <hxho@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3396D17D.667E@pacbell.net>
Source record: 173700
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.periphs.scsi,comp.publish.cdrom.multimedia,comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.cd-rom,it.comp.win95,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.d,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.old

Tommie Taylor wrote:
>
> FOR SALE
> I have a Matsushita (Panasonic) CW-7501 CD-Recorder 2 Months Old
> Includes Adaptec SCSI Controller SCSI Cables, GEAR CD Recording
> Software. Paid $600.00 but will sell for $350.00
> There is nothing wrong with this drive (Nearly New) Works like a champ.
> Drive is a 4x Read and 2x Write
> You pay Shipping
> Tommie
> 512-556-4691 Voice 512-613-2444 Pager
> --
> A1 Custom Mugs
> Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
> Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
> Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
> Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special.

So really now, what's wrong with it?

5254. FS: Kenwood TM241A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3396D094.152E@onramp.net>
Source record: 173701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Kenwood TM241A 2M 50w radio. With DTMF mike and copy of owners manual.
Modified for extended tx.

$200

30 day warranty

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5255. FS: Kwd TU-7 and DRU-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3396D119.4172@onramp.net>
Source record: 173702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Kenwood TU-7 tone unit $50

Kenwood DRU-1 digital recording unit $75

DOA warranty

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5256. FS: Kenwood TM2570A 2M Hi-Power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3396D014.60CB@onramp.net>
Source record: 173703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale:

Kenwood TM2570A 2M FM radio. 75w on high power. With owners manual and
hand mike.

30 day warranty

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5257. Re: WTB: 6CA& tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dk3410@gnc.net
Message-ID: <5n6l3q$gj3@niven.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 173704

In article <19970602094700.FAA13095@ladder02.news.aol.com>, k9sqg@aol.com says...
>
>Trying to help a friend locate new Amperex 6CA7 tubes. Thanks.
>
>Evan
>K9SQG@AOL.com
How many do you need?

5258. Trade ALINCO DJ-580T for UNIDEN BC-235XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Smith <gsmith@dnaco.net>
Message-ID: <5n5e61$kp9$1@pike.dnaco.net>
Source record: 173705

I have an ALINCO DJ-580T dual band HT with charger, battery and manual, =
that I would like to trade for a UNIDEN BC-235XLT truck tracker scanner. =

The Alinco is in fair condition, the keypad needs replacing(I HAVE THE =
NEW KEYPAD just needs to be put in) The case has some scratches but it's =
in good shape and not cracked or anything like that, it's a good radio, =
has the MARS/CAP mod and recieves 800mhz as well.

Thanks,

Grego, N8PPZ

gsmith@dnaco.net

5259. Re: TS-520S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Saunders <tracker@dancris.com>
Message-ID: <3396CCC5.4F55@dancris.com>
Source record: 173706

On Tue, 27 May 1997 14:54:56 GMT, briordan@earthlink.net (Brian Riordan) wrote:

> Is there an easy way to reduce the output power on this radio? I need
> to reduce power on 75m to avoid an rfi problem.>
> Thanks,
> Brian
> KJ7VN

The Kenwood TS-520S service manual has a mod for this. It is VERY simple! Remove L4 (150uH) from the FINAL unit. That's it, 50w. I suspect that if a little more than 50w is needed, one could use an inductor up to 150uH, say 100uH for 75w.
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Best regards,

Mark Saunders -- KJ7BS
Glendale, Arizona

http://www.dancris.com/~tracker
tracker@dancris.com

KJ7BS@KC7Y.AZ.USA.NOAM

FISTS # 2972 QRP-L # 1028

5260. Q-Stick Antennas-feedback?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: b.bark@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <3396d193.3211735@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173707

I see these at hamfests and figure they have to be too good to be
true. Anybody have any feedback from actual experience with one?
Specifially interested in the dual band unit.
Thanks!
Barry N1WYE

5261. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: U40241@uicvm.uic.edu
Message-ID: <97156.103331U40241@uicvm.uic.edu>
Source record: 173708

On this 'dual' vs 'triple' conversion comment, look at Kachina's web-site and theory of operation discussion of thier new computer-faced ham transceiver. The author generally sounds intelligent, and praises the benefits of fewer, not more stages of conversion when possible. Quality filtering and quality oscillators are a substitute for more conversion stages, seems to me. Yaesu is a radio manufacturer, not a conglomerate producer of consumer goods. Their stuff consistently shows leadership and good performance. The FT-1000XX's are still the best overall receiver sections ever tested at ARRL Labs, to my recollection and I wonder why one would buy another piece of gear for about the same price if the specs. of interest were simply not as good when analyzed comprehensively and carefully, as I trust is done at ARRL. Of course, different rigs tend to excel at different modes, and the world has few easy answers. Ten-tec for CW, maybe the Kachina for computer-control via modem, SGC's new "pocket" xcvr for backpacking, etc. Esthetics and nostalgia are important for OM's too.
K9ZAT

5262. Zoom Fax Modem 14.4 external

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: edczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605165000.MAA21871@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173709

V.17 for 14,400 bps Fax Capability Auto Dial/ answer 8 led Status
Indicators.
Automatic-negotiation to highest level of correction, compression, and
modem speed. Like new used for 2 months before upgrade to 33.6 fax modem.
Cable included. Asking 40.00.

E-mail to Edczy@aol.com

Ed Czyzewski N2XPW '73

5263. Re: Noise reduction, SNR enhancement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickets@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3396d671.5276046@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 173710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shotwave,rec.radio.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Thu, 05 Jun 1997 10:19:42 +0200, Ulrich Schnaidt
<uschnaid@ba-stuttgart.de> wrote:

>Hello,
>
>I use the simulationtool 'PTOLEMY' under Linux.
>
>I need to know anything about noise and noise reduction algorithm.
>
>Maybe anyone of you knows a lot about that topic.
>Also literature links or internet information is very welcome.
>
>It would be nice if you can help in that.
>You can cantact me via email (see below).
>
>Thanx in advance,
> Uli
>
>--
http://www.eskimo.com/~billb/hum/hum.html
dr

5264. RE : ADMS-2C Programming Software..... READ ME PLEASE....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "SuperBrad.god" <superdude@ufo.org>
Message-ID: <01bc71c3$7df80960$8ffa41ce@default>
Source record: 173711

Will someone please post a copy of the ADMS-2C Windows Programming Software
for the Yaesu FT-8500. This would be of great help... thanx!

Brad,

KB0NZA

www.dialnet.net/users/kb0nza
kb0nza@dialnet.net

5265. Re: IC 706 MkII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Josh@pirate.org
Message-ID: <339657ac.4795103@news.dnai.com>
Source record: 173712

There is a aftermarket item I saw taht slots into on of the filter slots and does automatic repeater offsets. I can't find the sheet right now but if you are interested email me and once I find the spec sheet i will email it off.

Josh Hoffman
KD6WJX
josh@pirate.org

On Thu, 29 May 1997 17:01:59 -0500, Ben Lindsey <blindsey@metricom.com> wrote:

>F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur wrote:
>>
>> What do you think about It ???
>>
>> Tnx Vincent F5MJV
>
>
> More power on 2 meters (20 watts now) and a quieter fan (yippee)
>But still has the ridiculous repeater offset problem.. You have to turn
>the thing off and go into setup mode to change your direction of shift.
>I heard another fellow here describe it as brain dead - I'd have to say
>that was hitting the nail on the head. Anybody know a way around this?
>
>-b
>kc5rbz
>blindsey@sepulcher.com

5266. 3AG 6amp same as AGC 6amp ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <339723ED.16CE@vbe.com>
Source record: 173713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm a little confused with some fuse nomenclature....

Is a "Bussman" AGC 6amp 250v fast blow fuse the same as a 3AG 6 amp 250v normal blow fuse ???

Thanks,

Mike - KB9QHU

5267. Help! Changing XTAL in Mitrek Channel Element

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Sidener <sidener@umr.edu>
Message-ID: <5n6r38$i0o$3@news.cc.umr.edu>
Source record: 173714

Hi,

I am trying to tune up 3 motorola mitrek radios in the ham band.

I have bought crystals for the channel elements and know that if the freq. changes significantly then at least one cap and one inductor need to be changed in the channel element to get the crystal to oscillate.

I believe this is called "compensating"

Can anyone prescribe what to change in the channel elements to work?

Here is what I have:

Original New
Channel Freq.
Freq.

168MHz 145MHz Both Tx and RX kxn1088 and kxn1086
460MHz 440MHz Same as VHF
46MHz 50MHz Kxn1085 and 1087 I think.

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Scott Sidener N0WFL

5268. Re: WTB: Aluminum Twist Tab Quad Electrolytic Capacitors 40/40/20/20 uF @ 350V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: borowski@spk.hp.com
Message-ID: <5n730q$shi@hpcvsnz.cv.hp.com>
Source record: 173715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,sci.electronics.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

mike@3dnet.com wrote:
: Wanted: Aluminum Twist Tab Quad Electrolytic Capacitors 40/40/20/20 uF @
: 350V

: Ideally 1 3/8" diameter x 2 1/2" high maximum
: Higher or close section values ok.

Antique Electronic Supply has a 40/40/20/20 @ 450 volts, though it is 3 1/2"
high. They also have a 40/20/20/20 @ 500 volts which is 2 1/2" high.

If all else fails, you can have your old one rebuilt by Frontier Electronics.

Donald Borowski WA6OMI Hewlett-Packard, Spokane Division
"Angels are able to fly because they take themselves so lightly."
-G.K. Chesterton

5269. Re: TM-V7A Mute, Display Problems - Kenwood doesn't care

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrhodes@iti2.net
Message-ID: <3396bc0e.175135344@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 173716

>I called Kenwood Tech Support (310-639-5300) and asked about these problems.
>They certainly know about the display problem, but I don't think they are
>hearing enough feedback from disgruntled users about the lack of a MUTE
>function. Supposedly, I'm told, they DO listen to user feedback. If you
>own this radio, and are upset by the lack of a MUTE, please call this number
>and tell them so. I am very much hoping that they will fix this problem
>and make it possible for early owners of this radio to upgrade inexpensively.
>But, you must make it known to them that this a real problem.
>
>The guy I spoke with was very nice indeed. ANd, their phone support wasn't
>bad at all. I left a message saying I wanted to talk to someone about
>this radio, and they actually called back a few hours later.

I've had the opposite experience with Kenwood. I've contacted them
through their website, filled out the form and have had NO response
from them. I've contacted them by phone and left a message and they
have NEVER returned the call. My opinion is that they take our money
and run! They don't care about customer support.

5270. FS: FT101 ZD MK III

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: murphyelectronics@usa.net
Message-ID: <339c16bb.2618020@news.indigo.ie>
Source record: 173717

I am selling my FT101 ZD MK III. It is in perfect working order...just worked Hawaii on it...very clean too.

Will sell for IR£399.
Also have matching A.T.U for same for sale at IR£139

Fell free to EMail me at
murf@indigo.ie
or reply here to my work Email address.

Aidan Murphy EI5HW
http://indigo.ie/~murf
Email: murf@indigo.ie

When you talk to the stupid, talk twaddle
When you talk to the ignorant, brag and boast
When you talk to the wise, look very humble and ask their opinion

5271. Re: ** PacComm PTC-II **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Leach <leach@mcmail.com>
Message-ID: <3396FDFA.7522@mcmail.com>
Source record: 173718

Brian K. Short wrote:
>
> ** PacComm PTC-II **
>
> My second-hand (but unused) PacComm PTC-II Multimode DSP
> Communications Controller arrived and is hooked up. As it
> was purchased over a year ago and subsequently never used,
> it had old firmware. I have now loaded BIOS v1.2 and the
> v2.2 firmware. The upload (or is it download?) went quite
> smoothly using software available from the SCS web page.
>
> I am quite impressed with this piece of equipment after
> being disappointed by my last "DSP Multimode" the DSP-2232
> several years ago.
>
> The PacComm unit in particular has a very attractive front
> panel display and case. The greyscale picture on their web
> page does not do it justice. It is very stylish and compact.
> (I have pictures on www at http://www.qsl.net/k7on/ptc.htm
> but a color picture is much needed...)
>
> Anyway, I have been monitoring RTTY and Pactor some today
> (with FT-1000mp and XPWin -which I STILL need to register)
> and compared to my PK-232, the Pactor is amazing! I'm even
> inclined to say that it is far better on Pactor RX than my
> old P-38. I have not had a chance to evaluate weak/noisy
> copy on RTTY as yet (the P-38 did quite well), but I hope
> to next weekend in the ANARTS RTTY contest.
>
> I have 512k memory in the PTC-II and no accessory modems
> for packet. I'm interested in any accessories others have
> added?
>
> I have not yet connected the tranceiver interface. Will it
> work with my FT-1000mp (which has RS-232 input)? Are the
> frequency UP/DOWN signals just as useful?
>
> One weak point is the year old manual. Is there a newer
> manual available? Where? (I just like manuals!)
>
> I was reluctant about this equipment based on price, but
> so far it is my favorite multimode and my favorite DSP
> communications controller.
>

> I'm not sure why I haven't heard more praise of the PacComm
> PTC-II anywhere? ** I LIKE IT VERY MUCH!! ** It has a happy
> home...
>
> Hints? Tips? Ideas? Scheds for Pactor-II?
>
> 73, Brian
Brian, I have a ft1000mp and PtcII.
It works 100% on pactor/SSTV etc.
The ft1000mp is an rs232 i/f.
The output from the ptcII is TTL (or was it the other way round)
Anyway you will need an rs232/ttl convertor to get the control of the
ft1000mp with a ptcII
It cost me about 12 pounds uk to build a convertor.
Otherwise no problems
Check ou the scs-ptc.com site
73's paul GW4AMZ

5272. FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: TDF Technical Support <tdftech@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bc71ea$a52ce4c0$75699ecf@tdftech.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 173719

I've been having serious problems with the download of a file to the HT50. I can upload from the HT all day, but can't upload from the PC to the HT. I've been on the phone several times to both Yaesu and RT systems, but so far no luck.

Anyway, I ended up in European mode (144 - 146 mhz transmit only). In a converstion with Yaesu, they told me to unsolder the jumper at "1". It's under the keyboard on the left center. That puts the HT in USA mode. It made me wonder, what do the other currently unsoldered jumpers do? Anyone know?

Finally, any other worthwhile mods to this great little HT? I'll be picking up a better antenna at the Arlington HAMCOM on 6/7. Any suggestions?

5273. RE: Kwd TM2570

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33971952.24EB@onramp.net>
Source record: 173720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Whoops forgot the price.

$275

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5274. Freq of Gemini Rabbits???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Boren <symntlab@netxpress.com>
Message-ID: <33971D4D.5558@netxpress.com>
Source record: 173721

Got several Rabbit receivers I'd like to use for ATV and repeater remote receivers. Does anyone have schemeatics and or the operating freq of these things.

Thanks in advance

Greg/N5SKE

5275. Re: FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: TDF Technical Support <tdftech@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <01bc71ee$3b6a2b20$75699ecf@tdftech.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 173722

The original text goes as follows:

I've been having lots of trouble with the RT Systems software for my HT50. I've been on the phone several times with RT and Yaesu. They've tried to help, but no luck. I can send from the HT to the PC, but any download to the HT hangs at 11% or so. Anyway, in one of the hangs reset my HT to Eurpoean mode (transmit 144 - 146 only). When I called Yaesu, they said to cut the solder jumper on number 1 (left side under the keyboard). Sure enough that fixed that problem, but I just discovered the item below!!

Also, when looking at unsoldered jumpers 2 - 4, I wondered what soldering them would do. Anyone know? Anyother worthwhile mods available? I'll be picking up a better antenna at the Arlington Texas HAMCOM on 6/7. Is there a good one out there ?

W2FGT

TDF Technical Support <tdftech@cyberramp.net> wrote in article <01bc71eb$a8e403e0$75699ecf@tdftech.cyberramp.net>...
> Interesting....I just read that this mod allows transmit 140-174, 420-470
> MHz. Guess that I'll be extra careful!
>
>
>

5276. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Brown GJ4ICD <equinox@itl.net>
Message-ID: <3397973B.5BEA@itl.net>
Source record: 173723

WB0NZV wrote:
>
> Theres not much choice. The 920 is dual conversion compared to triple
> conversion and the list goes on. Play with them, 756 in a land slide.

Had one in 1996...got rid of it!
Some of it's features like having to input "LETTERS" from the key pad
for the CW keyer are bad.
There's also phasing noise using the NR, and complaints on phasing noise
on TX that we have reported to Icom.

FT920..much better!
And nearly half the price over here!
Geoff :-))))

5277. Re: FT-920 REVIEW ???????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Geoff Brown GJ4ICD <equinox@itl.net>
Message-ID: <339797F4.68E1@itl.net>
Source record: 173724

UPDATE: 6/6/97.................

A 50MHz report for Yaesu UK Ltd: =

THE NEW FT920!

Here is Yaesu's new Baby! The FT920, sister to the famous FT1000MP, its built like a
tank, and performs superbly with the AF DSP.

Where do we start with a new Radio? we have to look at what is offered in terms of new
Technology! The Yaesu FT920 is new "HAT", a new radio, new techniques!
Mr Barry Cooper of Yaesu UK Ltd asked me to "give it the works" on 50MHz. So here
are a few of my findings! =

OPERATIONAL FEATURES!
I must say that on unpacking the Radio I was amazed at it's size, it's about the same size
as an FT1000MP and "really" feels like a radio. It operates on DC not Mains AC. so
you need a 20amp PSU.
Some months ago I had sold my trusty FT990 and had regretted doing so, however, the
FT920 has put the smile back on my face!
The front panel layout is well thought out with a dual bandstacking keyboard available,
twin VFO contols grace the front panel, but note! these are for split and memory
operations and not FULL "twin receivers".

DSP Unit!

(My comments on this have been noted to Yaesu UK Ltd and also to Icom UK Ltd, on
their IC 756, dedicated 50MHz users, and there's THOUSANDS of us, require a radio
that has two receivers so 28MHz AND 50MHz can be monitored at the same time, I
hope one day manufacturers will come up with such a radio!)

I won't go into the HF side too much as I was asked for a 50MHz opinion.
IT DOES NOT DO DUAL RECEIVE! but does dual watch, ie ONE receiver!
Dual watch is fitted and the time delay can be varied, this is quite useful, as instead of
scanning memories for say 28.885 and monitoring 50.150 etc, both vfo's

can be
programmed and "flipped" between 3 to 15 seconds. The time delay is set via a menu,
yes! the FT920 has the new technology menu system like other radios, a menu system
that usually contains sub menu's and further sub/sub menu's.(sometimes known as a
pain!)
Not so with the FT920 though, it has only ONE menu that controls ALL functions of the
radio, 73 in all! that's a nice feature. I, like many, cannot remember all the sub/sub menu
settings, and so just one menu is a much better idea.

The FT920 supports all modes, however I was surprised to see that the FM unit is
optional. (see my comments later on the price structure).
Despite the rumours that the Digital Voice recorder is optional the news is that it is a
standard feature (and that's worth 200 UKP) and boasts 2 "8" second memories, and 2
"4" second memories, (it says in the manual 16 seconds each!), Also the DVR can be
left running in the receive condition, when put into the play condition it will play the last
16 seconds of recorded receive audio, this is the same as the DVS2 that was an option
with the FT650 and FT990/FT1000 radio's, the CW memory keyer is also standard and
also boasts 6 memories, four 50 character and two 20 character. Both the voice recorder
and CW keyer are controlled by one set of switches, a PLAY and a RECORD. (ie PLAY
1/2/3/4)
The CW Memory keyer is a "paddle/key" input device, the same as a "Super Keyer"(reg TM) This is much better to input data rather than using a keypad like the
IC756. Weights and ratios can again be adjusted via the on screen menu.

The receiver front end has a Jfet and a Mosfet device, these can be swapped through
the menu system if required, so that the Jfet device can be used at 50MHz instead of it's
allocated bands of 160mtrs to 12mtrs and increasing dynamic range and less sensitivity.
The 28/50MHz section incorporates the Mosfet RF stage. (lower noise figure)
Three levels of attenuation are included of 6, 12 and 18db. =

THE NOISE BLANKER!
The noise blanker in this radio does actually work, it is also

adjustable, however, there is
a problem in this area especially noticed on HF.
Switching on the noise blanker with the audio gain turned off strange
burbbles and
whistles can be heard very weakly in the loudspeaker, using headphones
really shows
this up, there seems to be some kind of leakage/breakthrough of
frequencies above and
below the dial readout frequency. =

This is NOT the usual Noise blanker overload problem and it was noted on
ALL HF
bands.
Removing the antenna cures the problem, and note DSP was not turned on.
It is very
weak but annoying, and maybe also due to the fact that my FT920 was one
of the first
radio's out.
There is no sign of this problem on 50MHz.

DSP/NOTCH FILTERING/NOISE REDUCTION:
I was impressed here! wow! The Auto Notch filter is superb, I noted a
station on 50.125
and had a computer birdy on top of the station at S5, hitting the auto
notch REMOVED
the computer junk and left a crisp clean signal. I could not believe the
effect it had, but it
is true! BTW don't try using the auto notch on CW otherwise the station
will disappear!
DSP high/low cut was also very effective in producing stations out of
the noise,
something we all dream of. The DSP operates at 33MIPS and is Audio DSP.
I have limited circuit information on the DSP section and note that it
is built around a 120
pin LSI, I just hope that this IC never blows as that would be a major
job to replace!
The noise reduction system seems to be much better than the IC756 that I
tried, on the
Icom a type of "phasing" noise was noticed on the receiver, this was not
so on the
FT920.

TRANSVERTERS?
The radio does not offer any dedicated transverter ports, (ie any low
level TX), but! it
offers something quite unique! If the TX LED is pushed it goes into a
low power mode
offering a maximum of 10 watts which can be reduced with the power
control to Zero!
Another way of lowering the output for transverting is to initiate the
power level settings

in the menu, the levels at antenna ports can be adjusted to output 10,
50 or 100w,
ensuring safety for your transverter.
FM scanning steps can be adjusted from 0 to 100kHz. There's also
repeater shift for the
VHF bods! =

MEMORIES!
The radio has 99 standard memories plus 5 "Quick" memories, and 10 split
memories
and a call memory for each band.
Seven characters can be added to name each memory. =

LINEAR TUNER!
This is a first from Yaesu! a "Linear Amplifier Tuning Device". Hit the
"ENT" key
when in menu # 52 and the FT920 emits a tuning pulsed signal, this pulse
can be adjusted
in frequency and timing upto 60 seconds. Very useful! =

VOX OPERATION:
The radio has vox, however, there is no indication to let you know that
vox is selected!
An LED needs fitting or the display should indicate this!!!!!! =

PRICE STRUCTURE:
My personal point of view is that this radio is under priced compared
with other radio's
of it's class, it is not an "added to FT1000MP" it is a dedicated made
machine offering
superb craftsmanship and technology! =

OPRATIONAL ON AIR TESTS:
The tailormade voice facilities that are offered (DSP audio tx).
There are 4 levels of TX DSP, some are broadcast quality and some are
punchy contest
quality, it depends on your voice characteristics which will suite you.
You can monitor the
audio DSP via the radios own "MONI" function and headphones.
I have worked 52 Countries on both CW and SSB on 50MHz since having the
radio with
very good reports during the past weeks, including Country #158 SU1ER,
others
included JY9QJ, OD5SB and 4X1IF which are all over the 3500kms distance.
Nobody had any adverse comments on the signal (apart from my voice
characteristics!).
The receiver handles well, local signals in GJ were loud clean and
narrow, however, local
stations only run a max of 100 watts but considering GJ is only 45
square miles signals
were endstopping with no intermod problems noticed.
Several stations in Europe were excessivly "wide", and I'm sure that was

their non
linearity at their end!
On 7MHz the receiver showed no major intermod problems and copied JT at S5 when
other G's were giving 5/1 reports, the antenna used was a 120ft long wire sloper poised
at 100ft.
The antenna tuner works on Rx as well as TX although this has to be initiated via the on
line menu and not as the instruction books says (default).
CTCSS is standard so you can access your local repeater. (fit the FM board first!). VHF
repeater shift is included and adjustable up to 5MHz through the menu.

Different power levels can be set at the two antenna ports by the menu.
Vox is included and also is a speech processor which worked quite well in our tests on
the air.
Scanning speed was good with adjustable time from 1 to 100ms per step. =

FREQUENCY COVERAGE:
The 50MHz section covers 48 to 54MHz, I'm currently in touch with Yaesu to see if this
can be expanded to 30 to 54MHz, I feel sure it can as the IF is 68MHz. =

CONCLUSIONS!
This radio is undoubtably the best 50MHz radio I have ever operated, it will take pride
place in my shack and the FT736 and FT650 will now be used as backup radios!
Yaesu have certainly produced a radio that is a delight to operate.
The instruction book has many errors but these have reported to Yaesu, that and the
noise blanker problem are THE ONLY faults I could find so far :-)

Yaesu UK Ltd Price =A31699.00. Ex Taxes ONLY =A31250.00 plus carriage! =

FM Unit =A349.00 inc VAT
13.8 Volt ONLY. No mains Version available.
Mosfet PA finals.
Quick Memory Banks
Built in RS232 level converter....and lots more!

Geoff GJ4ICD 50MHz DXCC #33. 158 Countries on the Band!

5278. ******NEED HELP TRACKING RADIO SIGNALS!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: alpha6469@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605205600.QAA12984@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173725

I am looking for information on the least expensive, but effective method of tracking
transmissions in the UHF 461 -465mhz band. The company I am with has a serious problem with employees with issued radios or former employees suspected of stealing radios, of interfereing with transmissions by playing on our frequencies. I would like to find a method of tracking these radios to reclaim stolen ones,or to remove them from those soon to be former employees. Please E-Mail me with any information.

Thankyou,

5279. HOW TO: Icom 2SRA Discriminator Tap Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: smooth@bu.edu
Message-ID: <5n5037$8m3@news.bu.edu>
Source record: 173765

IC2SRA Summary: Discriminator output tap

Modification instructions for the Icom IC 2SRA Handheld

Joe Grand
smooth@bu.edu
May 22, 1997

Abstract

The ICOM 2SRA is a 144MHz FM transciever and wideband (50-905MHz) receiver HT, ideal for mobile communications and ham radio. With the increasing popularity in digital data monitoring, using protocols such as POCSAG, FLEX, and MDT4800 for Mobile Data Terminals, audio signals from the speaker output are not the most reliable. Modification of the radio to get a tap from the discriminator output will let us receive the best quality digital signal, with no audio filtering and amplification (which will "massage" the signal for the best quality within the voice range).

Schematics and system block diagrams are supplied with the Icom 2SRA. By using these, I could find which IC was the FM IF and tap the output signal before it went to the filter circuitry. I added a tiny external SPDT switch to switch the "Speaker Out" jack between standard speaker output and discriminator output. This leads to hardly any external mess and keeps the radio looking nice, with minimal destruction to the internals of the radio. The modification I performed consisted of disassembling the entire radio, desoldering a board, drilling holes in the PC board, and resoldering connections. If done correctly the first time, you will be able to skip a lot of the heartache I had to deal with (which is part of experimentation, of course). The modification can be simplified by not adding an external switch, and just bringing out two wires (discriminator output and ground) to connect to your POCSAG decoder, etc.

Upon examination of the block diagram, I found that the best place to tap the discriminator output was after the Motorola MC3372 Low Power Narrowband FM IF.
This chip can "perform single conversion FM reception and consists of an oscillator, mixer, limiting IF amplifier, quadrature discriminator, active filter, squelch switch, and meter drive circuitry." Pin 9 of this IC is the "recovered audio". This is what you want.

Modification

Disassembly of the radio is a time consuming and delicate process. Be prepared

to spend quite a few hours (if not days) working on this project, as you don't want to screw up a perfectly good (not to mention expensive) radio. The

modification is well worth it, though, and will make your data reception quality magnitudes better.

1. Remove all screws from external casing and pull apart

2. Take out the small PC board at the bottom of the circuit. This UT-63 Tone Squelch Unit comes standard in the U.S. versions of the radio, but is optional for other countries.

3. You will see two metal boxes in the center, these are the transmit (TX) and receive (RX) modules. They are removable to keep the rest of the radio circuit modular and so a technician could easily replace a faulty unit or convert a 2-meter (144MHz) rig into a 440MHz rig. Disconnect both boxes from the connectors (they are screwed together). Take off the screws so you have two separate modules.

4. The MC3372 IC is inside the receiver module (the top one). It is a 16-pin SOIC package. Peel off the gold tape and pop off the cover.

5. If you are going to mount an external switch to switch between standard speaker output and the discriminator output, be prepared. The easiest thing to do would be to solder a piece of wirewrap wire to pin 9 of the MC3372, drill a hole in the case, and pull the wire through. This is simple but messy, unstable, and not recommended.

6. The next steps involve finding the traces on the PC board that go to the "Speaker Out" jack. Using a multimeter, find which pad on the PC board nearest the jacks (Jack PCB) is connected to the tip of the "Speaker Out" jack. The tip is the speaker output, the middle is for microphone input, and the sleeve is ground. Once you've found the pad (it is a fairly large one), mark it with a permanent marker so you don't forget where it is.

7. Look towards the bottom of the PCB, you will see a single row of solder pads. Find which one of these is connected to the pad you just found in step 7. If you look on the schematics, you see that the "Speaker Out" jack is connected to another board via an interconnect, which is connected to the audio filtering circuitry. What we are going to do is cut the trace before it gets to the speaker jack, so we can connect our switch. I believe the pad you want should be the 5th one from the left, but double-check on your own.

8. Once you are SURE that you have the right pad, you need to cut the trace that connects it to the pad in step 7. Unfortunately, this trace is on the UNDERSIDE of the PC board and requires desoldering and even more disassembly of your radio. If you do this right the first time, you won't need to go underneath and can leave the rest of the radio intact. Using a very small drill bit (I used a small hobbyists handheld drill), drill above and below the wire soldered to the pad. This way, you free the wire from connecting to the "Speaker Out" jack. Use an X-Acto knife to make sure no traces are touching each other, and use the multimeter to double-check that the connection has been severed.

9. Now you need to solder the connections to your small SPDT switch. Using wirewrap wire, you need to solder to three points:

o The wire you just drilled around in step 9 connects to the middle terminal of the switch.
o Pin 9 of the MC3372 connects to the left (or right) terminal of the switch.
o The pad from step 7 connects to the right (or left) terminal of the switch.

10. Plug the TX and RX modules back into the radio, connect the AC adapter, and turn the radio on. If everything has gone right, the audio output (both through the internal speaker and the "Speaker Out" jack) will work only with the switch in one position. When you switch to the other position, you should only hear a faint hiss. Discriminator output is unfiltered and unamplified, and the signal is usually 800mV - 1V P-P. Volume adjustments and squelch do not work with the discriminator output.

11. If something isn't working right, go back and check all the connections and cuts you made. My modification did not work at first, and as mentioned above, I had to disassemble the rest of the radio to get to the underside of the Jack PCB. I am not going to go into specifics, since its practically impossible to describe step by step. My problem turned out to be a shorted connection between pins 4 and 5 where I drilled through the pad. Be very careful if you have to take the whole radio apart and make sure you don't lose any parts or stress the flexible interconnect cables, and don't forget how to put it all back together.

12. If your radio behaves as expected, you are at the final stage. I used a small amount of Epoxy to mount the switch to the left side of the radio (the side WITHOUT the "transmit" and "function" buttons).

13. Mark and cut (using a Dremel tool) the other half of the case where necessary - in order for the switch to fit snugly.

14. Double-check that it all works correctly and screw everything back together. Depending on your switch type, you might need to protect the metal contacts with a dab of Epoxy and/or electrical tape to keep them from shorting against the inside of the metal case.

15. Close up the radio and hope for the best!

If you are unsure of anything, feel free to contact smooth@bu.edu. I take no responsibility if you destroy your radio. I am assuming you can read schematics and follow block diagrams. The step by step above is to be used as a guideline, and not taken as gospel. This modification does work, though, and if you do it right you will be very happy.

Adios. -j

Appendix

Motorola MC3372 data sheet:
http://sps.motorola.com/books/dl128/pdf/mc3371rev1g.pdf

Other modifications of this radio include a 138-174Mhz extended receive and transmit mod. This can be found on any radio modification site. You could also try to contact TPDugan@dockmaster.ncsc.mil.

For more information on discriminator modifications, see "Discriminator & Baseband Audio Outputs for Scanners" by Bill Cheek (bcheek@san.rr.com), posted often on rec.radio.scanner.

5280. FS: HT-202 - $95

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: panflute@wisenet.com
Message-ID: <33960d98.1017854@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 173766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

For Sale Radio Shack HT-202 2 meter HT
w/ NiCD pack weak,
alkaline pack
all in good condition $95

Call Abe WD4HPI 954-771-7465, panflute@wisenet.com

5281. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sid Boyce <szb50@juts.ccc.amdahl.com>
Message-ID: <33960C76.63C140B3@juts.ccc.amdahl.com>
Source record: 173767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve Stuart wrote:
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> Michael wrote:
> >
> > Can you give a pointer to a good distribution of Linux for hams?
> > Which distribution and where is it available.
> > I would really like something that is available on CD rom, has all the
> > ham and electronic goodies and doesn't require me to become a total
> > UNIX guru to get working.
> >
> > Am I asking for too much?
> >
> > michael N6CHV
>
> I have found just about any hamfest that has somebody selling CDROMs has
> a couple of choices. I recently bought the "InfoMagic LINUX Developer's
> Resource" for $12. It contains RedHat 4.0, Slackware 3.1, and Debian
> 1.2 kernals. Plus X-Windows, and an enormous amount of software and
> on-line documentation (6 CDs). Installation was simple by making a boot
> disk from a dos machine. (I prefer the RedHat as it needs only a single
> boot/install diskette). I now have a cool X-Windows interface, AX.25 on
> packet radio, Web Server, FTP server, Telnet server, and much much more.
> Hard to beat that price for all the neat stuff!
>
> http://www.infomagic.com
> http://www.redhat.com
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> --
> Steve Stuart internet: w8an@earthling.net
> Toledo, OH http://www.glasscity.net/users/w8an
> AmPRNet: w8an@w8an.ampr.org [44.70.161.132]
> PBBS: w8an@w8hhf.#tol.oh.usa.noam
I started playing with linux since Linus first offered it for ftp and I
have been a devotee ever since, the way it has advanced still amazes me.
I couldn't see any other outfit putting AX25 into their Operating
System.
Like you I do everything on a linux machine, work and play. The
dosemu(lator) and Wabi and Wine allows me to handle the EXCEL, Word6 and
PowerPoint stuff I get thrown at me. All this with no rebooting, all my
other stuff like X3270 via ppp into our Corporate mainframe and pdf docs
work fine.
Regards
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... Sid Boyce...Amdahl(UK)...44-121 422 0375

Any opinions expressed above are mine and do not necessarily represent
the opinions or policies of Amdahl Corporation.

5282. F.S. OLD MICROPHONE 1940

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: matttolf@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605032600.XAA05339@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173768

For sale a 1940 Model N/C 350C Hi Impedance Ceramic
Microphone. Made by Turner Div. Conrac. Corp,
Cedar Rapids, IA. Heavy plastic/Bakelite type, black, push
button to talk. Nice classic look. good condition.
$50 plus $5 shipping UPS to your door

5283. F.S. 1940's Meter $50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: matttolf@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970605033000.XAA05743@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173769

For Sale 1940 Westinghouse -DECIBELS +
Rectifier type meter with needle. Measures internal
resistance at 0DB=5000 OHMS
Style# 1201792B
Type: SC-35
Size: approx 3" diameter
Black metal. Excellent Condition!

5284. Uniden FTH 600D need info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <5n5cj9$g98$2@news.wco.com>
Source record: 173770

Anyone who can provide me info on the Uniden FTH 600D radio, I'd appreciate an email. It looks like a fairly well built UHF trunk mount radio, synthesized. I'd like confirmation on band, power, etc... and programming info / equipment requirements.

Thanks

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
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5285. Re: TS-520S Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbritt@visi.net
Message-ID: <3396356b.5619372@news.visi.net>
Source record: 173771

Either reduce the carrier gain control to lower the cw output or the
mike gaqin control to reduce the ssb output.

On Tue, 27 May 1997 14:54:56 GMT, briordan@earthlink.net (Brian
Riordan) wrote:

>Is there an easy way to reduce the output power on this radio? I need
>to reduce power on 75m to avoid an rfi problem.
>Thanks,
>Brian
>KJ7VN

5286. Need info on LMR email list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <5n5eajgqn1@news.wco.com>
Source record: 173772

Could someone please provide the site address or subscription info for the
Land Mobile Radio email list. Thanks.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
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5287. Re: LINUX for hams??? Where? Was SoundCard

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5n5dvv$dpm@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 173773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>other stuff like X3270 via ppp into our Corporate mainframe and pdf docs
>work fine.
>Regards

I don't suppose anyone knows of a program/kernel/etc. that will
connect to a Netware 2.12 server? (I know about ncpfs but it appears
to only support NW3 and greater)

Is Wine now reliable? I've got a copy on a Yggdrasil CD set I bought
at Dayton last year but it warns in many places of instabilities in
Wine. Right now, I'm planning on simply setting aside 25% of my hard
drive for a DOS/Win3.11 partition. "lodlin" works great, allowing
easy switching between OSs, especially with the DOS partition mounted
on the Linux side too.

73 Doug

5288. FS Icom IC736 $1250.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin N8ZJN <n8zjn@your-net.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7164$318688e0$2db182d0@default>
Source record: 173774

Price Reduced $1250.00 de N8ZJN

I have for sale an Icom 736 bought as Demo in Sept. 96, only
used on 6M. This is an HF + 6M rig w/built in tuner 160-6, 100
watts output all bands also has a built in PS. I have Box,Manual
and will ship Fed-Ex CONUS for $1350.00. Tnx.

Kevin Bishop 73
de N8ZJN EM79xk
50-1296 MHz

5289. Re: Noise reduction, SNR enhancement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rickets@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <3398148b.1951948@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 173577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Thu, 05 Jun 1997 10:19:42 +0200, Ulrich Schnaidt
<uschnaid@ba-stuttgart.de> wrote:

>Hello,
>
>I use the simulationtool 'PTOLEMY' under Linux.
>
>I need to know anything about noise and noise reduction algorithm.
>
>Maybe anyone of you knows a lot about that topic.
>Also literature links or internet information is very welcome.
>
>It would be nice if you can help in that.
>You can cantact me via email (see below).
>
>Thanx in advance,
> Uli
>
>--
http://www.eskimo.com/~billb/hum/hum.html
dr

5290. FS: HT-202 - $95 SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: panflute@wisenet.com
Message-ID: <339b3bd7.16624544@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 173578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Thanks to everyone who responded the HT has been sold!
Abe

For Sale Radio Shack HT-202 2 meter HT
w/ NiCD pack weak,
alkaline pack
all in good condition $95

5291. FS: "Vintage" Turner Hi-Z microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lebovitz <RobtLebo@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5n9ef6$sbp@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173579

For Sale - Turner Microphone model P9D. High impedance
dynamic. Polished bright metal case (aluminum?). In excellent
condition but no stand. PB talk on top left. $65.

Please send e-mail to robtlebo@ix.netcom.com

Thanks for your interest! Robert L. Dallas

GIF8

5292. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: slay@netcom.com
Message-ID: <slayEBD50I.Hyw@netcom.com>
Source record: 173580

Depending on your operating preferences and the features on your rig
I would suggest the following:

1) a high quality operating chair (you're gonna spend HOURS in it!)
I use a Herman Miller Ergon chair and a straight back secretary's
chair as a back-up (switch chairs every few hours... different
pressure points and all that, your know).
2) Good lighting
3) external electronic keyer ... I like the CMOS Super Keyer, myself
4) good quality keyer paddle
5) headset with a boom microphone (and a foot switch)
6) packet or multimode controller (for PacketCluster, digital modes, etc0
- and a computer, as others have already noted
- for DX cluster, you'll need a 2m xcvr and antenna as well
7) a VOM, soldering iron, tools, etc.
8) an EXTERNAL speaker ... very nice when compared to internal units!
9) good ham software for your computer (logging, propagation, etc)
10) a file cabinet - for operating manuals, QSLs, etc, etc, etc
11) a bookshelf for all your ham periodicals and books
12) an intercom - so the XYL can call you to dinner ;-)

Cheers,
Sandy - W7BX
slay@netcom.com

: > Other than your primary transmitter/receiver/transceiver, what is the
: > most important piece of equipment in your shack? If you had to

: This is what I've received via e-mail so far. Any other opinions?

: 1) Antenna (of course :-)
: 2) Antenna tuner
: 3) SWR/Wattmeter
: 4) Dummy load
: 5) Headphones
: 6) Clock
: 7) Linear

: Not mentioned: tape recorder, freq counter, electronic keyer, map, etc.

: // marc

5293. Re: ICOM IC-706 MK II for CAP/MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3398470b.7522284@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173581
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On Mon, 02 Jun 1997 23:41:49 -0400, "Brian A. Berry"
wrote:

>I'm trying to find out if the new MK II version of the IC-706 will
>support CAP/MARS operations in the HF and 2m bands. Specifically:
>
>1) Can it be modified to transmit and receive outside of the normal ham
>bands, and

Yes by removing 3 diodes

>2) Can it be modified to operate with a TX/RX split of at least 5 MHz in
>the 140 -150 MHz range?

NO... it still has the 4 MHz maximum offset limit within the same
band.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

5294. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33984798.7663420@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173582

On Fri, 06 Jun 1997 03:10:06 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

Gary,

Missed you at Comdex. Was there showing the PCR-1000 and ICOM's new
2.4 GHz spread spectrum wireless lan.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

5295. Re: FS : BELDEN 9913 coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <EBD6II.16u@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 173583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

dconti@carroll.com (Daniel M. Conti) wrote:

>I have Two (2) rolls of BELDEN 9913 coax, app. 100 ft each with
>connectors on both ends for sale. Coax is in good shape, less then six
>months olds.

>$25.00 per roll, buyer pays shipping...

>E-Mail if interested ....No Trades
>dconti@carroll.com
>America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
>Ridgefield, New Jersey
>fax (201) 943-2379

Both rolls of coax are gone...thanks to all who responded.....
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

5296. R/S HTX-404 Weirdness...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <5n9k78$cqr@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 173584

Hi

Anyone out there in radioland with a 440 R/S HTX-404 notice that the receiver takes up to a second to recover from transmitting when sending a CTCSS tone? My two-meter HTX-202 recovers within 100 milliseconds or so.

It's irritating when you miss the first couple of characters of a repeater ID because your HT is still transmitting when you let up on the PTT...and no, this problem doesn't have anything to do with the Ar (autoreply) menu setting or any other accessible firmware function.

The R/S technical helpline couldn't answer my question. They suggested it was due to the repeater squelchtail. (I didn't mention to them I was testing with a dummy load).

Anyone???

Don Montgomery, K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

5297. HAM RADIO VACATIONS IN CRETE GREECE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "NERANTZULIS MANOS(SV9ANJ)" <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc7297$70725320$f6915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 173585

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS.OPEN FROM 14/April/97 TO
31/October/97.
FOR INFORMATIONS CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA EMAIL OR FAX AT
++30 81 761382.

5298. Re: Ham stores in Taipei, Taiwan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <339718EA.3838@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 173586

Hi Mike,
There are a few pseudo-ham stores in Taipei -- On Pateh Road, Sect 1
near the Guanghua Computer Market. Mostly VHF/UHF transceivers --
not much in the way of HF gear. Send me a note when you get
to Taipei -- we can chat via phone and I can guide you in more
precisely.

73 from the Republic of China on Taiwan

Joe Fitter mailto:joentam@transend.com.tw
BV/N0IAT
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Mike white wrote:
>
> I'm going to be visiting Taipei soon, and I was wondering if there were any
> ham stores there. Anyone know? Thanks.
> --
> Mike White
>
> mwhite@mitre.org
>
> My opinions are my own, not my employer's.

5299. Problem with my new IC-706MKII (blown receiver front end ???)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <33971CFF.581D@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 173587

Well...after 3 weeks of use, I've managed to toast my new Icom
706 MK2 transceiver. I purchased it at Dayton '97 after selling
my original Icom 706 (which, despite the poor out of band receive
sensitivity, noisy fan, lower power on 2 meters, and only one
optional crystal filter) worked sans failure for the past year.

I just "hadta havit".

Like the predecessor, IC 706, I was told at Dayton that the
service manual for the Icom 706MK2 is not yet
available. Further, I was unable to find a schematic
within the owners manual (could I have missed it and thrown it
away by accident)?

My problem is similar to a common failure reported on the IC-706.
Apparently, I have blown a diode or transistor in the front end of the
HF side of the radio. Now, HF and Six meter sensitivity is way
way down. I was using the radio in the car -- using a
homebrew HF+6 meter antenna on the rear bumper. The 2M antenna is
a "Larsen" 5/8 wave NMO antenna mounted in the "front center" of the
roof. VSWR at Fo was 1.2:1 or better on both antennas. Horizontal
spacing of the antennas is at least 6 feet.

After completing some tests on 2M FM, I switched back to HF and noticed
the receive sensitivity (even background noise)
was down severely. Thinking this was my antenna system, I removed
the radio and confirmed my findings on the bench. Now, HF
sensitivity is on the order of 3+ microvolts. The manual states
it should be .25 microvolts or better. Something has been
damaged -- presumably by my 2 M FM transmittions at 20 watts
out.

Anyone have a similar problem? Please email any advice, or,
if you have a service manual !!!

thanks,
Joe N0IAT
mailto:joentam@transend.com.tw

5300. Re: ICOM 27H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <n7taw@pcez.com>
Message-ID: <33986467.1C0F@pcez.com>
Source record: 173588

Dale (Squeak) Porray, AD7K wrote:
>
> On 2 Jun 1997 00:03:10 GMT, "mlussier" <mlussier@erols.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Help !!!
> >Does anyone have any mods for the ICOM 27H Mobile its only an 8 channel
> >radio and I want to expand it to at least 16 channels. any ideas ??? I am
> >also looking for the ICOM service manual for it (I have the owners manual
> >!!)
> >
> At the risk of being misinterpreted ...

<non-misinterpretational snip>

> (The IC27A/H series dates back over fifteen years, and there
> have been a lot of changes in state of the art since then.)
>
> You can buy a fifty watt, fully synthesized radio with forty
> memories, CTCSS encode/decode, wide range receive, DTMF
> paging, DTMF microphone, transmit timer and auto-power-off
> timer, automatic display dimmer and so on and so on for
> under $240.00 ...
>
> Very 73 and good luck in your search!
>
> "Squeak" Porray, AD7K
> Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

And for $275 you can have all of the modern woes of poor squelch control, terrible intermod/out of band rejection, lousy audio, not enough speaker drive and more.

In defense of the 27, it is one of the most rock solid user radios out there, and can still be picked up for around $100.

There is no reasonable way to expand the channels, but e-mail me if you would like wider recieve coverage, more power out, internal 110V P.S., etc.

BTW, Dale,

As good as you guys are at AES, I think it was more fun when we got to actually open up these radios w/o having you tear our reciepts in half.

73's

Ron, N7TAW

5301. FE: 2 METER MOBILES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc72b8$5b291820$33f11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 173589

hi,i have for sale the following :

kenwood tr-7850
45 watts
15 memories
scan
mount
mic,copy of manual
price.....155.00

kenwood tr-7730
25 watts
5 memories
scan
mount,box,copy of manual
mic
price.....130.00

these are oldies but goodies,both work good,do show some mobile wear
but,not beaten up

currently in use

prices include shipping in U.S. 48
thanks
monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

5302. Rohn25G (Read This) N.E. Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606214400.RAA02995@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173590

For sale: I have just the 22 ft. boom arm, which is used for the Rohn 25G foldover conversion kit. If you have the conversion kit and need a spare 22 ft. boom arm I will take $25 and you come and get it. Its 6 years old, excellent and no rust. The price is right .....I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail.

WZ1U Steve / Lakeville, Ma. 35 miles South of Boston

5303. Mod for Icom W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlaidlaw@slip.net
Message-ID: <339886e6.74551629@news.rfci.net>
Source record: 173591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does anyone have the extended TX mod for the Icom W32A.. Thanx

5304. ameritron al1500 amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606222401.SAA06482@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173592

is anyone familiar with this amp? we live in a remote area of Hawaii with
no ham
stores

kh6fhx lem

5305. wtb apha89/91,icom sp20,sm8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606222400.SAA06546@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173593

must be mint

kh6fhx lem

5306. TRD: KW MC60A for Yaesu SP-6 or SP-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <3398A163.5B17@nwlink.com>
Source record: 173594

I have a Kenwood MC60A desk mic in good cond I will trade for a Yaesu SP-6 or SP-5 desk speaker which maches my FT990. The mic and the speaker are approx. the same value if purchased new.

Mark KB7OID WA mchaous@nwlink.com

5307. Sangean ATS-803 A reciever sensitivity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: peitsch@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5na7v1$d3i@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 173595

Can anyone tell me what transistor is the rf amp and also if a service book is in print?

Thanks

Butch

5308. Re: 3AG 6amp same as AGC 6amp ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrt@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <339ba36e.4665512@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 173596

Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com> wrote:

>I'm a little confused with some fuse nomenclature....
>
>Is a "Bussman" AGC 6amp 250v fast blow fuse the same as a 3AG 6 amp 250v
>normal blow fuse ???
>
>Thanks,
>
>Mike - KB9QHU
<><><>

5309. Re: pse help ID GE mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33980F85.7371@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173597
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio

Ron, N7TAW wrote:
>
> I need help finding a schematic for two old GE mobiles (currently used
> as local repeaters), especially the wiring for the control head as the
> controllers are about to be replaced, and the wiring of the old ones us
> a mess.
>
> the numbers listed on the ID plaques are:
>
> RG56TFS66, or N.P. 243349
>
> and
>
> YG56KJJ66, or N.P. 243349

If memory serves, what you have are GE MSTR EXEC II series...one
standard
and the other is the IMTS version....Best to use one radio as the rptr.
They are 60 watt models (the 5 in 56) and are in the 150-174 range (the
66 at the end) but they do tune to 2mtrs...
I'll see what I have in my docs on those models...
Chris
WB5ITT

>
> They appear to be the same radios with different options.
>
> Thanks to all,
>
> Ron, N7TA

5310. Wanted: Service manual TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: lorenaudio@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <865649783.21254@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello, I was wondering if anyone had the service manual for the TS-830S and would be willing to send me a copy. It would be very appreciated, and I will cover all expenses. Also if anyone has the mod to give the 830 a 7 digit readout (someone told me there was one) I would very much appreciate it also. Thank you for reading.
Loren
KB2WYL

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5311. ICOM 706 MK II MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3398B5D9.1D4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173599

I got an Email from agentleman in Italy who stated the mods for extended transmit are : remove diodes # 116, #118, #119
Has anyone else done this mod succesfully. If you have will you Email either me or both the Newsgroup and me. Obviously I have not done this mod and I assume no liability to anyone who tries it unsuccessfully.
I an just relaying a message from a European Ham.

73's NS1R Steve Hershman

5312. Re: mod for Kenwood tm241a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: W W Enterprises <risd@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3398D7E2.6CC5@flash.net>
Source record: 173600

I understand the newer models will not mod out of band. If you did get information on a mod, please send it on to me. I have several 241's and use them for everything. Thanks

joe

5313. Re: TUBES WANTED: 8295 A, 8877 and 572B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Ehlers <jerryn0nlu@mail.mwci.net>
Message-ID: <3398DFB3.4B71@mail.mwci.net>
Source record: 173601

Dr. Hartmut Waldner wrote:
>
> Looking for cheap tubes (pull outs): 8295 Eimac or Penta, 8877
> (3CX1500A7) and new 572B.
>
> Pse contact: waldner@uni-bonn.de.
>
> Vy 73's Hartmut
> (DF6PW)
I have a 4cx15000 if your interested. 73s Jerry n0nlu

5314. Re: Alinco DJ-S41 Low Power Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3398F058.2F35@pacbell.net>
Source record: 173602

Stuart Bowman wrote:
>
> Bill Combs <Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG> wrote in article
> <0550b24.199706050728.051BEED2@macgroup.org>...
> > I just purchased an Alinco DJ-S41, mainly to use for crossbanding through
> > my Yaesu 8000R. It works great, but I was wondering if anyone knows how
> > much power it runs in the low-power setting. The manual does not say, but
> > judging from the amount of current drawn from the batteries versus what
> is
> > draw in the high power position (340 millwatts), I would estimate the
> > low-power position to be about 100 millwatts.
>
> I think you're about right with 100mW.

You're close, the specification sheet for the Alinco DJ-S41T says it's 50mW.

> > I am using alkaline batteries now; don't know how long they will last. I
> > may go to Nicads. Has anyone had any experience with battery life or
> other
> > batteries?. I believe some company makes a rechargeable alkaline.
>
> I can't put a definite lifespan on the alkaline batteries, but using mine
> hasn't bankrupted me yet!!
>
> Seriously, they seem to keep on running and running with ordinary alkaline
> cells.
>
> 73 DE Stuart, G0SLX

I'm using the Rayovac Renewal alkaline batteries. After a day's usage, I just put them on the charger for a short time and they're ready for the next day. Unlike Nicads, there's no "memory" on the Renewal Alkaline Batteries. In fact, the Rayovac batteries will last longer if you charge then after each use.

I'm not sure what the limit of the Rayovac batteries is; they were still going strong after 2 days of usage when I went camping. All other times, I'd charge then the night after I used them.

I haven't had my Alinco DJ-S41T for too long, but I've had my GPS for about 1.5 years. It's still using the same set of Rayovac Renewal Batteries.

If you care for them properly, Nicads will last longer than the Rayovacs; however you must fully discharge a Nicad BEFORE you recharge it. If you don't do that, the Nicads will grow weak and not hold as great a charge. This is known as the "memory" problem with Nicads. I've quit using the Nicads and switched to the Rayovacs to avoid this problem.

The Rayovac Renewal batteries cost about 2x to 3x the non-rechargeable alkaline batteries. After a few sets of throw-away batteries, the Renewal Batteries are cheaper.

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

5315. Re: WTB: 900 MHz (33cm) Base/Mobile Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Curry <recurry@insighttec.com>
Message-ID: <5naqfk$3t2@masters0.InterNex.Net>
Source record: 173603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

AND, 900mhz commercial band antennas are centered at 915mhz......
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Ron Curry
recurry@insighttec.com
recurry@inside.intel.com
KE6WED
Bill Nelson wrote in article <5n86ji$m7k$3@bashir.peak.org>...
>smartino (smartino@mail.idt.net) wrote:
>: Good luck trying to buy one ..no comm.for that range
>
>That is not true. There are many 900 MHz antennas available for base
>stations, and some for mobiles. There are a lot of users of the 900
>MHz band - such as 900 MHz trunking, and unlicensed low-power stations
>as well.
>
>Also, it would be easy to adapt many 800 MHz antennas to work.
>
>--
>Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
>
>

5316. Re: TM-V7A Mute, Display Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.ackermann@daytonOH.ncr.com
Message-ID: <john.ackermann.773.0010D74B@daytonOH.ncr.com>
Source record: 173604

In article <ken-0406971716140001@nas-nh3-16.ix.netcom.com> ken@seemessage.com (Ken Winograd) writes:

>I purchased, and really love, the Kenwood TM-V7A "cool blue" Dual Band
>2m/440 radio. But, two things are driving me crazy about it. The first
>is that the radio does NOT have a MUTE function, so it's very hard to hear
>what's going on when both bands are busy at the same time. (Other Kenwood
>radios handle MUTE with no problem....but this radio doesn't even have a
>MUTE function at all.) The second problem I have is that the "cool blue"
>display is very hard to see under certain daylight conditions (sunlight,
>reflections, glare, etc.)

For what it's worth, I've found the display in the TM-V7A to be *easier* to read in bright lighting conditions than on my old TM-732, mainly because of the increased size of the readout. I did install the control head tilted up so that when I look down at it from the driver's seat, I'm seeing the display nearly head on, and that undoubtedly helps.

John AG9V
jra@febo.com

5317. Re: FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5n8nok$nq8$1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 173605

> I've been having lots of trouble with the RT Systems software for my HT50.
> I've been on the phone several times with RT and Yaesu. They've tried to
>help, but no luck. I can send from the HT to the PC, but any download to
>the HT hangs at 11% or so. Anyway, in one of the hangs reset my HT to
>Eurpoean mode (transmit 144 - 146 only). When I called Yaesu, they said to
>cut the solder jumper on number 1 (left side under the keyboard). Sure
>enough that fixed that problem, but I just discovered the item below!!
>
>Also, when looking at unsoldered jumpers 2 - 4, I wondered what soldering
>them would do. Anyone know? Anyother worthwhile mods available? I'll be
>picking up a better antenna at the Arlington Texas HAMCOM on 6/7. Is there
>a good one out there ?
>
>W2FGT

Take a look at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm

At that Web is every information about the FT50, about Jumpers, MOD's, ...
If you have the ADMS 1C you can make all MOD's by Software only, no need
to open the Rig at all. (And jump around from US mode to Euro mode to ...)

Indi.

5318. Re: Need Manual/Schematic for Kenwood TR-7400A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Scaraglino <^fas@rtp.ericsson.se>
Message-ID: <3398522C.61D3@rtp.ericsson.se>
Source record: 173606

A.G.Tannenbaum is where i got the one fore mine . It's a TR 7400A
Service Manual abt $17

#215 540 8055 or email K2BN@agtannenbaum.com
Good Luck
Frank

5319. EZ MONEY $$$$$$$$$$$$$$$$$$$$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wasted187@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606003000.UAA03815@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173640

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5320. MONEY FAST AND EASY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wasted187@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606002900.UAA03699@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173641

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5321. GET THE BEST

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Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wasted187@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606002900.UAA03786@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173642

HOW DO YOU HAVE THE BEST EQUIPMENT AROUND? CASH, HERE'S HOW TO GET IT FAST!!

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5322. 800-901mhz antennas FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: phuggger@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606003400.UAA04230@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173643

I have 2 DB Products model DB809T3X commercial grade antennas.
These are factory ready for use from 806 - 901mhz and will opperate up to
945 mhz with minimum radiation pattern degredation.
New sold for $1050 each will sacrifice for $200 each or trade for 6
meter gear.
Price does not include Shipping from the Minneapolis area.

Send further E-mail inquiries to: N0ZXG@Juno.Com

Mike N0ZXG 612.445.0460

5323. Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffj@scott.net
Message-ID: <33937f70.2146690@news.scott.net>
Source record: 173644

this is a test

5324. Re: Yaesu FT-50 SMA to BNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffj@scott.net
Message-ID: <3390b923.3503160@news.scott.net>
Source record: 173645

On Thu, 29 May 1997 21:58:09 -0400, Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:

>Where can I get a SMA to BNC connector for my Yaesu FT-50?
>Thanks,
>Chief

They are available from AES, at least that's where I got mine!

73 de KF4KGQ
Jeff Johns
jeffj@scott.net

5325. Re: Kachina Communications 505-DSP HF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: algo@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <339760ac.3047899@news6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 173646

On Wed, 28 May 1997 13:51:06 -0600, WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com> wrote:

>Check it all out on www.kachina-az.com
>
>WA0KDS
>
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I went there. That site has more cookies than Nabisco.

Ray/ K1XV

5326. Re: Freq of Gemini Rabbits?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7215$7ecd6180$2ed1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173647

They typically operate in the 33cm band - 910 - 920 MHz.
ATVQuarterly magazine published an article a year or so back
that showed the schematics and how to use them on ATV.

The URL is: http://www.stevens.com/atvq

There he has an index of all published articles. I believe the
one of interest to you is:

CHEAP 900 RX/TX (RABBITS) ATVQ 1 V4 #2

I use a pair for ATV. Bear in mind that they are AM vs. FM -
at those frequencies, FM is popular on ATV (about 50/50 AM/FM systems, I
operate both).

Have Fun

W4RP

5327. F.S. or Trade- Schlumberger Stabilock 4040 service moniter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Crumpton <MCRUMPTON@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5n7pbf$o0k@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173648
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Stabilock 4040 service moniter for sale. Unit covers 4khz to
999mhz. generates and receives, displays power in watts, dev,modulation,
freq error,sinad,generated signal in DBM,MV or micro volts,decoded tone
freq,and more.asking $1600 or trade for Kenwood TS940sat w/sm220 scope,
or pentium lap top, or ICOM R-8500 receiver, or Motorola MSR-2000 vhf
100watt repeator, or ????
E-MAIL to MCRUMPTON@worldnet.att.net
or call at 352-394-1122
Tnx Mike K4VJ

5328. RF Meters Needed Immediately

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: litehaus@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5n7skh$guh@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Hello to All:

I am looking to purchase 2 RF meters. I mostly need an RF Level meter that has a range of (approximately) -40 dBm to +30 dBm. Ideally, the scale step size will be 10 dB. The more sensitive the better. These need only be of COMMERCIAL grade. I do not need (nor can afford) Lab. quality equipment.

I also need a VSWR (or SWR) meter. I hope not to have any SWR's greater than 3:1 so anything at or beyond is fine.

Will buy same day as contacted...need lever meter immediately. Plan to ship next day air...freight collect. Payment terms are up to you.

Thanks!

Rich Potter
CE, Flashpoint Inc.
Santa Ana, CA

<litehaus@ix.netcom.com>

5329. ADI 440 HT for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill and Tonya Tuman <tuman@netexpress.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7222$bc5b8420$7f4041ce@tuman.netexpress.net>
Source record: 173650

I have a ADI AT-400 ht for sale. MINT $170.00 delivered to your door.

Bill Tuman KB9JMC

5330. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3396e616.12810749@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173651

On Tue, 03 Jun 1997 08:55:44 -0600, CJ Johansson <"-.-. .---"@boi.hp.com> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>> There is an alternative. It is called GHG-12. It isn't certified for automotive
>> use, but it isn't forbidden either. It will mix in any proportion with R-12, and
>> it is compatible with the lubricants used with R-12. Best of all, it is cheap,
>> and you can even make it yourself. It is a mixture of propane and isobutane,
>> 80/20 by weight. It actually offers about 10% better cooling efficiency than
>> R-12 and contains no ozone destroying chlorine (note that R-134 *does*
>> contain ozone destroying chlorine, just not as much as R-12).
>
>There's another alternative, which is approved for use in autos and just
>about anything else, calles R-406A. This is a drop-in replacement for
>R-12, invented by the same guy as GHG-12 (George Goble). Take a look
>at his web page at http://ghg.ecn.purdue.edu for more info and some
>pointers to distributors. There's also some cool info on how to light
>your barbeque in 3 seconds or less (hint: LOX).

The way I understand it, R-406A is the EPA designation for GHG-12.
George does have some other varient formulations with other designations
for use in home air conditioners, refrigerators, and the like.

>I guess the real commercial web site is now
> http://worldserver.com/R-406A/peoples/ghg/ghg.html

Just http://www.worldserver.com/R-406A/ is the page where you'll find links
to technical info and distribution.

>Disclaimer: I have nothing to do with George Goble, his refrigerants,
>etc. I just knew him in college...

I didn't know him in college (that must have been interesting), but I have mixed
up and tried the GHG-12 formulation. It works.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
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Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5331. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3396eaa5.13977818@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173652

On Wed, 04 Jun 1997 10:12:07 -0400, bhackett <bhackett@ic.net> wrote:
>Anyone figure out how to enable 162.55MHz on an IC706? Heard it
>couldn't be done. Sure sounds like a challenge to me. Thanks..
>de Brian, WV1R

There are at least 3 ways to increase the IC-706 receive sensitivity on 162.55 MHz. The simplest is the "cut the yellow wire" mod. But that has some undesirable side effects. A more complex yellow wire mod requires the wire to be cut and rerouted to another point in the radio (on the synthesizer board). Icom disavows this mod, but it does work better than the basic yellow wire mod.

But the real solution is to fix the problem with the wideband receive filter. This requires removing and discarding one SMT capacitor, removing another, and re-installing it piggyback across a third. This corrects the filter problem and allows full sensitivity reception up to the 200 MHz tuning limit of the radio.

Having a copy of the service manual is a must for performing this mod. That allows you to identify the capacitors to be altered using the X-ray board layouts. This mod can be slightly tricky if you don't have SMT experience and the proper tooling. But you should have both anyway if you want to deal with modern amateur radios. The tooling isn't expensive, and the skills aren't hard to master.

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5332. WTB-Standard SX-700 scanner/receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kin Ho <bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5n80b5$k6c@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173653

This is a 100 channel receiver with a spectrum monitor. Please e-mail price and condition.

5333. WTB: Kantronics D4-10 Data Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: zephd@in-motion.net
Message-ID: <5n80pg$eq9@host2.in-motion.net>
Source record: 173654

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Wanted To Buy:
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Kantronics D4-10 Data Radio

Please state Price, Condition, and List Installed Crystals

Dave Zeph, W9ZRX
zephd@in-motion.net
(310) 896-3876
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5334. Re: Freq of Gemini Rabbits?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7228$c7424a80$2ed1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173655

Check the whole index -- there are several different articles
-- I quoted an old one -- if you scan the index for "rabbit"
you'll get a dozen or so. they will fix you up.

cheers

Rick Pemble <pemble@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<01bc7215$7ecd6180$2ed1bbcd@pemble.ix.netcom.com>...
> They typically operate in the 33cm band - 910 - 920 MHz.
> ATVQuarterly magazine published an article a year or so back
> that showed the schematics and how to use them on ATV.
>
> The URL is: http://www.stevens.com/atvq
>
> There he has an index of all published articles. I believe the
> one of interest to you is:
>
> CHEAP 900 RX/TX (RABBITS) ATVQ 1 V4 #2
>
>
> I use a pair for ATV. Bear in mind that they are AM vs. FM -
> at those frequencies, FM is popular on ATV (about 50/50 AM/FM systems, I
> operate both).
>
>
> Have Fun
>
> W4RP
>

5335. Motorola Darcom 9000 info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3396ed5a.14671041@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

As the subject line says, we need info on the Darcom 9000. Specifically a copy of the service manual is needed, and programming information for the EPROM is required. Anyone have anything?

This is a 928 to 952 MHz duplex radio which we want to move down into the 902-928 MHz band. We already know the front end filters won't tune down into the range, but we have alternative filters available. We just don't know how to reprogram the frequencies.

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5336. Re: ICOM 27H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33979b14.1270535@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 173657

On 2 Jun 1997 00:03:10 GMT, "mlussier" <mlussier@erols.com>
wrote:

>Help !!!
>Does anyone have any mods for the ICOM 27H Mobile its only an 8 channel
>radio and I want to expand it to at least 16 channels. any ideas ??? I am
>also looking for the ICOM service manual for it (I have the owners manual
>!!)
>
At the risk of being misinterpreted ...

Grasp the power cord at the point at which it attaches to
the power source.

Travel down the power cord until you meet a pair of plugs
(male and female).

Detach the plugs one from the other, but when done, leave
your ->left<- hand on the cable coming from the power
source, and keep your ->right<- hand on the other side of
the connector.

Move your right hand, still hanging on to that power cable,
with a black box about the size of a book attached to it,
over a waste receptacle of some sort.

Then open your ->right<- hand and release all that you hold
there.

After accomplishing that feat, go out and buy a more modern
radio.

(The IC27A/H series dates back over fifteen years, and there
have been a lot of changes in state of the art since then.)

You can buy a fifty watt, fully synthesized radio with forty
memories, CTCSS encode/decode, wide range receive, DTMF
paging, DTMF microphone, transmit timer and auto-power-off
timer, automatic display dimmer and so on and so on for
under $240.00 ...

Very 73 and good luck in your search!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

5337. Re: mod for Kenwood tm241a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606044401.AAA00233@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173658

>need the rx mods 136-174 thanks

The unit should already have rx for 136-174. Did you mean the tx mods?

5338. Re: WTB: 900 MHz (33cm) Base/Mobile Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: billn@peak.org
Message-ID: <5n86ji$m7k$3@bashir.peak.org>
Source record: 173659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

smartino (smartino@mail.idt.net) wrote:
: Good luck trying to buy one ..no comm.for that range

That is not true. There are many 900 MHz antennas available for base stations, and some for mobiles. There are a lot of users of the 900 MHz band - such as 900 MHz trunking, and unlicensed low-power stations as well.

Also, it would be easy to adapt many 800 MHz antennas to work.

--
Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)

5339. Re: IC706MKII fan runs too much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3397d700.74494782@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173660

On 4 Jun 1997 16:10:09 GMT, F. Feeney <*spamsaver*_fkf1@cornell.edu> wrote:
>I had the good fortune to pick up one of the new IC706MKII's at the
>Rochester hamfest this last weekend and it's a dandy radio - however, the
>fan on mine runs a lot. It comes on naturally enough when I do any
>transmitting, and in that small a package I expect that to get rid of the
>heat. But then it keeps on cycling on and off while all I'm doing is
>receiving. An hour after the last transmission, the fan is running about
>50 percent of the time. Is this normal? In the mobile, I'd probably never
>notice, but in the shack it is a bit annoying. Any other MKII's out
>there that can compare - or how does this compare to the original.

The fan in the original runs *all* the time. The Mk II fan is operated by a
thermal switch. You have to realize that the radio is dissipating a
bit over 27 watts on receive. In that tight package, that causes heat
buildup sufficient to merit the fan coming on from time to time unless
the radio has some air flow. Put it in front of an air conditioning vent,
and the fan should rarely come on during receive.

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5340. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3396e79b.13199735@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 03 Jun 1997 22:16:53 GMT, ko6ay@juno.com (david deere) wrote:
>If you are going to use a power inverter while you are running
>the engine (which is the only way to use one) you must have a LARGE
>battery, two deep cycle moterhome battries are best in place of your
>regular battry. You cant draw from the alternator to power the
>inverter, it has to draw from the battries and the alternator will
>keep them charged.

And why would that be? The inverter won't know the difference whether it
is drawing power from a battery or direct from the alternator. Today's auto
alternators can supply a minimum of 65 amps, and many are larger than
that. So transient draws by the inverter would have to be really large to require
battery buffering. (Inverters don't care if the power is a little dirty, they're going
to chop it anyway.) A second battery may be advisable if you're going to run
the inverter while the auto engine is *off*. Otherwise you may drain the cranking
battery to the point it won't start the car.

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5341. Zenith BC-221-T Frequency Meter as new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <cm@money.cm.net>
Message-ID: <5n8po7$9t1@argon.btinternet.com>
Source record: 173662

Zenith BC-221-T Frequency Meter circa.1945 in Brand New condition.
25Khz to 20Mhz complete with original charts and stabilised power supply (230v)

A chance to own a liitle bit of history!

Would prefer a buyer in UK but would ship anywhere at your cost.

US$ 100 or GBP 65

Please reply to: con.cordeXXX@usa.net (remove the three Xs first!)

Chris
G3VAC

5342. Powerful Mass Usenet Posting Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: adfldjs@lkasjdfdsal.com
Message-ID: <5n8mkc$fr8@newsfep1.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 173663

Mailloop v3.0 is an industrial strength bulk mailer.

Mailloop v3.0 is a bulk mailing program for the internet. It can take a single message and broadcast it to either a listing of e-mail addresses or to a listing of newsgroups. Creates custom newsgroup lists by filtering NNTP servers. Creates custom e-mail lists by extracting them from newsgroups. Can also extract e-mail addresses or newsgroup names from other protocols. Built-in NNTP, SMTP, POP, FTP, HTTP, EXEC, CGI, WHOIS and FINGER clients. Anti-cancelbot feature. Automatically processes remove requests. Includes extensive on-line help.
The most powerful bulk mailer available. Requires Windows 95 or NT 3.51+ and internet access.

The "Program" Mailloop is only available in English.

For more info goto: http://205.199.4.219

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Using it is easy:

1) Create a message (http://205.199.4.219/editor.htm)
...by using the pull down menus or
...by using any editor

2) Create a newsgroups list (http://205.199.4.219/news3.htm)
...by filtering an NNTP server or
...by importing from any text file or
...by manually creating with any editor or
...by extracting from any FTP file or
...by extracting from any HTTP file

3) Create an e-mail list (http://205.199.4.219/em3.htm)
...by extracting from newsgroups or
...by importing from any text file or
...by manually creating with any editor or
...by extracting from a WHOIS response or
...by extracting from a fingering response or
...by extracting from a UNIX response or
...by extracting from any FTP file or
...by extracting from any HTTP file or

4) Broadcast the message
...to the e-mail list or (http://205.199.4.219/embc.htm)
...to the newsgroup list (http://205.199.4.219/ngbc.htm)

5) Then process the remove requests
...by using the mailbox processor (http://205.199.4.219/pop.htm)

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and unsubscribe to.
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...Creating a new newsletter (http://205.199.4.219/create.htm)
...Creating and Updating a newsletter the actual newsletter (http://205.199.4.219/update.htm)

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5343. Re: Help! Changing XTAL in Mitrek Channel Element

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Nicholson <csnichol@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <3397F7D2.1CDE@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 173664

Scott Sidener wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I am trying to tune up 3 motorola mitrek radios in the ham band.
>
> I have bought crystals for the channel elements and know that if the
> freq. changes significantly then at least one cap and one inductor need
> to be changed in the channel element to get the crystal to oscillate.
>
> I believe this is called "compensating"
>
> Can anyone prescribe what to change in the channel elements to work?
>
> Here is what I have:
>
> Original New
> Channel Freq.
> Freq.
>
> 168MHz 145MHz Both Tx and RX kxn1088 and kxn1086
> 460MHz 440MHz Same as VHF
> 46MHz 50MHz Kxn1085 and 1087 I think.
>
> Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Scott Sidener N0WFL

Scott, compensating a channel element is for temprature
stability and has nothing to do with operating frequency and everything
to do with the temp curve of the crystals you bought. The come in three
standard curves labeled a,b and c. The crystal house will do it for a
fee but i just solder them in and go. Once in about 30 that i have done
I have had a problem with excessive freq drift during the winter wiht
the truck parked outside all night (-10 degrees). In the shack this
should not be a problem. If you do get a troublesome unit ship it to the
place where you got the crystals and they should be able to take care of
it for you. I dont know how to do it myself.

5344. Re: Yaesu FT-1000MP FSK/Data Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn.McLeod@crc.doc.ca
Message-ID: <5n92aa$mje@crc-news.doc.ca>
Source record: 173665

In article <33940b11.2888582@news.gate.net>, nfn04270@naples.net says...
>
>Yaesu FT-1000MP:
>
>On the rear panel are two jacks labeled, "RTTY" and "Packet".
>Is the FT-1000 MP capable of FSK as well as AFSK data input
>from a multimode TNC?
>
>Thanks for any info. 73. --John, K8JS
>
Read the manual very carefully. Make sure you also read the errata. In my manual the pinouts are incorrect on one of the digital jacks. There is no substitute for doing the home work if you want to get the most out of this exceptional rig.

73 Glenn VE3GLN

5345. Resetting an Alinco Data Radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob@waterw.com
Message-ID: <5n951l$5fv@sea.waterw.com>
Source record: 173666

I can't remember how to reset the CPU on my DataRadio. Turn on
the power with some combinations of the buttons pressed, right?
Can anyone tell me which buttons?

Thanks,
Bob

5346. Ham stores in Taipei, Taiwan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike white <m_white@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7282$642fcb20$54b31d80@mm59049-pc.mitre.org>
Source record: 173667

I'm going to be visiting Taipei soon, and I was wondering if there were any ham stores there. Anyone know? Thanks.

--
Mike White

mwhite@mitre.org

My opinions are my own, not my employer's.

5347. Need info on Shinwa SH505G Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Money <jdmoney@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7286$6c83eaa0$a1a592cf@bmoney>
Source record: 173668

Recently acquired some of these radios use in Marine Radio Service but can't find any info about programming, etc. Anyone with ANY info would be appreciated.

Shinwa Tsushinki Co, Ltd --- SOMEWHERE in Japan

Jeff KD4CLR

5348. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606150101.LAA29994@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173669

In article <9706050707431504 5@atdbbs.com>, clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford) writes:

>>>...I understand that the FRS is limited to 300mw.....
>
>That's 500mW ERP.
>
>

Yeah, OK, I was sorta close

5349. Re: IC706MKII fan runs too much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "F. Feeney" <*spamsaver*_fkf1@cornell.edu>
Message-ID: <5n997r$675@newsstand.cit.cornell.edu>
Source record: 173670

In article <3397d700.74494782@news.atl.bellsouth.net> Gary Coffman,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net writes:
>The fan in the original runs *all* the time. The Mk II fan is operated
by a
>thermal switch. You have to realize that the radio is dissipating a
>bit over 27 watts on receive. In that tight package, that causes heat
>buildup sufficient to merit the fan coming on from time to time unless
>the radio has some air flow. Put it in front of an air conditioning vent,
>and the fan should rarely come on during receive.
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:

Ah, didn't realize that the original ran all the time. I was wondering
about the dissipation in receive in that size package - it seemed to do
it more when I had the volume up high than when it was down low for
digital modes - which got me to thinking it might actually be heat from
the audio amp and other circuitry. It's not in the car, but I bet I can
rig a quieter fan to blow across it. That or get the extention cable and
put the RF deck and the fan on the floor and just have the head up on the
desk. In the mobile I doubt I'd even notice the fan was running.

Kevin

5350. %%%%% Kenwood TS-120S Cooling Fan question %%%%%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: franzis@gdc.com
Message-ID: <5n994e$pq4$1@gate4.gdc.com>
Source record: 173671

Hi All,

I have yet to see the cooling fan on my TS120s turn on. I've
been using it for about 5 months now. If you use a TS-120s
can you tell me at what intervals the fan turns on and what
voltage the fan operates on?

Thanks, -Patrick N1OCJ

5351. Re: FS YAESU FT-757GX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <33982393.200860@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 173672

YAESU FT-757GX FM, MIC, OP & SER MANUALS.
$595.00 SHIPPED. ALBERT, WA3FIB
aldel@ibm.net

5352. RE: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <97060608162415081@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 173673

>>...I understand that the FRS is limited to 300mw.....

That's 500mW ERP.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

5353. YAESU FT-51 stuff, MB/CPU Pentium

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970606155900.LAA04644@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173674

If you prefer COD, add $20

YAESU EDC-12 Cigar adapter/noise filter/voltage regulator/fuse/batt clip/trickle charging/fits FT-11/41 & FT-51. New in box. $39 SHIPPING INCLUDED to US.

YASEU CSC-67 Soft case for FT-51, FNB-31 small battery. Has open flap at bottom for larger batt and for above EDC-12 connection (without removing this protective case). $20 SHIPPED US.

14.4KBPS internal modem $29 SHIPPED US.

INTEL PENTIUM 90mhz MB, CPU with PCI, FAN and Y-connector. Compleate INTEL manual $169 SHIPPED US.

PCI SVGA card $39 shipped

5354. Need help on Volvo noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33983277.75D2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173675

Rod KM6SN does not have access to news groups but does have E-Mail and asked me to post the following on his behalf:

From: km6sn@beacons.cts.com (Rod Davis)
Subject: [Mobile/Portable] need help on Volvo noise

Hi
I need help identifying and resolving noise from a 91 Volvo 240 series. On 20 meters the noise level is high, and I have heard that there is an on-board computer with a clock freq of 14 Mhz.

The noise seems to be picked up by the antenna, as opposed to coming through
the 12 volt line. The antenna installation is reasonable, with the coax routed through the center of the car to the trunk, where the antenna is on
the left rear fender. The noise is present when I run from a battery that is
totally independent of the car's electrical system.

My questions:

1. Is the on-board-computer the culprit?
2. Are there known cures for this?
3. Is Volvo corporate technical support able to help with this situation?

Any help and info specific to this model of car would be appreciated.

Thanks,

Rod, km6sn@beacons.cts.com

Please E-Mail KM6SN as Above -- do not hit reply to AC6V thanks.
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

5355. ICOM IC-T7A MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher C. Sigsbee" <rpenguin@cdsnet.net>
Message-ID: <339A1470.30A6@cdsnet.net>
Source record: 173477

Looking for hard-wire modifications for the Icom IC-T7A.
Chris
N4LYP

5356. Re: Yaesu FT-50 SMA to BNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Kauppila <ae4hl@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <339A42D1.4728@qsl.net>
Source record: 173478

Jeff wrote:
>
> On Thu, 29 May 1997 21:58:09 -0400, Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:
>
> >Where can I get a SMA to BNC connector for my Yaesu FT-50?
> >Thanks,
> >Chief
>
> They are available from AES, at least that's where I got mine!
>
> 73 de KF4KGQ
> Jeff Johns
> jeffj@scott.netThere's even SMA to UHF (Female) available.

5357. Does Astron have an e-mail address?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe deyette <joed2@javanet.com>
Message-ID: <339A16A7.5E14@javanet.com>
Source record: 173479

I am having a problem with my 20 amp Astron supply just shutting down now and again when it is on steady for a long time.

Does anyone know of a email address for Astron? I looked for a web sight for Astron but had no success.
thanks. 73 de joe WA1WRM

5358. head phones for an ft470

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ericp@linda.teleport.com
Message-ID: <5nd7ge$6fo$1@linda.teleport.com>
Source record: 173480

Hello. Does anyone know where I can get hold of a head set for my FT470
HT?
It would have to plug into the external microphone jack unless you know if
the ft470 has any other places to plug in head phones.
My HT does not have voice operated relay although most of the head sets I
have heard of that go with that unit have built in transmitters for VOX
operation.
Please reply via e-mail if you have any recommendations.
Thanks.
Eric Patterson, kb7vfr.

--
Eric Patterson, on the road of education
Life is not foolproof but communication makes things easier.

5359. CD-R Is now SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <339A4276.6101@n-link.com>
Source record: 173481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.periphs.scsi,comp.publish.cdrom.multimedia,comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.cd-rom,it.comp.win95,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.d,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.old

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********** NOTICE **********
Thanks for all your calls... This CDR has now been sold..
If the buyer changes his mind I will list it again
Tommie
--
A1 Custom Mugs, 13 Dana Dr Lampasas Tx 76550-1113 512.556.4691
Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special. Tomcmugs@n-link.com

5360. KENWOOD TK-230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Shifflett's <shifty@lee.1stnet.com>
Message-ID: <3399F932.2AF5@lee.1stnet.com>
Source record: 173482

Just got a KNWD TK-230 in trade for some computer equipment. Does
anyone have a manual for this or an idea how to program?
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****
* Jeffery Shifflett *
* shifty@POBoxes.com *
* KC5GVS *
****

5361. Re: Azden AZ-61 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: darryl.linkow@grinder.com
Message-ID: <8D954F7.01A6004840.uuout@grinder.com>
Source record: 173483

SM>> > Does anyone have any mods for the azden AZ-61 6 meter handheld. If so
SM>> > please e-mail me. I have just recieved one and it seems like a real nice
SM>> > handheld.
SM>>
SM>> It is a nice rig. A pain to program, though. If you bought the rig
SM>> used, do you have the 10M manual, or the one for the 6? If you have
SM>> the 10M one, call Azden; they'll send you the right one (got mine
SM>> free). Azden, when they first came out with the AZ61 didn't have the
SM>> correct manuals, so they shipped the HT's with the manual for the 10M
SM>> unit.
SM>> Also looking for mods; please post to the group here. Have checked
SM>> the various mod pages, and found nothing.
SM>> Btw, does anyone know of a headset that works with the AZ61?

SM>1. REMOVE POWER & ANTENNA.
SM>2. REMOVE SPEAKER & SQUELCH KNOBS.
SM>3. REMOVE BATTERY RAIL SCREWS.
SM>4. REMOVE THREE BACK COVER SCEWS.
SM>5. REMOVE TOP COVER & RUBBER GASKET.
SM>6. SEPARTE RADIO. (OPEN LIKE A BOOK)
SM>7. REMOVE THREE SCREWS FROM RIGHT HAND BOARD & MOVE ASIDE
SM>8. LOCATE LOWER BOARD & THE SOLDER PADS B0 THUROUGH B5 LOWER R
SM>9. LOCATE & SOLDER BRIDE PADS B0 & B2.
SM>10. REASSEMBLE THE RADIO.
SM>11. RESET THE MICROPROCESSOR
SM> (HOLD DOWN THE [CLR] KEY & TURN THE RADIO ON)

SM> | |
SM> | X-X B0|
SM> | X-X B1|
SM> | X X B2|
SM> | X X B3|
SM> | / \ X X B4|
SM> | / \ X X B5|
SM> |________/ _________|

SM>@ @ N3PTU
SM> ^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
SM>___/ Email martyrip@ptd.net

Question - You say above to solder bridge B0 & B2, but in the
drawing above, you show B0 & B1 bridged. So which is correct?

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* OLX 2.2 * Darryl Linkow (818)346-5278 9 am - 5 pm PDT

5362. FS:Old radio stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty Getz <mrgetz@sowest.net>
Message-ID: <339A1CD2.479C@sowest.net>
Source record: 173484
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

We have a ton of stuff that our father collected over the years. We
have divided it into three lots.
All prices are negotiable. Buyer must pick up stuff in suburb of
Chicago. No delivery or shipping.
Will consider splitting it up but would rather make a deal for the
entire lot.

Lot 1

Meters: Approximately 20 analog meters AC/DC volt, amp, milliamp, etc.
Many are Weston and still in original boxes.
1 Jewell Galvanometer
Several Simpson voltmeters (different ranges) - no probes included
Meters: 40 miscellaneous analog meters. Many in original boxes
Miscellaneous Electronic parts:
Resistors
Photocells (w/spec sheet)
Vidicon tube
Relays
Tuning capacitor
2 headsets
2 Signal Corps oscillators
2 CB converters
crystals (assorted frequencies)
Antenna relay
misc. knobs
transformers
9 things we couldn't identify
Miscellaneous small parts:
rectifiers, diodes, reflectors, BFOs
more
Coil forms, RF coils
Disc capacitors
Variable condensers, Trimmer condensers

$250.00

Lot 2

Sylvania Signal Generator Type 216 (book included)
Heathkit Impedence Bridge (book included)
Heathkit Q-meter
2 Olsen AM broadcast tuners
RCA low frequency tuner
2 Decade resistance boxes (wood case)
Decade resistance box (metal case)
Wheatstone Bridge (Wood case)
Boonton Q-meter (100amp) Serial#370
Wells Gardner receiver
Crystal controlled Oscilator (Blilet Electric) Model 10
TS32A/TRC-1 Oscillator
Pocketscope S-14-A
Heathkit Oscilloscope
Vacuum tube voltmeter - General Radio Type 726-A Serial#759
General Radio Impedence Bridge 650A Serial #1952
2 Zenith tuners
Knight preamp
Tuner DB22A
Variable Air condenser (wood)
Low frequency tuner (RCA)
Precision wavemeter

$250.00

Lot 3

Aircraft tp aircraft radio direction finder
Shortwave receiver
Navy Panoramic Adapter BC1032-A
Hammerlund Superpro receiver with power supply
2 Navy Receivers Collins type COL-46159
ABS-3 Navy Receiver
Navy radio receiver CEX-46152
Signal Corps Amp alignment test unit
Navy Microfilm projector

$250.00

Bring a van and take it all, will make a great deal for everything.

Contact:

mrgetz@sowest.net or
fgetz@cme.com

Visit: http://www.sowest.net/users/mrgetz/
"It don't cost nothin'"

5363. Yaesu 50R Transmit Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray Roberts <kb8tpw@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33994EFD.24B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173485

All of a sudden I'm having problem with my 50R HT. They transmit or PTT
will not operate as long as the led for squelch is lit up. In other
words I have to wait until a repeater drops before replying to someone.
I've tried everything on the menu adjustments but can't get around it.
I'm sure it is some rather non-descript setting that needs to be changed
but sure can't figure it out. It's one of the early models with the
wide receive mod. I've reset CPU and still cn't get it out of that
mode. Any ideas or suggestions? Thanks !! 73
email: kb8tpw@earthlink.net or robertsr@wpgate1.wpafb.af.mil.

5364. Re: R/S HTX-404 Weirdness...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <burkefam@icss.net>
Message-ID: <3399F334.7@icss.net>
Source record: 173486

Don Montgomery wrote:
>
> Hi
>
> Anyone out there in radioland with a 440 R/S HTX-404 notice that
> the receiver takes up to a second to recover from transmitting
> when sending a CTCSS tone? My two-meter HTX-202 recovers within
> 100 milliseconds or so.
>
> It's irritating when you miss the first couple of characters of a
> repeater ID because your HT is still transmitting when you let up
> on the PTT...and no, this problem doesn't have anything to do with
> the Ar (autoreply) menu setting or any other accessible firmware
> function.
>
> The R/S technical helpline couldn't answer my question. They sug-
> gested it was due to the repeater squelchtail. (I didn't mention to
> them I was testing with a dummy load).
>
> Anyone???
>
> Don Montgomery, K6LTS
> donrm@sr.hp.com
Mine didn't have that problem. Brian

5365. Re: Reduce power TM-V7 E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3399608C.AEC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173527

Roelof Bolhuis wrote:
>
> Hello everybody,
>
> Can someone tell me how i can reduce the power from
> the kenwood TM-V7E ?
> I have a novice-license,and i may use 25 watts, but the
> TM-V7E have 50/35 watts in high position.
> Now i use only the middle position,and that's 10 watts,
> but i should like when i can make 25 watts in high position,
> on 2 and 70.
> Maybe it's also possible to change the high, middle and
> low position seperate from each other ??
> All information (mods) are welcome.
>
> Thanks in advance
>
> --
> Whith kind regards,
> Roelof Bolhuis
>
> E-mail : rbolhuis@worldonline.nl
> Homepage: http://www.worldonline.nl/~rbolhuis

I believe you got a schematic with the rig? If so look back from the
antenna jack trace it until you find the variable resistors that control
output power. They'll be marked something like VR1, VR2, VR3. They
will also have a line beside them that says HIGH/MEDIUM or LOW. You get
the idea. most rigs can be adjusted by looking for this. Good luck!

5366. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <339960c1.9868633@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 173528

clint.bradford@atdbbs.com (Clint Bradford) wrote:

:
:>>...I understand that the FRS is limited to 300mw.......
:
:That's 500mW ERP.

Chalk up another one for Australia. We have a UHF CB radio service with
40 channels and 5 watts max power, with repeaters. It's on 477 Mhz.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

5367. FT-50r reset sequence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Swank <rswank@digital.net>
Message-ID: <339964BA.4382@digital.net>
Source record: 173529

I have misplaced my manual, could you please give the reset sequence for the ft-50r.

Thanks,
Ron
KB4DCZ

5368. NEED INFO - Kenwood Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: swoodwar@fix.net
Message-ID: <5nbo7b$6vd$1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 173530

Need to have my TS850 repaired (antenna tuner bad). Any
recommendations for a good service facility other then the Kenwood
Center in the L.A. area?
Thanks any info.
W7AZF
Steve

5369. Re: Motorola/Radius Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Erskine <frank@g3wte.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <41hztBAgbWmzEwBT@g3wte.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 173531
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <339907CB.4E3B@in.net>, Richard <rav@in.net> writes
>Is there software available for programming Motorola's P110 and GP 300?

I should hope so!

>If so would you be so kind as to let me know.
>
>Thanks,
>
>Richard

Frank
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Frank Erskine To reply by e-mail, remove
Sunderland the anti-spamming "x" in the
http://www.g3wte.demon.co.uk/ "Reply-to" address.

5370. Manual wanted: Heath DM-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc733e$b708b8e0$29f277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 173532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.audio.tubes

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Wanted: Manual or copy of the manual for Heathkit DM-1
Distortion Meter. Will gladly pay all costs for manual or
copies. Please help me get this fine piece of equipment
back on the air - check those file cabinets!

Thanks for reading this.

John
occupant@ns.net
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5371. CATV Equipment for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jfsmith@technologist.com
Message-ID: <339a6e1d.166387822@news2.ee.net>
Source record: 173533

Pole Climbing Gear FOR SALE

I am no longer in the telecommunications industry,
The following is what I have for sale:

Everything is either new or very low mileage

Bashlin - D21 Climbing Belt
Klein Safety strap
Klein Climbers - complete with spike guards
Klein Safety Orange Tool Bag - Type 5180

All of this for $250.00

I also have:

2 LTC X-500 Coring tools for Trilogy MC2 cable
1 LTC T-500 Coring Tool for P3
These are still in the Box, $35.00 each or
$100.00 for all three

Mid State - SAM 1 Signal Analysis Meter
(Field Strength Meter) In good condition

$300.00

If you are interested, please send Email to:

jfsmith@technologist.com

Jerry Smith
762knifewerks@geocities.com

http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/Trails/3708/

5372. Icom 706MKII Info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kent O'Sell <kent@premier1.net>
Message-ID: <33997189.C1EB3565@premier1.net>
Source record: 173534

Does anyone know of any reviews out on the new 706? I ordered one yesterday and I should have it by Tuesday. Any first impressions, troubles or quirks would be appreciated. I've wanted a 706 since they first came out, so I hope the long wait was worth it! I ran a search on DejaNews and see a few posts. I'm sure in the coming weeks there will be many more. Thanks for your help. 73 Kent N7AYF

5373. HR-2510 Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. B. Spencer" <spencer@satcom.net>
Message-ID: <3399725E.77D4@satcom.net>
Source record: 173535

Attention 2510/Lincoln owners....Now there is a really nice website specifically designed for the world-famous HR-2510 10 meter rig. News, FAQ's, Mods, WWW Q&A board, the Lincoln/2510 Bible, and more. http://spiraweb.com/lincolnweb/

5374. Vertical versus Dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: disalvo@mail.ohio.net
Message-ID: <33996db3.1837680@news.ohio.net>
Source record: 173536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I was considering purchasing a vertical HF antenna. I was wondering what the performance (especially DX) of a typical vertical is compared to the performance of a typical dipole. I am currenly using a SHORTY all-bander dipole that I am tuning with an MFJ-949E tuner. The rig is a yaesu FT-840 at 100 watts.

My primary interest is working 20 meter DX and I don't have the room to swing a beam. Although I've had good luck with DX using my current setup, I would like to have a little more edge to help in a pile-up.

Any info would be greatly appreciated.

73 - Chip KC8BQP

mailto:disalvo@mail.ohio.net
http:/www.ohio.net/~disalvo

5375. Re: Icom 706MKII Info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanl3561@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607154600.LAA18512@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173537

I got a response from a HAM in England who said there was a comparision between the original and the MKII in a British HAM magazine this month. I just got my MKII and it does everything that it is supposed to. I do find that the fan in the power supply is much louder than the one on the radio, but the one from the computer is probably louder. It is more sensitive to SWR than my TenTec rig and your antenna has to be pretty well matched to get the full power output. If it is off by much, it reduces power. When you set it up for repeaters, make sure you set the tone for the transmit VFO, It took we awhile to figure out that I have set it on one VFO, but not the other. I knew how small it was from the dimensions, but I am still amazed at all that is in that size box.

5376. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <339983F7.5B22@magg.net>
Source record: 173538

tnic wrote:
>
> I hooked a power meter and dummy load on two 100ft runs of 9913 flexable
> from Cable Experts.
>
> I have 50 watts going into the cable and 30 at the far end just before the
> dummy load on 2 meters.
>
> On 440 its even worse. Its 35 watts out of the radio and 12 watts at the
> far end.
>
> I have heard all about cable loss and connector loss theory from local
> sources and charts.
>
> In plain language is this normal for a 100 foot run?
>
> Have you had similar results?
>
> Since it is the same on 2 cables I doubt its a bad connector.
>
> Thanks for your feedback.
>
> 73
>
> =TOM=
> tnic@idt.netThe paper loss of 9913 flex at 2M is 1.6 dB and 2.8 dB at 70cM. Your losses are 2.2 dB and 4.6 dB. I was using this stuff for the flexible run from the base of my 23cM EME dish to the feedhorn. When I put it on my network analyzer I threw it out and replaced it with some Times LMR flex. The return loss on a 20' length of 9913 flex w/ appropriate N connecors and a precision termination was only 13 dB. The LMR R.L. is 24 dB.

Dale
W4OP

5377. MODS TM255E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: FJM <fjmichel@magic.fr>
Message-ID: <01bc7355$f6aa46a0$bcb9fac2@fjmichel>
Source record: 173539

73 a tous.
Est ce que quelqu'un d'entre vous sait si il est possible d'�tendre la
couverture de reception du TM255E de chez Kenwood et comment faire?
Merci de m'envoyer un Email pour la r�ponse.
Jean-Michel
Email: fjmichel@magic.fr

5378. FS: Kenwood TM 251a $199!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mkconner@bulloch.com
Message-ID: <5nc0qt$4rr6@alpha.telconet.com>
Source record: 173540

For sale:

Must sell.
Kenwood 251a 2 meter radio.
Radio is capable of cross band repeat. Receives on 440mhz and transmits back onto 2 meters. Great for expandind the range of your handheld.
40 channels
dtss, digital recording system, large menu display, many many more features.
Have the box it came in, warranty papers(which were never sent off), receipt where I paid $360.00 for it brand new about 17 months ago.

Asking only $199.00(plus shipping), getting out of radio (sticking with something I know, computers!)

email me at
mkconner@bulloch.com

5379. Re: ICOM 820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33998235.46535796@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173541

On 7 Jun 1997 12:30:48 GMT, "Peter Attree" <attree@btinternet.com>
wrote:

>Hi,
>Does anyone know if the UK version of the Icom 820H can be changed such
>that it does not produce the 1750Hz repeater tone when the Tone button is
>pressed, but produces the sub-audible tones as with the USA and Australia
>versions?
>Is it just a software change, or is hardware involved?
>Thanks
>Peter Attree
>G0VHP
>
>
>attree@btinternet.com
Pick up an HM-56A mic, it has the 1750 Hz tones built in. You will
need to press a button for the burst, forget just which one though.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

5380. FS: Hy-gain 14 el 2 mtr beam (new)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607162101.MAA21368@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173542

I have for sale 1 week old assembled and never put up a Hy-gain 14 element beam model 214FM. I paid $87 shipped, will let it go for $50, must be a pick up only. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve
Lakeville, Ma. 35 miles South of Boston

5381. ICOM 706 MK II TUNING?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339989E2.43C1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173543

Is there a easy way to get the Icom 706 Mark II to put out a 10 watt carrier for tuning a manual tuner? Do I have to "fool the Ic-706 and tell it the Icom AT-180 is installed (even though it isn't).
I was considering a manual tuner for price and if I could just press the "TUNE" button and get even 5 watts out to tune the antenna it would be very convienent. Thanks in advance.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5382. Re: ICOM 820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <33998d0b.49310514@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173544

On 7 Jun 1997 12:30:48 GMT, "Peter Attree" <attree@btinternet.com>
wrote:

>Hi,
>Does anyone know if the UK version of the Icom 820H can be changed such
>that it does not produce the 1750Hz repeater tone when the Tone button is
>pressed, but produces the sub-audible tones as with the USA and Australia
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>Peter Attree
>G0VHP
>
>
>attree@btinternet.com
Pick up an HM-56A mic, it has the 1750 Hz tones built in. You will
need to press a button for the burst, forget just which one though.

Gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

5383. Re: UNIDIRECTIONAL Cross Band Repeater in ICOM's TRANSCEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <33998874.446540@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 173545

"Alberto Tetra" <albatetra@iol.it> wrote:

>Hallo!!
>Can anyone help me!
>I need than ICOM IC-Z1 or IC-W31 and other ICOM's radio function
>as an UNIDIRECTIONAL Cross band repeater!!!!
>more explain...
>...if I set VHF as INPUT (RX) and UHF as OUTPUT (TX), I need that when
>a signal appears on UHF band the transceiver don't transpose signal in VHF.
>
> Thank You

Hallo, Alberto

The Icom radios do not have a "one-way" crossband repeat function, but you
can make the radio work that way. Just turn on CTCSS Decode on the band
you want to NOT receive. Select a CTCSS tone that nobody will be using.
With this set-up, signals on that band will not activate the crossband
repeater.

73,
Gary
****
Gary Pearce AVID/Video Editor kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Cary, NC Franklin Video Ham Radio:
(919) 380-9944 Raleigh, NC KN4AQ

5384. ICOM706 MKII: any noise blanker improvement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Rhea <randall@informix.com>
Message-ID: <33998D0C.50BA@informix.com>
Source record: 173546

Before I go out and buy one, did Icom make any improvements to the noise blanker in the 706 MK II? The original 706 noise blanker does not work on AM.

73 DE KG0HW

5385. Re: MFJ artificial ground. Query ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Rhea <randall@informix.com>
Message-ID: <33998EBB.556B@informix.com>
Source record: 173547

N3TAW wrote:
>
> Would someone that has used the MFJ artificial ground/antenna
> tunner tell me if the artificial ground works, and what
> they think of it.
>

It's basically an antenna tuner for a ground radial, and it works like
an antenna tuner. It's nice to have if you use a single wire
antenna with an antenna tuner; this type of antenna also needs
a ground counterpoise. A counterpoise is normally a 1/4-wave wire.
With the MFJ artificial ground, you can also tune a random-length
wire to be your counterpoise. So, with two pieces of random length
wire, one for your antenna and one for your ground, you can have
a completely tuned system using an antenna tuner and an MFJ
Artificial Ground.

You don't need this device if you have a 1/2-wave dipole, since a
counterpoise is not required.

73 DE KG0HW

5386. FS: 200channel,800mhz, handheld, RSpro51 $170

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: warezjoe@geocities.com
Message-ID: <33a59221.2365217@news.erols.com>
Source record: 173548

I have a almost new pro 51 Scanner.
handheld
800mhz (from 29mhz-956mhz) unmodified
200 channels hyperscan
auto band scanning (fire,police,air,marine,wx)
10 monitor channels
BNC connector ant.
hardly used.

$170.00 +shipping

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5387. Re: wtb apha89/91,icom sp20,sm8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbclark@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <5nc3lpfrr1@news12.gte.net>
Source record: 173549

lemwnash@aol.com (Lemwnash) wrote:

>must be mint
>
>kh6fhx lem
>

Order a new one from Alpha/Power @
http://www.alpha-power-inc.com/html, before June 15th 1997
and dave dome money, plus a warranty doesn't hurt either.
I just ordered mine, which will ship the last week of July.
Why take a chance on one improperly operated w/o a warranty?
de KD6UN

5388. Re: mod for Kenwood tm241a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <339992CA.46EC@onramp.net>
Source record: 173550

W W Enterprises wrote:
>
> I understand the newer models will not mod out of band. If you did get
> information on a mod, please send it on to me. I have several 241's and
> use them for everything. Thanks
>
> joe
The serial number range from 409xxxx to 511xxxx will mod only to
151.995. mhz. The serial numbers below and above will go furthur but the
mod is different for the lower numbers than for the higher numbers.

Don't know why.

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5389. Re: Reduce power TM-V7 E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <3399944D.5DB@onramp.net>
Source record: 173551

Roelof Bolhuis wrote:
>
> Hello everybody,
>
> Can someone tell me how i can reduce the power from
> the kenwood TM-V7E ?
> I have a novice-license,and i may use 25 watts, but the
> TM-V7E have 50/35 watts in high position.
> Now i use only the middle position,and that's 10 watts,
> but i should like when i can make 25 watts in high position,
> on 2 and 70.
> Maybe it's also possible to change the high, middle and
> low position seperate from each other ??
> All information (mods) are welcome.
>
> Thanks in advance
>
> --
> Whith kind regards,
> Roelof Bolhuis
>
> E-mail : rbolhuis@worldonline.nl
> Homepage: http://www.worldonline.nl/~rbolhuis

The TMV7E uses microprocessor control of the power. There is not a pot
to adjust it. You would need the Service Manual to go thru the steps..

Clif @ AVVid
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http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5390. Re: NEED INFO - Kenwood Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33999ed3.4067340@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173552

I sent my TS-450SAT to AVVid in Irvington TX. They charged $50.00 an hr. for a total of $144.00 including shipping and I got abt 10 day turn around. They replaced a cable assy and tuned up the protection ckts and all seems fine. 73 Buzz

On Sat, 07 Jun 1997 13:37:08 GMT, swoodwar@fix.net (Steve Woodward) wrote:

>Need to have my TS850 repaired (antenna tuner bad). Any
>recommendations for a good service facility other then the Kenwood
>Center in the L.A. area?
>Thanks any info.
>W7AZF
>Steve
>
>

5391. Re: Vertical versus Dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <339aa049.4440999@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173553
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a GAP Challenger DX and I can HIGHLY recommend it. I've worked several DX stations with my TS-450 with no trouble. The assembly is a breeze and there are only 3 radials of 25ft. required. NO TUNING is required. I think it took me abt 3 hrs from opening the box to calling CQ. Quite a difference after spending a whole afternoon tuning up a friends R7 with the MFJ antenna analyzer. I would now probably get their Titan DX but it wasn't available when I got mine. A friend just a block away has the Voyager DX and told me he thinks that it's a bit too long on 20M but is great on 160M.
Buzz

On Sat, 07 Jun 1997 14:31:16 GMT, disalvo@mail.ohio.net (Samuel R. DiSalvo) wrote:

>I was considering purchasing a vertical HF antenna. I was wondering
>what the performance (especially DX) of a typical vertical is compared
>to the performance of a typical dipole. I am currenly using a SHORTY
>all-bander dipole that I am tuning with an MFJ-949E tuner. The rig is
>a yaesu FT-840 at 100 watts.
>
>My primary interest is working 20 meter DX and I don't have the room
>to swing a beam. Although I've had good luck with DX using my current
>setup, I would like to have a little more edge to help in a pile-up.
>
>Any info would be greatly appreciated.
>
>73 - Chip KC8BQP
>
>mailto:disalvo@mail.ohio.net
>http:/www.ohio.net/~disalvo

5392. Re: Vertical versus Dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3399A282.1C64@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Samuel R. DiSalvo wrote:
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> I was considering purchasing a vertical HF antenna. I was wondering
> what the performance (especially DX) of a typical vertical is compared
> to the performance of a typical dipole. I am currently using a SHORTY
> all-bander dipole that I am tuning with an MFJ-949E tuner. The rig is
> a yaesu FT-840 at 100 watts.
>
> My primary interest is working 20 meter DX and I don't have the room
> to swing a beam. Although I've had good luck with DX using my current
> setup, I would like to have a little more edge to help in a pile-up.
>
> Any info would be greatly appreciated.
>
> 73 - Chip KC8BQP

Hi Chip Take a look at Bill Orr's (W6SAI) Books.

In his book on Verticals, he shows a comparison of the field patterns of horizontal and vertical antennas above a good ground. The horizontal antenna is 3/4 wavelength above ground and the vertical antenna is at ground level. Both antennas provide good radiation at a vertical angle of about 20 degrees. But the horizontal antenna must be at 52 feet high to do the job on the 20 Meter band.

For DXing, a low angle of radiation is most desirable and with dipoles and beams -- Ya gotta get em up in the air.

Other good references are the ARRL Antenna Handbook and ON4UN's book on low band DXing.

Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

5393. FS: LOW BAND/HIGH BAND/UHF RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@3dnet.com
Message-ID: <865706714.14729@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

LOW BAND/HIGH BAND/UHF RADIOS FOR SALE

RCA:
Series 1000 Low Band 42-50 MHz, 100 Watt Mobile Dual Channel Scan with Channel Elements and Accessories: $95 (1 available)

Series 700 Low Band 42-50 MHz, 40 Watt Mobile, 4 freq, As-is, No Accessories, 1 set of Channel Elements: $40 (5 available)

Series 700 Low Band 42-50 MHz, 40 Watt Base Station (120 VAC), 2 freq, , 2 sets of Channel Elements: $125

Extra Set of Channel Elements (Rx and Tx) for RCA 500/700/1000 Series Radios: $5 ea set

QC Deck (CTCSS) for 500/700/1000 without vibrosend/sponders (Motorola type), installed or separate: $10

TAC 200 Low Band Mobile Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz), 100 Watt Complete with Control Head, Microphone, Cable, 1 set of channel elements: $100

TAC 300 Low Band Mobile Radio High Split (42-50 Mhz), 50 Watt Mount Mobile, Converted to 6 Meter Operation. Crystaled 52.525 MHz: $95

High Band 250 Watt Amplifier: Uses 4CX250 type tube. Looks complete except no cabinet or blower. Heavy. UPS shipment may be possible if power supply is shipped separately. It is in excellent physical condition but I have not fired it up so I don't know about operating condition: $150

GENERAL ELECTRIC
UHF GE Delta S 100 Watt Synthesized Mobile Radio 440-470 MHz, Excellent condition, clean with accessories. Trunk mount commercial mobile about 14" x 12" x 2". Comes with 16 channel control head, mic, speaker, cables. Standard commercial specs. Has programmable Channel Guard (CTCSS): $250

MOTOROLA
MOCOM 70 on 6 Meters, Low power version in excellent condition with accessories and 2 pairs of channel elements. Tuned to 52.525 MHz, but crystals not provided. Radio is in blue color.
Seems to be a special factory paint job: $75

MOCOM 70 on 2 Meters, Low power version, working fine, in fair condition without accessories. No Covers. CHEAP. $40

All items are plus shipping charges. Send zip code for a shipping estimate. Prepaid by check (10 day clear) or US Post Office Money Order.

UPS COD available in lower 48.

Mike Nowlen WB4UKB
Reston, VA
(703)716-1363

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5394. Re: wtb apha89/91,icom sp20,sm8

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5nc53j$1g0_002@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 173556

In article <5nc3lpfrr1@news12.gte.net>,
wbclark@mail.gte.net (William Clark) wrote:
>lemwnash@aol.com (Lemwnash) wrote:
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>>must be mint
>>
>>kh6fhx lem
>>
>
> Order a new one from Alpha/Power @
>http://www.alpha-power-inc.com/html, before June 15th 1997
>and dave dome money, plus a warranty doesn't hurt either.
>I just ordered mine, which will ship the last week of July.
>Why take a chance on one improperly operated w/o a warranty?
>de KD6UN

Alpha usually takes care of the equipment under warranty, even when owner is
not original purchaser. They are attempting to rebuild customer base.
Inquire to Rob or Dick

5395. TS450S Auto Tuner needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5nc5a7$1g0_003@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 173557

Hi & and thanks for reading.

I'm seeking a auto tuner for the TS450S. Need to upgrade a friends rig as he has became disabled and tuning now a major problem. Any leads appreciated.

Bests,

Patrick
WB9IQI

5396. WTB: Ten Tec 253 Automatic Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbecks@sun.lssu.edu
Message-ID: <5nbr4u$dk6@news1.zippo.com>
Source record: 173558

Wanted to buy: Ten Tec Model 253 Automatic Tuner....

Contact: William G. Becks, KE8KB
Email: wbecks@sun.lssu.edu

5397. INTEL PENTIUM MB+CPU,SVGA,YAESU Accessories.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4srn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607190800.PAA05897@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173559

INTEL PENTIUM 90mhz MB, CPU with PCI, FAN and Y-connector. Compleate INTEL manual $159 + 10 UPS 2ND DAY AIR Guaranted and insured.

PCI SVGA card $29 + 10 UPS 2ND DAY AIR Guaranted.

14.4KBPS internal modem $19 + 10 UPS 2ND DAY AIR Guaranted.

YAESU EDC-12 Cigar adapter/noise filter/voltage regulator/fuse/batt clip/trickle charging/fits FT-11/41 & FT-51. New in box. $29 + 10 UPS 2ND DAY AIR Guaranted.

YASEU CSC-67 Soft case for FT-51, FNB-31 small battery. Has open flap at bottom for larger batt and for above EDC-12 connection (without removing this protective case). $10 + 10 UPS 2ND DAY AIR Guaranted.

Add $30 instead of $10 if you prefer COD. Multiple item discount will apply. One shipping charge for multiple items. Save time and money plus tax by having it shipped to YOUR DOOR. Ham fest is coming so hurry.

5398. FS: Kenwood TS-700A 2m All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jr444@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607192500.PAA07373@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173560

Includes GaAsFET pre-amp installed internally
plus operating AND service manual. No other
mods have been done. Some dial lights are out.
Will NOT sell service manual separately (don't ask).

Asking $200 + shipping costs

Email JR444@aol.com
SoCal area

5399. Yaesu FT-3000M Cellular RX Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: zaax@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607194700.PAA09294@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173561

Is there a mod to enable cellular reception on the Yaesu FT-3000? Any info will be greatly appreciated.

73 Zack Schindler
N8FNR

5400. WTB: Ten-Tec Model no. 555 Scout Transceiver (or equiv)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave@wwa.comNOSPAM
Message-ID: <3399bddb.524371@news.wwa.com>
Source record: 173562

Hi,

I just passed my code test and I want to get on the air!!!

Don't care about voice, just CW. Looking for an appropriate used CW
rig.

PLEASE RESPOND VIA E-MAIL

thanks,

dave
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David Vrona N9QNZ Visit our web site at http://www.wwa.com
dave@wwa.com 312-803-9921 or 888-803-9921 (toll free) 312-803-9923 (fax)
WorldWide Access (sm), Internet services for the Midwestern region.
Dialup sites in the Chicago metro area, Rockford IL, and Milwaukee WI
56Kbps - T3 leased lines and firewall installations are our specialties!

5401. Re: ICOM 706 MK II TUNING?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <3399c194.2348511@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173563

On Sat, 07 Jun 1997 12:18:42 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Is there a easy way to get the Icom 706 Mark II to put out a 10 watt
>carrier for tuning a manual tuner? Do I have to "fool the Ic-706 and
>tell it the Icom AT-180 is installed (even though it isn't).
>I was considering a manual tuner for price and if I could just press the
>"TUNE" button and get even 5 watts out to tune the antenna it would be
>very convienent. Thanks in advance.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
NO, use the RTTY mode as the radio will key when you press the PTT.
Go into the disp mode and sent the power for 10 watts.

Gary

5402. Wanted; service manual & extender boards for FT-990

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew A. Erickson" <kk5dr@io.com>
Message-ID: <3399DE83.696B@io.com>
Source record: 173564

I would like to buy a copy of the service manual & service extender boards for the YAESU FT-990

5403. Re: WTB: 900 MHz (33cm) Base/Mobile Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Nicholson <csnichol@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <3399AEA5.2C07@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 173565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ron Curry wrote:
>
> AND, 900mhz commercial band antennas are centered at 915mhz......
> --
> Ron Curry
> recurry@insighttec.com
> recurry@inside.intel.com
> KE6WED
> Bill Nelson wrote in article <5n86ji$m7k$3@bashir.peak.org>...
> >smartino (smartino@mail.idt.net) wrote:
> >: Good luck trying to buy one ..no comm.for that range
> >
> >That is not true. There are many 900 MHz antennas available for base
> >stations, and some for mobiles. There are a lot of users of the 900
> >MHz band - such as 900 MHz trunking, and unlicensed low-power stations
> >as well.
> >
> >Also, it would be easy to adapt many 800 MHz antennas to work.
> >
> >--
> >Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
> >
> > For my purposes (921.1125 repeater) about .5" off the bottom of
a standard 3db cellular mobile antenna works fine.
73
Chris N9LLO

5404. Re: Reduce power TM-V7 E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3399CD4E.C88@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173566

Clif wrote:
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> Roelof Bolhuis wrote:
> >
> > Hello everybody,
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> > Can someone tell me how i can reduce the power from
> > the kenwood TM-V7E ?
> > I have a novice-license,and i may use 25 watts, but the
> > TM-V7E have 50/35 watts in high position.
> > Now i use only the middle position,and that's 10 watts,
> > but i should like when i can make 25 watts in high position,
> > on 2 and 70.
> > Maybe it's also possible to change the high, middle and
> > low position seperate from each other ??
> > All information (mods) are welcome.
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> > Thanks in advance
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> > --
> > Whith kind regards,
> > Roelof Bolhuis
> >
> > E-mail : rbolhuis@worldonline.nl
> > Homepage: http://www.worldonline.nl/~rbolhuis
>
> The TMV7E uses microprocessor control of the power. There is not a pot
> to adjust it. You would need the Service Manual to go thru the steps..
>
> Clif @ AVVid
> AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
> http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Thats interesting! I wonder what the logic in that design might be?

5405. Programing software for Motorola HT (MT 1000 UHF) needed.**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607214701.RAA19994@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173567

I'm looking for software to program my Motorola handheld. Model MT1000.
It will handle up to 99 frequiencies in memory. I don't need to program
that many in memory but I hate the inconvenience of taking it to a dealer
each time I need to put in a new frequency or change a tone. Does anyone
have suggestions that might help?

Thanks,
KC7ILQ, Wayne

5406. Re: Motorola/Radius Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <5nclt3$r5f@tofu.alt.net>
Source record: 173568
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Richard <rav@in.net> wrote:

>Is there software available for programming Motorola's P110 and GP 300?
>If so would you be so kind as to let me know.

Yep, there sure is!

5407. Re: Programing software for Motorola HT (MT 1000 UHF) needed.**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3399D438.381C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173569

I am so tired, but once again, Motorola Americas Parts Division at 1-800-442-4210. Oddly enough, as a manufacturer of the radio in question, they actually sell software for it. Ain't technology wonderful!!

5408. MONEY! Lots and Lots and Lots of FREE money!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lovey48@the-bridge.NET
Message-ID: <3399E4C7.F9E@the-bridge.net>
Source record: 173570

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE MONEY FAST!?!?!?!?

The other day, I recieved this email. Now, I am a college student, and I am not at all weathly. So, I decided to give this a whirl... Good luck to you:)

"A little while back, I was reading my junk E-Mail just like you are no, and came across an E-Mail similar to this that said you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $5.00! So, I thought, 'Yeah, right, this must be a scam!, like most of us, but I was curious, like most of us, so I kept reading. Anyway, it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 5 names listed in the article. You then place your own name and addresses in the bottom of the list at #5 and send an E-Mail to at least 200 news groups. (There are thousands). No catch, that was it. So, after thinking about it, and talking to a few people first, I thought about trying it. I figured what have I got to lose except 5 stamps and $5.00, right? Like most of us, I was a little skeptical and a little worried about the legal aspects of it all. So, I checked it out with the U.S. Post Office (1-800-725-2161) and they confirmed that it is indeed legal! Then, I invested the measly $5.00... Well, GUESS WHAT! With in 7 days, I started getting money in the mail. I was shocked! I still figured it would end soon, and didn't give it another thought. But, the money just continued coming in. In my first week, I made about $20-$30. By the end of the second week, I had made a total of over $1,000! In the third week, I had over $10,000 and it's still growing! This is now my fourth week, and I have made a total of just over $42,000!!!! And it's still coming in!!! It's certainly worth $5.00 and 5 stamps. I spent more that that on the lottery! Let me tell you how this works and most importantly, WHY IT WORKS. Also, make sure you print a copy of this article now, so you can get the info you need off of it as you need it. The process is very simple and consists of 3 easy steps:

STEP 1: Get 5 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each piece of paper: "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST" Now get 5 $1.00 bills and place ONE inside of EACH of the 5 pieces of paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelope to prevent thievery. Next, place one paper in each of the 5 envelopes and seal them. You should now have 5 sealed envelopes, each with a piece of paper stating the above phrase and a $1.00 bill. What you are doing is creating a service by this. THIS IS PERFECTLY LEGAL! Mail the 5 envelopes to the following addresses:

1. Donald Foulk
216 N. Myers

Bryan, OH 43506

2. Scott Hilterbran
222 W. Pleasant St.
Hillsboro, OH 45133

3. Paul Mewes
5550 Fillmore St.
Merrillville, IN 46410

4. Scott Brkovich
2251 Sandhurst Dr.
Castle Rock, CO 80104

5. Anne E. Ryan
421 E. 32nd St.
Hibbing, MN 55746

Continue to STEP 2.

STEP 2: Now take the number 1 name off of the list that you see above, move the other names up (5 becomes 4, 4 becomes 3, etc...), and add YOUR name and address as number 5 on the list.

STEP 3: Change anything you need to, but try to keep this article as close to original as possible. Now, post your amended article to at least 200 newssgroups. (I think there are close to 18,000) All you need is 200, but remember, the more you post, the more money you make! Don't know HOW to post in the news groups? Well, do exactly the following:

FOR NETSCAPE USERS:

1) Click on any news group, like normal. Then click on 'To News', which is in the top left corner of the news group page. This will bring up a message box.

2) Fill in the SUBJECT with a flashy title, like the one I used, something to catch the eye!

3) Now go to the message part of the box and retype this letter exactly as it is here, with the exception of your few changes. (Remember to add your name to number 5 and move the rest up)

4) When you're done typing in the WHOLE letter, click on 'FILE' above the send button. Then 'SAVE AS' DO NOT SEND YOUR ARTICLE UNTIL YOU SAVE IT!!!!!!!!! (So you don't have to retype this 200+ times!!:)

5) Now that you have saved the letter, go ahead and send your first cope! (Click the 'SEND' button in the top left corner)

6) This is where you post all 200! Ok, go to ANY news group article and click the 'TO NEWS' button again. Type in your flashy subject in the 'SUBJECT BOX', then go to the message and place your cursor here. Now, click on 'ATTACHMENT' which is right below the 'SUBJECT BOX'.

Click on attach file, then find your letter wherever you saved it. Click once on your file the click 'OPEN' then click 'OK'. If you did this right, you should see your filename in the 'ATTACHMENT BOX' and it will be shaded. NOW POST AWAY!!!!!

IF YOU ARE USING INTERNET EXPLORER:

It's just as easy, holding down the left mouse button, highlight this entire article, then press the 'CTRL' key and 'C' key at the same time to copy this article. Then, print the article for your records to have the names of those you will be sending $1.00 to.

NEXT: Go to the news groups and press 'POST AN ARTICLE', type in your flashy subject and click the large window below. Press 'CTRL' and 'V', and the article will appear in the message window.

BE SURE TO MAKE YOUR ADDRESS CHANGES TO THE 5 NAMES!!! Now, re-highlight the article and re-copy it so you have the changes.... Then, all you have to do for each news group is 'CTRL' and 'V' and press 'POST'. It's that easy! THAT'S IT! All you have to do is jump to different news groups and post away. After you get the hang of it, it will take about 30 seconds for each news group! REMEMBER, THE MORE NEWS GROUPS YOU POST IN, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE! BUT YOU HAVE TO POST A MINIMUM OF 200!!!!!!!!!!!

That's it! You will begin receiving money from around the world within days! You may eventually want to rent a P.O. Box due to the large amount of mail you receive. If you wish to stay anonymous, you can invent a name to us, as long as the postman will deliver it.

JUST MAKE SURE ALL OF THE ADDRESSES ARE CORRECT!!!!!!!!!

Now the WHY part: Out of 200 postings, say I receive only 5 replies (a very low example). So, then I made $5.00 with my name at #5 on the letter. Now, each of the 5 persons who just sent me $1.00 make the MINIMUM 200 postings, each with my name at #4, and only 5 people respond to each of the orginal 5. That is another $25.00 for me, now those 25 each make 200 minimum posts with my name at #3, and only 5 replies each, I will bring in an additional $626!! Ok, now here is the fun part. Each of those 625 people post a MINIMUM 200 letters with my name at #1, and they each only receive 5 replies, that just make me $3,125!!! With an original investment of only $5.00!!! AMAZING!! And as I said, 5 responses is actually VERY LOW! Average is probable 20-30 letters! So, let's put those figures at just 15 respones per person. Here is what you will make: At #5: $15, at #4: $225, at #3: $3,375, at #2: $50,625, at #1: $759,375!!!!!!
When your name is no longer on the list, you just take the latest posting in the news groups, and send out another $5.00 to names on the list, putting you at #5. And start posting! The thing to remember is, do you realize that thousands of people over the world are joining the internet and reading these articles everyday, JUST LIKE YOU ARE NOW! So can you afford $5.00 and see if it really works? I think so... People

have said, 'What if the plan is played out and happening when there are tons of new honest users and new honest people who are joining the internet and news groups everyday and are willing to give it a try?' Estimates are at 20,000-50,000 new users every day, with thousands of those joining the actual internet. Remember, play FAIRLY AND HONESTLY and this will work. You just have to be honest. Make sure you print this article out RIGHT NOW also. Try to keep a list of everyone that sends you money, and always keep an eye on the news groups to make sure everyone is playing fairly. Remember, HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY!!! You don't need to cheat the basic idea to make the money! GOOD LUCK to all and please play fairly and reap the huge rewards from this, which is tons of EXTRA CASH.
BY THE WAY: If you try to deceive people by posting the messages with your name in the list and not sending the money to the rest of the people already on the list, you will NOT get as much. Someone I talked to knew someone who did that, and he only made about $150 and that's after 7 or 8 weeks! Then he sent the 5 $1.00 bills, people added them to their lists, and in 4-5 weeks, he had over $10k. This is the fairest and most honest way I have ever seen to share the wealth of the world without costing anything but our time! You also may want to buy mailing and e-mail lists for future dollars. PLEASE REMEMBER TO DECLARE YOUR EXTRA INCOME!!!!!!"

5409. Re: WTB: 900 MHz (33cm) Base/Mobile Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Daniel <jdaniel@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3399C123.6751@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ron Curry wrote:
>
> AND, 900mhz commercial band antennas are centered at 915mhz......
> --
> Ron Curry
> recurry@insighttec.com
> recurry@inside.intel.com
> KE6WED
> Bill Nelson wrote in article <5n86ji$m7k$3@bashir.peak.org>...
> >smartino (smartino@mail.idt.net) wrote:
> >: Good luck trying to buy one ..no comm.for that range
> >
> >That is not true. There are many 900 MHz antennas available for base
> >stations, and some for mobiles. There are a lot of users of the 900
> >MHz band - such as 900 MHz trunking, and unlicensed low-power stations
> >as well.
> >
> >Also, it would be easy to adapt many 800 MHz antennas to work.
> >
> >--
> >Bill Nelson (billn@peak.org)
> >
> >

Did I miss something ?

Isn't the center of the 902 to 928 MHz "BAND" at 915 MHZ?????

MANY MANY commercial antenna manufacturers off excellent, proven antennas specifically for the 902 - 928 MHz band due this bands recent popularity for unlicensed operations. Try Maxrad brand available thru Tescco distributer at 1-800-472-7373.

Posted as a satisfied 902 - 928 antenna USER. Over 200 in service

5410. Help Heath IB1101 Freq Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvr@pclink.com
Message-ID: <3399ecb5.18090766@news.protocom.com>
Source record: 173572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

Thanks for reading this. I bought an old Heath IB1101 freq counter at
a Hamfest and need a manual for it. I would be happy to pay copying
and mailing costs if you can help me out.

Please respond via Email.
]
Thanks in advance,

Bob

5411. WTB: Manual 4 Henry 2K Classic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: phil <phil@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3399EE65.57F1@flash.net>
Source record: 173573

I need a manual for a Henry 2K Classic, any help greatly appreciated.

73,

Phil AC5IZ

5412. Need: Manual 4 Henry 2K Classic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: phil <phil@flash.net>
Message-ID: <3399EE00.6A24@flash.net>
Source record: 173574

I need a manual for a Henry 2K Classic, any help greatly appreciated.

73,

Phil AC5IZ

5413. WTB Heath HW-8 or 9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: msicher@fix.net
Message-ID: <5ncsjq$4qp$1@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 173575

Looking for a good condition Heathkit QRP rig. Either an HW-8 or HW-9.

Please e-mail me at "msicher@fix.net"

Max Sicher, WD6Z

5414. Re: Alinco DJ-S41 Low Power Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Zancha <rzancha@moultrie.com>
Message-ID: <3399F615.41A@moultrie.com>
Source record: 173576

Hello Bill;

I have had a DJ-S41 for about 4 months now. I am using nicad batteries with average usage about 30 minutes tx and 4 to 6 hours rx I can expect batery life of about 4 days. That is on low power.

The Alinco home page says that low power is 50 miliwatts.

I love the radio. I would highly recomend it to anyone. I have a friend that has one and is using rechargable akaline.

73

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Ralph Zancha
<<WC9V>>

5415. Re: CD Recorder For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: groot <r.g.groot@syntegra.net>
Message-ID: <01bc72d5$bc74c120$1b3997c2@robert>
Source record: 173607
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.

Why are you sellin it, if it is working OK?
R.G.Groot@rijnhaave.net

Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com> schreef in artikel
<33955ED5.6E45@n-link.com>...
> FOR SALE
> I have a Matsushita (Panasonic) CW-7501 CD-Recorder 2 Months Old
> Includes Adaptec SCSI Controller SCSI Cables, GEAR CD Recording
> Software. Paid $600.00 but will sell for $350.00
> There is nothing wrong with this drive (Nearly New) Works like a champ.
> Drive is a 4x Read and 2x Write
> You pay Shipping
> Tommie
> 512-556-4691 Voice 512-613-2444 Pager
> --
> A1 Custom Mugs
> Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
> Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
> Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
> Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special.
>

5416. WTB: IOMEGA ZIP DRIVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc72de$07206140$0bd666ce@paul>
Source record: 173608

WOULD LIKE TO BUY AN IOMEGA INTERNAL OR EXTERNAL ZIP DRIVE WITH BACKUP
CARTRIDGES.

ADVISE AGE, CONDITION, ?MANUAL AVAILABLE AND IF YOU ARE ORIGINAL OWNER.
ALSO FULL PRICE INCLUDING SHIPPING

PAUL LONDON ki4xz@peganet.com

5417. EIMAC 8877 (3CX1500A7) TUBE<NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607015100.VAA25822@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173609

$385 shipped/insured lower 48.

Tnx, Van
WB0NZV

5418. Yaesu FT-10R 2M HT & Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607015801.VAA26453@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173610

Yaesu FT-10-R/A16D 5W/16 keypad/99 ch 5W 2M HT
Taesu NC-50 Dual Slot Desk Charger
Yaesu CA-14 2 Charging Sleeves
Yaesu ADMS-1C HT Program Software
Yaesu MH-34B4B Speaker Mic
Yaesu CN-2 BNC to SMA Adaptor
Wall Charger

These items were all purchased in Mar, 97 from HRO Denver in brand new condition with 9 mos waranty left. Never left the house. Package was $450. Will ship/insure lower 48 for $375 with all origi8nal boxes, documents, etc.

Tnx, Van
WB0NZV

5419. FS: Kenwood TS440S AT HF Transceiver. Very fine condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mike d." <techman@series2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bc72ea$34190560$4944f2cd@mikes-notebook>
Source record: 173611

Have a Kenwood TS440S AT HF Transceiver for sale. Includes:
MC-60 amplified Desk Microphone
Kenwood Phone Patch Unit
1:1 Dipole Antenna
Cables and Manual.

Very fine condition.
Only 750.00 + Shipping

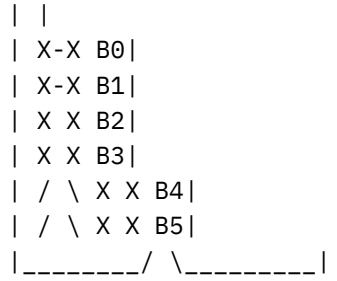
Email Mike at:
techman@series2000.com

5420. Re: Azden AZ-61 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marty (Smiley)" <martyrip@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <3398F034.75F4@ptd.net>
Source record: 173612

Jack wrote:
>
> Barry Sherwood wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone have any mods for the azden AZ-61 6 meter handheld. If so
> > please e-mail me. I have just recieved one and it seems like a real nice
> > handheld.
>
> It is a nice rig. A pain to program, though. If you bought the rig
> used, do you have the 10M manual, or the one for the 6? If you have
> the 10M one, call Azden; they'll send you the right one (got mine
> free). Azden, when they first came out with the AZ61 didn't have the
> correct manuals, so they shipped the HT's with the manual for the 10M
> unit.
> Also looking for mods; please post to the group here. Have checked
> the various mod pages, and found nothing.
> Btw, does anyone know of a headset that works with the AZ61?
> --
> Jack
> Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
> ARRL - N2MPU
> NRA & NRA-ILA

1. REMOVE POWER & ANTENNA.
2. REMOVE SPEAKER & SQUELCH KNOBS.
3. REMOVE BATTERY RAIL SCREWS.
4. REMOVE THREE BACK COVER SCEWS.
5. REMOVE TOP COVER & RUBBER GASKET.
6. SEPARTE RADIO. (OPEN LIKE A BOOK)
7. REMOVE THREE SCREWS FROM RIGHT HAND BOARD & MOVE ASIDE
8. LOCATE LOWER BOARD & THE SOLDER PADS B0 THUROUGH B5 LOWER R
9. LOCATE & SOLDER BRIDE PADS B0 & B2.
10. REASSEMBLE THE RADIO.
11. RESET THE MICROPROCESSOR
(HOLD DOWN THE [CLR] KEY & TURN THE RADIO ON)



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@ @ N3PTU
^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
___/ Email martyrip@ptd.net

Vist the Schuylkill Amateur Repeater Ass.
At http://home.ptd.net/~cakunk/

A good scanner radio page.
At http://www.li.net/~j4dice/stateidx.html

5421. WTB: KLM 661 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5nai0s$9l9@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173613

Hi, I am looking for a KLM 661 transceiver (6M). If you have a unit,
please contact me. Thanks and 73,
Tim

5422. Re: Problem with my new IC-706MKII (blown receiver front end ???)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3398dc32.4031273@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173614

On Fri, 06 Jun 1997 04:09:35 +0800, Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT
<joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:

>Well...after 3 weeks of use, I've managed to toast my new Icom
>706 MK2 transceiver. I purchased it at Dayton '97 after selling
>my original Icom 706 (which, despite the poor out of band receive
>sensitivity, noisy fan, lower power on 2 meters, and only one
>optional crystal filter) worked sans failure for the past year.
>
>I just "hadta havit".
>
>Like the predecessor, IC 706, I was told at Dayton that the
>service manual for the Icom 706MK2 is not yet
>available. Further, I was unable to find a schematic
>within the owners manual (could I have missed it and thrown it
>away by accident)?
>
>My problem is similar to a common failure reported on the IC-706.
>Apparently, I have blown a diode or transistor in the front end of the
>HF side of the radio. Now, HF and Six meter sensitivity is way
>way down. I was using the radio in the car -- using a
>homebrew HF+6 meter antenna on the rear bumper. The 2M antenna is
>a "Larsen" 5/8 wave NMO antenna mounted in the "front center" of the
>roof. VSWR at Fo was 1.2:1 or better on both antennas. Horizontal
>spacing of the antennas is at least 6 feet.
>
>After completing some tests on 2M FM, I switched back to HF and noticed
>the receive sensitivity (even background noise)
>was down severely. Thinking this was my antenna system, I removed
>the radio and confirmed my findings on the bench. Now, HF
>sensitivity is on the order of 3+ microvolts. The manual states
>it should be .25 microvolts or better. Something has been
>damaged -- presumably by my 2 M FM transmittions at 20 watts
>out.
>
>Anyone have a similar problem? Please email any advice, or,
>if you have a service manual !!!
>
>thanks,
>Joe N0IAT
>mailto:joentam@transend.com.tw
Interesting you purchased a new 706 MK II at Dayton when they were not
even for sale there. The radio did not receive FCC Type Acceptance
until Friday May 16 with beta testing not accomplished until a week

later. Then the first units shipped to dealers the week of May 31.
You sure you do not have an original 706 ?

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

5423. Re: WTB: IOMEGA ZIP DRIVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3398dd37.4292320@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173615

On 7 Jun 1997 01:05:28 GMT, "ki4xz" <loginname@peganet.com> wrote:

>WOULD LIKE TO BUY AN IOMEGA INTERNAL OR EXTERNAL ZIP DRIVE WITH BACKUP
>CARTRIDGES.
>
>ADVISE AGE, CONDITION, ?MANUAL AVAILABLE AND IF YOU ARE ORIGINAL OWNER.
>ALSO FULL PRICE INCLUDING SHIPPING
>
>PAUL LONDON ki4xz@peganet.com
If you are a member of Costco, they were going for $ 129.00 for the
parallel port external drives brand new.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinion

5424. Question on MFJ55 firmware upgrade for MFJ784 DSP filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rein0zn@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5naqj7$k3b@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173616

Greetings,

Question:

What is this firmware upgrade? Is it an EPROM for upgrading the older 784 to a 784B? What is the difference between an upgraded and a new 784B? I emailed MFJ but they did not address these questions.

Tnx in advance.

73 Rein W6/PA0ZN

http://www.nitehawk.com/rasmit/

5425. 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5nav6r$c85@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 173617

I hooked a power meter and dummy load on two 100ft runs of 9913 flexable from Cable Experts.

I have 50 watts going into the cable and 30 at the far end just before the dummy load on 2 meters.

On 440 its even worse. Its 35 watts out of the radio and 12 watts at the far end.

I have heard all about cable loss and connector loss theory from local sources and charts.

In plain language is this normal for a 100 foot run?

Have you had similar results?

Since it is the same on 2 cables I doubt its a bad connector.

Thanks for your feedback.

73

=TOM=
tnic@idt.net

5426. GINA wireless modem? info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: boeing377@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607063301.CAA21295@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173618

Does anyone have any info on the GINA (Global Integrated Network Access) wireless modems made by GRE? Has RS 232 plug, 12 VDC jack, and coax antenna fitting on back panel. What do these communicate with? Do they talk to similar modems or to some network hub? Specs? Freq? Thanks for any info.

5427. WTB Heath-kit SB-220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Billings <abillings@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33990054.6953@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173619

Hello.
I am looking for a clean working heath kit SB-220 amp.
Will pay reasonable price and shipping cost. Feel free to e-mail me if
you have one for sale.

Thanks
Art./kc5doo

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Remember to keep your nose up-wind, stick to the high ground & keep your
powder dry.

5428. Re: Ham stores in Taipei, Taiwan?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: xherndon@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33993cdc.6788565@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173620

On 6 Jun 1997 14:02:25 GMT, "Mike white" <m_white@juno.com> wrote:

>I'm going to be visiting Taipei soon, and I was wondering if there were any
>ham stores there. Anyone know? Thanks.
>--
>Mike White
>
>mwhite@mitre.org
>
>My opinions are my own, not my employer's.

Mike:

I go to Taiwan a couple of times a year. When I first started going I thought I'd find good deals on Ham gear. What I found was the usual gear we can buy here at much higher prices. I did find a couple of Taiwan made HT's but they were also higher than what we could buy here.

There is an area (shopping district) in Taipei which sells computer and ham stuff. It is fun to go to to see what is there and to kill time. I was taken there so I can give you directions but just find out where the computer shopping district is and you are there (I hope!)

Regards,

Jack - KS4LS

5429. ICOM 820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Attree <attree@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc733e$ae999a80$382f63c3@default>
Source record: 173621

Hi,
Does anyone know if the UK version of the Icom 820H can be changed such that it does not produce the 1750Hz repeater tone when the Tone button is pressed, but produces the sub-audible tones as with the USA and Australia versions?
Is it just a software change, or is hardware involved?
Thanks
Peter Attree
G0VHP

attree@btinternet.com

5430. Using SoundBlaster as DSP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: pauls@clark.net
Message-ID: <339953ae.2412834@news.clark.net>
Source record: 173622

It seems to me that I've seen some discussion about using a
SoundBlaster to manipulate received audio. Is/has anyone had any
success doing this? It sure would be convenient for me if I could use
my SoundBlaster for controlling the audio bandwidth and maybe even
cutting out some hetrodynes.

Any information will be appreciated.

Paul B. Schou - pauls@clark.net - ke6et@ke6et.ampr.org - ke6et@amsat.org
Annapolis, MD USA Sailing Capital of the World - ke6et@ke6et.md.usa.noam

5431. Reduce power TM-V7 E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roelof Bolhuis <rbolhuis@worldonline.nl>
Message-ID: <33995030.7C94@worldonline.nl>
Source record: 173623

Hello everybody,

Can someone tell me how i can reduce the power from
the kenwood TM-V7E ?
I have a novice-license,and i may use 25 watts, but the
TM-V7E have 50/35 watts in high position.
Now i use only the middle position,and that's 10 watts,
but i should like when i can make 25 watts in high position,
on 2 and 70.
Maybe it's also possible to change the high, middle and
low position seperate from each other ??
All information (mods) are welcome.

Thanks in advance

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Whith kind regards,
Roelof Bolhuis

E-mail : rbolhuis@worldonline.nl
Homepage: http://www.worldonline.nl/~rbolhuis

5432. MFJ artificial ground. Query ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3taw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970607131700.JAA07295@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173624

Would someone that has used the MFJ artificial ground/antenna
tunner tell me if the artificial ground works, and what
they think of it.

Mark (N3TAW)
rec.radio.amateur.antenna

5433. Yaesu FT50 clone cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jff <jff@imaginet.fr>
Message-ID: <01bc7343$7d8b1040$351a44c3@jff>
Source record: 173625

has anyone the clone cable specifications or data signals specifications ?

Thank you

jeff

jff@imaginet.fr

5434. When is Gaithesburg Hamfest?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpanek@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <339af351.5121366@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173427

When is the Giathesburg Hamfest and does any one have the phone number
to order tickets/spaces.
73
David Panek KE4MLV

5435. Looking for working 2M HTor Parallel ZipDrive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hharsh@mpowernet.com
Message-ID: <33a2f449.11942782@news.mpowernet.com>
Source record: 173428

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If anyone has a working 2M HT, please email hharsh@mpowernet.com
...also looking for parallel ZipDrive
thanks
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5436. Re: WANTED:Info Yaesu VX10 VHF portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <339a3fff.16933427@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 173429

On Tue, 03 Jun 97 01:46:20 GMT, n1nfc@callsign.net (W. A. Carreira Jr. [N1NFC]) wrote:

>Who carries these and how much do they cost?
>
>thanks
Those are marked under the "Vertex" name, which is the commercial land mobile division of Yaesu.

A call to Yaesu (310-404-2700) can get you the name of your nearest Vertex Land Mobile dealer, or you can send them e-mail from their website.

Very 73,

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

5437. FS: AEA PK-232MBX TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608184801.OAA19230@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173430

I have for sale in excellent condition an AEA PK-232MBX this is the one with the color lights in front, have the 2 cables, manuals. Will sell it for $150 plus shipping. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993 or e-mail

WZ1U Steve
Lakeville, Ma.

5438. Kenwood ts 690s:problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay Tyson <skipt1@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5nev0t$l1l@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173431

I have had an intermitent problem on 6 meters with this radio. While
transmitting on ssb the swr goes up to about 3to1 from almost flat, alc
indicator goes full scale and of course rf output drops to about five watts.
When this is happening you can stop talking into the mike and there is still
RF going to the antenna.
It seems that there is some internal occillation that is causing this. The
big problem is that it has been to Kenwood repair and the cannot get it to act
up on a dummy load. They cannot or will not test into an antenna. The only
thing they did down there was to keep it 2 months and extend the warranty for
ONE month.
We have tried every conceivible combination of grounds, antennas, feed lines
so we think it is a problem with the 690.
Has anyone had this problem? Any help would be appreciated. Thanks.
Skip Tyson ke6yrz

5439. Re: FS: Dentron DTR-2000L Amp.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608190400.PAA20473@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173432

The Amp is no longer for sale. Tnx

Van

5440. Adding elements to existing Yagi (440)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5nevjd$nj@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 173433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I am using a Cushcraft A270-10 Dual band Yagi.

It has 5 elements on 2m & 5 elements on 440. There is plenty more room on the boom for more 440 elements. Can I add more without messing up the antenna?

More elements should improve the receive and transmit signal right?

Thanks for your input.

73

=TOM=
tnic@idt.net

5441. YEASU 901DM HF with TUNER,KEYER,SSB FIlters +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: childoking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608192700.PAA22638@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173434

YAESU 901 DM (deluxe Model) HF 160/80/40/20/15/10a/10b/10c/10d/WWV with 11 meter mod! 100W.
SSB/FM/AM/CW/FSK.
Bright red LED Frequency display.
All solid state plug in modular boards with (2) tube, smooth finals. Tuner and finals match wide range of Antennas.
VOX. Keyer. APF CW filter. SSB notch filters. Noise Blanker. Plugs right in to AC or easy to wire for DC (AC/DC internal). Operation manual included!
Easy connections on back for patch or transverters unit (6m,2m,440).
Save big time because this highly sensitive rig has a built in AC or DC power supply, Tuner, Keyer,VOX, Current meter, SSB and CW filters, 11 mod, and optional transverters. Unbeliveable nice signal and recieve charateristics. After all, it's a YAESU. All for only $429 plus $25 shipping UPS to your front door. If you prefer COD add $49 for shipping.

5442. Re: TS-940: CW tone and serial number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dinoal7lz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608192901.PAA22817@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173435

You need to also press the "Monitor" switch in; this will activate the sidetone. I just read your message and reached over to my 940 to confirm that! Thought it might be something simple. Can't help you on the year of manafacture though, sorry.

73's--Dino AL7LZ

5443. Re: FT-50r reset sequence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Connie Hulst <chulst@polar.polarcomm.com>
Message-ID: <339B020E.AB5@polar.polarcomm.com>
Source record: 173436

Ron Swank wrote:
>
> I have misplaced my manual, could you please give the reset sequence for
> the ft-50r.
>
> Thanks,
> Ron
> KB4DCZ

Hold down Knob and Monitor while turning on the radio. The display will
read

ALRST prs F

Press the "F" key and the radio will be reset.

73 de Nick Hulst, AA0VY
chulst@polar.polarcomm.com

5444. Want: Manual Motorola (Measurements Corp) Sig Gen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc744c$31827120$3ef277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 173437
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello -

Looking for a manual (or copy) for a Motorola (by Measurements Corporation) model S-1320 RF Signal Generator. 1970's vintage RF Sig Gen, solid state, used primarily in the commercial radio trade.

Will pay any and all costs to get the manual for my ham-fest treasure!

Thanks for reading this.

de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net
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5445. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339b09b2.20684110@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173438

On 8 Jun 1997 14:36:21 GMT, "Lee Walden" <lwalden@ebmud.com> wrote:
>Gary Wrote:
>> But the real solution is to fix the problem with the wideband receive filter.
>> This requires removing and discarding one SMT capacitor, removing
>> another, and re-installing it piggyback across a third. This corrects
>> the filter problem and allows full sensitivity reception up to the 200 MHz
>> tuning limit of the radio.
>>
>> Having a copy of the service manual is a must for performing this mod.
>> That allows you to identify the capacitors to be altered using the X-ray
>> board layouts.
>
>Gary, I've seen at least two mods for restoring the receive in the 706,
>and neither of them say anything about removing caps.
>
>One version talks about removing a yellow wire and re-attaching it to a
>transistor next to J8. The wire is soldered to the hole next to J9.

What this does is switch to the 2m receive filter for any frequency above
130 MHz. Since the 2m filter is a bandpass filter centered on 2m, sensitivity
falls off the further either side of 2m you tune. It is barely usable at 162.55 MHz.
A more primitive varient of this mod is to just cut the yellow wire and leave it
loose. That forces the radio to use the 2m bandpass filter all the time above
60 MHz. That kills FM broadcast and AM aircraft reception completely, but
does let you hear National WX as well as the more complex yellow wire mod
does.

>The other version talks about removing diode 60 and cutting the jumper
>next to it labeled W4.

This wouldn't appear to do anything useful.

>Now you're saying remove a cap, and remove another cap and solder it
>to the top of an existing cap.

Right. The *real* problem is that the wide span VHF receive filter is a lowpass
structure with a 3 db cutoff frequency near 130 MHz. By doing this mod, you move
the 3 db cutoff to 196 MHz. That gives you full sensitivity over the entire tuning
range. You get more pager crud outside 2m too, but that's the price you pay for
wide span reception capabilities. 2m performance doesn't change because it
has its own bandpass filter.

>So... Which is the best way to get the 706 to hear?

That's it.

>My unit can't hear any AM broadcast below about 1100, and is deaf as a post
>between 108 and 146 and anything over 148. I would like to get the
>radio to perform as ICOM originally advertised the radio.
>Continuous receive from 30kHz to 200 MHz. Lee

Well, I can't help with deafness below 1.1 MHz. Mine meets specs down in
that area without changes. You may have a defect there. If your radio is deaf
below 130 MHz, it appears that it may already have the partial yellow wire
mod, or a component failure in the filter switching circuit that mimics the
yellow wire mod's effect. That sort of response is one of the undesirable
side effects of that mod.

The first thing I'd do is to try to get the radio to work the way it was supposed
to out of the box. Yours isn't. Then I'd perform the capacitor changes to correct
the cutoff frequency of the wide span receive filter. That was a design flaw.

The radio has two other major design flaws. The noise blanker noise amplifier
pickoff is *after* the IF filter. It should be *before* the filter. That's why the noise
blanker works so poorly. It is the same blanker design as was used in the IC735,
but the circuit works in that radio because the pickoff is before the IF filter. I moved
the pickoff point for the blanker in mine. It works much better now.

The other flaw is that the preamp design is poor, having a very poor IP3. That
causes the overload problems the radio exhibits with the preamp on. I don't see
any fix for the internal preamp short of ripping it out and starting over with a better
design. That didn't look too practical, so I went to an external preamp and leave
the internal preamp off. I use a stiff GASFET antenna mounted preamp. That's
better anyway.

I've considered adding a thermal switch for the fan, like the Mk II has, but the fan
noise hasn't been bothersome to me so I haven't done it. The radio also has a
keying defect when using the internal keyer. Code elements have their leading
edges truncated. Since I don't operate Morse, I've ignored that problem. Some
people have complained about low audio with the supplied hand mic. I find that
if I close work it as intended it is fine. But you can open up the mic and remove
the rubber baffle for more sensitivity (more road noise too, though, if you use
it mobile). Icom has a resistor change mod which increases the radio mic amp
gain. I wouldn't do that. If you need more audio punch, switch to a microphone
with a higher output. I find that the SM-6 desk mic is an excellent match for
the radio. A hand mic from one of the Icom 2m rigs can also work well. (You'll
need the adapter which lets you use the 8 pin connector mics with the RJ45
connector on the radio.)

Gary
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Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5446. Help! Air-Band on Alinco DJ-S1E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Harrison <georgeh@iol.ie>
Message-ID: <339B076B.5353@iol.ie>
Source record: 173439

Can anyone help please?
I have a Alinco DJ-S1E (without the keypad) which was modified a long time ago to recieve air-band. A few days ago I did a stupid thing....I powered up the unit while pressing the function button....lost all the memories! Now I can't remember how to get the unit to tune any lower than 130.00

Any help appreciated.

Thanks,
George Harrison
County Kildare,
Ireland.

5447. Wanted: Manual for Regency HR-2 or HR-2B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred or Melissa <fwbrock@vnet.net>
Message-ID: <339B41C4.4CC9@vnet.net>
Source record: 173440

Need the schematic and tuneing instructions for the Regency HR2 series 2 meter transceiver. Also need working crystals for T146.220/R146.82 for these radios.

Fred
WB4SLW

5448. Re: ******NEED HELP TRACKING RADIO SIGNALS!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Allan (VE6AQK)" <doblera@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <339B2339.52F0@cadvision.com>
Source record: 173441

Lou or Annette Hinshaw wrote:
>
> alpha6469@aol.com (ALPHA6469) wrote:
>
> >I am looking for information on the least expensive, but effective method
> >of tracking
> >transmissions in the UHF 461 -465mhz band. The company I am with has a
> >serious problem with employees with issued radios or former employees
> >suspected of stealing radios, of interfereing with transmissions by
> >playing on our frequencies. I would like to find a method of tracking
> >these radios to reclaim stolen ones,or to remove them from those soon to
> >be former employees. Please E-Mail me with any information.
>
> > Thankyou,

A cheaper solution might be to put CTCSS on your radios so you don't
have to listen to the butt head.

Allan

5449. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Best <jbest@mtco.com>
Message-ID: <339B2F07.C31279D@mtco.com>
Source record: 173442
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

tnic wrote:

I hooked a power meter and dummy load on two 100ft
runs of 9913 flexable

from Cable Experts.

I have 50 watts going into the cable and 30 at the far end just before
the

dummy load on 2 meters.

On 440 its even worse. Its 35 watts out of the radio and 12 watts at
the

far end.

I have heard all about cable loss and connector loss theory from local

sources and charts.

In plain language is this normal for a 100 foot run?

Have you had similar results?

Since it is the same on 2 cables I doubt its a bad connector.

Thanks for your feedback.

73

=TOM=

tnic@idt.net

Well, I did some of the math, and on 440 at least there is only about
5 w difference between your measured output and the expected based on a
2.83 db losss /100ft at 445.0mhz. I might guess that it might be
some measurement error on your power meter.....plus some loss for the connectors...

Also, you mention the power going in...did you measure that, or are
you taking the MFG. word on it...

John Best

N9MSG.

5450. Trade Kenwood TH22AT for GMRS HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <339B3281.282B@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173443

I have a nice kenwood TH22AT with many access. to trade for GMRS HT.
Please email.

5451. WTB HT for GMRS repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <339B3239.7F32@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173444

I want to but a small high quality HT for GMRS use with a repeater. Must be small and in exc condition. Please email. Thanks HT

5452. Re: Winradio PC Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbaldock@pcug.org.au
Message-ID: <339c34cd.2292867@newshost.pcug.org.au>
Source record: 173445

Winradio is VERY DEAF compared to any other scanner.

The new Winradio software with built in Specturm Scope is pretty good
though.

Check out the new software at:
www.winradio.net.au

On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 10:31:22 +0100, "Howard C. Taylor"
<howard@viper.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>I am interested in the Winradio PC card and wonder if anyone can give me
>their opinions on its quality and usefulness in comparison to dedicated
>receivers such as the Icom 7100, 8500 etc. The card is very cheap, so
>its hard to beleive it will compare favourable.
>Regards,
>
>Howard C. Taylor (Southampton, UK)

5453. WTB: 440 Duplexers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Withers <jeffrey@wln.com>
Message-ID: <339AE6B4.28D6@wln.com>
Source record: 173446

My club in Olympia, Wa. is looking for
full size 440 duplexers to use on a link
at our 220/440 repeater site. We have about
$300 to spend on this part of the project.
Reply to Jeffrey@WLN.com Tnx/73

5454. Re: When is Gaithesburg Hamfest?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5nfgel$i0i$1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 173447

In article <339af351.5121366@news.mindspring.com>, dpanek@mindspring.com says...
>
>When is the Giathesburg Hamfest and does any one have the phone number
>to order tickets/spaces.
>
Gaithersburg will be September 7 according to the SERA journal. I don't know who you would contact for tickets and fleamarket spaces. If you are going to be outside, there usually is no problem getting a space. I have sold there for the last 3-4 years and have just driven in, paid the fee, and set up.
73
Andy
WD4KDN

5455. ft 301d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: pierre <p>
Message-ID: <01bc7464$c9d71940$4f8760cf@pierre>
Source record: 173448

hi ! my first post on that news group....

I'm looking for service manual or schematic or ANY documentation on the
yeasu FT301D hf rigs..(i know it's old..)

but i need it to fix a radio that used to belong to a cb'er and been really
tamper by those golden screwdriver....

it will be use by a group of cadets and they really cant afford anything
else...i even do the repair for free....

of course i will pay any photocopy and mailling expense

if you have something for me send e mail at:
p.martel@videotron.ca

Thanks !

Pierre Martel
VE2 PUK
montreal quebec canada

5456. FS: O'Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John J. Gervasi" <gervasi@manassas1.tds-gn.lmco.com>
Message-ID: <339B3A81.5684@manassas1.tds-gn.lmco.com>
Source record: 173449

SS5702 Jiwatsu,
Dual Trace,
DC-20MHz,
4" X 3" blue display,
Backlit graticule,
20 V to 1mV settings,
with calibrate settings,
bought used, works fine,
nice.

$150 + shipping, firm.

email response to:

john.j.gervasi@lmco.com
or
casejocky@aol.com

5457. FS: MFJ-948 antenna tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
Message-ID: <865818867.10152@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.antenna,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: MFJ-948 Deluxe Versa Tuner II, manual antenna tuner. This fine unit will tune everything from random wire to dual coax lines. Unit is in very good condition and includes the manual. Asking $75.00 + shipping costs.

Chris M.
kb8ukn@cdlcorp.com
313-753-5526

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5458. Looking for CTCSS unit for Standard C528

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: victorl@tdsg.com
Message-ID: <5neo8o$h5s@forged.passport.ca>
Source record: 173451

Hi! I am looking for a CTCSS unit (CTN520) for my Standard C528!!
Thanks a lot!!

5459. Re: When is Gaithesburg Hamfest?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: XSavageFam@paonline.com
Message-ID: <339b3b8f.3070844@news3.paonline.com>
Source record: 173452

On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 18:01:50 GMT, dpanek@mindspring.com (David Panek)
wrote:

>When is the Giathesburg Hamfest and does any one have the phone number
>to order tickets/spaces.
>73
>David Panek KE4MLV

Unless they change the schedule, this 'fest is on the Sunday after
Labor Day.

73,
K3AN

5460. WTB: *OLD* Computers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <339B78E7.13A8@primenet.com>
Source record: 173453

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WTB: *OLD* Computers
I'm looking for *OLD* computers for my RTTY collection:
Osborne, IMSAI, CP/M (various), Heath, Commodore, S-100,
Ohio Scientific, 6502, 6800, 8080, Z80, etc...
Brian K7ON <k7on@qsl.net>
Tempe, Az USA - Sunday, June 08, 1997 at 22:30:15 (CDT)
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5461. Re: Alinco DJ-S41 Low Power Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <339B898A.4676@pacbell.net>
Source record: 173454

Ralph Zancha wrote:
>
> Hello Bill;
>
> I have had a DJ-S41 for about 4 months now. I am using nicad batteries
> with average usage about 30 minutes tx and 4 to 6 hours rx I can expect
> batery life of about 4 days. That is on low power.
>
> The Alinco home page says that low power is 50 miliwatts.
>
> I love the radio. I would highly recomend it to anyone. I have a friend
> that has one and is using rechargable akaline.
>
> 73
>
> --
> Ralph Zancha
> <<WC9V>>

For a low cost HT, the Alinco DJ-S41T does a VERY good job. I own 3 of them.
One for me and the other two are for my sons who just got their licenses.

The only bad part to the radio is it can pick up a lot of intermod noise. :-(
Oh well, for $120 (USA) one can't expect everything.

I carry mine almost everywhere; the small size and light weight makes it easy
to carry around. Plus, I can hear and reach the local repeater most of the
places I go to around town. :-)

73,

Bob (KF6JHG)
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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

5462. Re: 6 Meter Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randall Rhea <randall@informix.com>
Message-ID: <339B8D6B.4A81@informix.com>
Source record: 173455

Calcio 83 wrote:
>
> Hi,I am looking for a 6 meter rig to buy. Does Anyone have any
> suggestions or opinions on what to buy?Any information would be greatly
> appreciated.thanks

There are a few hints at my 6m FAQ page:

http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/rhea/sixmeter.htm

It depends on your budget, and what you want to do. There is now
a vast selection of 6m rigs on the market. I use the Icom 575H
at home, and the Icom 706 for mobile, which are both 100 watt rigs.
These are both great 6m rigs. The 706 lacks the receiver sensitivity
of the 575, but considering its small size and the fact that it also
covers HF and 2m, you can't complain.

5463. WTB: SB-110 IF xfmer or parts rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Terwilliger <aa7wd@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc749a$779d14a0$6314a5ce@lowly.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 173456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I need the 3.395Mhz IF interstage transformer (T2, part no. 52-88) for an SB-110 6m transceiver. Can anyone help?

/// Chris Terwilliger, AA7WD
/// aa7wd@primenet.com

5464. Re: Icom 706MKII Info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <339AAFBD.1F6A@radia1.com>
Source record: 173457

<<snip>>
>
> Has the same good sound as the Alinco DX-70, but with more features!!
> Maybe that was the Idea to cautch up the DX-70, I think they did, now
> it will be tough for the Alinco shoppers to decide between the new
> 706Mark II and Alinco DX-70!!
>
> 73
>
> Mike
<<snip>>
Nah, the $300 price difference makes it pretty easy.

5465. Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <339A7B47.1558@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 173458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,
Trying to repair a Yaesu FT-101 and am in need of a set of output tubes. Either new or used/tested/guaranteed is ok. Low price is paramount.

thanks,
mailto:joentam@transend.com.tw
Joe

5466. Any kind soul have info on Standard C-108a mods????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Wetzel <rcw@intercall.net>
Message-ID: <339B3506.743F@intercall.net>
Source record: 173459

Hi all:

I just bought at a hamfest a used Standard C-108a 2m shirt pocket HT.
Seems to work fine. Are there any mods for this radio?

I've looked in all the "standard" places on the net, but no one has a
mod for this radio, except in a radio modifications book 9b.

Thanks for your time, and bandwidth.....

Bob
WB2VLC
rcw@intercall.net

5467. Re: frs hop-up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <339B116A.417D@radia1.com>
Source record: 173460

The antennas don't come off for a reason, Bill. That is so people like
you don't turn it in to another 11 meter disaster. The FCC rules for
FRS are .5 watt max and integral (non-removeable) antenna.
If you want to operate illegally, with big antennas and lots of power,
why not stay on the CB band?
73
Ernie
N2OJQ

5468. FT50r & VX-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: boggess@mail.feist.com
Message-ID: <339c43fc.3011895@news.fn.net>
Source record: 173461

I saw some older posts about the VX-10's FTT-15 key pad & how it might be possible to use it with a FT50r.
Has anyone figured out how to adapt the FTT-15 keypad for the VX-10 to work with a FT50r???

I also have a few questions about the VX-10

1. Will it Tx on the 2m band (can it be used for 2m)

2.Will the display show actuall freqs or just channell #'s

3.Will the ADMS softwarework with it or does it come with it's own software?

73 Jeff

5469. Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert A. Kile" <midnight@bighorn.accessnv.com>
Message-ID: <339AFCD0.7CE0@bighorn.accessnv.com>
Source record: 173462

As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for. Chances are if these criteria are not met, I simply don't go back. On the other hand this list will assume that I the customer have done my homework and know what I'm looking for.

They are as follows:
1. Was I greeted when entering the location?
2. Was there a large inventory? Was it well displayed?
3. Was there adequate staff? Were they busy with other customers? If so, did they acknowledge my presence?
4. Was pricing competative? Were the items brand names?
5. When approaching a salesperson with a specific question did he answer it? If he did not know the answer did he make an immediate effort to find the answer. Was he knowledgeable? Did he ask a lot of questions?
6.Did he say I don't know and move to another subject?
7.Did he attempt to qualify me for use and purpose? Or, did he just point to an item and "say we have this"?
8 Was the salesperson pressured by other responsiblities or was he focused on me?
9. When interrupted by another customer did he remain focussed on me by excusing himself?
10. If they did not have the product I was looking for did they make a suggestion of where to find it? If it were back ordered and expected in a short period of time did they state so?
11. Did they explain the policies of return/exchange at the time of sale. Did they mention terms of Warranty?
12. Did the sales person close the sale with a product of quality, priced competatively, and is it suitable/compatible for my use?
13. Did that person thank me and present me with a business card?

As a shopper who is prepaired to buy an answer of "NO" to more than 4 items on the above list would probably indicate that I will not go back or frequent that business.

Bob KG7D

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GIF89aI!

5470. WTB CW/Notch Filter TenTec 208A (Argo 515)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Werner.Jochem@hoexter.netsurf.de
Message-ID: <865713237.690565@heimdahl.abacom.net>
Source record: 173487

A friend (DJ7RU, Max) who has no internet access is looking for a
CW/Notch filter type 208A for his TenTec Argonaut 515.
He is interested only in the original filter (not in the schematic ;-)
).
73 Joe DK7VW/N7VW

5471. FS:Yaesu FT-10R & Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608012700.VAA09728@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173488

Yaesu FT-10R/A16D/16 Keypad/99 ch/5W 2M HT
Yaesu NC-50 Dual Slot Desk Charger
Yaesu CA-14 2 Charging Sleeves
Yaesu ADMS-1C HT Program Software
Yaesu MH-34B4B Speaker/Mic
Yaesu CN-2 BNC to SMA Adaptor
Wall Charger

These items were all purchased in Mar, 97 from HRO Denver. 9 Mos left on Factory warranty. Never been out of the house. Package was $450. I'll ship and insure in lower 48 for $375 with original boxes, docs, etc.

Tnx, Van
WB0NZV

5472. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-700A 2m All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RZVB03A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nd0np$14u0@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 173489

I would be interested in your ts700....., If it is still available, let me know...

Thanks... Pat KA9LNP - At RZVB03A@Prodigy.com

5473. Mods for Standard 510A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5nd9mj$p7c@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173490

If anyone has mods for the Standard C510A I would be interested in seeing them. Thanks in advance.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

5474. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: norman <norsan@bright.net>
Message-ID: <5ndbej$iil@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 173491

TOM...YOU SHOULD LOOSE ABOUT 1.5 DB ON 2 AND 3.1 ON 440. BOTH YOUR
LOSSES ARE HIGHER THAN THEORY BUT I WOULD CHALK THAT UP TO THE INACCURACY
OF YOUR POWER METER...WHICH TYPICALLY ARE 10 TO 20%

DE NORM N8RGR

5475. Re: %%%%% Kenwood TS-120S Cooling Fan question %%%%%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608050900.BAA00561@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173492

>Hi All,

> I have yet to see the cooling fan on my TS120s turn on. I've
> been using it for about 5 months now. If you use a TS-120s
> can you tell me at what intervals the fan turns on and what
> voltage the fan operates on?

> Thanks, -Patrick N1OCJ

Patrick,

You got me thinking..... bought my TS-120 used about a year ago,
my fan hasn't ever turned on either!

N1WSA

5476. Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Achilleas Theodoridis <sv2bbm@prometheus.hol.gr>
Message-ID: <339A45BA.FAF@prometheus.hol.gr>
Source record: 173493

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Achilleas Theodoridis
Electronics & Control Systems
19 Salaminos str,Panorama,Thessaloniki,Greece
Post Code:GR 552 36
Tel / Fax ++30 -31 -344651(Auto-answering),
e-mail: sv2bbm@hol.gr

I have buy the TM-V7A a month ago.Please if someone knows, please let me know for;
1. The remote control (via an other V/U DTMF transmitter)doesn't work. The TMV7A is always "lock" and the microphone control is off.I have already check for the same code between the two Radios.
2. Is there any modification for the Kenwood TMV7A to transmit the 1750 Hz tone ?

5477. TS-940: CW tone and serial number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: vbajaj@portal.stwing.upenn.edu
Message-ID: <5ndh6l$s6e@netnews.upenn.edu>
Source record: 173494

Hello,

I have just started using a TS-940 and have several questions.

First, I have no microphone yet; when I attach a key and
press it in CW mode, nothing occurs. If I press the VOX
button, I can get the radio to then send with each key press,
but I have no CW sidetone (I have tried to adjust the sidetone
volume at the bottom of the radio). Is this an esoteric problem,
or is there some simple error on my part?

Finally, the radio has a 7 million serial number. What
year was it manufactured? I notice several essential modifications
posted on Kenwood's web site (ALC, output transistors that blow
etc.) and was wondering if any of these should be investigated.

Thanks in advance,

Vik

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Vik Bajaj
http://cognac.unplug.org

5478. Re: Icom 706MKII Info.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <339AE135.5BE1@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173495

I had the chance to compare both radio's in London
and one thing I found was that the 706 Mark II really
improved along the following lines below:

1.) Improved TX quality audio!!!
2.) Improved RX audio, no more tinny sound speaker, great on FM
broadcast now 88-108Mhz, compared to the earlier 706!!
3.) Better Rx 60-200Mhz receive sensitivity.
4.) MARS/CAP split operation capable
5.) FM broadcast overload in Aircraft band
(Not heard in 706 Mark II
6.) Thermal Fan(On new improved Power Amplifier)
7.) Tone Squelch Receive (UT-86)
8.) Split operation for those strange repeater splits.

I think Icom will be producing this rig for a number of years,
it looks like major improvements in both firmware and hardware
were done!!

On HF , improved RX audio was noticed, especially when using the
passband tuning, did not have a high pitch sound which was hard to
listen to when adjusting passband tuning.

Has the same good sound as the Alinco DX-70, but with more features!!
Maybe that was the Idea to cautch up the DX-70, I think they did, now
it will be tough for the Alinco shoppers to decide between the new
706Mark II and Alinco DX-70!!

73

Mike

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Almost was going to get the Alinco DX-70, but
order the New Mark II

AllanL3561 wrote:
>
> I got a response from a HAM in England who said there was a comparision
> between the original and the MKII in a British HAM magazine this month. I
> just got my MKII and it does everything that it is supposed to. I do find
> that the fan in the power supply is much louder than the one on the radio,
> but the one from the computer is probably louder. It is more sensitive to
> SWR than my TenTec rig and your antenna has to be pretty well matched to
> get the full power output. If it is off by much, it reduces power. When
> you set it up for repeaters, make sure you set the tone for the transmit
> VFO, It took we awhile to figure out that I have set it on one VFO, but

> not the other. I knew how small it was from the dimensions, but I am
> still amazed at all that is in that size box.

5479. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: enboe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608061900.CAA05761@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173496

Just had to reply to this one:

I'm the original poster of this question, FRS on HTX-204. I wanted to know the legality, and was given the straight dope, with a technical basis to boot (500mw, fixed antenna, 3kHz FM deviation). I will not be using my 204's on FRS because of this. I want to thank the amateurs who replied to my question. This is truly the amateur spirit at work in the newsgroup.

Eric (K0AVW)

PS: I've talked the radio-curious friends who were interested in FRS'ing while on vacation into getting their Tech licenses. Everything can work out fine, now and then.

5480. Re: Motorola/Radius Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <dwells@pla-net.net>
Message-ID: <01bc749d$ccb78d00$da0bd8cd@Hightower>
Source record: 173497
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Richard
I am looking for software for the Radius SP50's. If you run across it

drop me a line. Thanks

Richard <rav@in.net> wrote in article <339907CB.4E3B@in.net>...
> Is there software available for programming Motorola's P110 and GP 300?
> If so would you be so kind as to let me know.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Richard
>

5481. Way to earn big money with little or no effort

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: smkfighter@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608064700.CAA07681@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173498

Subject: I CAN:$$$"SHOW YOU DA REAL MONEY"$$$$
From: pimpine@aol.com (PIMPIN E)
Date: 8 Jun 1997 01:40:49 GMT
Message-ID: <19970608014001.VAA10931@ladder02.news.aol.com>

Subj: "SHOW ME DA MONEY!!!!!!!!"
Date: 97-06-07 21:01:09 EDT
From: PIMPIN E

Take the time to read this and you will be on your way to making the easiest
money you ever made sitting at home on your computer.This detailed,yet simple
program will allow you to make a small fortune in under two months with
starting costs of only $5.00.I'm talking about money around$10,000-$20,000
depending on how much time you put into it.
Print this article out now!

JUST TRY THIS--ALL YOU HAVE TO LOSE IS ABOUT $8.00!!!!!

All you have to do is give this a try and judge for yourself.You'll be more
than satisfied with the conclusions you will reach.
Here's the program.

1.Mail $1 to each of the 5 names you see on the list at the end of the letter.
2.Send a note on a piece of paper saying"Please add me to your list".
(remember to wrap the paper around the bill so the postal workers wont steal it)
Also mention what slot or number the person was in when you mailed them $1.
For example:if John Doe was in slot #1,you would write,"John you were in slot#1".

3.Move the names on the list up one increment.This means the #1 person will
no longer be on the list and everyone will move up one number.PLACE YOUR NAME
IN SLOT#5 RIGHT NOW!!

4.Take this letter with your name added to the list and post it in as many
newsgroups and BBS as you can.Re-post the letter after a week has passed to
as many news groups you can.Re-post as many times you like in the initial
three weeks.THE MORE THE BETTER.The more newsgroups you post this to means

the more money you will make.(You want to expose this to as many people as possible.

5.Post a catchy subject line in each news group to attract people to reading
your letter.

6.Just sit back and relax.If you followed the instructions and posted it in
enough newsgroups you are gonna have a new car or whatever else you want in
life in less than two months.There will be money comming in slowly until the
3rd week when you will get a flood of letters with $1 in them! If your like
me,you will have a stack of one's over ten feet high.You'll be laughing all
the way to the bank with 10,000 one dollar bills.

7.The last thing to remember is to save the pieces of paper you recieved from
people with $1 in it to be legal and avoid hassles with the I.R.S.

8.This business is totally legal under title 18,section 1302 and 1341 of the
U.S.Postal Laws.
9.Make sure to remain honest at all times and to keep the integrity of the list intact.We are all working for each other!
HERE'S THE LIST OF NAMES:
#1.Shawn Neil
901-1424 Nelson St.
Vancouver,BC. V6G 1L9 *Canada
I HAVE MADE $2856.00 LAST WEEK ALONE!!!!*

#2.Peter Jamison II
18955 Ridgeview Circle
Villa Park,Ca.92861 *USA*

#3.Sara Lopez
320 Lincoln apt.24
Lansing,Mich.48910

#4.Eli Cabanas
118 Bayville Ave.
Bayville,NY 11709 *USA*

#5.Frank E. Boyd
25 Anna Drive
Whitmore Lake, MI 48189

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5482. Re: CD Recorder For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: stones@noln.com
Message-ID: <5ndrd5$p76@news.lanline.com>
Source record: 173499
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.
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MAYBE IT IS STOLEN OR ARE YOU A COP! MAYBE HE IS SICK OR IN DEBT AND =
NEEDS THE CASH! MAYBE YOU ARE SOMEONE WHO PASSES OFF HALF-ASSED =
MERCHANDISE AND THINKS EVERYONE IS LIKE THAT! maybe it's a really good =
deal that should not be passed up.

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stones@noln.com
groot wrote in article <01bc72d5$bc74c120$1b3997c2@robert>...
Why are you sellin it, if it is working OK?
R.G.Groot@rijnhaave.net

Tommie Taylor schreef in artikel
<33955ED5.6E45@n-link.com>...
> FOR SALE
> I have a Matsushita (Panasonic) CW-7501 CD-Recorder 2 Months Old
> Includes Adaptec SCSI Controller SCSI Cables, GEAR CD Recording
> Software. Paid $600.00 but will sell for $350.00
> There is nothing wrong with this drive (Nearly New) Works like a =
champ.
> Drive is a 4x Read and 2x Write
> You pay Shipping
> Tommie
> 512-556-4691 Voice 512-613-2444 Pager
> --
> A1 Custom Mugs
> Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
> Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
> Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
> Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special.
>

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> A1 =
Custom=20
Mugs

> Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs

> Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs<=
/A>

> Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a

> Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special.

>

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5483. Re: [=== LOOKING for HP 1740 Manual ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nigel Cook <diverse@tcp.co.uk>
Message-ID: <5ndr7m$k54$1@zeus.tcp.net.uk>
Source record: 173500
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

> Looking for manuals for the following equipment:
>
>
> HP 1740 100MHz Oscilloscape
>
>
> Sony DXC-M2 Video Camera
>
> -Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
> mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
> rasmusst@geocities.com
>
> -------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

I have a service manual for the 1740A ,note suffix A
please contact e-mail or telephone me the proprietor of
Diverse Devices,Southampton,England;telephone (+44) (-0)1703 584680
(Shop stocking obscure/obsolete components,second hand test equipment,schematics etc)
Postal: 75 Priory Rd,St Denys,Southampton,England SO17 2JQ.
email diverse@tcp.co.uk
hints/tips on homepage http://www.tcp.co.uk/~diverse/
regards, Nigel

5484. MODS TM255E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: FJM <fjmichel@magic.fr>
Message-ID: <01bc73e6$32484280$bcb9fac2@fjmichel>
Source record: 173501

73 a tous.
Exist il une modif pour elargir la reception du TM255E de chez Kenwood?
merci de repondre par Email.
J-Michel

Email: fjmichel@magic.fr

5485. Re: Using SoundBlaster as DSP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <339A7920.58F0@pacbell.net>
Source record: 173502

Paul Berthel Schou wrote:
>
> It seems to me that I've seen some discussion about using a
> SoundBlaster to manipulate received audio. Is/has anyone had any
> success doing this? It sure would be convenient for me if I could use
> my SoundBlaster for controlling the audio bandwidth and maybe even
> cutting out some hetrodynes.
>
> Any information will be appreciated.
>
> Paul B. Schou - pauls@clark.net - ke6et@ke6et.ampr.org - ke6et@amsat.org
> Annapolis, MD USA Sailing Capital of the World - ke6et@ke6et.md.usa.noam

Paul:
Check out Pioneer Hill Software at
http://www.telebyte.com/pioneer/index.html. I'm using their Spectra Plus
software of a Media Vision card. Very interesting to play with, maybe I
might even learn something here!

Ed

5486. Winradio PC Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Howard C. Taylor" <howard@viper.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <339A7BEA.5BBF@viper.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 173503

I am interested in the Winradio PC card and wonder if anyone can give me
their opinions on its quality and usefulness in comparison to dedicated
receivers such as the Icom 7100, 8500 etc. The card is very cheap, so
its hard to beleive it will compare favourable.
Regards,

Howard C. Taylor (Southampton, UK)

5487. FT-50R Freeband help...??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: user8502@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608100500.GAA15238@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173504

when doing the lamp-knob-ptt pwr on, i get BAND -F1-, that cannot be changed.

have to pardon my ignorance, but how do i get the thing to freeband?

it's an older cell-capable radio, and was mod'ed by the company i bought it from, HRO, so i have no idea what they did (probably the pull the cable out trick)

any help would be great, i have the adms1c software, so if that's needed, no problem

thanks
doug

5488. Re: F.S. or Trade- Schlumberger Stabilock 4040 service moniter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: gareth bennett <garethb@es.co.nz>
Message-ID: <5ne63k$nc@Chaos.es.co.nz>
Source record: 173505
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi mike!, Am interested in your service moniter, but havn't heard about the model, I work in the commercial land mobile industry in new zealand, can you e mail me regarding your service moniter?

Regards: Gareth Bennett.

5489. Re: %%%%% Kenwood TS-120S Cooling Fan question %%%%%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hacker@flash.net
Message-ID: <339a7832.24025220@news.flash.net>
Source record: 173506

On 8 Jun 1997 05:09:20 GMT, rpd910@aol.com (RPD910) wrote:

>>Hi All,
>
>> I have yet to see the cooling fan on my TS120s turn on. I've
>> been using it for about 5 months now. If you use a TS-120s
>> can you tell me at what intervals the fan turns on and what
>> voltage the fan operates on?
>
>> Thanks, -Patrick N1OCJ
>
>Patrick,
>
>You got me thinking..... bought my TS-120 used about a year ago,
>my fan hasn't ever turned on either!
>
>N1WSA
I have had mine about 2 weeks. While the guy that I got it from showed
me how to use it, we had to tune an antenna, It came on for about 20
seconds after tuning an 11 meter groundplane to 40 meters with an
mfj949e.

5490. Re: Opinions: important ham shack gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5necpk$o7b@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173507

I read 8 posts and no one suggested a wazy you can get all the
stuff you want without having to spend all that money.

Build it.

Hope this helps.

Lou Hinshaw
WB0NRU

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

5491. Re: ******NEED HELP TRACKING RADIO SIGNALS!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5necpn$o7b@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173508

alpha6469@aol.com (ALPHA6469) wrote:

>I am looking for information on the least expensive, but effective method
>of tracking
>transmissions in the UHF 461 -465mhz band. The company I am with has a
>serious problem with employees with issued radios or former employees
>suspected of stealing radios, of interfereing with transmissions by
>playing on our frequencies. I would like to find a method of tracking
>these radios to reclaim stolen ones,or to remove them from those soon to
>be former employees. Please E-Mail me with any information.

> Thankyou,

May I suggest?

1) for tracking, know that there is a pattern mostlikely.
get a doppler set and spread the voting antennas
as widely as you can. Record the readings and the
actual transmissions and a clock signal.

This will give you locations for the most likely occurrence
locations. Put a recording surveillance camera there with
a clock in it. Thet will tell you who was there when the event
happened.

2) The perpetrator is seeking attention. When you feel you have
identified that person, adk him/her to help record an
announcement. In the announcement, have a phrase from
an early jam session. Divide it up into individual words, and
get it into the mesage.

take this to a forensic audio-print lab and get the two
compared.

3) Bring in your lawyers.
The recording of the jamming should be well documented.
The recording of the message should be the same and
valid. The "accidental" discovery of the resemblance of the
teo voices should be well documented.

4) Go for blood or not as your company chooses.

5) NEVER FORGET the event. The guy sounds like a nut, and
nuts become forests of problems.

Hope this helps.
Lou Hinshaw

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

5492. Re: ICOM706 MKII: any noise blanker improvement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanl3561@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608134601.JAA23385@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173509

The manual says that it is not effective on AM broadcast receptions. I have seen no mentions of improvements in this area. It is a very nice radio though.

5493. Sell YourPhotosNYC.Agency

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Photorep45@ibm.net
Message-ID: <5neebp$f2b$1037@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 173510

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5494. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lee Walden <lwalden@ebmud.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7419$54d3c3a0$22921ecc@lwalden>
Source record: 173511

Gary Wrote:
> But the real solution is to fix the problem with the wideband receive
filter.
> This requires removing and discarding one SMT capacitor, removing
> another, and re-installing it piggyback across a third. This corrects
> the filter problem and allows full sensitivity reception up to the 200
MHz
> tuning limit of the radio.
>
> Having a copy of the service manual is a must for performing this mod.
> That allows you to identify the capacitors to be altered using the X-ray
> board layouts.

Gary, I've seen at least two mods for restoring the receive in the 706,
and neither of them say anything about removing caps.

One version talks about removing a yellow wire and re-attaching it to a
transistor next to J8. The wire is soldered to the hole next to J9.

The other version talks about removing diode 60 and cutting the jumper
next to it labeled W4.

Now you're saying remove a cap, and remove another cap and solder it
to the top of an existing cap.

So... Which is the best way to get the 706 to hear?

My unit can't hear any AM broadcast below about 1100, and is deaf as a post
between 108 and 146 and anything over 148. I would like to get the
radio to perform as ICOM originally advertised the radio.
Continuous receive from 30kHz to 200 MHz. Lee

5495. frs hop-up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjanoske@usa.net
Message-ID: <865781504.18574@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173512

I have some motorola sport 7 radios. I would like to know if there is anyway to hop them up to get a little more range. I have three that were made in the U.S.A. Their antennae do not turn. On my forth one that is yellow the antennae will turn a fraction. Is this normal? Where can i get a schematic of the inside of this radio? Thank you; Bill

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5496. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert John <RAJohnGM@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <339ACACC.5CAE@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173513

Lee Walden wrote:
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> Gary Wrote:
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> filter.
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> > another, and re-installing it piggyback across a third. This corrects
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> next to it labeled W4.
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> to the top of an existing cap.
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>
> My unit can't hear any AM broadcast below about 1100, and is deaf as a post
> between 108 and 146 and anything over 148. I would like to get the
> radio to perform as ICOM originally advertised the radio.
> Continuous receive from 30kHz to 200 MHz. Lee
> Maybe us 706 users should engage in a class action suit for false
advertising.

73, Bob AA8X

5497. Lafayette receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Herndon R. Elliott" <helliott@traveller.com>
Message-ID: <339ACF24.6DFA@traveller.com>
Source record: 173514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lafayette Model HA-230 receiver (sn# 31590471) and matching speaker model 99-2532 in near perfect condition. I know nothing about this device or how to use it or if it is worth keeping. Anyone interested in purchasing or having knowledge of this machine please contact via email:

Herndon Elliott
KE4KUZ
Madison Alabama
helliott@traveller.com

5498. WTB: Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "edbkrk@online.no" <edbkrk@online.no>
Message-ID: <339AD1F2.121D@online.no>
Source record: 173515

I am looking for Telefunken or Siemens tubes: ECC81-ECC82-ECC83 or
industrial substitutes.
Philippe

5499. Complete Novice Station for Sale - Mint Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: scarboro@flash.net
Message-ID: <339ad418.130776260@news.flash.net>
Source record: 173516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Ham Keyer Model HK5A

Includes: Manuals, Cables, Coax, &#65533; wavelength aerial, Long wire antenna and more.

Prices: $400
Email: scarboro@flash.net
Phone: 972-462-7613

5500. Re: Freon 12 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339ad695.7596902@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173517

On Thu, 05 Jun 1997 12:38:12 GMT, xczarek@apci.net wrote:
>I don't get the connection to radio, amateur, equipment but...
>there is info on R-12 subsitute on the Penzzoil site.
>Regards,
>Charlie

Well Charlie, freon is a wonderful non-toxic solvent for solder flux, and it makes a fine component chiller. Since it has a high breakdown potential, it is good for use with vapor phase cooled PAs too.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5501. Re: frs hop-up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5nel50$pk6$1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 173518

In article <865781504.18574@dejanews.com>, bjanoske@usa.net says...
>
>I have some motorola sport 7 radios. I would like to know if there is
>anyway to hop them up to get a little more range. I have three that were
>made in the U.S.A. Their antennae do not turn. On my forth one that is
>yellow the antennae will turn a fraction. Is this normal? Where can i
>get a schematic of the inside of this radio? Thank you; Bill
>
First off, it would not be legal to modify the transmitter in this
situation to increase the power.

However, even if that were not a factor, from an electronic point of
view, it is probably not practical.

The FRS units can run a maximum of 500mw (1/2 watt). Increasing the
power output would put an extra strain and load on the battery. Say you
doubled the power output and kept the same transmit/recieve time ratio.
Your battery life would be reduced significantly and in MOST cases you
would NEVER notice any difference in performance. Why??? To increase
the power output to 1 watt from 1/2 watt is only a 3db improvement. In
terms of radios that are equipped with an "s" meter, a single "s" unit is
approx. 6db. I know I can't tell any difference between a signal that is
an S5 and an S6. So to see any real difference you would probably have
to increase the power to 2 watts or better. Then your battery life would
REALLY go down.

So from a practical standpoint, you are better off to leave the radios as
they were designed.

Also, if the antennas don't turn or readily come off, I wouldn't try to
remove them. They may have some sort of lock nut inside, that if you
removed it, would have to go to a radio shop to get it put back on.

5502. Re: Yaesu 50R Transmit Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrhodes@iti2.net
Message-ID: <339ab6ca.36254896@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 173519

On Sat, 07 Jun 1997 08:07:26 -0400, Ray Roberts <kb8tpw@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>All of a sudden I'm having problem with my 50R HT. They transmit or PTT
>will not operate as long as the led for squelch is lit up. In other
>words I have to wait until a repeater drops before replying to someone.
>I've tried everything on the menu adjustments but can't get around it.
>I'm sure it is some rather non-descript setting that needs to be changed
>but sure can't figure it out. It's one of the early models with the
>wide receive mod. I've reset CPU and still cn't get it out of that
>mode. Any ideas or suggestions? Thanks !! 73
>email: kb8tpw@earthlink.net or robertsr@wpgate1.wpafb.af.mil.
>

Change the busy channel lock-out setting, which is menu 23 after
pressing the knob. It's on page 35 of the manual.

5503. Re: FS: "Vintage" Turner Hi-Z microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Lebovitz <RobtLebo@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5neloo$191@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173520

In article <5n9ef6$sbp@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>,
Robert Lebovitz <RobtLebo@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>For Sale - Turner Microphone model P9D. High impedance
>dynamic. Polished bright metal case (aluminum?). In excellent
>condition but no stand. PB talk on top left. $65.
>
>Please send e-mail to robtlebo@ix.netcom.com
>
> Thanks for your interest! Robert L. Dallas
>
>
>GIF8

UPDATE UPDATE UPDATE

PLEASE DISREGARD. NEWSGOUP EDITORS DON'T WISH
FOR SALE POSTS IN THIS GROUP. SEE ....SWAP.

5504. FS: IC-781 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbclark@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <5nemch$4ee$1@news9.gte.net>
Source record: 173521

New, never used IC-781 Service Manual
No longer own Xcvr

de KD6UN

5505. filter behavior question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ICS.UCI.EDU
Message-ID: <12867.865788672@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 173522

Hi,

I have an Argonaut 515 and the 4 pole filter seems
less than I want. In particular, when I tune "down" in LSB
and go past the center freq and through where the other sideband
is, I eventually get to a place where there is a lot of high
pitched stuff coming through. It seems to be quite a ways down
from where the center freq should be, it is not just the other
sideband coming through, but the outer skirts of the other sideband
come through. It only happens on strong signals, but my other
radios do not exhibit this behavior, it is not overload as I
understand it.

"splatter
like
sounds" nothing rcv LSB
__________|___________|__________|____ on 75 meters, strong sigs.

"center freq"

I replaced the 4 pole filter with an 8 pole filter (model 220) hoping
that would fix the problem. It did not. I then figured I needed a lot
of shielding and grounding for the filter, so I put the filter on
copper board and used RG 174/U even for short runs in the area.
No help.

The one thing that seems to cure the problem is putting the 4 pole
filter back in the RX line where I was going to stick in a CW
crystal filter. It really seems to reduce, if not eliminate
the problem.

Now, I have no problem putting in 12 poles of filtering for the
SSB line in order to cure the problem, but I wonder if anyone has
any ideas what the source of the problem is? Also, if the problem
is inherent, would it be better to stick the 4 pole filter back
in the standard slot where the problem originates and put the
8 pole filter in the RX line only where it reduces the problem?
I plan to put in some relays and switch in a CW filter here from
the mode switch too.

I haven't set the carrier oscillators in this rig. Could they
be off frequency and cause this behavior? I plan to borrow a good
freq counter and do this soon. Ah, I haven't looked at the other
sideband behavior, I will check USB on strong 20 meter signals
today.

Anyway, thanks for reading. I would love suggestions and possible answers. I am also happy to further discuss this with anyone interested, including letting you know my eventual solutions.

Clark
WA3JPG

5506. WTB-Standard AX-700 scanner/receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kin Ho <bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5neq78$t6@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173523

This is a 100 channel receiver with a built in spectrum display. Please e-mail price and condition.

5507. (none)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: chatcher@ramlink.NET
Message-ID: <199706081733.NAA17368@ram.ramlink.net>
Source record: 173524

subscribe

5508. FS: Dentron DTR-2000L Amp.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970608174401.NAA13393@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173525

10-160M Legal Limit Amp. This amp is in beautiful condition. Its a 9.8 cosmetically on a 1-10 scale and 10 electrically. EIMAC 8877 (3CX1500A7) tube in the final. Manual included for $425.00 plus 1/2 of shipping. Will throw in a NEW Eimac tube for $375.00 if purchased with amp.

Van, WB0NZV
(402) 489-5165 or E-mail
wbonzv@aol.com

5509. WTB-Kenwood RZ-1 or Shinwa SR-001 scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kin Ho <bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5ner45$t6@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173526

Please e-mail price and condition.

I will buy it from you, or trade you for several handheld scanners that I have in mint condition; some even with full 800 mhz coverage.

5510. FS Multiple Scanners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jennifer <jenifer@halcyon.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7486$24f95150$25213fce@jennifer>
Source record: 173327

I have for 5 scanners for sale and have lowered the prices since I posted them last, details are as follows....

Radio Shack Pro-2006 (800Mhz) $250.00
Radio Shack Pro-2024 $75.00
Radio Shack Pro-43 (800Mhz) $200.00 (have 2 available)
Uniden/Bearcat 890XLT (800Mhz) $150.00
Regency/Wilson MX3000 $50.00

Prices do not include shipping.

Email me at jenifer@halcyon.com if interested, I may consider interesting trade. These radios are located in the Seattle, WA area.

Jennifer Bond
http://www.halcyon.com/jenifer

5511. Kenwood TKM 707

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dljaquette@aol.COM
Message-ID: <970608234643_1754660151@emout20.mail.aol.com>
Source record: 173328

I just joined and am considering above kenwood 'TKM 707 as I am a sailor and a ham.

have you address this several year old design in the past? I am interested in the modification from marine use only to marine use and ham use.

I would also be interested in what features usually found on HAM sets that the converted marine radio would not provide. Such as power output adjustments, CW as transmission and receive mode, memory channels?

Thanks,

DAVE WB6AXR in Topanga CA

5512. Regency HI / LO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0yos@arn.net
Message-ID: <5nfuqj$459$2@services.arn.net>
Source record: 173329

I recently bought a bought a bunch of junk at a sale (really cheap!). In it is a Rgency HI / LO MONITORADIO / SCANNER. It is obviously an 8 channel crystal controlled radio, but for what band I do not know (all the rocks are gone). Any info would be greatly appreciated!

Thanks and 73,
Joe
ka0yos@amsat.org

5513. Azden 3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka0yos@arn.net
Message-ID: <5nfugt$459$1@services.arn.net>
Source record: 173330

A sort of local, (It's a little far to drive) guy has an Azden 3000 for sale, and doesn't know too much about it. I am trying to figure out if it is worth the $100 he is asking. I would appreciate the following info:

Does it cover all of 144-148 MHz?

How big are the steps? (15 KHz is unusable in TX)

How much power does it put out?

About how old would it be?

Thanks and 73,
Joe
ka0yos@amsat.org

5514. Re: R/S HTX-404 Weirdness...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl W Behrens <cwb@norden1.com>
Message-ID: <339B89A0.434C@norden1.com>
Source record: 173331

I get the same problem with my '404. Havn't a clue.

73
Carl W Behrens
N8ZMV

5515. Help! Precision Apparatus Tubetester!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970609045401.AAA17154@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173332

Hi, I have an old Precision Apparatus Co. Inc. model # 612 tube-tester and I need a copy of the settings chart so that I can test tubes. I need to know, in particular the settings and tube socket to test 6JE6/6LQ6 tubes. If you know someone who has these cahrts please let me know, Any leads will be greatly appreciated, I will gladly pay for a copy of the settings charts......73 LOU

5516. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: viper@visi.net
Message-ID: <5ng3ctkrs2@madrid.visi.net>
Source record: 173333

I do not know about the 1750 hz burst tone. The US version doesn't do this. I CAN tell you the the US version DOES work via remote control of another radio -HT, mobile,etc. You can enter frequency, engage/disengage repeater fxn, raise/lower power, switch to memory channel/vfo/call(and presumabley add/remove a tone encode or decode. The 733 kenwood has some after market notes on this very similar fxn of the tmv7a. I have both radios & use each to crossband REMOTELY the other prn.
N4ZGT. David.

5517. Diamond SG7900 mobile antenna any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: viper@visi.net
Message-ID: <5ng3gskrs3@madrid.visi.net>
Source record: 173334

Does the SG7900 diamond 2m/440 mobile antenna work well or not?
N4ZGT David.

5518. Re: Alinco DX-70???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Skovgaard <Erik_Skovgaard@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc7495$b7630400$4bd866cf@erik.bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 173335

I have to disagree with Wyatt here. I have the DX-70TH and have comapred
the noise blanker with my Icom 735 and the DX-70TH won clearly.

My only big complaint about the DX-70TH is the filter. It could have a
better shape factor. Otherwise, I have been very happy with the unit. I
have used it mostly on six meters, but will occationally use it on HF when
my Icom RX can't pull the station in.

73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.

Wyatt6gun <wyatt6gun@aol.com> wrote in article
<19970609014800.VAA28336@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Stan,
> I have had my DX-70 for about a year. No problems with it, I took a
> lightning strike close by and had to have it repaired by factory. (It was
> reasonable). I like the little unit and get excellent audio reports. The
> noise blanker is mostly ineffective. I do use my DX-70 mobile on long
> trips, but mostly as a base station with a 20 amp supply.
> Hope this helps some, I have heard of some problems with the Kenwood
> TS 50. All this and I am a Kenwood fan having had many of their HF, VHF,
> and UHF units.
>
> 73's Wyatt W5YHY
>

5519. Re: ICOM IC-706 MK II for CAP/MARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <339C19F2.23B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173336
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I would guess that the 4.02 MHz can be done by using
the split operation for MARS/CAP, but not with the automatic
offet (max is still 4 MHz.)
143.990/148.010 Mars split, I assume can be done with the
split VFO.

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Mon, 02 Jun 1997 23:41:49 -0400, "Brian A. Berry"
> wrote:
>
> >I'm trying to find out if the new MK II version of the IC-706 will
> >support CAP/MARS operations in the HF and 2m bands. Specifically:
> >
> >1) Can it be modified to transmit and receive outside of the normal ham
> >bands, and
>
> Yes by removing 3 diodes
>
> >2) Can it be modified to operate with a TX/RX split of at least 5 MHz in
> >the 140 -150 MHz range?
>
> NO... it still has the 4 MHz maximum offset limit within the same
> band.
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only my personal opinio

5520. Re: ICOM 2000H MODIFICATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nostromo86@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970609065901.CAA25316@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173337

in my book it says, locate control board (front panel),(2) locate and cut DIODE D8,(3) reassemble the radio.(4) reset the microprocessor. (all reset, see user manual.)
it opened mine up from 118.MHz(?) to 174.mhz. i got the mod from a 1997 mod book. and it has proven to be very reliable ,but some modes dont go as they discribe. for instance the tell you to remove diode d8 on the front pannel. well you really remove d8 in a different part of the radio. so do at your own risk. but mine worked fine. if i remember though, d8 was somewhere else. but that was done out of the 1996 book and could have been updated. remember though theres only one d8 in your whole radio.

5521. Re: ICOM IC-31 INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nostromo86@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970609070401.DAA25620@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173338

the mod is in the mod book 9A by Artsci, the title of the book is ;
Radio/Tech. Modifications & alignment controls. Edition 9A. i got mine at
the local ham radio shop in Sacramento cal. it was $19.95. the place i got
mine at is called THE RADIO PLACE. Artsci also has a web page.

5522. WTB: Kantronics D4-10 Data Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: zephd@in-motion.net
Message-ID: <5nger6$at2@host2.in-motion.net>
Source record: 173339

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Wanted To Buy:
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Kantronics D4-10 Data Radio

Please state Price, Condition, and List Installed Crystals

Dave Zeph, W9ZRX
zephd@in-motion.net
(310) 896-3876
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5523. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Zancha <rzancha@moultrie.com>
Message-ID: <339BE1DF.763D@moultrie.com>
Source record: 173340

Hello Tom;

I have been a ham for 19 years and have had a lot of experience with 70 cm. The amounts of loss sound a little high maybe on two meters but on 70 cm it is likely to be in the ball park.

I think that most of the 9913 cloned cable is rated at 3.5 dp loss per 100 feet at 400mhz and you are higher in freq. so more yet plus connectors.

I put on a demo for the local club and showed them how bad coax loss can be. They were astonished. I had 30 watts into a 98 foot long rg58 and 2 watts out at the end. They could not believe there eyes.

By the way 3db is losing 1/2 of your power so you will more than likely see 2/3 of the power gone at the other end on 73 cm.

73
--
Ralph Zancha
<<WC9V>>

5524. Re: Looking for CTCSS unit for Standard C528

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: victorl@tdsg.com
Message-ID: <5nfcrq$rfq@forged.passport.ca>
Source record: 173341

victorl@tdsg.com (Victor) wrote:

>Hi! I am looking for a CTCSS unit (CTN520) for my Standard C528!!
>Thanks a lot!!

5525. Ten-Tec 220 Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
Message-ID: <0550b24.199706090726.0659189F@macgroup.org>
Source record: 173342

Has anyone built the Ten-Tec 220 FM Rig? How was your experience. How does the rig perform?

Bill
W8BC

5526. Heathkit SB 200 - Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Cramond <john@gm4nhi.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <JKipiCAlj+mzEwE0@gm4nhi.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 173343

I have an SB 200 which provides excellent service on 20 metres, and has done so for many years. The amplifier uses a pair of 572Bs and with a plate current of 300 ma pushes out 300 watts for about 40 watts of drive. Great for 20 meters SSTV, but on 10 metres, things start to go wrong. Keeping the plate current down to about 100 ma and with minimal drive I can just about manage to get 100 watts out for a short time. Then the solder connection on the wire from the band change switch (Wafer B con. 1) to the loading capacitor/RF out relay melts, resulting in a loss of output as the wire parts company from the switch.

This generation of heat is a bit of a mystery. No rise in plate current and the signal appears to be completely clean, SWR is fine and all the RF chokes appear to be healthy. I have the circuit diagram but no manual,although I doubt if it would help in any case.

I wonder if anyone else has had problems with the SB 200 on 10 metres and if so what the problem was found to be?

--
John Cramond - GM4NHI
<john@gm4nhi.demon.co.uk>

5527. Alpha 76 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: N0ZKK@ponyexpress.net
Message-ID: <339bece0.219728305@news.ponyexpress.net>
Source record: 173344

Tell me what you can about this amp and the 8874s .
what is the output , is it a better amp than a good SB220
Just let me know what you think of the Alpha 76 in general.
Thanks Bob

5528. -- YAESU FT 840 - along with full station --

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: AMAURY NEVES MARINHO <amaury.marinho@easynet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <5ngspa$kml@cherry.news.easynet.net>
Source record: 173345
Body handling: Inline uuencoded payload not displayed: Yaesu_FT_840.jpg

I am selling my radio station due to a problem which regards authorization
of my antenna from the Council. The radio is an YAESU FT 840 transceiver
with the following :
- 1 Power Supply YAESU FP 800
- 1 SWR & Power Meter
WATSON W 220
- 1 A3S 3 Elements. 10,15 and 20 m. CUSHCRAFT
- 1 R5 Vertical 5 bands. CUSHCRAFT
- Acessories and cables.
Everything in Mint Condition.

Everything for ₤2000-00 + shipping.
Contact Amaury Marinho - G0XBG
Phone: UK (01865) 434188
Fax : UK (01865) 724849
Email : Amaury.marinho@easynet.co.uk
Adress: 13, Pipkin Way - Iffley - Oxford - OX4 4AR - England

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5529. Scanner Parts needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ej.mars@lagn.com
Message-ID: <35721551@lagn.com>
Source record: 173346

Hi
I am looking for the following:

1) Pro 2003 Scanner: IC Chip (GRE-141) or Substitute.
2) Bearcat 210XL: IC Chip (SK-7731) or Substitute.
3) Need a complete non work (Bearcat 300) for parts. The Case and face plate with the Led's must be in good condition.

Please respond to ej.mars@lagn.com if you have or know where the above can be purchased.

Thanks

5530. Re: GINA wireless modem? info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ack Thhpt! <ack@remove.this.to.reply.netins.net>
Message-ID: <339C20B9.4BA4@remove.this.to.reply.netins.net>
Source record: 173347

BOEING377 wrote:
>
> Does anyone have any info on the GINA (Global Integrated Network Access)
> wireless modems made by GRE? Has RS 232 plug, 12 VDC jack, and coax
> antenna fitting on back panel. What do these communicate with? Do they
> talk to similar modems or to some network hub? Specs? Freq? Thanks for
> any info.

They communicate with other GINA radios in the 902-928 MHz ISM band.
Direct
sequence spread spectrum, 21 pre-assigned channels. 725 milliwatt output
(28.6 dbM), BPSK modulation. Baud rate 1200 - 19.2K, any data format,
half-duplex, suitable for point-to-point or point-to-multipoint
operation.
Range:(from the specs) Nominal: 800ft, Indoor: 500-1500 feet, Outdoor:
Up to
1 Miles - Direct Line-of-Site (their spelling, not mine)

I have 2 pair of these units on my desk at this moment and haven't been
able
to get more than 2100bps throughput no matter what the baud rate is set
for.
Lots of dropped frames and data errors. It may be that I have something
set
incorrectly but I haven't had time to track down the source of the
problem.
Supposedly these were pretty much plug-and-play but so far I haven't
been
very impressed.

Pinouts:
DB9 connector
2 - Rx data (from GINA)
3 - Tx data (to GINA)
5 - Signal Ground
8 - Clear to send (from GINA)

All other pins are marked as "NOT USED"

Address:
GRE America, Inc
425 Harbor Drive
Belmont, CA 94002

NOTE: I am not affiliated in any way with GRE, their suppliers, their
distributors, etc, etc. I just bought the #)@&*^*%!! things and have

to install them and make them work.

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-------------------------------------------------------------------------------
| Ack Thhpt!
ack@netins.net |
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Help stamp out mental illness, or I'll KILL YOU!

5531. Q: How to open a Yaesu FNB-4A battery?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: burch@sps.mot.com
Message-ID: <5ngv2v$8c4$3@newsgate.sps.mot.com>
Source record: 173348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Can anyone tell me how to open the plastic case of a Yaesu FNB-4A battery? The NiCad cells in mine have appearently gone bad (the terminal voltage is 0 Volts regardless of the charger current) and I need to replace them.

Thanks.

Ken Burch
ep5231@email.mot.com

5532. Qst Collection 1927-1995 Complete By Month

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: VBAPP <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <339C33C6.2020@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 173349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.mis,ec.radio.cb

Qst Collection from estate in good condition 1927-1995 by month. Also
have
about 250 duplicates including 1945-1948 full year duplicates.
Will take the best offer.

Jim
201-328-3581
E-Mail at 74364.207@CompuServe.com. You cannot use reply must type in
E-Mail address.

5533. 2 ALINCO DJ-580 HT FOR SALE $550.00 for the pair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robertd <robertd@broadcast.net>
Message-ID: <01bc74db$08af5760$3b46cfa9@viperii>
Source record: 173350

For Sale two Alinco DJ-580 HT radios, rcv's AM Aircraft 800 MHZ tx 430-470
130-175
Also includes:

Drop in rapid charger
3 hi power battery packs
1 Handheld Mike
1 Headset Mike

$550.00 for the pair

Payment by certifed check only, ups'd to your door.

Respond via e-mail to
robertd@broadcast.net

Thanks

5534. Re: Alpha 76 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbclark@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <5nh1fq$55j$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 173351

N0ZKK@ponyexpress.net (Bob White) wrote:

>Tell me what you can about this amp and the 8874s .
>what is the output , is it a better amp than a good SB220
>Just let me know what you think of the Alpha 76 in general.
> Thanks Bob

Bob,

I've owned at least six of the Alpha amps, 374's, 76A's, 76PA's.
There is no comparison between an SB-220 and an Alpha.
Similar to Apples-to-Oranges, the Alpha being in an entirely
different class (upper crust). The 8874 is an excellent tube and not
too terribly expensive, as well as available from sources.
Output from the 76A should be in the 1250-1650 watt range,
2X 8874, Output from the 76PA, in the 1750-2150 watt range,
3X 8874, depending on the state and condition of the triodes.
It's the elite desktop amplifier of Amateur Radio, as far as
I'm concerned. I have the manual (copy) if you're interested, and can
fax same if desired. Let me know, if you want a copy.
I just recently ordered a New Alpha 89 amp.,
2X 3CX800A7's in the final. Tells the story, so they say.

de KD6UN

5535. Tube Collection Tubes From 1920's-1990's and Test Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: VBAPP <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <339C3692.5204@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 173352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have a entire collection of tubes about 700+ for Collins Gear and
other gear and military gear. Several are new in the box such as ,811's,
812's,814, 572B(new),6146B and numerous others. Also have a Heathkit
tube tester
in suitcase and another tube tester. Also signal generator and scope and
other
old test gear from the 20's-60's. Plugged em in and they come on.
Selling as a package. Their are also 5 boxes of
resistors,caps,parts,dials,
shafts for Collins and other radio gear. Most look unused.
If your interested you may want to call as their is more stuff also and
I can tell you about some of the tubes.

Jim
201-328-3581
E-Mail at 74364.207@CompuServe.com. You cannot use reply must type in
E-Mail address.

5536. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5nh2m4$st3@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 173353

I can cross band repeat and remotely turn cross band repeat on and off.
It works pretty good.

I like the one way repeat for repeaters. That way I can listen on the
repeater output and use my hand held and TM-V7A to boost my signal into
the repeater. This prevents the need to wait for a repeater time out
before I can transmit to the repeater again.

One way repeat is great for that. On two way repeat the repeater will tie
up your rig with a dead carier etc. You get the idea.

=TOM=

David Whitehurst <viper@visi.net> wrote:
: I do not know about the 1750 hz burst tone. The US version doesn't do
: this. I CAN tell you the the US version DOES work via remote control of
: another radio -HT, mobile,etc. You can enter frequency, engage/disengage
: repeater fxn, raise/lower power, switch to memory channel/vfo/call(and
: presumabley add/remove a tone encode or decode. The 733 kenwood has some
: after market notes on this very similar fxn of the tmv7a. I have both
: radios & use each to crossband REMOTELY the other prn.
: N4ZGT. David.

5537. Re: %%%%% Kenwood TS-120S Cooling Fan question %%%%%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dr7zyq@rand.nidlink.com
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.865865800.13649.dr7zyq@nidlink.com>
Source record: 173354

It is temperature activated and only comes on when needed to cool the finals. There was a version of the TS130S (the SE, I believe) which was sold without the fan. Try keying it down into a dummy load for a while. If the p.s. circuit breaker doesn't blow, the fan should come on after a while.

However, be aware that it is a very quiet fan. It may be on even though you can't hear it.

73,

David, WA7ZYQ

5538. FYI: HAMFESTS SKED (Was Gaithesburg)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339C0EE2.6DA9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173355

David Panek wrote:
>
> When is the Giathesburg Hamfest and does any one have the phone number
> to order tickets/spaces.
> 73
> David Panek KE4MLV
--
Hi David --- Hamfest info can be found on the ARRL Pages at URL:
http://p1k.arrl.org/hamfests.html

73
Rod in San Diego
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

5539. Re: Ten-Tec Omni VI PLUS FSK/CW Filters Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ga19989@evax02.d51.lilly.com
Message-ID: <1997Jun9.093801.1@evax02.d51.lilly.com>
Source record: 173356

My two cents worth.... there is a 500 hz and a 250 hz slot in the first IF of
the Omni VI+, as well as a 1.8 khz slot for SSB.
The second IF has TWO filter slots... N1 and N2. You can install another 500
and a 250 and therefore have a choice of combinations.
Of course, all filter switches are there, but you must purchase the filters.
One warning... I bought 250 hz filters for both IFs. If you want to operate
with both 250 filters inline, you had better like your CW sidetone at 750 Hz.
Because that sucker is NARROW!
Mel KJ9C

>> Ten-Tec Omni VI PLUS:
>>
>> Is there anyone out there who happens to be using this rig for both
>> CW as well as the FSK mode?
>>
>> Is it possible to have physically installed the FSK 500 Hz filter
>> as well as the CW 500 Hz and 250 Hz filters, and be able to
>> utilize each of those filters for the appropriate modes?
>>
>> I operate mostly Pactor and CW and desire the capability of
>> being able to switch-in the appropriate filter as needed.
>>
>
> It is my understanding (not confirmed!) that with the VI + you can
> have 2 filters in the first IF, e.g., one CW such as the 218, and the
> FSK, # 216. (I'm at work, don't have exact #s "in memory.") Only two
> so you'll havta choose between the 500 Hz or 250 Hz CW filter for the
> 1st IF.
>
> I plan to have the option 3 upgrade done on mine, go with the FSK filter
> in the added 2nd slot, and I'll get the really narrow CW selectivity via
> the 2nd IF when I "need" it. (Right now, the CW capability of the
> existing radio far exceeds that of the operator! Hope to change that.
> Marty (W7LEJ)

5540. Re: TS-940: CW tone and serial number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ga19989@evax02.d51.lilly.com
Message-ID: <1997Jun9.093147.1@evax02.d51.lilly.com>
Source record: 173357

KM1H has LOTS of mods for the TS-940... you can get his Email address off the Buckmaster call server... I think he may even do 940 mods for a fee.

He tells me that a 940 with serial number below 8M probably could use some of the upgrades.. my 940 is in the 8M series... but one helpful mod is to install PIN diodes in the front end to improve reception... fortunately I don't have to do that

One way to check manufacture date is to look at the manfacture dates stamped on internal components. I noticed that the fan drive motors have manufacture dates on them (I had one go NOISY on me so I switched the power amp fan motor with the power supply fan motor, because the amp fan runs more frequently)

As for the CW sidetone.... is the MON switch pressed in?

Mel KJ9C

In article <5ndh6l$s6e@netnews.upenn.edu>, vbajaj@portal.stwing.upenn.edu (Vik Bajaj) writes:
> Hello,
>
> I have just started using a TS-940 and have several questions.
>
> First, I have no microphone yet; when I attach a key and
> press it in CW mode, nothing occurs. If I press the VOX
> button, I can get the radio to then send with each key press,
> but I have no CW sidetone (I have tried to adjust the sidetone
> volume at the bottom of the radio). Is this an esoteric problem,
> or is there some simple error on my part?
>
> Finally, the radio has a 7 million serial number. What
> year was it manufactured? I notice several essential modifications
> posted on Kenwood's web site (ALC, output transistors that blow
> etc.) and was wondering if any of these should be investigated.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Vik
>
> --
> Vik Bajaj
> http://cognac.unplug.org

5541. Alink DJ-191 Cloning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nexus@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <339ca1eb.37367674@news.eskimo.com>
Source record: 173358

Does anyone know if anyone written a program to interface a PC to
the Alinco DJ-191T's cloning feature?

Brian

Brian C. Lane http://www.eskimo.com/~nexus KC7TYU
------------------ 96B9 C123 5C90 BECC 6A1F 7DC6 4F2B A26E --------------------

5542. Hunting Kenwood TS450S Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5nh1si$3g8_001@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 173359

Have a friend that has became disabled and unable to deal with manually tuning his coupler. WOuld like to purchase a internal tuner for the TS450 to install for him. Anybody out there wanting to part with one?

Thanks

Patrick
WB9IQI

5543. Buying Kenwood DRU2's and RM1's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5nh21j$3g8_002@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 173360

Hello!

Looking for the digital recording unit and remote control unit for the 850/950 series.

If you're not using yours I'm interested in purchasing these. Thanks!

Patrick
WB9IQI

5544. FS:collins 75A3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: B&R <robtram@ns.net>
Message-ID: <339C19A7.2881@ns.net>
Source record: 173361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

for sale one colins75a3 all orig.one 3khz filter.In very good condition inside and out asking $400 plus shipping.

Thanks,

Robert Ramirez

5545. Re: Regency HI / LO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5nh50q$31g$1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 173362

...
>
>I recently bought a bought a bunch of junk at a sale (really cheap!).
>In it is a Rgency HI / LO MONITORADIO / SCANNER. It is obviously an 8
>channel crystal controlled radio, but for what band I do not know (all
>the rocks are gone). Any info would be greatly appreciated!
>
>I think those models just operated on VHF Lo (30-50) and VHF Hi
(150-170)

73
Andy
WD4KDN

5546. Re: Azden AZ-61 Mods.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: michaelo@psych1.hku.hk
Message-ID: <5nh5pn$233@psych1.hku.hk>
Source record: 173363

Marty (Smiley) (martyrip@ptd.net) wrote:

: 1. REMOVE POWER & ANTENNA.
: 2. REMOVE SPEAKER & SQUELCH KNOBS.
: 3. REMOVE BATTERY RAIL SCREWS.
: 4. REMOVE THREE BACK COVER SCEWS.
: 5. REMOVE TOP COVER & RUBBER GASKET.
: 6. SEPARTE RADIO. (OPEN LIKE A BOOK)
: 7. REMOVE THREE SCREWS FROM RIGHT HAND BOARD & MOVE ASIDE
: 8. LOCATE LOWER BOARD & THE SOLDER PADS B0 THUROUGH B5 LOWER R
: 9. LOCATE & SOLDER BRIDE PADS B0 & B2.
: 10. REASSEMBLE THE RADIO.
: 11. RESET THE MICROPROCESSOR
: (HOLD DOWN THE [CLR] KEY & TURN THE RADIO ON)
:
: | |
: | X-X B0|
: | X-X B1|
: | X X B2|
: | X X B3|
: | / \ X X B4|
: | / \ X X B5|
: |________/ _________|

What is this mod for ? Extend rx or Tx ?

: --
: @ @ N3PTU
: ^ 73's from Marty (Smiley)
: ___/ Email martyrip@ptd.net

: Vist the Schuylkill Amateur Repeater Ass.
: At http://home.ptd.net/~cakunk/

: A good scanner radio page.
: At http://www.li.net/~j4dice/stateidx.html
--
Michael Lo
michaelo@psy.hku.hk

5547. HTX 404 Instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard D. Wyatt" <rdwyatt@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc74e7$06ed1780$4f3293cf@736135126worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173364

I need peograming instrucions on programing a HTX 404 that I bought at a
ham fest.
I would appreciate it if some one would email them to me.

Thanks,
Dick KD4AG

5548. Re: IC706 Receive / Noise blanket improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Costas Spanos <spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Message-ID: <339C2392.41C67EA6@eecs.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 173365

Gary Coffman wrote:

>
> The radio has two other major design flaws. The noise blanker noise amplifier
> pickoff is *after* the IF filter. It should be *before* the filter. That's why the noise
> blanker works so poorly. It is the same blanker design as was used in the IC735,
> but the circuit works in that radio because the pickoff is before the IF filter. I moved
> the pickoff point for the blanker in mine. It works much better now.
>

Gary, this is very interesting. Is this also the reason that the NB
works on SSB and CW, but produces annoying popping sounds on AM and FM,
and also on very strong SSB signals? Did your mod fix that problem?

I have ordered but not yet received the service manual, so I cannot
answer this for myself yet. I wonder if they fixed this on MKII, or if
they simply programed the radio to turn off the NB automatically when
one switches to AM, FM and WFM. Even that would be an improvement.

Costas

KE6SYN

5549. HD73 Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Hooker <thooker@psl.nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <339C1399.5227@psl.nmsu.edu>
Source record: 173366

I have an HD73 in good condition, however, the power transformer burned up, and I don't have any manual or schematic. I tried a 25v center tapped transformer, but I guess it did not have enough 'poop' because the light dimmed and the meter went to zero when the rotor was moved. So, I need input! Has anybody replaced the transformer for one that is commercially available? What voltage and current was it?

PS I called Norms rotor service, and they do have a replacement, but it was VERY expensive!

Thanks,
Tracy
KA5ECS

5550. Re: Motorola/Radius Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Farnham <mark.farnham@acelondon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <339C2368.3DD5@acelondon.co.uk>
Source record: 173367
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Richard wrote:
>
> Is there software available for programming Motorola's P110 and GP 300?
> If so would you be so kind as to let me know.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Richard

Try http://www.morgan2.demon.co.uk/.

5551. Re: R/S HTX-404 Weirdness...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry Taylor <terry02@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <339C2D36.64AF@ibm.net>
Source record: 173368

Don Montgomery wrote:
>
> Hi
>
> Anyone out there in radioland with a 440 R/S HTX-404 notice that
> the receiver takes up to a second to recover from transmitting
> when sending a CTCSS tone? My two-meter HTX-202 recovers within
> 100 milliseconds or so.
>
> It's irritating when you miss the first couple of characters of a
> repeater ID because your HT is still transmitting when you let up

Part of the delay is a case of WAD (working as designed). The HYX-404
(and -202) are 2 of only a very small handfull of radios that
PROPERLY encode CTCSS. The full proper CTCSS encode function requires
that the radio perform a "reverse burst" when the PTT is released.
What this means is that when you release the PTT, the transmitter
stays actvated for about 100ms during which time the radio reverses
the phase of the CTCSS tone 180 degrees, resulting in the immediate
quieting of the remote receiver (also known as a squelch tail
eliminator)
(no, the squelch tail is not the repeater hang time of 1-3 seconds, but
the
burst of noise from the receiver). After the CTCSS tone has reversed
phase,
the transmitter drops out.

Motorola, GE and RCA all implemented reverse burst in their equipment to
elimnate the irritating noise burst, but I am not sure if (in this era
of
cost reduction) they still do. Most "rice box" radio companies never did
this, not even in their commercial equipment.

Terry Taylor, N6MON

5552. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <339CB7D1.47E8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173369

The right mod to rx from 153 - 200 Mhz is on the Internet
that remove a cap, this is not endosed by Icom , but it works.
A ham in Finland posted it on the internet.

Also, If you read your manual , the 706 spec's are only
guaranteed in the HAM band and the manufacturer reserves the
right to improve the design at his discretion.

The original 706 with the cap mod can improve the rx ability,
the only drawback is that Local oscillator leakage from the
oscillator can leak out and radiate out the VHF port of the
antenna, which can cause interference to other radio's ,TV's,
etc.

This is why Icom will not endorse the mod, since the radio will
then not meet part 15 of interference to other receiving devices.

This means, if you do the mod, Icom will not stand by the product!!

Let the user beware!

73

Mike

Robert John wrote:
>
> Lee Walden wrote:
> >
> > Gary Wrote:
> > > But the real solution is to fix the problem with the wideband receive
> > filter.
> > > This requires removing and discarding one SMT capacitor, removing
> > > another, and re-installing it piggyback across a third. This corrects
> > > the filter problem and allows full sensitivity reception up to the 200
> > MHz
> > > tuning limit of the radio.
> > >
> > > Having a copy of the service manual is a must for performing this mod.
> > > That allows you to identify the capacitors to be altered using the X-ray
> > > board layouts.
> >
> > Gary, I've seen at least two mods for restoring the receive in the 706,
> > and neither of them say anything about removing caps.
> >
> > One version talks about removing a yellow wire and re-attaching it to a
> > transistor next to J8. The wire is soldered to the hole next to J9.

> >
> > The other version talks about removing diode 60 and cutting the jumper
> > next to it labeled W4.
> >
> > Now you're saying remove a cap, and remove another cap and solder it
> > to the top of an existing cap.
> >
> > So... Which is the best way to get the 706 to hear?
> >
> > My unit can't hear any AM broadcast below about 1100, and is deaf as a post
> > between 108 and 146 and anything over 148. I would like to get the
> > radio to perform as ICOM originally advertised the radio.
> > Continuous receive from 30kHz to 200 MHz. Lee
> > Maybe us 706 users should engage in a class action suit for false
> advertising.
>
> 73, Bob AA8X

5553. Re: Q: How to open a Yaesu FNB-4A battery?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5nhc25$ra1@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 173370
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It is a pain in the butt mostly, but can be done with a thin, sharp edge to pry open the edges. I just saw, I think on this group, someone suggesting you stick the battery in the freezer and then bring it out frozen and smack it on a surface to break the glue that Yaesu uses to prevent us from reusing the case (silly Yaesu, they even put it over the batteries sometimes making it very difficult for us with no benefit that I can see....). Check the archives of this list.

I just pry them open, but it can take a half hour or more to do it neatly.

Clark
WA3JPG

5554. Price reduced:FT-10R & Accy's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970609170401.NAA25249@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173371

Yaesu FT-10R/A16D/99 Ch/5 Watt 2M HT
Yaesu NC-50 Dual Slot Desk Charger
Yaesu CA-14 charging sleeves (2)
ADMS-1C Yaesu Program Software
MH-34B4B Speaker/Mic
CN-2 Bnc to Sma adaptor
Wall Charger

The equipment was purchased from HRO Denver in Mar 97. 9 Mos warranty left. Original cost in excess of $450. Will ship/insure in all orig. boxes with docs for $350. No tire kickers, please !

Tnx, Van
WB0NZV

5555. Re: WinRadio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: seraph2@ibm.net
Message-ID: <339b53ff.4640752@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 173372

On Sun, 25 May 1997 04:15:49 GMT, gaustin@erinet.com (Gene Austin)
wrote:

>Anyone know any 3rd party apps for the WinRadio, or any web - ftp
>sites outher than Winradio.com. ???
>
>Gene
>WA8GRB
>

Altavista search for winradio reveals quite a few sites.
I am not aware of any 3rd part apps - I was about to write one myself
(a spectrum analyzer) but the company put up one before
I got around to do it. They provide a good software developers
kit, but as their software is really good, I feel little incentive to
write my own, especially as they keep improving it all the time
and the upgrades are free.

I have had mine for 8 months or so and in that time got three major
upgrades, each time with new features, most recently 2 weeks ago (with
the spectrum analyzer).

Hope this helps,
Chris

5556. Re: Winradio PC Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: seraph2@ibm.net
Message-ID: <339b5587.5032552@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 173373

On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 22:41:21 GMT, tbaldock@pcug.org.au (Tony Baldock)
wrote:

>Winradio is VERY DEAF compared to any other scanner.

I disagree - I have one myself!

Measured sensitivity on VHF/UHF and it s about 0.35 uV (much better
than the nominal 1uV specified).

That's better or at least comparable with scanners costing more.
Granted, it's not that good on shortwaves, but then again, no
wide-band scanner is no matter what the brandname.

Cheers,
Chris

>The new Winradio software with built in Specturm Scope is pretty good
>though.
>
>Check out the new software at:
>www.winradio.net.au
>
>On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 10:31:22 +0100, "Howard C. Taylor"
><howard@viper.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
>>I am interested in the Winradio PC card and wonder if anyone can give me
>>their opinions on its quality and usefulness in comparison to dedicated
>>receivers such as the Icom 7100, 8500 etc. The card is very cheap, so
>>its hard to beleive it will compare favourable.
>>Regards,
>>
>>Howard C. Taylor (Southampton, UK)
>

5557. Re: Winradio PC Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: seraph2@ibm.net
Message-ID: <339b5685.5287184@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 173374

On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 10:31:22 +0100, "Howard C. Taylor"
<howard@viper.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>I am interested in the Winradio PC card and wonder if anyone can give me
>their opinions on its quality and usefulness in comparison to dedicated
>receivers such as the Icom 7100, 8500 etc.

I have one and love it. It is much more flexible than a dedicated
receiver. But you need to try it to exactly see what I mean - you can
donwload the software from their web site http://www.winradio.com.
My desk is now too cluttered for a dedicated radio, and since I sit
behind my PC most of the time, I now work with Winradio almost
exclusively, running in the background even when I do other things on
my PC. My primary interest is in VHF/UHF scanning.

>the card is very cheap, so
>its hard to beleive it will compare favourable.

Of course it's cheap!
It's because you already have half of the radio at home:

* the box
* the display (including a CRT for a spectrum analyzer!)
* the front panel (keyboard)
* the storage for memories (hard disk)
* plus a powerful CPU to run it all

I am talking of course about your computer....

:-)

Cheers,
Chris

>Regards,

>Howard C. Taylor (Southampton, UK)

5558. Re: Winradio PC Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <339C40DD.2E7B@hevanet.com>
Source record: 173375

Tony Baldock wrote:
>
> Winradio is VERY DEAF compared to any other scanner.
>
> The new Winradio software with built in Specturm Scope is pretty good
> though.
>
> Check out the new software at:
> www.winradio.net.au
>
> On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 10:31:22 +0100, "Howard C. Taylor"
> <howard@viper.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>
> >I am interested in the Winradio PC card and wonder if anyone can give me
> >their opinions on its quality and usefulness in comparison to dedicated
> >receivers such as the Icom 7100, 8500 etc. The card is very cheap, so
> >its hard to beleive it will compare favourable.
> >Regards,
> >
> >Howard C. Taylor (Southampton, UK)

Does anyone know the IF bandwidth specification? The available data
lists the -6db bandwidth, but omits the more important specifiaction
of -60db bandwidth.
tia, miker
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Please remove NOSPAM from return address before replying.

5559. Misc ham eqmt FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dkiefer@altinet.net
Message-ID: <339c4829.9685728@news.altinet.net>
Source record: 173376

I have for sale the following items:

(1) Kenwood TS-870S transceiver. Has the optional SO-2 TXCO unit.
This transceiver is only 1-1/2 years old. The unit has been packed in
its original carton with all manuals and accessories since December
of 1996. Asking $1725.00 + UPS

(2) Kenwood SP-41 mobile speakers. Asking $25.00 each or both for
$45.00 + UPS

(1) Icom IC-22A transceiver. No microphone. Used on packet only.
Has ComSpec SS-32P installed. Copy of manual on IC-22A, and
have spec sheet for ComSpec. Asking $85.00 + UPS

(1) Mirage B-108 Amplifier. With manual. Asking $95.00 + UPS

(1) DRSI DPK-2 TNC. Same as TNC-2. With manual and software.
Unit is only 1 year old. Asking $50.00 + UPS

(1) DRSI Type 2 packet board. This is the best board for packet.
Has two 1200 baud ports. Also has two DCD-3105 state machines
to enable open squelch operation. Have manuals and software. No
better unit on the market. Asking $135.00 + UPS

(1) Telex Contester headset. With manual, asking $50.00 + UPS

(1) Drake TV-3300 low pass filter. Asking $20.00 + UPS

(2) Daiwa CS-201 2-position antenna switches. Asking $15.00 each,
or both for $25.00 + UPS

(1) Alpha Delta Transi Trap with R-T element. Will handle 200 watts.
Unit has never been used. Asking $20.00 + UPS

All items are in excellent to mint condition. Call (972) 962-3595
between 10 AM and 2 PM weekdays, or after 10 AM on weekends.
Thanks es 73

Don W5QXK

dkiefer@altinet.net

5560. Re: Winradio PC Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <339C0668.649C@atl.org>
Source record: 173377

miker wrote:
> Does anyone know the IF bandwidth specification? The available data
> lists the -6db bandwidth, but omits the more important specifiaction
> of -60db bandwidth.

I've sent direct email requests but get nothing more than their (vague)
published specifications.

-bob

5561. Re: Ft-50 Game mode ??? How does it work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffj@scott.net
Message-ID: <339c948a.4255529@news.scott.net>
Source record: 173378

On Mon, 09 Jun 1997 21:06:55 GMT, malachias@godmachine.demon.co.uk
(michael) wrote:

>Hi
>does anybody have an idea how this game works? It appears to be
>similar to Tetris but none of the keys or their combinations or
>sequences let me score more than 0000, hi!
>
>Thanks
>
>(Although I hope this is not gonna be the trend for the future... I
>miss the ISDN socket anyway!)
>
>Michael
>
>

The object of the game is to come up with the number "10". If it gives
you the number "3" press "7" then the orange function button. It keeps
going until you win or until you miss enough that the display "fills
up".

73 de KF4KGQ
Jeff Johns
jeffj@scott.net

5562. Re: Wanted: Manual for Regency HR-2 or HR-2B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: frederick.mckenzie-1@kmail.ksc.nasa.gov
Message-ID: <frederick.mckenzie-1-0906971718490001@k4dii.ksc.nasa.gov>
Source record: 173379

In article <339B41C4.4CC9@vnet.net>, fwbrock@vnet.net wrote:
> Need the schematic and tuneing instructions for the Regency HR2 series 2
> meter transceiver. Also need working crystals for T146.220/R146.82 for
> these radios.

Fred-

Transmit crystals for the HR-2 and HR-2A (6 MHz), are different from those for the HR-2B (8 MHz). Since there are also slight internal differences between the HR-2 and HR-2A, you need to be more specific about which one you have!

I had the HR-2A back in the 70s. At the time, I thought it was a great radio, but later realized it had problems. For example, it had a tendency to generate spurious signals when the antenna's SWR was high. The spurious signals were usually outside the antenna's range, so their SWR was even higher, making the problem worse! Naturally, the problem didn't show up on a test bench when using a resistive load.

Another common problem seemed to be channel switch contacts that were intermittent. At the time, it was possible to order replacement wafers from Regency, and I wore out two sets.

The HR-2 and HR-2A receiver IF filters were intended for use with 30 KHz channel spacing. The HR-2B had a 15 KHz filter, but not as good as the commercial filter. A commercial filter was available in a mod-kit (MA-50?). Unfortunately, the receiver had no adjustment for crystal frequency, and the commercial filter was very unforgiving.

Today, the Regency company has changed. The scanner portion was sold to Uniden, and the commercial two-way radio portion became RELM Communications of Melbourne, Florida. Perhaps some service data may still be available for the Regency BTH model, which was the commercial version of the HR-2B. I think the BTH transmit crystal was different still (12 MHz?).

73, Fred, K4DII

5563. *I need to know what the colors are for**ROTOR HELP*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ladd V. Straatmann" <laddo@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <339C7CEA.66F6@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have recently rebuilt a what I believe to be AR40 rotor. There is 4 wires that come out a black, blue, red, and white. Any help will be appreciated.
Also any help to determine how to convert to a three wire control box.
Thanks
Ladd

5564. Test please ignore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffj@scott.net
Message-ID: <33962759.15520671@news.scott.net>
Source record: 173381

Test

5565. How to find "Nye Co"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <339C82D8.EA9ACF3A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173382

I just bought a used Nye Viking MB-V-A tuner and need to contact them.
Info says number is 1-206-454-4524 but recording says dis-connected. Are
they out of business or do you know how I can contect them.....

Thnx
Bob

5566. FT-5100, WX Band+440=FEEDBACK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jzawodny@pcocd2.intel.com
Message-ID: <5nhu9sbga1@news.fm.intel.com>
Source record: 173383

Okay, here is the situation... Driving cross country, I had
plenty of time to test this out, and it was not a local phenomena.

Tune the 5100 VHF side to the weather bands, 162.4-162.550 and set the sub
band to scanning on the UHF side. Every time through the sub-band limit scans,
scanning repeater segments in the 440-450 ballpark, there is usually one
frequency (and it depeds on which weather channel you are tuned to) that
will break the squelch. Now, if you switch over, and stop the scan, then turn
it up ever so slightly, what you hear is not any sort of signal, it is
"feedback" just like you would hear in a PA system. I turned the squelch
all the way down on this channel, but couldn;t hear any atmospheric/other
noise, just this sqeal. I know it was nothing, because even out in the middle
of Nevada and Wyoming, I experienced this when there was no-one within
radio-shot.

Is this a documented bug, just my radio, just my setup, ??????

Thanks in advance for the net.wisdom.

Jason T. Zawodny
KC8HBU.

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Jason T. Zawodny Summer Intern, PCD SLS Department
Phone (916)356-9220 Loc:FM5-2-H2, MS FM5-45

5567. Re: %%%%% Kenwood TS-120S Cooling Fan question %%%%%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <339C965F.15B@onramp.net>
Source record: 173384

hacker@flash.net wrote:
>
> On 8 Jun 1997 05:09:20 GMT, rpd910@aol.com (RPD910) wrote:
>
> >>Hi All,
> >
> >> I have yet to see the cooling fan on my TS120s turn on. I've
> >> been using it for about 5 months now. If you use a TS-120s
> >> can you tell me at what intervals the fan turns on and what
> >> voltage the fan operates on?
> >
> >> Thanks, -Patrick N1OCJ
> >
> >Patrick,
> >
> >You got me thinking..... bought my TS-120 used about a year ago,
> >my fan hasn't ever turned on either!
> >
> >N1WSA
> I have had mine about 2 weeks. While the guy that I got it from showed
> me how to use it, we had to tune an antenna, It came on for about 20
> seconds after tuning an 11 meter groundplane to 40 meters with an
> mfj949e.

Rule of thumb.

If the heatsink is cool enough you can hold you hand on it and count to
10 then it's not hot enough for the fan to turn on...

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5568. TM-731 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Heaton <ke4krt@atl.mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <339CA08F.4F56@atl.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173385

Has anyone had trouble with their TM-731 dropping the 440 side? It
will receive, but will not tramsmit. If so, please e-mail
ke4cru@stc.net
Thanks.

Phil
--

Phil Heaton, ke4krt@atl.mindspring.com
Once you go MAC, you'll never go back!

5569. tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Ehlers <jerryn0nlu@mail.mwci.net>
Message-ID: <339CA182.6C1@mail.mwci.net>
Source record: 173386

I have a 4cx15000 tube for sale . Does anyone need one like this?73s Jerry

5570. Wanted:CTCSS unit for Standard C528

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: victorl@tdsg.com
Message-ID: <5ng2go$dcc@forged.passport.ca>
Source record: 173387

>Hi! I am looking for a CTCSS unit (CTN520) for my Standard C528!!
>Thanks a lot!!

5571. WTB: FRG-9600 TV Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <339CB2BD.1949@primenet.com>
Source record: 173388

WTB: FRG-9600 TV Board
Looking for the optional TV board (NTSC) for
the FRG-9600 receiver. Consider any other
accessories for same? 73, Brian k7on@qsl.net

5572. Wanted FRG-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <339CE0EA.7B45@erols.com>
Source record: 173389

Want to buy Yeasu FRG-7. State condition and asking price.

Brian Berkes

5573. Wanted FRG-7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <339CE138.6EED@erols.com>
Source record: 173390

Want to buy Yeasu FRG-7. State condition and asking price.

Brian Berkes

5574. Help IC551-D FM BOARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Chroninger <condor@gglbbs.com>
Message-ID: <339CB710.1955@gglbbs.com>
Source record: 173391

MY NAME IS DAVE AND I'M IN DESPERATE NEED OF AN FM BOARD FOR THE ICOM
551D 6M RIG. IF HAVE ONE OR KNOW WHERE I CAN GET ONE PLEASE E-MAIL ME.
ADDRESS IS CONDOR@GGLBBS.COM THANK YOU FOR READING THIS.

5575. Re: Reduce power TM-V7 E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <5nhe27$122@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 173392

In article <3399944D.5DB@onramp.net>, avvid@onramp.net says...
>
>Roelof Bolhuis wrote:
>>
>> Hello everybody,
>>
>> Can someone tell me how i can reduce the power from
>> the kenwood TM-V7E ?
>> I have a novice-license,and i may use 25 watts, but the
>> TM-V7E have 50/35 watts in high position.
>> Now i use only the middle position,and that's 10 watts,
>> but i should like when i can make 25 watts in high position,
>> on 2 and 70.
>> Maybe it's also possible to change the high, middle and
>> low position seperate from each other ??
>> All information (mods) are welcome.
>>
>> Thanks in advance
>>
>> --
>> Whith kind regards,
>> Roelof Bolhuis
>>
>> E-mail : rbolhuis@worldonline.nl
>> Homepage: http://www.worldonline.nl/~rbolhuis
>
>The TMV7E uses microprocessor control of the power. There is not a pot
>to adjust it. You would need the Service Manual to go thru the steps..
>
>Clif @ AVVid
>AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
>http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

Interesting, As a Novice you can't operate on any off the bands the radio transmits on anyway. I would suggest just taking the tech test and be done with it. Why go to all the trouble off lowering the power levels on bands you can't operate on.

Just a thought.

David Ke4zqz

5576. Re: Reduce power TM-V7 E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: PriceDav.RadOnc@Shands.ufl.edu
Message-ID: <5nhec8$122@no-names.nerdc.ufl.edu>
Source record: 173393

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>> Maybe it's also possible to change the high, middle and
>> low position seperate from each other ??
>> All information (mods) are welcome.
>>
>> Thanks in advance
>>
>> --
>> Whith kind regards,
>> Roelof Bolhuis
>>
>> E-mail : rbolhuis@worldonline.nl
>> Homepage: http://www.worldonline.nl/~rbolhuis
>
>The TMV7E uses microprocessor control of the power. There is not a pot
>to adjust it. You would need the Service Manual to go thru the steps..
>
>Clif @ AVVid
>AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
>http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

I just noticed the E suffix, anotating the Europrian version, My earlier commits my not apply if operated in Europe by a Europian Hamster and I may stand corrected if this is the case.

Regards David

5577. Mobile Auto Tuner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: gradyr@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <gradyr-0906972351290001@user-37kbbpf.dialup.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173394

Does anyone have any recommendations for a HF automatic mobile tuner? A kit would be wonderful....and of course the cheaper the better! :-)

TIA,
Grady
KF4LDO

5578. 2 meter mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John L. Hammers (KC7WUF)" <pjohnh@brigadoon.com>
Message-ID: <339CEFB8.5A58@brigadoon.com>
Source record: 173395

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WTB 2 meter mobile 50 or more watts
must be reasonable, will be used for
local club
e mail kc7cgc@brigadoon.com
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5579. FS or TRADE: 2m Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christian Void <cvoid@netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339CD0B6.7A31@netcom.com>
Source record: 173396

VHF Engineering 2m RF amplifier, 1-4 watts in, 20-25 watts out. Will take best offer, or trade for QRP capable SWR/Wattmeter.

Please send inquiries to <cvoid@netcom.com>.

Thanks!

5580. Re: Hallicrafter S20R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Scarlett <scarlett@nanospace.com>
Message-ID: <339CDD73.3ABC@nanospace.com>
Source record: 173397

You can get a copy of the S-20R manual from W7FG - its $16 in his latest catalog. E-mail: w7fg@w7fg.com, or try www.w7fg.com.

Bob S.

5581. WTB: R&S SMG Sig. Gen.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <339CF43A.5E1E@pacbell.net>
Source record: 173398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

The title says it all. Need a 1 MHz to 1 GHz RF sweeper with lots of control flexibility. I think the older Rohde & Schwarz Model SMG might be just the thing. Alternatives considered.

5582. Handhelds and printer for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: lisa lowell <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7517$9ca6b580$7bd5dacd@lisa-lowell>
Source record: 173399
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet

For Sale:
440 handhelds

1. Icom 4AT new battery, wall charger and antenna $75.00

2. Kenwood 41AT battery, wall charger and antenna $75.00

220 handhelds

1. Kenwood TH-315A battery, belt clip, wall charger and antenna $100.00

2. Icom 3AT battery, wall charger and antenna $75.00

add $7.00 per item for shipping and insurance

Printer:
Epson LQ-570+ printer. Used only 4 mo. In new condition. Cost $250.00 will sell for $80.00 plus shipping and insurance. Includes manual

If interested call 501-389-6516 or email at ka0nno@cswnet.com

PS No trade items.

5583. Re: FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5ngctu$b9o$1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 173400

>>Take a look at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
>>
>tried this, as well as members.aol.com/aeimm. got a list of spirtual
>books. is the ft50 programmable only with divine guidance? aol sez no
>page like this

Damn, my english seems not to be excelent :)

Sorry but I can't understand you clearly. Please specify your question more precise.
The WEB specified above (I have tried it now) is available as usually, can't you
access it ??? or have you same Questions not answered there ?

The given MOD's are very precise and WORKING allways at all models, new and old.

Indi.

5584. Re: Ft-50 Game mode ??? How does it work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <339C825D.7679@radia1.com>
Source record: 173401

michael wrote:
>
> Hi
> does anybody have an idea how this game works? It appears to be
> similar to Tetris but none of the keys or their combinations or
> sequences let me score more than 0000, hi!
>
> Thanks
>
> (Although I hope this is not gonna be the trend for the future... I
> miss the ISDN socket anyway!)
>
> Michael
You have to punch in the number that when added to the number displayed
equals 10. Then hit the function key.
Example, if 4 starts scrolling across, punch 6 then function.
Have fun-
Ernie
N2OJQ

5585. Handhelds and printer for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: lisa lowell <ka0nno@cswnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7553$95451840$89d5dacd@lisa-lowell>
Source record: 173402
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:
440 handhelds

1. Icom 4AT , -- Sold

2. Kenwood 41AT--Sold

220 handhelds

1. Kenwood TH-315A battery, belt clip, wall charger and antenna $100.00

2. Icom 3AT--- SOLD

add $7.00 per item for shipping and insurance

Printer:
Epson LQ-570+ printer. Used only 4 mo. In new condition. Cost $250.00 will sell for $80.00 plus shipping and insurance. Includes manual

If interested call 501-389-6516 or email at ka0nno@cswnet.com

PS No trade items.

5586. FS:Icom 24AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Webmaster <webmaster@intprofs.com>
Message-ID: <EBH2Cr.Lwy@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 173463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio,swap

Icom 24AT for sale. Low airtime. With battery, tone unit, desk charger,spare battery holder for AA's, AEA Antenna. Best offer over $250. WB2LDW. Will deliver in New York, NJ ARea.

5587. I need Frec. to Atlas 210X original.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael <rafael@globalmail.net>
Message-ID: <339b397f.0@news.arrakis.es>
Source record: 173464

Hello.
I need the Frec. Digital to Atlas 210 X.(Original only)
Thanks.

rafaelglobalmail.net

5588. mounting radios in jeep grand cherokee

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4q@naxs.com
Message-ID: <339b471f.73769648@news.naxs.com>
Source record: 173465

HELP!

I recently bought a jeep grand cherokee and would like to hear from anyone who has mounted hf and dual band rigs in these vehicles or from anybody that has suggestions.

Thanks

Mike, KC4Q

5589. Help porgramming saber

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hillgen@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <5nfgt4$981@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 173466

Hi All,
Looking for hep on programming a Motorola Saber VHF.
The problem lies in the fact that the RSS only allows programming down to 145.000 which cuts out the inputs of a few favorite repeaters. Is there a way I can get around this and get down as far as 144 MHz?
Any & All help appreciated!
Thanks!
Jay

5590. Alinco DX-70???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc746a$35bd8720$d28baccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 173467

Looking for any experience with the Alinco DX-70, either good or bad.
Trying to decide between that or a Kenwood TS-50.

73
Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
http://www.qsl.net/w3ink/

5591. FT-50, favorite antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bnb@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <339c4cdb.16294380@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173468

"TDF Technical Support" <tdftech@cyberramp.net> wrote:

>Finally, any other worthwhile mods to this great little HT? I'll be picking
>up a better antenna at the Arlington HAMCOM on 6/7. Any suggestions?
>
I've tried several and the one that now stays on our two FT-50's
are/is the Comet SMA3.

Regards, Bob, AB4G

5592. Re: Alinco DX-70???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wyatt6gun@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970609014800.VAA28336@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173469

Stan,
I have had my DX-70 for about a year. No problems with it, I took a lightning strike close by and had to have it repaired by factory. (It was reasonable). I like the little unit and get excellent audio reports. The noise blanker is mostly ineffective. I do use my DX-70 mobile on long trips, but mostly as a base station with a 20 amp supply.
Hope this helps some, I have heard of some problems with the Kenwood TS 50. All this and I am a Kenwood fan having had many of their HF, VHF, and UHF units.

73's Wyatt W5YHY

5593. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7479$a12d59e0$050f2399@peter->
Source record: 173470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>
> I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled
> to the vehicle electrical system with diode steering (RV kit).

The only thing to watch for is that most UPSs are designed for full power
only as long as their batteries last. The transformer and/or power bridge
may overheat if run on external DC power.

You will have to derate the max continuous output power.

5594. Re: FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <339b6427.9343714@news.enter.net>
Source record: 173471

On 6 Jun 1997 10:11:32 GMT, Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton)
wrote:
>
>Take a look at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
>
tried this, as well as members.aol.com/aeimm. got a list of spirtual
books. is the ft50 programmable only with divine guidance? aol sez no
page like this

delete the xx from my email address to reply

5595. 6 Meter Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: calcio83@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970609023300.WAA02938@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173472

Hi,I am looking for a 6 meter rig to buy. Does Anyone have any suggestions or opinions on what to buy?Any information would be greatly appreciated.thanks

Your Friend,
Pete

5596. RE: frs hop-up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970608194649152220@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 173473

>>I have some motorola sport 7 radios. I would like to know
>>if there is anyway to hop them up to get a little more range.

You're discovering things you should have known before acquiring
these little gems.

No - the antenna is fixed - per the FCC rules establishing the
Family Radio Service.

No - you are limited to .5 W ERP - per FCC rules.

What do you need radios for? What activities or events?

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

5597. Tubes for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Earl <jpearl@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7451$b19f2060$2f5594cc@john-s-computer>
Source record: 173474

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ALL THE FOLLOWING TUBES TESTED FOR THE FOLLOWING:

DYNAMIC MUTUAL CONDUCTANCE
INTERELECTRODE SHORTS
INTERELECTRODE LEAKAGE
GRID CURRENT

QUANTITIES LIMITED TO THOSE SHOWN

TUBE TYPE QUANTITY LOC. price ea. 10 or more
0B2 1 B2 $2.50 $1.25
0C3/VR105 6 B1 $2.50 $1.25
0D3/VR150 1 B1 $2.50 $1.25

10DE7 1 TCS $2.00 $1.00
10GK6 1 LT1 $5.00 $2.50

117Z3 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
117Z6 1 BTC $3.00 $1.50

12AD6 1 TCS $4.00 $2.00
12AL5 1 TCS $4.00 $2.00
12AU6 2 TCS $4.00 $2.00
12AU6 1 TCS* $5.00 $2.50
12AV7 2 TCS $4.00 $2.00
12AX4 2 TCL $2.50 $1.25
12AX4 1 BTC $2.50 $1.25

12BA6 1 LT1 $2.50 $1.25
12BA6 5 TCS $2.50 $1.25
12BA7 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25
12BA7 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25
12BE3 1 BTC $3.00 $1.50
12BF6 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25
12BL6 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
12BZ7 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25

12C5 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
12CA5 1 TCS* $6.00 $3.00
12CA6 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
12CU5 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
12CU5/12C5 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50

12D4 1 TCL $2.50 $1.25
12DK7 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50

12DK7 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
12DQ6 1 /12GW6 BTC $8.00 $4.00
12DQ6 1 /12GW6 BTC* $10.00 $5.00
12DW4 1 COMPCTRN BTC $5.00 $2.50

12GC6 1 BTC $4.00 $2.00
12K5 1 TCS $4.00 $2.00
12K5 1 TCS $4.00 $2.00
12MD8 1 COMPCTRN ONB $6.00 $3.00

12SC7 1 TCL $8.00 $4.00
12SK7 2 TCL $5.00 $2.50

12SN7 1 TCL $2.50 $1.25
12W6 1 TCL $4.00 $2.00

13GF7 1 BTC $5.00 $2.50

14A5 1 B5 $2.50 $1.25
14A7 1 B5 $2.50 $1.25
14B6 3 B5 $2.50 $1.25
14Q7 1 B5 $2.50 $1.25

15CW5 1 TCL $2.50 $1.25

16AQ3 1 TCL $3.00 $1.50
16GK6 1 TCL $3.00 $1.50

17AX4 2 BTC* $6.00 $3.00
17C5 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
17DQ6 1 B1 $5.00 $2.50
17DQ6/17GW6 2 B1 $5.00 $2.50
17JM6A 1 COMPCTRN B5* $8.00 $4.00

19T8 2 TCS $2.00 $1.00
19T8 2 TCS* $4.00 $2.00

1A5 1 B5 $2.50 $1.25
1B3/1G3 3 BTC $2.50 $1.25
1K3 2 BTC $2.50 $1.25
1K3/1J3 1 TCL $2.50 $1.25

1L4 7 B3 $2.50 $1.25
1LA4 1 B5 $2.50 $1.25
1LB4 1 B5 $2.50 $1.25
1LH4 2 B5 $2.50 $1.25
1LN5 1 B5 $2.50 $1.25
1R5 5 B3 $3.00 $1.50
1R5 1 B3* $6.00 $3.00
1S5 13 B3 $2.50 $1.25

1T4 4 B3 $2.50 $1.25

1U4 3 B3 $2.50 $1.25
1U5 1 B3 $3.00 $1.50
1X2 2 B3 $3.00 $1.50

20AQ3 1 BTC $4.00 $2.00
22DE4 1 BTC $4.00 $2.00
25DN6 2 B1 $6.00 $3.00
25L6 1 B1 $2.00 $1.00
25Z6 2 TCL $2.00 $1.00
27GB5 1 COMPCTRN BTC $6.00 $3.00

2AF4B 1 B3* $7.00 $3.50
2CY5 1 B3* $6.00 $3.00
2D21 9 THYRATRON B3* $4.00 $2.00

30KD6 1 COMPCTRN B5* $20.00 $10.00

35C5 2 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
35C5 1 TCS $2.00 $1.00
35W4 1 TCS $2.00 $1.00
35W4 1 LT1 $2.00 $1.00
35Y4 1 BTC $4.00 $2.00
35Z5 4 /GT TCL $6.00 $3.00

3AL5 1 B3 $3.00 $1.50
3AT2 1 TCL* $5.00 $2.50
3AT2 1 COMPCTRN BTC $2.50 $1.25
3AU6 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50

3BC5 1 B3 $3.00 $1.50
3BN6 1 B3 $3.00 $1.50
3BU8 1 B3 $3.00 $1.50
3BZ6 5 B3 $3.00 $1.50
3BZ6 2 B3* $5.00 $2.50

3CB6 3 B3 $4.00 $2.00
3CS6 3 B3* $5.00 $2.50

3DB3/3CY3 3 BTC/TCL $6.00 $3.00
3DG4 1 B1 $6.00 $3.00
3DG4 1 B1* $6.00 $3.00
3DT6 2 B3** $4.00 $2.00

3HA5 1 LT1 $4.00 $2.00
3S4 2 B3 $3.00 $1.50

3V4 1 /DLP4 B3 $4.00 $2.00

403A 1 WElec B2* $3.00 $1.50
45Z3 1 TCS $4.00 $2.00

4AU6 1 B4 $2.50 $1.25
4BN6 2 B4 $2.50 $1.25
4BU8 1 B4 $2.50 $1.25
4BZ6 3 B4 $2.50 $1.25

4BZ6 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
4CB6 4 B4 $2.50 $1.25
4DT6 1 B4 $2.50 $1.25
4EH7 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
4EJ7 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
4GK5 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
50A5 1 TCL $4.00 $2.00

50C5 2 TCS $4.00 $2.00
50C5 1 LT1 $4.00 $2.00
50C5 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
50L6 2 TCL $4.00 $2.00
50Y6 3 TCL $4.00 $2.00

5678 1 B2 $4.00 $2.00
5844 4 B2* $5.00 $2.50

5AQ5 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
5CG8 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
5CL8A 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
5GS7 1 B4* $2.50 $1.25
5HZ6 3 LT1 $2.50 $1.25
5U4 6 B1 $3.50 $1.75
5U8 1 B4 $3.00 $1.50
5U8 1 B4* $3.00 $1.50
5V3 2 B5 $3.50 $1.75

6AC7 1 BTC $2.50 $1.25
6AC7 1 BTC $2.50 $1.25
6AF11 1 COMPCTRN TCL* $4.00 $2.00
6AF3 1 TCL* $4.00 $2.00
6AG5 2 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
6AG5 3 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6AG7 4 METAL BTC $5.00 $2.50
6AG7 1 METAL TCL $5.00 $2.50
6AJ4 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25
6AK5 13 TCS $2.50 $1.25

6AM8 2 TCS* $2.50 $1.25
6AM8A 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25
6AN5 1 /WA TCS $5.00 $2.50
6AN8 5 TCS* $6.00 $3.00
6AN8A 1 TCS* $6.00 $3.00

6AQ6 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6AS5 2 TCS $3.00 $1.50

6AS6 1 TCS $2.00 $1.00
6AU4GTA 3 BTC/TCL* $3.50 $1.75
6AU5 2 TCL $3.50 $1.75
6AU8 3 TCS $3.50 $1.75
6AU8A 5 TCS* $3.50 $1.75

6AV5 1 BTC $3.00 $1.50
6AW8 2 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6AY3 1 TCL $3.00 $1.50

6BA11 2 COMPCTRN TCL* $4.00 $2.00
6BC7 1 TCS $4.00 $2.00
6BG6 3 B1 $5.00 $2.50
6BH6 2 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6BH6 3 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6BJ6 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
6BJ8 2 TCS* $2.50 $1.25
6BK4A 1 B1 $7.00 $3.50
6BK5 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
6BK7 2 TCS $2.50 $1.25

6BL8/ECF80 4 TCS* $5.00 $2.50
6BN6 3 TCS $4.00 $2.00

6BQ6 1 BTC* $6.00 $3.00
6BQ6/6CU6 5 BTC $4.00 $2.00
6BS8 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25
6BU8 3 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
6BZ7 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00

6CD6A 1 BTC $5.00 $2.50
6CJ3/6DW4 3 COMPCTRN BTC/TCL $10.00 $5.00
6CL8A 1 TCS* $2.50 $1.25
6CM7 4 TCS $3.00 $1.50

6CW5 1 TCL* $4.00 $2.00
6CZ5 1 TCL* $6.00 $3.00

6DE4 1 BTC $4.50 $2.25
6DE4 1 BTC* $4.50 $2.25
6DK6 2 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
6DQ6B 4 /6CW6 B1/B2/BTC* $10.00 $5.00
6DT6A 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00

6EA7 1 TCL* $4.00 $2.00
6EB8 1 TCS* $2.50 $1.25
6EJ7 2 /EF184 TCS $4.00 $2.00

6EM7 1 TCL* $4.00 $2.00
6EM7 3 BTC $2.50 $1.25
6ER5 1 TCS* $2.50 $1.25
6EU8 1 TCS* $2.50 $1.25
6EW6 1 TCS* $6.00 $3.00
6EW6 1 TCS $5.00 $2.50

6F6 2 BTC $7.00 $3.50
6FH5 1 TCS* $4.50 $2.25
6FQ7 4 LT2 $3.00 $1.50
6FQ7/6CG7 2 TCS $10.00 $5.00
6FY5 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25

6GE5 1 BTC* $8.00 $4.00
6GH8 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6GH8A 5 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6GJ7/ECF801 1 TCS $5.00 $2.50
6GK5 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
6GK6 1 TCL* $10.00 $5.00

6H6 1 TCL $2.50 $1.25
6H6 1 BTC $2.50 $1.25
6HA5 1 TCS $3.00 $1.50
6HA5/6HM5 1 TCS* $4.00 $2.00
6HE5 1 COMPCTRN BTC $3.00 $1.50
6HQ5 1 TCS* $2.50 $1.25
6HS8 1 TCS $2.50 $1.25
6HV5A 2 COMPCTRN BTC* $8.00 $4.00

6J7 2 TCL $3.00 $1.50
6K11 1 COMPCTRN TCL* $3.00 $1.50
6K6 4 TCL $2.50 $1.25

6KT8 3 TCS $4.00 $2.00
6L6 2 /WGB BTC $8.00 $4.00
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6U10 3 COMPCTRN TCL/BTC* $7.00 $3.50
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5598. Re: FT-50, favorite antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5nft58$fsk@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 173475
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

But lets face it none of these shortie antennas are going to
out perform a nice long wip on an FT50.

Too bad no one is making a nice wip for an FT-50. They would be an instant
best seller. Its one of the major short commings on the radio.

The radio would perform 2 or 3 times better with nothing more
than a better antenna. There is no more effective or less expensive
improvemnet one could make.

Yet no antenna. Only weird BNC adaption gizmo.

The cash is burning a hole in my pocket for a decent antenna.

=TOM=
tnic@dt.net

B. Good & B. Rogers <bnb@mindspring.com> wrote:
: "TDF Technical Support" <tdftech@cyberramp.net> wrote:

: >Finally, any other worthwhile mods to this great little HT? I'll be picking
: >up a better antenna at the Arlington HAMCOM on 6/7. Any suggestions?
: >
: I've tried several and the one that now stays on our two FT-50's
: are/is the Comet SMA3.

: Regards, Bob, AB4G

5599. Re: mounting radios in jeep grand cherokee

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5nftjm$pf7$1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 173476

>I recently bought a jeep grand cherokee and would like to hear from
>anyone who has mounted hf and dual band rigs in these vehicles or from
>anybody that has suggestions.
>
Hi Mike...what specifically is the problem??? Location??? Electrical
connections??? RF interference from the vehicle computer?? RF
interference to the vehicle computer???

73
Andy
WD4KDN
>
>Mike, KC4Q

5600. Re: Wanted Rohn 25G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <rh@pcez.com>
Message-ID: <339DD558.3737@pcez.com>
Source record: 173227

Mark,

Check out the Northwest Saturday Morning Swap Net. We meet each saturday morning at 9 AM local (145.27 in PDX, 145.33 in Seat). There have been lots of Rohn stuff listed lately.

Additionally, I post the net results to our website each week. I recomend that you check it out. I don't know if it's still available, but this week, a ham listed a straight section and top section for "$40 or whatever I can get this week, I'm moving". He was located in gresham.

the address is: http://www.chatlink.com/~rickt/swap.htm

If that doesn't work out, get back to me. I have some misc. 25G stuff coming out of an estate that I'm helping with.

Ron, N7TAW

N7QN wrote:
>
> Looking for Rohn 25G , need top section(s), hinged base plate, or
> sections, possibly other accessories.
> Seattle or Portland area.
> Email me with what you've got .
> N7QN@aol.com
> Mark.

5601. Re: pse help ID GE mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <rh@pcez.com>
Message-ID: <339DCE55.783C@pcez.com>
Source record: 173228
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio

John,

These things definately have tube finals, but the club has lots of
spares and they aren't interested in replacing the rigs at this time.

The stamps on one of the boards shows a "built" date of Dec, '72, so
you're in the right ballpark.

If you happen to have any of that old literature laying around, it would
be greatly appreciated.

Thanks again,

Ron, N7TAW

JRS wrote:
>
> Wasn't the first unit listed an Exec I (not the Exec II) that used
> tubes for the driver and final (rest of the radio is solid state)? I
> used to have RG56TAS66 models on high band that were Exec I units
> (from the mid to late 60s I think).
>
> John N3AB

5602. When is Gaithesburg hamfest?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpanek@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <339af29f.4944108@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173229

When is the Gaithesburg Hamfest? Does anyone have a contact telephone
for tickets.
73
David Panek KE4MLV
dpanek@mindspring.com

5603. WTB:KENWOOD TS 950SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BILL SALERNO <W2ONV@WORLDNET.ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <01bc75f7$b376a3c0$0ec074cf@default>
Source record: 173230

LOOKING TO BUY LATE SERIAL 950 SDX RESPOND VIA E-MAIL.
W2ONV@WORLDNET.ATT.NET
TNX
BILL SALERNO

5604. Yaesu FRG-7700 for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc753a$3e207a00$182a54c7@morinm>
Source record: 173231

Hi, I have a Yaesu FRG-7700 communications receiver for sale. Unit is
in mint condition with manual. Covers the band from 0.15-29.99MHz. Has
large LED read out, GMT/local clock with timers, noise blanker and AGC.
LSB/USB/AM/AM-ANL/CW and FM. Has 3 position IF filter.
Works perfect, a classic. $200.00 U.S. and I pay UPS fees and insurance
anywhere in the USA and Canada! Mike VE2CJW.
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5605. ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339DFFE2.553C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173232

If you just purchased a Icom 706 MK II. Take a look at the LCD Display from an Angle. You will see "DSP" clearly marked but it is not usable. My belief is Icom was going to include audio DSP is this radio but at the last minute scraped it so as to get it to market. The rumor I heard is that a Icom Italy Dealer let the news out about the Icom 706 MK II and the Rumors went out of control. Icom decided to release the IC-706 Mark II earlier than it was supposed to so the DSP feature was left out. To bad. Perhaps next year Icom will come out with a Icom 706 MK III ??? I doubt Icom would have put the LCD with the words "DSP" if they were not planning on it initialy.

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5606. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339E0439.7794@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173233

Robert A. Kile wrote:
>
> As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for.
> Chances are if these criteria are not met, I simply don't go back. On
> the other hand this list will assume that I the customer have done my
> homework and know what I'm looking for.
>
> They are as follows:
> 1. Was I greeted when entering the location?
> 2. Was there a large inventory? Was it well displayed?
> 3. Was there adequate staff? Were they busy with other customers? If so,
> did they acknowledge my presence?
> 4. Was pricing competative? Were the items brand names?
> 5. When approaching a salesperson with a specific question did he answer
> it? If he did not know the answer did he make an immediate effort to
> find the answer. Was he knowledgeable? Did he ask a lot of questions?
> 6.Did he say I don't know and move to another subject?
> 7.Did he attempt to qualify me for use and purpose? Or, did he just
> point to an item and "say we have this"?
> 8 Was the salesperson pressured by other responsiblities or was he
> focused on me?
> 9. When interrupted by another customer did he remain focussed on me by
> excusing himself?
> 10. If they did not have the product I was looking for did they make a
> suggestion of where to find it? If it were back ordered and expected in
> a short period of time did they state so?
> 11. Did they explain the policies of return/exchange at the time of
> sale. Did they mention terms of Warranty?
> 12. Did the sales person close the sale with a product of quality,
> priced competatively, and is it suitable/compatible for my use?
> 13. Did that person thank me and present me with a business card?
>
> As a shopper who is prepaired to buy an answer of "NO" to more than 4
> items on the above list would probably indicate that I will not go back
> or frequent that business.
>
> Bob KG7D
>
> --
> GIF89aI!

This Guy BOB KG7D is the radio repair technician at Amatuer Electronic Supply in Las Vegas . If you have a Amatuer Electronic Supply Catalogue Winter '96/97 His picture is on page 147.

I guess Bob is telling me _not to go to Amatuer Electronic Supply
since they did not pass his Salesperson Evaluation on one occation that
I delt with them.

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5607. HOWARD SAM"S PHOTOFACT FOLDERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Earl" <jpearl@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <339E0AD9.7286@interaccess.com>
Source record: 173234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

HOWARD SAM"S PHOTOFACT FOLDERS

HAVE THE FOLLOWING SETS:

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5608. Re: FS: TS-50 + access. -- hf xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339E10BA.1011@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173235

GBohner wrote:

> For sale:
> Kenwood TS-50, New price @ AES=$1019 -- Asking $750
Last time I looked (about 20 minutes ago) AES was asking $799.99

5609. FS TS 450S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Roger Cook \" KO4O\"" <rcook@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <339D23E3.357@hiwaay.net>
Source record: 173236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale Ts450s with antenna tuner for sale. This rig is absolutely mint with Manual and orig Box. All prices include shipping.

TS 450 $825.00
Sp-23 matching speaker $65.00
ps 430 power supply $150.00

All items have original boxes and manuals, I will split but the price is firm, or $1000.00 for all. Terms Postal money order or $100.00 postal MO and the bal COD.

73 Roger,ko4o

5610. Alinco DX-70 broadband TX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ross Hatfield <hatfield@bright.net>
Message-ID: <339E3B73.41593445@bright.net>
Source record: 173237

Is there a broadband transmit mod for the Alinco DX-70 series hf transciever?

Ross Hatfield

hatfield@bright.net

5611. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339d85c6.14422163@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173238

On Mon, 09 Jun 1997 19:11:29 -0700, Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net> wrote:
>The right mod to rx from 153 - 200 Mhz is on the Internet
>that remove a cap, this is not endosed by Icom , but it works.
>A ham in Finland posted it on the internet.

I developed it, and posted it. Others have reposted it many times.
But it is remove one cap, discard it, remove another cap, and
reinstall it piggyback across a third cap. It isn't hard, but it is
SMT rework.

>Also, If you read your manual , the 706 spec's are only
>guaranteed in the HAM band and the manufacturer reserves the
>right to improve the design at his discretion.

True, but they did *advertise* full coverage to 200 MHz (at least until
we started complaining about the state of the emperor's wardrobe).
This mod *delivers* on that advertising promise.

>The original 706 with the cap mod can improve the rx ability,
>the only drawback is that Local oscillator leakage from the
>oscillator can leak out and radiate out the VHF port of the
>antenna, which can cause interference to other radio's ,TV's,
>etc.

Bull! There is more LO leakage through the case and on the
DC power line than there is coming out the antenna connector.
If you even glance at the schematic, you'll see that the filter is
not what suppresses LO radiation in this radio. An Icom America
employee did make this claim, but when pressed to prove it he
backed off.

>This is why Icom will not endorse the mod, since the radio will
>then not meet part 15 of interference to other receiving devices.

The radio's Part 15 certification is voided if *any* RF mods are
done which haven't been tested by a certified lab. That's the way
the certification process works. But Icom has not paid to have the
modified radio tested to see if it still meets Part 15 limits, so they
can't endorse the mod without running afoul of the FCC. But I have
tested it, and it doesn't have more LO radiation after the mod than
before the mod. As amateurs, that's all we have to do. We don't
need certification for our own radios. They only have to meet
good engineering practice, and this mod does.

>This means, if you do the mod, Icom will not stand by the product!!

IMHO what really concerns Icom is that if you muck up the radio (this is SMT rework after all) you might come back at them and demand they fix it if they had blessed the mod. Remember, as with any mod, if you muck it up, you're on your own. No warranty is expressed or implied.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5612. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Lutzinger <rjlutz@home.com>
Message-ID: <339E2B01.28CE@home.com>
Source record: 173239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Walt Davidson wrote:
>
> On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 17:28:39 +0800, Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT
> <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:
>
> >Trying to repair a Yaesu FT-101 and am in need of a set of output
> >tubes. Either new or used/tested/guaranteed is ok. Low price is
> >paramount.
>
> I always thought the output tubes in the FT101 were 6146B.
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@dial.pipex.com

None of the above! They are 6JS6C's in the FT101's

Rick Lutzinger

Rick Lutzinger KD6ZR HOME EMAIL: rjlutz@home.com
647 Choctaw Drive WORK EMAIL: rickl@lathropeng.com
Fremont, CA 94539

5613. Re: Alpha 76 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Ray <k4mzw@akorn.net>
Message-ID: <01bc75d8$c5720160$2c64d9cd@default>
Source record: 173240

Hi Bob; The Alpha 76 is a terrific Bullet-proof amplifier. If you have found one ingood shape especially a 76PA whic is the three tube model for less than $1,100 you should buy it. The 8874 tube is discontinued from Eimac and are quite expensive to find as new (approx. $300+ each) however, Svetlana is working on a new tube to replace the 8874 which will be available from those of us who are dealers for their tubes. Also Dick Byrd N4UQ in Atlanta is a good source for information and he has a conversion that is superb for the 76 that converts it to 3CX800 tubes.

Regards..... Jack

Bob White <N0ZKK@ponyexpress.net> wrote in article
<339bece0.219728305@news.ponyexpress.net>...
> Tell me what you can about this amp and the 8874s .
> what is the output , is it a better amp than a good SB220
> Just let me know what you think of the Alpha 76 in general.
> Thanks Bob
>

5614. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwa@cs.athabascau.ca
Message-ID: <5nkep8$ak8$1@aurora.cs.athabascau.ca>
Source record: 173241

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:

>Please post their WEB PAGE ADDRESS!

Alta Vista found it on the very first attempt; give it a try.

regards,
Ross

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5615. Re: ICOM706 MKII: any noise blanker improvement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "F. Feeney" <*spamsaver*_fkf1@cornell.edu>
Message-ID: <5nk3kq$74c@newsstand.cit.cornell.edu>
Source record: 173242

In article <33998D0C.50BA@informix.com> Randall Rhea,
randall@informix.com writes:
>Before I go out and buy one, did Icom make any improvements to the
>noise blanker in the 706 MK II? The original 706 noise blanker
>does not work on AM.
>
>73 DE KG0HW

I've never used the older 706, but the MKII noise blanker does the job on some impulse noise that I hear at the home QTH. The noise blanker on the DX70 never touched it. I haven't run it mobile yet but based on what I've seen so far, I'd say it's reasonably effective on at least one type of impulse noise. In AM mode, with a reasonably strong signal it will introduce distortion, but you can either select it off, or set it not to come on in AM mode off the main menu.

Kevin, WB2EMS

5616. Re: FT-50, favorite antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken.g4mpq@virgin.net
Message-ID: <339b3f6a.2861066@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 173243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On 9 Jun 1997 03:26:32 GMT, tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>
>But lets face it none of these shortie antennas are going to
>out perform a nice long wip on an FT50.
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>: are/is the Comet SMA3.
>
>: Regards, Bob, AB4G

5617. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <resurrect.339d813d.5449662@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173244

I can't compare the GAP to the Cushcraft but, I have a GAP Challenger DX that I've been using for 2 1/2 years and I am impressed with it's performance. Went from box to on the air in abt 4 hrs.MFJ antenna analyzer showed abt 1.5 or to 1, or less, on all bands with NO TUNING. You do need 3 - 25 ft. radials but they don't have to be straight, I have a friend that also likes his GAP.
Buzz

On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 13:07:02 +0200, pinson@quaternet.fr wrote:

>I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..
>
>Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
>comparaison with R7000 ?
>
>Is it a good antenna ?
>
>Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****
>

5618. question on hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jenning1@marshall.edu
Message-ID: <1997Jun10.104344.11865@hobbit>
Source record: 173245

Hello to all in this great hobby. I am soon to become a new member and user within this hobby. I would like to know about 2-meter hand helds. I am intrigued with 2-meter and would like to know more about it. I have a quick question though. Since I am a new comer I am unfamilur with the brand names and the many types of equipment that are out there. I would like to know is there is a reliable, durable, reasonably priced, 5 watt, hand held that would be great for a beginner. Any help on this matter would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for taking the time to read this.

stuart (soon to be some call sign)

5619. Ideas on "How to raise $$ for local club..."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KC8ADE" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc75a8$f6d8f360$524e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 173246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I thought I'd throw this one to the masses, and ask the question. I've been nominated for club president, and I'll be taking the position after our club's June meeting. The club is fairly small (48 members, not even half of which are very active on the radio), and we're located in the northern lower peninsula of Michigan.

Currently, club dues are the only source of income for the club. I'm looking for fresh ideas on how to pull in some cash so we can update our repeater, and accomplish some other things that require some money.

Any and all ideas will be welcomed! Please be specific. For example, instead of "Have a fund raiser.", let me know how YOUR club does it, what kinds of fund raisers do you have, etc. I'd really like to start bringing this club into the 90's, and we need $$ to do that!

Thanks, in advance, for the input. Please email me directly with any responses, in addition to any posts to the newsgroups.

Thanks again, and 73.

Chad Johnston, KC8ADE

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Chad Johnston, KC8ADE

Email: webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
Top of Michigan Amateur Radio Club, Gaylord, MI 146.820- Repeater
http://www.nuwaysupply.com/TOMARC/
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http://www.nuwaysupply.com/kc8ade/

5620. Siemens marine receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: eisner@lav.de
Message-ID: <eisner-1006970949280001@eisnerx75.lav.de>
Source record: 173277

Desperately seeking manual for Siemens S/W receiver 745 R 310 b.
eisner@lav.de

5621. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <339DFDB9.1538@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 173278

Gee Bob, and you actually have a list of stores that pass the test? So....stop keeping us in suspense. Where do you find such fantastic sales-droids earning $4/hour? I'll start shopping there.

Joe

5622. Re: Preamps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <339D3644.42B1@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173279

JS Kraling wrote:
>
> What is a preamp and why would I need one? I own an Icom Z1A HT and I
> want to buy an amp to put into my car. I found one from Mirage for $150,
> dual band, 5 in 45/30 out, but it doesn't have a preamp. Do I really
> need it?
>
> Also, does anyone know if I can buy a service manual from Icom for my HT?
>
> Thanks!
> 73,
>
> Joshua Kraling
> --
> I find television very educating. | J. Kraling jkraling@iastate.edu
> Every time somebody turns on the set, | off the wall
> I go into the other room and read a book. | Mac & PC Computer consulting
> Groucho Marx |

A "preamp" boasts your receive signal. In a mobil situation using a
handheld radio it would probably cause more harm than good. Also the
fact that the amp works at the radio end limits its usefulness. To be
of any use the amp should be at the antenna. preamps are of most use
for weak signal work where they are mounted at the antenna to overcome
line loses....73

5623. Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: pinson@quaternet.fr
Message-ID: <E30059DB6BC3D5CF.ED6102E8E4A3FD22.44CBCA8BD7F61591@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 173280

I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..

Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
comparaison with R7000 ?

Is it a good antenna ?

Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****

5624. News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <01BC75A6.EF3FFBA0@teleport16.shani.net>
Source record: 173281

For those who are still waiting for 505DSP HF new
transceiver brochure from Kachina Communications:

On the 8-pages brochure they are few details not given
on their WEB site.

* The automatic frequency calibration can be made also
from WWW.
* Your computer SoundBlaster card is used also for RX
audio and as an integrated digital record/playback device
with no recording time or slot number limitation.
* The transceiver can be controlled by voice using voice
recognition software.
* Both RF unit and the control head can be remoted from
a 25-75 feet distance.
* The digital "remote control by phone line" feature is using
DVSD modems and will be available at the beggining of 1998.
* The optional antenna tuner is using "fuzzy reasoning" algorithm
and "impedance point interpolation" method with 64 internal
memories.
* The A/D converters are using " sigma-delta " methods.
* The CW signal transmit adjustable waveform feature has
256 steps.
* The CW ring-free DSP filters can be adjusted to 100Hz BW.
* The RX has a selectable syllabic or level sensitive squelch.
* Both channel and band scanning features have a variable rate
option.
* The control head can be internallly mounted into a 5 1/4'' free
bay on your PC or on an external case if your PC is already full.
* The RF unit looks strong with a large heatsink. There are about
9-12 modular professional - looking / RFI- isolated PCBs. On the
antenna tuner module, only the relays are visible, the coils and
the capacitor banks are mounted in a RFI enclosure. On the
front panel they are only a power LED and the RS-232 connector
and can be positioned vertically or horizontally.
* The control head front panel has a power on/off switch, two LEDs,
mike, paddle, key, speaker and phones connectors.
* 2 years warranty, 48hrs turnaround-time on repairs and free
return freight (for USA hams) sounds great ! It will be interesting
if the overseas dealers will offer a similar package. It's still not clear
for me if Kachina will sell directly too or only via dealers.
* For the european hams: they will be present at Friederichshafen
at the end of June. Their german dealer is SSB-Electronics. At
Dayton they had problems demonstrating the rig due to the very
poor indoor antenna used and to terrible Arena noise.

The BIG first question will be of course, how the receiver will perform on our today bands environment .

Enclosed with the envelope was a prelimminary price list :

* 505DSP transceiver (including the RF unit, PC internal installed control head, hand mike, installation software, Quick reference chart and interfacing cables) : $1995.00
* Optional 505AT internal antenna tuner: $239.00
* Mounting bracket, $40.00
* Shock mounts for mobile operations : $19.00
* Optional 25ft cable for control head: $39.00
* Optional 75ft cable for control head: $69.00
* Optional 25ft RS-232 cable: $29.00
* Optional 75ft RS-232 cable: $39.00

I'm not so sure, but I understand that the included interfacing cables are 8ft long.

The brochure is very nice but many important specifications are still missing. I think that they are still keeping some critical specs for July/August. I heard also some rumors that the ARRL product review will appear on November issue of QST.

In the mean time, the sales peoples and applications engineers at Kachina were very cooperative and responsive to my endless questions, hi, hi.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

5625. Yaesu FT-900 reset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: naky <naky@mail.fm>
Message-ID: <339D36F1.78BD@mail.fm>
Source record: 173282

How do I turn off the beep and do a reset on the Yaesu FT-900? Anyone know how? Please post and email me a copy. Thanks

Atson - V63BR

5626. Re: Motorola MCX 1000, info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970610121401.IAA25723@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173283

The MCX1000 was designed for motorcycle use or where mounting space is scarce. It comes in both a dash mount and a remote mount version and is made for Motorola in Europe (Germany, I think). Software is required for pro-
gramming and is part #RVN-4011, as well as a RIB (radio interface box) and a programming cable (can be obtained from Motorola or Polaris Industries in
Ga.). The programming cable does indeed plug into the RJ11 connector in the
front panel which is the microphone jack as well. MCX1000s are either 56 mode or 128 mode depending on the EEPROM inside. It is an excellent radio with wide band capability and is available in VHF and UHF (no low-band). Hope this is helpful.
Thad Osborne
Knoxville TN

5627. Johnson 1KW Matchbox and 250-23 Matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pcsas <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <339D7C4A.7078@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 173284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Johnson 1 Killowatt Matchbox
Johnson 250-23 Matchbox
Johnson 250-23 Matchbox

The 1KW and 250-23 were in use up to 2 months ago.
The 2'nd 250 was not used for several years.
$125 for all three.
E-Mail at 74364.207@CompuServe.com, you cannot use reply.

5628. Re: GINA wireless modem? info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ack Thhpt! <ack@remove.this.to.reply.netins.net>
Message-ID: <339D6F03.47E1@remove.this.to.reply.netins.net>
Source record: 173285

Here's some more info on the GRE GINA radio modems. I got a chance to do some looking at them yesterday and here's what I found.

Despite what the manuals say, all 9 pins of the GINA DB9 connector are connected and probably used.

Pin Function Action

1 DCD Carrier detect, tracks the radio signal

2 RxD Receive data

3 TxD Transmit Data

4 DTR Data Terminal Ready. Seems to be ignored by GINA

5 GND Signal Ground

6 DSR Data Set Ready from GINA. Always true?

7 RTS Request To Send. Keys GINA into Transmit mode

8 CTS Clear To Send, Returned when GINA ready to Tx

9 RI Ring Indicator? Unused?

Using RTS/CTS to key the radio I have been able to do 19200 baud transfers of over 200K between 2 units with no errors.

Note: I am not affiliated in any way with GRE, their suppliers, their distributors, etc, etc. I just bought the #)@&*^*%!! things and have to install them and make them work.

| Ack Thhpt!
ack@netins.net |

Help stamp out mental illness, or I'll KILL YOU!

5629. Cortland HAMFEST -- June 14th, 1997

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: amn1@cornell.edu
Message-ID: <amn1-1006970949100001@132.236.42.179>
Source record: 173286
Cross-posted to: cornell.marketplace,ithaca.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Skyline Amateur Radio Club is holding their 15th Annual Hamfest in
Cortland NY on Saturday June 14. Come look for many of your Radio &
Computer Needs

Time is from 7am to 2pm

VE Testing Starts at 10am
More information can be found on their website

http://www.clarityconnect.com/webpages/backroyd/hamfest.htm

or by e-mail at sany@servtech.com

73's
Alex -- N2YEL
amn1@cornell.edu

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Madness takes its toll.
Please have exact change.

5630. Re: *I need to know what the colors are for**ROTOR HELP*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce.Bennett@tek.com
Message-ID: <Bruce.Bennett.188.0056AEFC@tek.com>
Source record: 173287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <339C7CEA.66F6@bellsouth.net> "Ladd V. Straatmann" <laddo@bellsouth.net>
writes:
>From: "Ladd V. Straatmann" <laddo@bellsouth.net>
>Subject: *I need to know what the colors are for**ROTOR HELP*
>Date: Mon, 09 Jun 1997 17:00:10 -0500

>I have recently rebuilt a what I believe to be AR40 rotor. There is 4
>wires that come out a black, blue, red, and white. Any help will be
>appreciated.
>Also any help to determine how to convert to a three wire control box.
>Thanks
>Ladd

If you can't find any local or net help, look up "Norm's Rotor Service" on the
Web. Great guy, great service. He rebuilds and sells rotors and control heads
for all kinds of applications. I sent in my Ham 3 for rebuild and after
rebuilding it I got to use the trade-in price to upgrade to a rebuilt Ham 4.
My guess is there isn't much he doesn't know about rotors.

73's
Bruce

5631. Yaesu FRG-7700 for sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc75a5$17c3e8e0$540d23cf@michel.csgoeland.qc.ca>
Source record: 173288

Hi, I have a Yaesu FRG-7700 communications receiver for sale. Unit is in mint condition with manual. Covers the band from 0.15-29.9MHz. Has large LED read out, GMT/local clock with timers. LSB/USB/AM/AM-ANL/CW and FM.
Also has 3 position IF filter. Works perfectly, a classic. $200.00 and I pay UPS fees and insurance anywhere in the USA and Canada! Mike VE2CJW. morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5632. Phasetek Phasor or similar system sought for 'back yard' use.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <339D1984.4C13@atl.org>
Source record: 173289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.design,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I am looking for a used Phasor or other system for electrically steerable vertical array. Vaguely recall an article in Ham Radio magazine and will appreciate info on which issue if anyone has a better memory than me. I can always relay switch a bunch of transmission line segments but wanted to explore other options before putting anything together. If someone has an old system gathering dust that is available for swap, by all means, write and let me know. Primary interest is for 40m band but 20, 30, and 80 are of interest too.

-bob

5633. Alinco DJ-S41T FRS radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sbooth@artsci.net
Message-ID: <865952184.7791@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173290

Turn your $119.95(US) Alinco DJ-S41T into BOTH a ham radio
and a FRS radio!!!

GO HERE!!

http://www.artsci.net/~sbooth/

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5634. FS:IC-751A $725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kjeffcoat@pacpower.com
Message-ID: <865953354.8681@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Icom IC-751A HF with built in power supply. FL52 filter,
CR64 xtal, box & manual. Excellent condition w/box & manual.
Ken 206-881-0564
Seattle

-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5635. TS-940S For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Uni-Hat Group <eag@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339D6B98.3734@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mint TS-940S For Sale, with CW narrow 455Khz Filter, does not have automatic tuner. Looking for "Best Offer" (I retain the right to withdraw or not accept any or all offers for purchase). I will pay shipping and insurance costs. Ed

5636. Yeasu FT-5200?? Why ignored by Yeasu?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Thomson <randall.w.thomson@lmtas.lmco.com>
Message-ID: <01bc75ab$d2c03300$69c1728f@LMTAS_Net.lmtas.lmco.com>
Source record: 173293

Does anyone know what the deal is on the FT-5200?

My wife has an FT-5100, and we are quite satisfied with it, so far. But, Yeasu appears to ignore the existence of the FT-5200 in their catalogs. At least for the last year, I think I've only seen one mention in Yeasu literature about the 5200.

I like the remotability of the 5200, and I have seen a good closeout price on them, but I don't want to get stuck with a turkey.
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Remove spambot inhibit from return address.

Randy Thomson
Lockheed Martin Tactical Aircraft Systems
Comments are my own, and may not reflect
the opinions of my employer.

5637. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: U40241@uicvm.uic.edu
Message-ID: <97161.095159U40241@uicvm.uic.edu>
Source record: 173294

Did you mention DSP I.F. passband chart showing ideal passband curve but ultimate rejection of 100 db at the bottom with a series of close-by secondary lobes bouncing up to -80db? This will sound good as long as your neighbor is not on your adjacent channel. K9ZAT

5638. Re: Yeasu FT-5200?? Why ignored by Yeasu?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Thomson <randall.w.thomson@lmtas.nospam.lmco.com>
Message-ID: <01bc75ae$a04ea840$69c1728f@LMTAS_Net.lmtas.lmco.com>
Source record: 173295

Randy Thomson <randall.w.thomson@lmtas.lmco.com> wrote in article
<01bc75ab$d2c03300$69c1728f@LMTAS_Net.lmtas.lmco.com>...
> Does anyone know what the deal is on the FT-5200?
>
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> Yeasu appears to ignore the existence of the FT-5200 in their catalogs.
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> on them, but I don't want to get stuck with a turkey.
> --
> Remove spambot inhibit from return address.
>
> Randy Thomson
> Lockheed Martin Tactical Aircraft Systems
> Comments are my own, and may not reflect
> the opinions of my employer.
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>
Oops! You can ignore the nospam comment in my previous post. I blew it.

Randy

5639. WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hjanssen@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <EBKEKv.BE8@eskimo.com>
Source record: 173296

Here is a rookie question, who makes an 1.25 Meter mobile. I can find 70cm/2m mobiles everywhere but I have had a hard time finding a 1.25 mobile. (I know they exist I have seen them)

Do they exist, and do they exist in a dual band configuration. Who makes them and what are the prices.

Any and all help is appreciated.!

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---------- http://www.eskimo.com/~hjanssen ----------
Hank Janssen. | A Degree Only means You have proven
Advanced Sentient Systems. Seattle WA | to know where to look up an answer
EMAIL: hjanssen@eskimo.com | to a known question.

5640. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: landisj@nad.com
Message-ID: <1997Jun10.110454.706@main03>
Source record: 173297

In article <5nij8a$cbv@server.cntfl.com>, jleikhim@nettally.com (Joe Leikhim) writes:
> tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:
>
>>I hooked a power meter and dummy load on two 100ft runs of 9913 flexable
>>I have 50 watts going into the cable and 30 at the far end just before the
>>dummy load on 2 meters.>On 440 its even worse. Its 35 watts out of the radio and 12 watts at the
>>far end.
>>=TOM=
>>tnic@idt.net
>
> What kind of connectors are you using? sounds kinda high?
>

It could be full of water too.

Good luck,
Joe - AA3GN
--
landisj@nad.com - speaking only for myself, of course
No, this is not a sig.

5641. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <339d813d.5449662@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173298

I can't compare the GAP to the Cushcraft but, I have a GAP Challenger DX that I've been using for 2 1/2 years and I am impressed with it's performance. Went from box to on the air in abt 4 hrs.MFJ antenna analyzer showed abt 1.5 or to 1, or less, on all bands with NO TUNING. You do need 3 - 25 ft. radials but they don't have to be straight, I have a friend that also likes his GAP.
Buzz

On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 13:07:02 +0200, pinson@quaternet.fr wrote:

>I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..
>
>Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
>comparaison with R7000 ?
>
>Is it a good antenna ?
>
>Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****
>

5642. Re: FT50r & VX-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kral@hpl.hp.com
Message-ID: <5nk08c$bfl@hplms2.hpl.hp.com>
Source record: 173299

In article <339c43fc.3011895@news.fn.net>,
Jeff <boggess@mail.feist.com> wrote:

Jeff, I own one of each. Here's my answers.

>I saw some older posts about the VX-10's FTT-15 key pad & how it might
>be possible to use it with a FT50r.
>Has anyone figured out how to adapt the FTT-15 keypad for the VX-10 to
>work with a FT50r???

Won't work, ever. The connector is a different size a location.

>
>I also have a few questions about the VX-10
>
>1. Will it Tx on the 2m band (can it be used for 2m)

Yes.

>
>2.Will the display show actuall freqs or just channell #'s

The display will show what ever you program it to display. The two choices
are "chan-xx" or a programmed name. If you want it to display the
frequency, you have to program it as a name. The name can be up to 8
characters.

>
>3.Will the ADMS softwarework with it or does it come with it's own
>software?

It has its own version of the software, I think its ADMS-2C, but I'm not
sure.

>
>73 Jeff
>
>

Take care,
--
Joseph Kral
Hewlett-Packard Laboratories
kral@hpl.hp.com

5643. Re: Yaesu FT-50 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kral@hpl.hp.com
Message-ID: <5nk0cu$bkm@hplms2.hpl.hp.com>
Source record: 173300

In article <01bc755c$41a1e020$3908aacf@viking.add-inc.com>,
Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com> wrote:
>Any idea how to delete a frequency programed into one of the memories? I
>can reprogram any memory with a new frequency but I don't know how to
>simply delete a frequency from memory and it's not in the manual. I want to
>do this since I scan programed memories and if I am no longer using a
>frequency I would rather just delete it than have to program the HT to
>ignore that memory. 73's Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com
>

Its easy enough just to set the "skip" for scanning purposes.

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Joseph Kral
Hewlett-Packard Laboratories
kral@hpl.hp.com

5644. Re: WTB: FRG-9600 TV Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <339D8A2F.43C6@magg.net>
Source record: 173301

Brian K. Short wrote:
>
> WTB: FRG-9600 TV Board
> Looking for the optional TV board (NTSC) for
> the FRG-9600 receiver. Consider any other
> accessories for same? 73, Brian k7on@qsl.netF.A.R. circuits make a 1-30 MHz up converter that was based on a 1984 HR
article. Makes a nice HF RX.

Dale
W4OP

5645. WANTED: STORNO SOFTWARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gatsby@dircon.co.uk
Message-ID: <5nk2c7$d1$1@newsserver.dircon.co.uk>
Source record: 173302

Wanted storno 6000 series software for pc GATSBY@DIRCON.CO.UK

5646. WANTED: STORNO SOFTWARE FOR PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gatsby@dircon.co.uk
Message-ID: <5nk2gadm1@newsserver.dircon.co.uk>
Source record: 173303

WANTED STORNO 6000 SERIES SOFTWARE FOR PC
GATSBY@DIRCON.CO.UK

5647. Preamps/antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkraling@iastate.edu
Message-ID: <5nk39b$h41$1@news.iastate.edu>
Source record: 173304

Thanks to all of those who gave me answers!!

Now I have another question. While I have a homebrew antenna for my car...mag mount. I found one that says output 2m/50W//17cm/25W.

What happens when I go over that? Distortation or what?

Thanks for letting me bug you guys again!

73
Joshua Kraling
KB0TLK
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I find television very educating. | J. Kraling jkraling@iastate.edu
Every time somebody turns on the set, | off the wall
I go into the other room and read a book. | Mac & PC Computer consulting
Groucho Marx |

5648. WTB: RACAL 6790 Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth M Gianino <ken@notify1.com>
Message-ID: <339D9DCA.107D@notify1.com>
Source record: 173305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm looking to keep an old RACAL 6790 HF receiver running into the next millenium and could use some parts. The older 6790 is preferred, but the more common (and more recent) 6790/GM utilizes most of the same components. Let me know what you have. The cheaper the better, so I'm not really interested in functional radios.

Ken Gianino - WB0QNA
ken@notify1.com
(day) 314-241-1188 ext.203

5649. Re: Preamps/antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970610190201.PAA25382@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173306

I'm no expert, but I'll take a crack at it. I believe that the antenna is rated to dissipate that much power before it heats up too much. It's possible that the SWR may be too high at higher power levels. I believe though, because it's a dual-bander, there are phasing coils in the base to give it the dual band ability. Exceeding the power rating given may burn out the coil.......hope I'm right !

73 de Ric N2YWD

5650. FORSALE - National HRO-60 AND Eddystone 770R !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <5nk816$61t@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 173307
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Holmdel Amateur Radio Club is selling it's old
HRO-60 and Eddystone 770R Receivers
in order to raise money for new equipment. The
National comes with 10 coil sets (2 A sets, and
1 each of B, C, D, E, F, G, H, and J). Both receivers
power up and produce some audio output (static),
but probably need a bit or work to get them on the air again.
They have sat virtually unused for
probably 2 decades or so! They are cosmetically in
excellent condition. Our club is the original
owner of these rigs. We have the manuals/schematics
for the HRO-60, but haven't been able
to locate them for the Eddystone.

We are opening the sale up to a bidding process.
If you are interested, please send me e-mail or
call 908-949-0664 with your offer (shipping additional --
equipment located in Monmouth County NJ).
We would like to get at least $500 for the pair.

Joe Levantino
Lucent Technologies
Holmdel NJ

(908) 949-0664
jlevantino@lucent.com

5651. Searching 4 YAESU FRG-8800 Manual...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Serge Scorset <efa@infoboard.be>
Message-ID: <339DA5BC.1260@infoboard.be>
Source record: 173308

HI,

I would like to know if someone have the FRG-8800 manual.

I pay 4 it of course ! You can e-mail me at the following address

efa@euronet.be

Thank U 4 your time

Erik

5652. IC706 Mark II is improved!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <339E0923.6CDD@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173309

Got the 706 Mark II,
Saw major improvements in the
0.03-200Mhz rx, especially the
60-200Mhz rx.

S meter now works on FM broadcast

The spectrum scope has a .1Mhz position

The noise blanker does not distort SSB signals
like it did before.

73

Mike

5653. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339DA53F.31F9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173310

morel grunberg wrote:
>
> For those who are still waiting for 505DSP HF new
> transceiver brochure from Kachina Communications:
>
> On the 8-pages brochure they are few details not given
> on their WEB site.
>
> * The automatic frequency calibration can be made also
> from WWW.
> * Your computer SoundBlaster card is used also for RX
> audio and as an integrated digital record/playback device
> with no recording time or slot number limitation.
> * The transceiver can be controlled by voice using voice
> recognition software.
> * Both RF unit and the control head can be remoted from
> a 25-75 feet distance.
> * The digital "remote control by phone line" feature is using
> DVSD modems and will be available at the beggining of 1998.
> * The optional antenna tuner is using "fuzzy reasoning" algorithm
> and "impedance point interpolation" method with 64 internal
> memories.
> * The A/D converters are using " sigma-delta " methods.
> * The CW signal transmit adjustable waveform feature has
> 256 steps.
> * The CW ring-free DSP filters can be adjusted to 100Hz BW.
> * The RX has a selectable syllabic or level sensitive squelch.
> * Both channel and band scanning features have a variable rate
> option.
> * The control head can be internallly mounted into a 5 1/4'' free
> bay on your PC or on an external case if your PC is already full.
> * The RF unit looks strong with a large heatsink. There are about
> 9-12 modular professional - looking / RFI- isolated PCBs. On the
> antenna tuner module, only the relays are visible, the coils and
> the capacitor banks are mounted in a RFI enclosure. On the
> front panel they are only a power LED and the RS-232 connector
> and can be positioned vertically or horizontally.
> * The control head front panel has a power on/off switch, two LEDs,
> mike, paddle, key, speaker and phones connectors.
> * 2 years warranty, 48hrs turnaround-time on repairs and free
> return freight (for USA hams) sounds great ! It will be interesting
> if the overseas dealers will offer a similar package. It's still not clear
> for me if Kachina will sell directly too or only via dealers.
> * For the european hams: they will be present at Friederichshafen

> at the end of June. Their german dealer is SSB-Electronics. At
> Dayton they had problems demonstrating the rig due to the very
> poor indoor antenna used and to terrible Arena noise.
>
> The BIG first question will be of course, how the receiver will
> perform on our today bands environment .
>
> Enclosed with the envelope was a prelimminary price list :
>
> * 505DSP transceiver (including the RF unit, PC internal installed
> control head, hand mike, installation software, Quick reference
> chart and interfacing cables) : $1995.00
> * Optional 505AT internal antenna tuner: $239.00
> * Mounting bracket, $40.00
> * Shock mounts for mobile operations : $19.00
> * Optional 25ft cable for control head: $39.00
> * Optional 75ft cable for control head: $69.00
> * Optional 25ft RS-232 cable: $29.00
> * Optional 75ft RS-232 cable: $39.00
>
> I'm not so sure, but I understand that the included interfacing
> cables are 8ft long.
>
> The brochure is very nice but many important specifications
> are still missing. I think that they are still keeping some critical
> specs for July/August. I heard also some rumors that the ARRL
> product review will appear on November issue of QST.
>
> In the mean time, the sales peoples and applications engineers
> at Kachina were very cooperative and responsive to my endless
> questions, hi, hi.
>
> 73 de Morel, 4X1AD
Please post their WEB SITE ADDRESS!!!!
73's NS1R

5654. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339DA56D.2E19@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173311

U40241@uicvm.uic.edu wrote:
>
> Did you mention DSP I.F. passband chart showing ideal passband curve but ultim-
> ate rejection of 100 db at the bottom with a series of close-by secondary lobes
> bouncing up to -80db? This will sound good as long as your neighbor is not on
> your adjacent channel. K9ZAT

Please post their WEB PAGE ADDRESS!
73's NS1R

5655. ICOM 706 MK II DSP !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339DA621.508C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173312

If you look at the LCD display of the new Icom 706 MK II you will see the Lettering DSP. Is there DSP in the RADIO. Was this DSP left out because they were in a rush to get it to market. I guess it will be included in the ICOM 706 MK III version.

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5656. Need info for Standard GX3000U LMR radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Cave <joncave@xroadstx.com>
Message-ID: <339D052E.212D@xroadstx.com>
Source record: 173313

I have a Standard GX3000U LMR radio that I need to program. Does anyone have the software to program the GX3000. I am also looking for a service manual and any other info you can provide.

Thanks, Jon Cave KK5OR

5657. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339cf6f4.957303@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 9 Jun 1997 02:09:17 GMT, "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
><339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>>
>> I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled
>> to the vehicle electrical system with diode steering (RV kit).
>
>The only thing to watch for is that most UPSs are designed for full power
>only as long as their batteries last. The transformer and/or power bridge
>may overheat if run on external DC power.
>
>You will have to derate the max continuous output power.

This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more than
long enough to reach thermal equilibrium. You do have to be careful when
looking at the ratings for the UPS, however. There is a peak surge rating,
and a sustained rating. The former is only valid for momentary starting
demands.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5658. Re: Reduce power TM-V7 E ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: viper@visi.net
Message-ID: <5nkbpu$8fb$2@madrid.visi.net>
Source record: 173315

>I just noticed the E suffix, anotating the Europrian version, My earlier
>commits my not apply if operated in Europe by a Europian Hamster and I may
>stand corrected if this is the case. ----------------
>
>Regards David

How bout a Eurasian rat? :)

5659. FS/FT TS930sat/sp930

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <5nka1j$1ho$1@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 173316

I have the above in excellent condition. The rig has been upgraded as per the factory service bulletins. Includes both 500hz cw filters. Open to offers. Would also trade plus cash for a ts940sat or ts850sat.

cheers, Paul
VE7CQK
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

5660. B 3016 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: on1dan@boomer.digibel.be
Message-ID: <339da2e8.6484223@NEWS.BRU.TFI.BE>
Source record: 173317

Hi,

I'm searching the schematic of a VHF PA Mirage B 3016.
Contribution no problem.

Thanks to help, send e-mail to GINO.VDS@DEBCOM.BE
73's de on1dan (Gino)

5661. WTB: Radio Amateurs PREFIX MAP of the WORLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <5nkc1i$578@surf.com>
Source record: 173318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello all,

I'm looking for the "Radio Amateurs PREFIX MAP of the WORLD" which was once published by Radio Amateur Callbook, Inc.

They told me it's no longer produced, but I would like to find a copy in new, mint, or excellent condition. Also looking for a copy of "The Radio Amatuers DX GUIDE" in similar condition.

Please send me email with price and condition. Thanks.

--sandy
sandy@sandy.com
408-257-5383

5662. FS: Bendix King PRC/127

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: 4alncom@ni.net
Message-ID: <865973949.29288@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner

I have one Bendix King PRC/127 radio for sale. This radio comes with charger and display. This unit is in good condition. $350.00

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5663. Re: IC706 Receive / Noise blanket improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339da2e5.21878974@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173320

On Mon, 09 Jun 1997 08:38:58 -0700, Costas Spanos <spanos@eecs.berkeley.edu> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>> The radio has two other major design flaws. The noise blanker noise amplifier
>> pickoff is *after* the IF filter. It should be *before* the filter. That's why the noise
>> blanker works so poorly. It is the same blanker design as was used in the IC735,
>> but the circuit works in that radio because the pickoff is before the IF filter. I moved
>> the pickoff point for the blanker in mine. It works much better now.
>
>
>Gary, this is very interesting. Is this also the reason that the NB
>works on SSB and CW, but produces annoying popping sounds on AM and FM,
>and also on very strong SSB signals? Did your mod fix that problem?

The problem on strong signals is inherent to the blanker design. There is an
adjustment in the service manual you can perform to minimize this, but it is
a tradeoff between blanker threshold and clipping on strong signals. You can
have really good blanking, or you can have clean operation on strong signals,
but you can't have both. Some radios offer a front panel control to let you
adjust this on the fly. Unfortunately, this radio doesn't.

Gary
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Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5664. WTB: FT-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Selman <wega@idt.net>
Message-ID: <339D5096.79B3@idt.net>
Source record: 173321

Want to buy a Yaesu FT-50 for my xyl. Please e-mail or phone
818-222-0777.
WE6A

5665. WTB: FT-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Selman <wega@idt.net>
Message-ID: <339D5125.6AA8@idt.net>
Source record: 173322

WTB FT-50 for my XYL. Please e-mail or phone 818-222-0777.
WE6A

5666. WindTrak Balloon Flight

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5nkf11$2ni$1@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 173323

I read about the upcoming balloon flight where Amateur Radio Equipment would be tethered to the balloon.

The entire message did not come through and for some reason my messages to reply are not accepted either.

I was wondering if anyone knew the DATE the flight is supposed to take place.

It is apparently going to be around Indianapolis or somewhere near there in Indiana. I checked some of the calls and that appears to be where most everyone involved with this project is from.

If I could get the date of liftoff and the approximate time of liftoff, I will listen for it. I know they said the net started at 1145 UTC, but I don't know when the actual liftoff will take place.

5667. WANTED: Heathkit SW-717 Receiver Documentation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: scott@gorzarg5.phy.bnl.gov
Message-ID: <5nkffs$5ui@sun20.ccd.bnl.gov>
Source record: 173324

WANTED: information about a HEATHKIT SW-717 Receiver.

A friend gave me an old Heathkit SW-717 receiver and I am interested
in getting a copy of some documentation for it. It is a fairly old
and simple unit. Mid 1970s maybe. Not very high on the quality-
of-construction charts, but it was free.

Willing to pay copying and/or shipping costs.

Thanks.

Scott
--
Scott Coburn Brookhaven National Laboratory
mailto:scott@bnl.gov Building 510B Upton, NY 11973
http://gorzarg5.phy.bnl.gov/~scott (516) 344-7110

5668. FS. COMPAQ LAPTOP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Doe <NewName@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <01bc75e1$384a0e00$2cf11ece@k9dzd>
Source record: 173325

i have for sale
compaq contura areo
8 meg ram
240 meg hard drive
19.1 fax modem
monochrome monitor
high capacity battery
ac adapter
box,case,manuals
window 3.1
dos 6.2
3.5 floppy
trackball
back up disks
looks and works great

price 350.00 shipped cont U.S.

monte k9dzd@netusa1.net

5669. Wanted Rohn 25G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7qn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970610221000.SAA12495@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173326

Looking for Rohn 25G , need top section(s), hinged base plate, or
sections, possibly other accessories.
Seattle or Portland area.
Email me with what you've got .
N7QN@aol.com
Mark.

5670. HP 500C - ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <339c9bac.6416642@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173403

What is the HP 500C frequency meter used for??????

Thanks,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

5671. Re: Diamond SG7900 mobile antenna any good?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: BM7AAL <85B137@cc.kscg.gov.tw>
Message-ID: <339C3E57.1945@cc.kscg.gov.tw>
Source record: 173404

David Whitehurst wrote:
>
> Does the SG7900 diamond 2m/440 mobile antenna work well or not?
> N4ZGT David.

I think it's great !

73 de BM7AAL

5672. Swap Collins for Kenwood TS940s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Mark Nadel " <mr_ufo@i-2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7539$5cb0af40$a0e0e7ce@hmn>
Source record: 173405

I have an excellent condition Collins 75A4 receiver with 3 filters. It works great and looks real good. I would like to swap it for a Kenwood TS-940Sat. If have one in excellent condition and would like to work a deal please email me.

--
H. Mark Nadel
Amateur Radio Station W2UFO
State Government Liaison New York City / Long Island Section
The American Radio Relay League < http://www.arrl.org >

"Always Available Through Technology" ... < mr_ufo@i-2000.com >

5673. Re: How to find "Nye Co"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a2ab76.1658945@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173406

On Mon, 09 Jun 1997 17:25:28 -0500, "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4"
<rdodson@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I just bought a used Nye Viking MB-V-A tuner and need to contact them.
>Info says number is 1-206-454-4524 but recording says dis-connected. Are
>they out of business or do you know how I can contect them.....
>
>Thnx
>Bob
>
They moved to Idaho about 2 years ago but I do not have their current
number

Gary

5674. Diamond SG7900 mobile Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: asimonin@murdrum.nmsu.edu
Message-ID: <5nibtu$h75@bubba.NMSU.Edu>
Source record: 173407

I don't know about this antenna; however I purchased a Valor "Pro*Am" dual band with magnetic mount 1/4 wave unity gain on 2m and 2.1 db gain on 70cm. Has 3"magnetic mount with 3/8" X 24 thread and BNC connector from HRO for $16.95 and I am very pleased! Hope this helps......

asimonin@acca.nmsu.edu
KD5AEY
---Las Cruces, NM---
Engineering, converting science into technology

5675. Re: pse help ID GE mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3ab@ptdprolog.net
Message-ID: <33a0b56d.3359985@news.ptdprolog.net>
Source record: 173408
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.ham-radio

On Fri, 06 Jun 1997 08:24:21 -0500, "Christopher W. (Chris) Boone"
<cboone@earthlink.net> wrote:

>Ron, N7TAW wrote:
>>
>> I need help finding a schematic for two old GE mobiles (currently used
>> as local repeaters), especially the wiring for the control head as the
>> controllers are about to be replaced, and the wiring of the old ones us
>> a mess.
>>
>> the numbers listed on the ID plaques are:
>>
>> RG56TFS66, or N.P. 243349
>>
>> and
>>
>> YG56KJJ66, or N.P. 243349
>
>If memory serves, what you have are GE MSTR EXEC II series...one
>standard
>and the other is the IMTS version....Best to use one radio as the rptr.
>They are 60 watt models (the 5 in 56) and are in the 150-174 range (the
>66 at the end) but they do tune to 2mtrs...
>I'll see what I have in my docs on those models...
>Chris
>WB5ITT
>
>>
>> They appear to be the same radios with different options.
>>
>> Thanks to all,
>>
>> Ron, N7TA

Wasn't the first unit listed an Exec I (not the Exec II) that used
tubes for the driver and final (rest of the radio is solid state)? I
used to have RG56TAS66 models on high band that were Exec I units
(from the mid to late 60s I think).

John N3AB

5676. Preamps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkraling@iastate.edu
Message-ID: <5nidcq$92i$1@news.iastate.edu>
Source record: 173409

What is a preamp and why would I need one? I own an Icom Z1A HT and I want to buy an amp to put into my car. I found one from Mirage for $150, dual band, 5 in 45/30 out, but it doesn't have a preamp. Do I really need it?

Also, does anyone know if I can buy a service manual from Icom for my HT?

Thanks!
73,

Joshua Kraling
--
I find television very educating. | J. Kraling jkraling@iastate.edu
Every time somebody turns on the set, | off the wall
I go into the other room and read a book. | Mac & PC Computer consulting
Groucho Marx |

5677. Re: Yaesu FT-50 SMA to BNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <339cb835.1317957@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 173410

Jim Kauppila <ae4hl@qsl.net> wrote:

:Jeff wrote:
:>
:> On Thu, 29 May 1997 21:58:09 -0400, Chief <corky@sunline.net> wrote:
:>
:> >Where can I get a SMA to BNC connector for my Yaesu FT-50?
:> >Thanks,
:> >Chief
:>
:> They are available from AES, at least that's where I got mine!
:>
:> 73 de KF4KGQ
:> Jeff Johns
:> jeffj@scott.netThere's even SMA to UHF (Female) available.

No comment from you?

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

5678. FREE FREE FREE FREE -- RTTY EQUIPMENT - GIVE AWAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Earl <jpearl@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <01bc754e$59af70a0$5b9794cc@john-s-computer>
Source record: 173411

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CABLES.

FIRST COME FIRST TAKE!!!!-- WEDNESDAY 6/11 IT GOES TO SCRAP!!!!!!

email to dearl@juno.com

5679. Motorola MCX 1000, info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcbailey2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970610034900.XAA29902@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173412

Need information on how to program Motorola MCX 1000. Radio has "phone" like modular connection under front panel. Is this where programming takes place? Does the radio require specialized programmer or can it be done from front panel?
Would appreciate any information you can reply.

Thank you,

Greg Bailey
K6QPV

5680. Yaesu FT-8000 Transmit Mod???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mxlchgo@prodigy.net
Message-ID: <339ca711.3801448@news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 173413

Is there a way to open up the transmit side of this radio?

5681. Re: Programing software for Motorola HT (MT 1000 UHF) needed.**********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <5niiih$c27@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 173414

Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I am so tired, but once again, Motorola Americas Parts Division at
>1-800-442-4210. Oddly enough, as a manufacturer of the radio in
>question, they actually sell software for it. Ain't technology
>wonderful!!

Motorola could make a bundle selling software in the ham channels.
They could market an "RSS Light" version restricted to ham freqs.

5682. Re: ICOM 820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <5nij0u$cbv@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 173415

I think Peter is on the other side of the pond and has a radio capable
of 1750 hz. Now he would like it to generate sub-audible CTCSS tones.
He probably needs a board to do that.

>On 7 Jun 1997 12:30:48 GMT, "Peter Attree" <attree@btinternet.com>
>wrote:

>>Hi,
>>Does anyone know if the UK version of the Icom 820H can be changed such
>>that it does not produce the 1750Hz repeater tone when the Tone button is
>>pressed, but produces the sub-audible tones as with the USA and Australia
>>versions?
>>Is it just a software change, or is hardware involved?
>>Thanks
>>Peter Attree
>>G0VHP
>>attree@btinternet.com
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<<<authorization code>>>

5683. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <5nij8a$cbv@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 173416

tnic <tnic@IDT.NET> wrote:

>I hooked a power meter and dummy load on two 100ft runs of 9913 flexable
>I have 50 watts going into the cable and 30 at the far end just before the
>dummy load on 2 meters.>On 440 its even worse. Its 35 watts out of the radio and 12 watts at the
>far end.
>=TOM=
>tnic@idt.net

What kind of connectors are you using? sounds kinda high?

fffff
ffff
ffff
ffff
ooo

5684. HELP with Motorola Syntrx+ cable....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: vk3jma@ozemail.COM.AU
Message-ID: <1.5.4.16.19970610230052.2dbf9732@ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 173417

Hello,

Not sure if this is the right place to ask but who knows.

I have a VHF Hi Band Motorola SYNTRX Plus radio.

These have a EEPROM and are programmed via a cable from PC
to handset plug.

Mine is up and running on 2m no problems, however, as I wrote the
"script" for the software, there where a few errors in it, such as wrong
freq for our local CW pratice beacon. Also I want to play with the
radio's scanning and CTCSS options that I know it has.

However, the origional source for the first programming is not too easy
to get to these days so as I have the software and only need either,

1. a cable (for ham usage the price motorola ask is just too expensive)

2. cable data so as one might be duplicated.

If you can help in any way it would be greatly appreciated.

regards

Mark

VK3JMA

ax25net : vk3jma@vk3ksd.#mel.vic.aus.oc
internet: vk3jma@ozemail.com.au

5685. Yaesu FT-50 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Viking <No.Spam@add-inc.com>
Message-ID: <01bc755c$41a1e020$3908aacf@viking.add-inc.com>
Source record: 173418

Any idea how to delete a frequency programed into one of the memories? I can reprogram any memory with a new frequency but I don't know how to simply delete a frequency from memory and it's not in the manual. I want to do this since I scan programed memories and if I am no longer using a frequency I would rather just delete it than have to program the HT to ignore that memory. 73's Eric KB9QAI No.Spam@add-inc.com

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"Reply To" address is false to discourage SpamBots.
Replace "No.Spam" with "viking" to reply.
Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, Section 227, any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address is construed as being sent to a fax machine and subject to a $500 fine.

5686. FS: JS-38 Straight Code Keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: rpd910@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970610061901.CAA13336@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173419

A Friend of mine has several of these old military J-38 straight code keys for $20.00 each plus shipping.

He has approx. 7 left for sale. Email me directly if interested to make sure you get a fast reply.

5687. 10 KW Collins Shortwave Broadcast Transmitters For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: superclan@usa.net
Message-ID: <339cf2de.5330104@news.euro.net>
Source record: 173420

There are 3 Collins10 KW shortwave broadcast transmitters
immediately available. They are currently in western Europe. They
were manufactured in 1982 and very well maintained. The modell is
208 U 10, and can broadcast in AM,CW and SSB. The main valve
is the 4CX10.000 . Frequency range is 2-30 Mhz.
Price for each transmitter (with inbuilt power supply and an
electricity regulator) is 17.000 German Marks (roughly 9,000 US
dollars)

In addition to this, there are 3 SIEMENS 10 Kilowatt transmitters
available. They were used for ship to shore communications. The
Siemens have Telefunken exciters with digital frequency readout.
These transmitters can also broadcast in AM,CW and in SSB.
The Telefunken exciters were manufactured in 1985, and the
Siemens 10 KW boosters were built in 1980, but only in 1989
they came in use, and therefore have only been used in the last 8
years. Included in the price of this Siemens/Telefunken transmitter
is a 3 phase power supply, a double external ventilator and an
airfiltering system. The main valve for the Siemens is the RS 2012.
Frequency reach is 1.5 to 30 Mhz. Price is 10.000 German Marks.

All transmitters come with all the books.
For more information: send an email to superclan@usa.net

5688. Re: FS: IC-781 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbclark@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <5nivk7$475$1@news13.gte.net>
Source record: 173421

Manual has been sold, thanks for the interest.

de KD6UN

5689. FS: Icom IC-2AT Handheld tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Andrew Bell <rbell@uniserve.com>
Message-ID: <01bc756c$aaf916a0$LocalHost@satan>
Source record: 173422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,van.forsale

I have for sale an Icom IC-2AT handheld 2 meter tranceiver in like new condition complete with wall charger,standard nicad battery pack,origional rubber ducky,all docs and in origional packaging and in perfect working condition $105 US shipping included.

Rob. VE7IGZ
Abbotsford,BC,Canada

5690. Correction: Need two 6JS6C sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <339DD677.2C5A@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 173423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Correction -- The Yaesu output tubes needed are 6JS6C, not
6JE6C as previously stated. Swan uses 6JE6, Yaesu uses 6JS6C.
Low price still paramount.

73,
Joe mailto;joentam@transend.com.tw

Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT wrote:
>
> Hi,
> Trying to repair a Yaesu FT-101 and am in need of a set of output
> tubes. Either new or used/tested/guaranteed is ok. Low price is
> paramount.
>
> thanks,
> mailto:joentam@transend.com.tw
> Joe

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Amateur Radio: BV/N0IAT Taipei TAIWAN Republic of China

http://www.transend.com.tw/~joentam/index1.html

ex. 7J1AOF (Japan) YU3/N0IAT (Slovenia) KA0ZDH (Novice)
Licensed Radio Amateur since 1986. Comments are mine only.

5691. UNIDEN GRANT XL, AM / SSB CB RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2wyw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970610074401.DAA17800@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173424

THX FOR READING THIS.

I HAVE A GRANT XL FOR SALE. THIS RADIO IS NEW. IT HAS BEEN MODIFIED TO
15 WATT O.P. PLUS ADDED 60 EXTRA CHANNELS.
I CAN BE REACHED AT KB2WYW@aol.com

73 MARTY

5692. G-5400 VS G-5600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dima <asdor@netvision.net.il>
Message-ID: <339D049E.5B0E7667@netvision.net.il>
Source record: 173425

Hi ALL !!!!!

This is Dima.

Please tell me what deferent between G-5400B and G-5600B rotators.

asdor@netvision.net.il.

5693. DJ582 MODS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: yu025921@far2.cc.kanagawa-u.ac.jp
Message-ID: <EBJxEJ.Ez6@kochi.cc.kanagawa-u.ac.jp>
Source record: 173426

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Jun Muto
Faculty of Law, Kanagawa University
Voice:050-211-8218
mailto:kg2ec@qrv.net

5694. QST Magazines 1922-1990 For Sale By Year and Issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pcsas <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <339F18AD.37C7@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 173177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

QST For Sale

Full Year from 1922-1929 $35 Year
Full Year from 1930-1939 $25 Year
Full Year from 1940-1949 $15 Year
Full Year from 1950-1959 $10 Year
Full Year from 1960-1969 $10 Year
Full Year from 1970-1979 $10 Year
Full Year from 1980-1990 $10 Year

Single Issues 30's-50's $2 Issue
40's-80's $1 Issue

E-Mail at 74364.207@CompuServe.com. You cannot use reply must type in
E-Mail address.

5695. Re: Yagi not above roof worth it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: yaesutom@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970611191700.PAA13618@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173178

>Less than 1/2 lambda is low. If this is the case, I'd use quad. From
>my HF experience Quad was much better than Yagi at element being about
>6 feet or so off the ground working on typical tri-bander.
>Tony, VE6CGX--

What about a vertical yagi?? Would height matter then?

yaesutom@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/yaesutom

5696. Request for mod, Yaesu FT-3000M TX extend

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott and Donna Halligan <halligan@capecod.net>
Message-ID: <339EFBAA.6972@capecod.net>
Source record: 173179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does anyone have this mod, and if so, could they pass it along to me.
Thanks in advance.

Scott/KC1UA

5697. Comer Radware PC card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Beals <ken_beals@hp.com>
Message-ID: <339EEE46.47E7@hp.com>
Source record: 173180

Does anyone know if Comer Communications still has a bbs
concerning their Radware HF transceiver PC card? I called
their office but only get the answering service. The old
BBS number never answers.

TX, Ken WK6F

5698. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: landisj@nad.com
Message-ID: <1997Jun11.152024.707@main03>
Source record: 173181

In article <339DA56D.2E19@ix.netcom.com>, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> writes:
> U40241@uicvm.uic.edu wrote:
>>
>> Did you mention DSP I.F. passband chart showing ideal passband curve but ultim-
>> ate rejection of 100 db at the bottom with a series of close-by secondary lobes
>> bouncing up to -80db? This will sound good as long as your neighbor is not on
>> your adjacent channel. K9ZAT
>
> Please post their WEB PAGE ADDRESS!
> 73's NS1R

www.kachina-az.com/prod03.htm

Joe - AA3GN
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landisj@nad.com - speaking only for myself, of course
No, this is not a sig.

5699. FT 1000D Comments wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "mpayne@gte.net" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5nn2kt$m05$1@news12.gte.net>
Source record: 173182

Thinking about buying on. Are they any good?? Thanks WA4E Mark

5700. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rmkrum@earthling.net
Message-ID: <866063530.31240@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173183

In article <5nmghd$p16@news.epcc.edu>,
ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu (Ed E Jensen) wrote:
>
> I am posting this for a friend of mine. His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the
> number is HTX202) only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to
> modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.
> 73, Ed
>
> --
> Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)

Suspect the problem is that the frequency he is trying to get down to also has a negative offset assigned to it. The radio will not go out of band. Set the offset to no offset (the + or - vanishes from the display), then try again. it should go right down to 144.00. You are seeing a programming problem, not a modification problem.

Note: There are absolutely NO mods that can be done to the HTX202 to extend frequency range. It is a 2-metre ham band allocation radio only.

BTW, I have two of them, beat the hell outta them on camping trips,Skywarn, etc. It's really a good radio if you want decent performance on 2 meters. If I need to receive out of band, I use some duct tape to stick a scanner to it.

<grin>

73 de Rich, KE4GNK, Huntsville, AL

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5701. FS: Icom R71A General Coverage Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Morton L. Denison" <mdenison@blazenet.net>
Message-ID: <339F180A.6013@blazenet.net>
Source record: 173184

Icom R71A general coverage receiver for sale in excellent shape.
Includes manuals, schematics and original box. Has notch filter and
passband tuning. $450 plus shipping from 17402.

Mort Denison
Work: 717-741-7839
Home: 717-755-6953

5702. Who sells Japan Radio Co equipment (JRC)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Harry W. Reed" <doon@hrc.nevada.edu>
Message-ID: <339F1941.281@hrc.nevada.edu>
Source record: 173185

Hi,
I'm trying to locate dealers who carry JRC (Japan Radio Co)
equipment (particularly the JST-145/245 xcvr). Who are their dealers?
Are there any on the Web?

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Harry W. Reed | Never ascribe to malice that which
can
doon@hrc.nevada.edu | adequately be explained by
stupidity.
+--------------------+--------------------+---------------------------------+
"Of all tyrannies a tyranny sincerely exercised for the good of its
victims
may be the most oppressive. It may be better to live under robber
barons
than under omnipotent moral busybodies, The robber baron's cruelty
may
sometimes sleep, his cupidity may at some point be satiated; but those
who
torment us for own good will torment us without end, for they do so
with
the approval of their own conscience." - C.S. Lewis, _God in the
Dock_
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5703. FISTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970611213900.RAA26737@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173186

Can anyone give me info on FISTS. Hw to join, cost, what u get , is it useful , etc.
Tks de Gerys@aol.com K1NY

5704. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: la8ak@onnline.no
Message-ID: <339f0a08.567540@news.online.no>
Source record: 173187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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xposting such requests to rec.radio.amateur.dx is just as bad as any
spam!!!!
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Jan-Martin N&#65533;ding, ** My email address: la8ak@online.no **
LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 Kristiansand, Norway/EUROPE
RSGB - NRRL - NRHF. tel: +47-380-87178 QTH (52660 QRL)

5705. Nye Viking Paddle : Info ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rich Abbot <abbot@pez.bell-labs.com>
Message-ID: <339F1D32.27A3@pez.bell-labs.com>
Source record: 173188

Howdy,

At a recent hamfest I picked up an old iambic paddle manufactured by the Nye company. It is black metal with two elongated black plastic paddle handles, protruding from the front of the key about 3" or so.

The paddle is built tough and it still works well, although it takes more oomph than the Bencher I'm used to.

I'm wondering about the history of this item, as it looks pretty old. Can anyone on the 'group tell me how old it is, whether it was a popular item, etc.?

Thanks & 73,

Rich, WB2MBM

5706. FYI: Ham Technical Links

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339F20AF.45A2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Have added several informative links to Ham Technical Data at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageA.html

Includes:
ACCESSORIES, ACRONYMS, AMPLIFIERS, ANTENNAS, BOOKS,
BATTERIES, COAX CABLE, COMPONENT DATA BASE, CW TRAINERS,
DECIBELS, DSP, ELMERS, ENGINEERING LINKS, HAM EXAMS,
HAM FAQ, HAM HELP, HOMEBREW, IC'S, INTERFERENCE HANDBOOK,
INTERMOD, LIGHTNING, NICADS, RADIO MODS, RFI, S-UNITS,
SOLAR PWR, SWR, TUNERS, TVI, USED RIGS

73
Rod in San Diego
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AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

5707. For Sale: Icom 735 & Mosley 3 Element Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970611224500.SAA03253@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173190

I have for sale the Icom 735 Hf Rig, works great asking $595.00. Can meet you on the air if you would like to hear the radio.

Also have a Mosley Triband (10, 15 & 20 meters) 3 element Beam. $100.00 + shipping or you pick up. I am located in Wisconsin.

For more info please:

E-mail to: t95194@aol.com

as I don't know when I will be back to check for replies. Thanks

5708. FS: FT-8000/FT-5100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc76bd$e54da9e0$6e8aaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 173191

Need to sell one or the other
Yaesu FT-8000, new, $425
or FT-5100, $325
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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
http://www.qsl.net/w3ink/

5709. WTT - Pro2026 Scanner - Cell Modified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy <"no spamrandyZ"@ainsworth.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc76be$af3b63a0$c9f13cc7@alc-pc01>
Source record: 173192
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I would like to trade my Cell Modified Realistic PRO-2026 100 Channel Scanner for an inexpensive 2-meter HT. Perhaps a Kenwood TH-22AT or something similar.

73

Randy - VE7ERZ
randyZ@ainsworth.ca

5710. WTB: 10M Repeater Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sparc@ihug.co.nz
Message-ID: <5nnc1l$82q$2@newsource.ihug.co.nz>
Source record: 173193

I would like to know if anyone has any information on where I could
aquire 2, better 3 100watt radios suitable for our 10M repeater
system.
I did track down a couple, and were offered, but they never turned up.
Because of this I have put my HF rig at the site, running in a simplex
mode. I would like to finish this project off, and get it running
correctly before the activity get better.
If anyone could help with supply or soruce, please contact me at my
E-mail address, sparc@ihug.co.nz
For further information I can be contacted at the same address.

Regards

Kevin, ZL1UDD.
South Auckland Repeater Group. S.A.R.G.

E-mail: sparc@ihug.co.nz
Packet: ZL1UDD@ZL1AB.#11.NZL.OC
:Amateur Radio helped Pioneer
the way the World Communicates
Today.:

5711. Motorola Syntor X9000 Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Suresh Kagoo <SKAGOO@MSN.COM>
Message-ID: <01bc76bf$81074660$2c4d9cce@suresh-pc>
Source record: 173194

have access to a couple of Motorola Syntor X9000. They were in service in the 460 Mhz range.

My question will they go down to the ham bands (440mhz - 450 Mhz). Also will there do 9600 baud
packet.

Thanks in advance,

Suresh Kagoo N9GSA

SKAGOO@msn.com

5712. Antenna separation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samuel Johnson <samjohnson@Bledsoe.net>
Message-ID: <339F3367.2F7A@Bledsoe.net>
Source record: 173195

I would like to try out my 2 meter MASTR II repeater, Can I use 2 antennas, since I don't have duplexers yet? If so, what kind of vertical separation do I need on them. Also, anything other information that I've forgotten to ask on the subject.

Sam KF4GQS

5713. Re: Help Heath IB1101 Freq Counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gaetan Lavergne <tristan1@glen-net.ca>
Message-ID: <339F5426.1FF1@glen-net.ca>
Source record: 173196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

jvr@pclink.com wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> Thanks for reading this. I bought an old Heath IB1101 freq counter at
> a Hamfest and need a manual for it. I would be happy to pay copying
> and mailing costs if you can help me out.
>
> Please respond via Email.
>]
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Bob
Try heath@listserv.tempe.com
73,Gaetan

5714. FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: nfn04028@naples.net
Message-ID: <866076851.8613@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone know what kind of lithium cell is used in the FT757?
Is it a coin type or some other shape? Is it mounted in a holder,
or soldered directly to the board?

Any information and suggestions regarding installation will be
appreciated.

73, Marty K1FHR

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5715. Re: Collins net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339F53B5.72D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173198

Jim Johnson wrote:
>
> A number of years ago I ran across a net on 20 mtrs that dealt with
> refurbishment of Collins radio gear. I think it met on weekends and
> it seemed to be quite useful for getting help and finding parts and
> manuals. Unfortunately, I've lost the frequency and time info for
> that net. Can anyone help me find it again?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Jim W6SC
> Work: jjohnson@hpl.hp.com
> Home: jjoker@dxhound.com

Hi Jim,
For HF nets go to URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagep.html

For Collins Nets goto URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageak.html

There may be some more listed on the HF Nets Page -- I'll let u find
them.

Also 5 more Collins clickables at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagex.html

73
Rod
--
AC6V's Ham & DX Reference Guide
With Over 1277 Links To DX And Ham Radio
MAIN PAGE: http://www.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
INDEX: http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
E-Mail: ac6v@ix.netcom.com

5716. Re: Collins net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Gusky <mgusky@premier.net>
Message-ID: <339F428A.5A3F@premier.net>
Source record: 173199

The Collins guys meet on Sundays, around 2000Z on 14.263 and generally
run for several hours, depending on QRM & QRN.

73
Mike K5UX
--

5717. Question about MFJ-9406 6m Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary C. Wysocki" <wysockig@buffnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7695$9d60c220$bf7cf7cd@s-wales-fire-co>
Source record: 173200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I've got a 9406 and just finally got my yagi up in the air this past weekend. With the QSO party coming up in a couple of days, I have one question about the 9406. What would be the best way to hook a frequency counter into the 9406? Answers can be sent to wysockig@buffnet.net or posted here. Thanks in advance.

Gary C. Wysocki
N2WLS in FN02rq

5718. PTC-III Picture

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <339F4EDB.44FA@primenet.com>
Source record: 173201

I have a picture of the SCS PTC-3 data controller
at my web page. Please follow the Pactor links from:
http://www.qsl.net/k7on/index33.htm

-Brian ke7gh@primenet.com

5719. Writers/Seeking/Publication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Litagent4@ibm.net
Message-ID: <5nn7ronke916@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 173202

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5720. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdr@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EBMLov.3oI@world.std.com>
Source record: 173203

In article <5nmghd$p16@news.epcc.edu>, Ed E Jensen <ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu> wrote:

> His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the
> number is HTX202)

My answer presumes your designation HTX-202 correct, as many people do use the handy-talkie HTX-202 as a mobile, with external antenna, speaker, mike, and cigar-lighter supply, sometimes with an amp too. The radshack mobiles that won't fit into your pocket when you park, however, are numbered HTX-212 (older) and HTX-242 (newer). My diagnosis is possibly correct on the other models, and comments on why your friend probably shouldn't care are correct for any make & model.

> only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to
> modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.

Mod? No mod needed, if it's the HTX-202. Read the manual. His problem is it's in DUPLEX mode, shift-down, and wants to transmit 0.6MHz below the frequency displayed. It won't do THAT, since that would transmit below 144.000. It likely will illegally transmit FM below 144.100 in the CW section, but since you COULD plug a straight key with adapter into the MIC jack, they'll trust us not to use the MIC that far down.

(If it's not the HTX-202, but the 212 or 242, maybe it won't go lower than FM goes, I haven't checked their specs; you can, at http://support.tandy.com/support_electronics/3157.html . No reason it should, not being an all-mode, unless you've got older "linear translator" technology repeaters in your county.)

Note that most of the space between 144.000 and 144.600 is CW/SSB per bandplan so although it is technically LEGAL to operate FM above 144.100, FM will only be welcome in the portions not used for DX CW/SSB, wherein it could constitute intentional interference. (and listen-before-talk to avoid that would require a 2m CW/SSB receiver!)

Note especially FM (and even SSB) is not even lawful from 144.0-144.1, which the FCC reserves for CW Only. (So No-Code Techs have lawful access to two CW-only subbands, on 2m and 6m. Weird.)

Interleaving the ARRL Bandplan under the FCC regs:
FCC (http://www.arrl.org/field/regulations/allocate.html#2)
ARRL (http://www.arrl.org/field/regulations/bandplan.html#2m)
144.0-144.1 MHz: CW Only [FCC Part 97] All Amateurs except Novices
144.00-144.05 EME (CW) *
144.05-144.10 General CW and weak signals *
144.1-148.0 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data [FCC Part 97] ditto
144.10-144.20 EME and weak-signal SSB

144.200 National (WS) calling frequency
144.200-144.275 General SSB operation
144.275-144.300 Propagation beacons
144.30-144.50 New OSCAR subband **
144.50-144.60 Linear translator inputs ***

* Mandatory CW only, per FCC

** If there's a satellite up that's listening FM in this OSCAR Subband,
(check with www.amsat.org), then 144.30-144.50 is ok, otherwise FM there
would be intentional interference.

*** If you have a local linear translator in 144.50-144.60, great; if not,
local frequency coordinators may have an option, and one should follow
local practice.

> I am posting this for a friend of mine.

I hope your friend has the appropriate license, manuals, and bill-of-sale
for his radio. The previous posting ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu was signed
"Ed, K5ED" but that's Charles E. Jensen (probably C. Ed to his friends?),
of El Passo. There is no Ed E Jensen in the online callbook. Perhaps
"Ed E Jensen" is the son and sharing email with his Dad?

73 de N1VUX BPL with Tech-No-Code
Still certified code free, but not much longer? passed 3B and 4A!
QST TO ALL NO-CODERS: Subscribe to QST and let your ARRL elected officials
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Bill Ricker N1VUX wdr@world.std.com "The freedom of the press belongs
http://world.std.com/~wdr to those who own one."--A.J.Liebling

5721. UHF CB Not New in US (was Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdr@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EBMMDq.EA0@world.std.com>
Source record: 173204

Barry O'Grady <barryoXX@fastlink.com.au> wrote:
> :That's 500mW ERP.
> Chalk up another one for Australia. We have a UHF CB radio service with
> 40 channels and 5 watts max power, with repeaters. It's on 477 Mhz.

Nope, we've had UHF CB for years up here too. Just when 11m CB got
dis-regulated, they changed the names of the other services to protect
the innocent. Originally there were the CB A,B,C,D services.
Dont' ask me which was which... the way it is NOW is, as best I can recall,
as follows:

27MHz/11m "The Chicken Band", home of all those trucker/good buddy movies,
is still called Citizens' Band. (A number of good amateur radio operators
have come in from there, I can think of one who when from C.B. to Amateur
Extra Class in less than a year, and she's a fine traffic handler on
our message nets.)

49MHz unlicensed consumer stuff & remote control

460MHz-ish "General Mobile Radio Service" requires a license _per family_,
but is permitted repeaters, and has real power allocations.

and another I'm forgetting...

FRS, the _new_ Family radio service, shares its 7 channels with the GMRS's
simplex channels, but FRS is restricted to lower power. Apparently GMRS
and FRS users on the same frequency are prohibited from contacting each
other, though, which makes just a much sense as prohibiting
cross-state-border contacts on 11m. It's just an unlicensed "lite" option
on GMRS. The GMRS folks are a little peeved, but the low-power simplex
only shouldn't bother them; the FRS folks may get stepped on by GMRS simplex
QSOs that can't hear them, but hey, that's the price of cheap gear on a
secondary allocation.

Suggestion: if discussing comparitive citizens band services further,
move the discussion somewhere where folks would care? (rec.radio.cb,
rec.radio.amateur.policy, I don't know?) I've set Followup-to: none
to encourage thinking about it...

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Still certified code free, but not much longer? passed 3B and 4A!
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Bill Ricker N1VUX wdr@world.std.com "The freedom of the press belongs
http://world.std.com/~wdr to those who own one."--A.J.Liebling

5722. News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <01BC7609.719B07E0@teleport22.shani.net>
Source record: 173247

For those who are still waiting for 505DSP HF new
transceiver brochure from Kachina Communications:

On the 8-pages brochure they are few details not given
on their WEB site.

* The automatic frequency calibration can be made also
from WWW.
* Your computer SoundBlaster card is used also for RX
audio and as an integrated digital record/playback device
with no recording time or slot number limitation.
* The transceiver can be controlled by voice using voice
recognition software.
* Both RF unit and the control head can be remoted from
a 25-75 feet distance.
* The digital "remote control by phone line" feature is using
DVSD modems and will be available at the beggining of 1998.
* The optional antenna tuner is using "fuzzy reasoning" algorithm
and "impedance point interpolation" method with 64 internal
memories.
* The A/D converters are using " sigma-delta " methods.
* The CW signal transmit adjustable waveform feature has
256 steps.
* The CW ring-free DSP filters can be adjusted to 100Hz BW.
* The RX has a selectable syllabic or level sensitive squelch.
* Both channel and band scanning features have a variable rate
option.
* The control head can be internallly mounted into a 5 1/4'' free
bay on your PC or on an external case if your PC is already full.
* The RF unit looks strong with a large heatsink. There are about
9-12 modular professional - looking / RFI- isolated PCBs. On the
antenna tuner module, only the relays are visible, the coils and
the capacitor banks are mounted in a RFI enclosure. On the
front panel they are only a power LED and the RS-232 connector
and can be positioned vertically or horizontally.
* The control head front panel has a power on/off switch, two LEDs,
mike, paddle, key, speaker and phones connectors.
* 2 years warranty, 48hrs turnaround-time on repairs and free
return freight (for USA hams) sounds great ! It will be interesting
if the overseas dealers will offer a similar package. It's still not clear
for me if Kachina will sell directly too or only via dealers.
* For the european hams: they will be present at Friederichshafen
at the end of June. Their german dealer is SSB-Electronics. At
Dayton they had problems demonstrating the rig due to the very
poor indoor antenna used and to terrible Arena noise.

The BIG first question will be of course, how the receiver will perform on our today bands environment .

Enclosed with the envelope was a prelimminary price list :

* 505DSP transceiver (including the RF unit, PC internal installed control head, hand mike, installation software, Quick reference chart and interfacing cables) : $1995.00
* Optional 505AT internal antenna tuner: $239.00
* Mounting bracket, $40.00
* Shock mounts for mobile operations : $19.00
* Optional 25ft cable for control head: $39.00
* Optional 75ft cable for control head: $69.00
* Optional 25ft RS-232 cable: $29.00
* Optional 75ft RS-232 cable: $39.00

I'm not so sure, but I understand that the included interfacing cables are 8ft long.

The brochure is very nice but many important specifications are still missing. I think that they are still keeping some critical specs for July/August. I heard also some rumors that the ARRL product review will appear on November issue of QST.

In the mean time, the sales peoples and applications engineers at Kachina were very cooperative and responsive to my endless questions, hi, hi.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

5723. FS - ALINCO DR-150T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cheewug@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970611030000.XAA12973@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173248

I have an Alinco DR-150T in mint cond. and perfect working cond.
$230.00 (I'll Ship/48) - $215.00 (U-Ship)
I have the box , schematic , bracket , mic.
Interested? - send reply for phone or send yours.

73 , Rich

5724. For Sale: Icom 735 & Mosley 3 Element Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970611032100.XAA15378@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173249

I have for sale the Icom 735 Hf Rig, works great asking $595.00. Can meet you on the air if you would like to hear the radio.

Also have a Mosley Triband (10, 15 & 20 meters) 3 element Beam. $100.00 + shipping or you pick up. I am located in Wisconsin.

For more info please:

E-mail to: t95194@aol.com

as I don't know when I will be back to check for replies. Thanks

5725. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <339EB81B.7704@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173250

I noticed that also, if Icom offers a board to stick in <$200,
and could enable the DSP in the Mark II, I would go for it!!

73

Mike

hershman wrote:
>
> If you just purchased a Icom 706 MK II. Take a look at the LCD Display
> from an Angle. You will see "DSP" clearly marked but it is not usable.
> My belief is Icom was going to include audio DSP is this radio but at
> the last minute scraped it so as to get it to market. The rumor I heard
> is that a Icom Italy Dealer let the news out about the Icom 706 MK II
> and the Rumors went out of control. Icom decided to release the IC-706
> Mark II earlier than it was supposed to so the DSP feature was left out.
> To bad. Perhaps next year Icom will come out with a Icom 706 MK III ???
> I doubt Icom would have put the LCD with the words "DSP" if they were
> not planning on it initialy.
>
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5726. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <339e22bb.14056950@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 173251

Now that would be interesting. A mobile with one and a quarter meters. I guess you could make one by taking two old meters and some string. Cut one of the meters into four parts and discard three of the parts. Join the one meter and the quarter of a meter with the string and hang it from the ceiling. Voila! A 1.25 meter mobile. Now, if you want a 1.25 metre mobile radio that's quite differant.

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

5727. Final call for bids Tek R454A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <5nl93p$m8j@news.jump.net>
Source record: 173252
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electonices.repair

This is the last call for bids for a Tek R454A being
auctioned to the highest bidder. Present high bid is $330.
Also up for auction two HP logic analyzers, One HP 1630D
with present high bid of $150 and HP 1631D 43 channel
with 50 MHz Digital Storage oscilloscope at $425.

Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver joe@widind.com

5728. Re: IC706 Receive 162.55? Mod possible?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <339EB72C.CFC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173253

Well put Gary , I agree with you 100%

Mike

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Mon, 09 Jun 1997 19:11:29 -0700, Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net> wrote:
> >The right mod to rx from 153 - 200 Mhz is on the Internet
> >that remove a cap, this is not endosed by Icom , but it works.
> >A ham in Finland posted it on the internet.
>
> I developed it, and posted it. Others have reposted it many times.
> But it is remove one cap, discard it, remove another cap, and
> reinstall it piggyback across a third cap. It isn't hard, but it is
> SMT rework.
>
> >Also, If you read your manual , the 706 spec's are only
> >guaranteed in the HAM band and the manufacturer reserves the
> >right to improve the design at his discretion.
>
> True, but they did *advertise* full coverage to 200 MHz (at least until
> we started complaining about the state of the emperor's wardrobe).
> This mod *delivers* on that advertising promise.
>
> >The original 706 with the cap mod can improve the rx ability,
> >the only drawback is that Local oscillator leakage from the
> >oscillator can leak out and radiate out the VHF port of the
> >antenna, which can cause interference to other radio's ,TV's,
> >etc.
>
> Bull! There is more LO leakage through the case and on the
> DC power line than there is coming out the antenna connector.
> If you even glance at the schematic, you'll see that the filter is
> not what suppresses LO radiation in this radio. An Icom America
> employee did make this claim, but when pressed to prove it he
> backed off.
>
> >This is why Icom will not endorse the mod, since the radio will
> >then not meet part 15 of interference to other receiving devices.
>
> The radio's Part 15 certification is voided if *any* RF mods are
> done which haven't been tested by a certified lab. That's the way
> the certification process works. But Icom has not paid to have the
> modified radio tested to see if it still meets Part 15 limits, so they
> can't endorse the mod without running afoul of the FCC. But I have

> tested it, and it doesn't have more LO radiation after the mod than
> before the mod. As amateurs, that's all we have to do. We don't
> need certification for our own radios. They only have to meet
> good engineering practice, and this mod does.
>
> >This means, if you do the mod, Icom will not stand by the product!!
>
> IMHO what really concerns Icom is that if you muck up the radio (this is
> SMT rework after all) you might come back at them and demand they fix
> it if they had blessed the mod. Remember, as with any mod, if you muck
> it up, you're on your own. No warranty is expressed or implied.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
> Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
> Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5729. WTB 440 for repeater link

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Schulz <schulz@northnet.org>
Message-ID: <01bc761c$ed1d1800$108ce8cd@aldus.northnet.org>
Source record: 173254

The Black River Valley Amateur Radio Club needs a 440 radio for our link.

Please send me an Email with info and price on the radio.

73's

Dave

schulz@northnet.org

5730. Help Motorola

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kevin L. Groves" <kgroves@greenapple.com>
Message-ID: <339E5B2F.91F@greenapple.com>
Source record: 173255

I have a Motorola Model C711HB-1100B Trans Type CC1045 that I want to use the PA as an amp for my 6 Meter gear. It is a tube final (5894A) I think I have not removed the shield yet. I need the schematics so I can locate the correct input and I also need to know what the drive should be so I can build the proper attenuator. I hope some one can help me.
Thanks
Kevin Groves N8PCY Email kgorves@greenapple.com

5731. CQ-DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Perry Peter Killion <PKillion@mail.fm>
Message-ID: <01bc7654$b043e020$3a5931ce@default>
Source record: 173256

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CQ, CQ CQ DX, ANY STATION GET A COPY, TANGO INDIA ZERO FOUR CALLING CQ DX,
CQ DX AND STAND-IN-BY........
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5732. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wendell Millman <gcom@pei.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <339E8C2C.23C9@pei.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 173257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Walt Davidson wrote:
>
> On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 17:28:39 +0800, Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT
> <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:
>
> >Trying to repair a Yaesu FT-101 and am in need of a set of output
> >tubes. Either new or used/tested/guaranteed is ok. Low price is
> >paramount.
>
> I always thought the output tubes in the FT101 were 6146B.
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@dial.pipex.com
I think you will both of you are wrong, I used to have a FT-101EE and it
used 6JS6 if memory serves me correct.

73-Wendell.
VY2CC

5733. FS: SONY ICF-2010

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wjchrist@mail.wiscnet.net
Message-ID: <wjchrist-ya023380001106970721110001@news.wiscnet.net>
Source record: 173258

Excellent to mint. $300.00 + actual UPS bubba@mail.wiscnet.net

5734. Re: Motorola service manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <339E9010.FA8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173259

1-800-422-4210!

5735. Re: Japan Radio Co Ltd address

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e086416e8fa450c98968b@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 173260

In article <5nlfoc$cda@nntp.seflin.org>, z005381b@bcfreenet.seflin.org
says...
> Can any one give me the address of a US dealer for Japan Radio Co Ltd
> radios? Gilfer (NJ) used to be the dealer but they're out of business.
>
> Tnx Jim WA4STJ
>
> --
> Jim Rosenthal
> z005381b@bc.seflin.org
>
>
Universal Radio I think it's WWW.Universal-radio.com,it's easy enough to
find.Barry

Bumologist.........What the HELL is that!!???
Barry Felstein

5736. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a09d35.1975796@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173261

On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 21:31:14 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

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>from an Angle. You will see "DSP" clearly marked but it is not usable.
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> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

The 735 has the RTTY label on the LCD screen and NO RTTY Mode is
available in the 735. The 751A had an extra digit but you can not
enable it. Many LCD displays have more labels available than are
used.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

5737. Attention All Photographers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Photoagent@ibm.net
Message-ID: <5nm6j0$2is$889@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 173262

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5738. WHO WAS LOOKING FOR NYE-VIKING'S ADDRESS? HERE IT IS.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5nm8m7$p8b@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 173263

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William M. Nye Co.
P.O. Box 1877
Priest River, ID. 83856
(208) 448-1762 448-1832 (Fax)

Hope this helps! 73 from Dean, K5DH
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5739. TEKRONIX 535 Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pcsas <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <339ED6AB.5385@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 173264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

TEKRONIX 535 Scope. $100 plus shipping.
E-Mail at 74364.207@CompuServe.com, You cannot use reply must type in address.
Jim 201-328-3581

5740. AEA Packratt PK64 (2 Of Them)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pcsas <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <339ED824.5B19@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 173265
Cross-posted to: comp.sys.cbm,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

AEA PK64 Packratt with pc card attached. $40 for the pair
plus shipping.
E-Mail at 74364.207@CompuServe.com , You cannot use reply
Jim 201-328-3581

5741. ICOM IC-R10 FOR $410 FULL OPEN VERSION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Demetri Argys <drele@hol.gr>
Message-ID: <01bc7674$d7b0bfa0$33d01ec2@drele.hol.gr>
Source record: 173266

We now have the Icom IC-R10 in stock for $410 full open version (no gaps at
800 Mhz)
Please check us out at http://www.drele.com
73s

5742. Repost Final bids Tek R454A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <5nme5k$j9l@news.jump.net>
Source record: 173267
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap:sci.electronics.repair

This is the last call for bids for a Tek R454A being auctioned to the highest
bidder. Present high bid is $330.
Also up for auction two HP logic analyzers, One HP 1630D with present high
bid of $150 and HP 1631D 43 channel with 50 MHz Digital Storage oscilloscope at $425.

Full descriptions, photos, and bidding rules at:
http://www.widind.com/auctions/hpgear.htm

Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver joe@widind.com

5743. WTB: Filters for FT1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7675$d321f340$7950b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 173268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for both 250 filters and the Collins 500 hz filter for the
Yaesu FT-1000MP.

e-mail to nu6x@sedona.net or call 520-284-6848

Thanks Mark NU6X

5744. HEATH SB104A Parts???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <tboyer@erols.com>
Message-ID: <339EBCB7.166@erols.com>
Source record: 173269

Thanks for reading this post. I have a HEATH SB-104A. Just the other day I snapped it on for GP and noted no power was getting to the radio. After some investigation, I found that a power transistor had blown out. Part number (417-162) or MHT-9210. I have been unable to find this part locally. Does anyone have a source or suitable replacement for this part?

thanx again for any help

tboyer@erols.com

todd

5745. Montreal area Yaesu FT-50 for sale new.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc7677$63855700$540d23cf@michel.csgoeland.qc.ca>
Source record: 173270

Hi there
I have for sale a Yaesu FT-50RH with the FNB-41 battery that gives 5 watts output. I also have the SMA to BNC adapter to connect a regular antenna and the ADMS 1C software for Windows. The radio is 1 month old and on warranty for a full year. The value of that equipment is about $525.00 Canadian and I am asking $350.00 Canadian or $250.00 U.S. I would prefer to sell in the Montreal area but would consider other offers. I think the warranty would not be in force in the U.S. so caveat emptor!

73 de VE2CJW
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5746. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@kuentos.guam.net
Message-ID: <5nmbcd$vf@lehi.kuentos.guam.net>
Source record: 173271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wendell Millman <gcom@pei.sympatico.ca> wrote:

>Walt Davidson wrote:
>>
>> On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 17:28:39 +0800, Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT
>> <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:
>>
>> >Trying to repair a Yaesu FT-101 and am in need of a set of output
>> >tubes. Either new or used/tested/guaranteed is ok. Low price is
>> >paramount.
>>
>> I always thought the output tubes in the FT101 were 6146B.
>>
>> 73 de G3NYY
>>
>> --
>> Walt Davidson Email: walt@dial.pipex.com
>I think you will both of you are wrong, I used to have a FT-101EE and it
>used 6JS6 if memory serves me correct.

>73-Wendell.
>VY2CC

I think mine had 6146's ......

73, Jim KH2D

5747. Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu
Message-ID: <5nmghd$p16@news.epcc.edu>
Source record: 173272

I am posting this for a friend of mine. His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the number is HTX202) only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.
73, Ed

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Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)

5748. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5nmku7$nae@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173273

In <339E0439.7794@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:
>
>Robert A. Kile wrote:
>>
>> As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for.
>> Chances are if these criteria are not met, I simply don't go back.
On
>> the other hand this list will assume that I the customer have done
my
>> homework and know what I'm looking for.
>>
>> They are as follows:
>> 1. Was I greeted when entering the location?
>> 2. Was there a large inventory? Was it well displayed?
>> 3. Was there adequate staff? Were they busy with other customers? If
so,
>> did they acknowledge my presence?
>> 4. Was pricing competative? Were the items brand names?
>> 5. When approaching a salesperson with a specific question did he
answer
>> it? If he did not know the answer did he make an immediate effort to
>> find the answer. Was he knowledgeable? Did he ask a lot of
questions?
>> 6.Did he say I don't know and move to another subject?
>> 7.Did he attempt to qualify me for use and purpose? Or, did he just
>> point to an item and "say we have this"?
>> 8 Was the salesperson pressured by other responsiblities or was he
>> focused on me?
>> 9. When interrupted by another customer did he remain focussed on me
by
>> excusing himself?
>> 10. If they did not have the product I was looking for did they make
a
>> suggestion of where to find it? If it were back ordered and expected
in
>> a short period of time did they state so?
>> 11. Did they explain the policies of return/exchange at the time of
>> sale. Did they mention terms of Warranty?
>> 12. Did the sales person close the sale with a product of quality,
>> priced competatively, and is it suitable/compatible for my use?
>> 13. Did that person thank me and present me with a business card?
>>
>> As a shopper who is prepaired to buy an answer of "NO" to more than

4
>> items on the above list would probably indicate that I will not go
back
>> or frequent that business.
>>
>> Bob KG7D
>>
>> --
>> GIF89aI!
>
>This Guy BOB KG7D is the radio repair technician at Amatuer Electronic
>Supply in Las Vegas . If you have a Amatuer Electronic Supply
Catalogue
>Winter '96/97 His picture is on page 147.
> I guess Bob is telling me _not to go to Amatuer Electronic Supply
>since they did not pass his Salesperson Evaluation on one occation
that
>I delt with them.
>
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
>73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Steve,

Is being such a jerk an inborn talent or do you have to work hard at
it?

Lots of us know who Bob Kline is, and more than a few of us know him personally. So what if he works at AES, he didn't mention that in his post, nor did he post from the AES server. So why do you bring his employer to the table? To show every one how clever you are?

What Bob has to say from his private server has nothing to do with where he works any more than my opinion of your style has anything to do with where I work. Oh and BTW the Las Vegas store meets the criteria set forth in Bob's original post as do the other AES stores I have been to. You might consider that if you were ignored or whatever it was a result of your attitude more than as a result of poor sales staff at the business you visited.

Jerry

5749. Cherokee 11m am/ssb HT /10m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbgazette@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970611165101.MAA01001@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173274

The 11m am/ssb HT by Cherokee can work on 10meters with a simple mod. The mod is now on our website.
73
Woody
KB5CEJ
http://www.cbgazette.com

P.S.- using one daily on 28.365. Hope to hear ya!

5750. Alinco DR-150 Owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Andrews <ara1@ecdcsvr.tredydev.unisys.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7689$effd8e20$75ee3fc0@andrewra.tr.unisys.com>
Source record: 173275

I read the review in QST and now I would like to know how the owners of the Alinco DR-150 like this rig. Are intermod and adjacent channel reception big problems? They do seem to give a lot of features for the money.

73, Bob K3QXH

5751. Collins net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Johnson <jjohnson@hpl.hp.com>
Message-ID: <339ED2AA.32EF@hpl.hp.com>
Source record: 173276

A number of years ago I ran across a net on 20 mtrs that dealt with refurbishment of Collins radio gear. I think it met on weekends and it seemed to be quite useful for getting help and finding parts and manuals. Unfortunately, I've lost the frequency and time info for that net. Can anyone help me find it again?

Thanks,

Jim W6SC
Work: jjohnson@hpl.hp.com
Home: jjoker@dxhound.com

5752. Ten Tec Scout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk5db@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <866163436.3856@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173078

Ten Tec Scout with noise blanker, all band modules (160, 80, 40, 30 ,20, 17, 15, 12, 10), microphone, switching power supply, and mobile bracket. $650US plus shipping. Excellent condition.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5753. WTS:MINT KENWOOD 922A FOR ICOM 2KL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Jankowski <russja@stratos.net>
Message-ID: <33A0AEFF.A37EF8C7@stratos.net>
Source record: 173079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello All !!!

I have recently replaced my Kenwood rig with an Icom HF rig. I would like to swap my 922A linear for an Icom 2kl with power supply. I am aware that the Kenwood is twice the wattage of the Icom but I will entertain any offers of an even swap. The Kenwood is a 9.5 out of 10. and has the 10 meter mod and manuals.

Tnx es 73,

WA8DXK --- Russ 216-333-4923 or e-mail : russja@stratos.net

5754. Want Comments on ADI-600 Dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <5npo52$bca@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 173080

Hi - I'm interested in a 144/450 dual band handi-scratchi. Since Radio Shack has recalled their dualbander, this looks like the next best radio for the price. Anyone have one? Any bad points?

HRO says they aren't going to sell the low power version any longer as the only difference is the battery. True? I prefer a 7.2 Volt battery system as all my other stuff (smartcharger, cellphone, etc.) operates on this voltage. Guess I'll buy from AES.

Comments appreciated.

73 from Don, K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

5755. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brien G. McCrea" <brienm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A0AF8C.1BEE@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173081
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Grady Russell wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter
> transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on
> brands?
>
> TIA,
> Grady

Grady,

Ten-Tec now makes a 10-meter to 2 meter transverter (1210A). It is in
kit form and costs $139.

Brien

5756. Re: SB-220 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert A. Kile" <midnight@bighorn.accessnv.com>
Message-ID: <33A0BE66.3F94@bighorn.accessnv.com>
Source record: 173082

R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4 wrote:
>
> I just got a Heath SB-220 and need to know how much output I should see
> on a Bird 43. Trying to find out if my 3-500Z are good. Not sure how
> much I should see in CW mode at 500ma. Shows 1kw dc in at 2K volts. How
> much out should I get. Have only tried it on 10m so far. Please post
> your reply, my e-mail is swamped.
>
> 73's Bob WB5APD/4

Bob,
The Old SB-220 can be loaded up to 900-1Kw output. To adjust gg
Amplifier apply drive and adjust Plate Tune and Load for Maximum power
output. When that is done check Plate and grid current to be within
range and adjust drive up or down.

73

Bob
--
GIF89aI!

5757. is it possible to get a icom 2700H to monitor cell bands ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tracy Rankin <ve9dwf@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <5nq6ih$3k6$1@garnet.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 173083

Was wondering if anyone new of a method to get a icom to monitor cell freqs.

5758. FS: Icom R-1 All band/All mode reciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Campbell <inbox@gvi.net>
Message-ID: <33A0C726.58A9@gvi.net>
Source record: 173084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Original Icom R-1 for sale, very clean, includes Icom antenna and short stubby rubber duck, power supply. This unit goes from 25kHz to 1.3GHz... total coverage, all mode, whatever you want. It's great! And yes, it get cellular, though with something like this you're bound to find more interesting things to listen to!

Asking $450 shipped COD. Make me an offer!

Dave

campy@campy.com

5759. Re: Alinco DX-70???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Giacobello <k2xx@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33A0E2D4.4DE6@concentric.net>
Source record: 173085

I had a DX70T last year. It failed on me after a lightning storm in Siena, Italy. When I got home I sent it to Alinco for service, and they reported that a band pass filter had failed. I complained that that kind of failure was not likely to have been caused by lightning, and they agreed to repair it under warranty.

Three months later, at home this time, I suffered a nearby lightning strike which took out the DX70T and a TS850. The TS850 was repaired although the ATU had to be replaced. The DX70T was declared irreparable by the Alinco Service Center.

Based on your experience and my two incidents, it sounds like the DX70T may be unusually susceptible to EMP failure.

73, Joe

5760. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a04810.21580200@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 12 Jun 1997 17:14:06 GMT, aruder@pipeline.com (Lou or Annette Hinshaw) wrote:
>ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>
>>On 9 Jun 1997 02:09:17 GMT, "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>>>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
>>><339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>>>>
>>>> I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled
>>>> to the vehicle electrical system with diode steering (RV kit).
>>>
>>>The only thing to watch for is that most UPSs are designed for full power
>>>only as long as their batteries last. The transformer and/or power bridge
>>>may overheat if run on external DC power.
>>>
>>>You will have to derate the max continuous output power.
>
>>This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
>>can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more than
>>long enough to reach thermal equilibrium. You do have to be careful when
>>looking at the ratings for the UPS, however. There is a peak surge rating,
>>and a sustained rating. The former is only valid for momentary starting
>>demands.
>
>>Gary

>I hope I missed something.
>The UPS is an Unirruptable Power Supply, having in or arond it
>a battery. It is to be rated at its ability to run the power for so
>long at some stated power consumption.
>
>If it can run at that rated amount, it does NOT follow that it will
>run continuously at that rate. The battery will run down.

Yeah, you missed something. We're talking about using a UPS in a
vehicle where it has vehicle power to draw upon. Hence the battery
won't run down as long as the engine is running.

>Sheesh.

Sheesh yourself. :-)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or

Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5761. What radio has the best noise elimination system?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: frohro@wwc.edu
Message-ID: <frohro-1206972240180001@10.0.2.15>
Source record: 173087

I'm wondering if someone who is lucky enough to try out a lot of radios could comment on the receiver with the best noise elimination system. I am plagued with several sources of power line noise, some "sharper" than others. My observations so far have been that my IC-735 far out-performs my Drake R4C, and my Atlas 210X. The Drake has the 4NB, but the Atlas is without noise blanker. The only time I see the S meter at the left stop on any receiver is right after a soaking rain or without an antenna. :(

Thanks,

Rob KL7NA/W7

5762. My Maha NiMH battery experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Staroscik <staroscik@sowest.net>
Message-ID: <339F91B5.7D05@sowest.net>
Source record: 173088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I got a Maha MH-FNB-38 NiMH battery today for my Yaesu FT-51R. It's a 650mAh, 9.6V nickel metal hydride pack, and is basically a clone of the factory Yaesu NiCd pack.

When I got it home, I quick-charged it. It only charged for about 30 minutes before my NC-50 rapid charger said it was full. That's odd, because the factory pack charges for about 1 hour. I started using the radio, but the pack went dead early. Also, the battery checker in the 51 incorrectly identified it as a type 31 battery, even though the voltage looked like a 38 (that is, starting at about 11V).

I emailed Maha earlier today and explained all this to them, and I got mail back tonight at about 10:30. They told me that a NiMH pack that has been in storage for some months may be "asleep" and it should be cycled about 5 times to break it in. While it is "asleep" its charging characteristics will confuse the quick charger and cause it to stop charging early.

While the jury's still out on the battery, the customer service is good. I'll post a follow-up once the battery is broken in. I hope it works out.

--
Matt Staroscik KF6IYW "It's not a doll -
staroscik@sowest.net it's an ACTION FIGURE."

5763. WTB: Motorola 430-482mhz MAXTRAC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5no9h5$3pd$1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 173089

I am Interested in a 32ch High signaling 40w
Maxtrac if ya have on please submit mod.##
and price to kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net thanks

de David KB9LPK ><>

5764. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33A08E38.6E33@ibm.net>
Source record: 173090

pinson@quaternet.fr wrote:
>
> I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..
>
> Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
> comparaison with R7000 ?
>
> Is it a good antenna ?
>
> Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****
Frank,

Don't know much, but a friend in Florida has the Gap. Likes it
very much. No traps. Covers 80 meters.

My brother here in PA has the R-7000. He likes it very much.
The R-7000 mounts on 2" mast; the Titan only 1.5" as they come.

Somebody else may be able to help you more. I want to put up
one, but haven't decided.

73, Larry
--
****

E-mail: larrygibbs@ibm.net

Amateur Radio W3UIO, Operating Ten-Tec

Running Netscape at OS/2 Warp 4

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5765. Rotor plate that fits in the middle of a section.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter D. Richeson" <peter.d.richeson@boeing.com>
Message-ID: <339FF1F0.4842@boeing.com>
Source record: 173091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I am looking for a rotor plate that will fit in the middle of a section
of ron 25g tower. I have a yeasu rotor and it will fit but the standard
mounting plate will not. Does any one know of such a thing. Thanks.
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Peter D. Richeson/KA5COI| Email: peter.d.richeson@boeing.com |
499 boeing Blv. | Inside http://matrix.hv.boeing.com/~richesop|
Huntsvlle, Al 35824 | Outside http://www.traveller.com/~richesop |
M/S JR-10 | Phone (205)461-2603 |
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"I don't believe in a no-win scenaro." - Admiral James T. Kirk |
I do not speak for any one but me, and some times not even for me. |
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5766. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@starpoint.net>
Message-ID: <33A0151A.84D@starpoint.net>
Source record: 173092

Ed E Jensen wrote:
>
> I found out it is a HTX212, the mobile rig, not the HT. And the manual
> states it only transmits down to 144.6 and no, we do not want to transmit
> out of band.
>
> Ed E Jensen (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu) wrote:
> > I am posting this for a friend of mine. His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the
> > number is HTX202) only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to
> > modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.
> > 73, Ed
>
> > --
> > Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)
>
> --
> Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)

Why do you want to use fm down in that portion of the band? 144.000 to
144.100 is cw only 144.100 to 144.300 is ssb.
Mark

5767. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tim_hynde <tim_hynde@idecc.com>
Message-ID: <33A02FEC.701C@idecc.com>
Source record: 173093
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

Web Williams wrote:
>
> I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500 watts)
> on many different frequencies.

Do you have the problem running 100 watts? How about 375 watts?
At 375 watts you only loose 1 S-unit of signal strength.

Tim, ka8ddz

5768. Power Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bc76c4$cbd17260$749a2e81@bwallace.qualcomm.com>
Source record: 173094

I am having trouble locating the molex plug (power supply side) that plugs into most modern HF transceivers such as the IC-738, Kenwood, ect....

The molex connector has 6 pins.
On the top row of the molex connector the middle terminal is keyed---flat side facing up.
On the bottom row of the molex connector the two end terminals are keyed---flat side facing out.

I have searched and searched but cannot find a good part number nor source of supply.
I refuse to pay 29.95 for a pre-fab power cable with the connector attached (ICOM Price).

Hopefully, some of you folks have had the same problems and can provide an answer for all.

Thanks.
Ben -- WB8HUR

5769. WTB: Kenwood IF10C Chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970612132001.JAA05389@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173128

Looking for the computer interface kit for the TS440S/AT....It contains the two IC's that install inside the ransceiver.........I believe catalog number is IF10C........

Thanks,
K5PN

e mail to rchambers@aguirre.com

5770. WTD Yaesu FRG 770 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: d.smith3@ukonline.co.uk
Message-ID: <339f9765.781725@news>
Source record: 173129

can anyone please help me
I am looking for some mods for my radio
preferably an FM board and a squelch circuit
also any other hard hacks that may be around
thanks in advance
Dave

5771. Homepage updated with loads of links (33Kb)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: erwin.cremers@ingram.nl
Message-ID: <5notot$m24$1@news.Kijfhoek.NL.net>
Source record: 173130
Cross-posted to: alt.military.collecting,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.audio.tubes;rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateurboatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,uk.radio.amateur

Check out the new updated link section on my homepage.

There are Links to : Army/Navy communication
Surplus
Tube information
Homebrew / QRP
Boatanchors/Vintage radio

equipment
Privat Collections and Museums

There are also pictures of my boatanchors.

Check it out ans please let me know what you think, there is a return
form in my main page.

Thanks,

Erwin Cremers

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//////////\\\\\\\\\\
| Erwin Cremers |
| PE1MGR |
| Dutch Radio Operator |
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______|Check my homepage at|________
|www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/4312|
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5772. Tiger Tails

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bjanoske@usa.net
Message-ID: <866122621.2647@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173131

In article ,
enboe@aol.com (ENBOE) wrote:
>
> Wonder if you could add one of those "Tiger Tails" slipped under the
> antenna sleeve. This would provide a counterpoise and improve radiation
> efficiency, while not removing the antenna. Probably would wind up
> violating the 500mw ERP rule, though.
>
> Eric

What is a "tiger Tail?"
bill

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5773. Re: Nye Viking Paddle : Info ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5nou81$1dj@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 173132

In article <339F1D32.27A3@pez.bell-labs.com>, abbot@pez.bell-labs.com says...
>
>At a recent hamfest I picked up an old iambic paddle
>manufactured by the Nye company. It is black metal
>with two elongated black plastic paddle handles,
>protruding from the front of the key about 3" or so.
>The paddle is built tough and it still works well,
>although it takes more oomph than the Bencher I'm
>used to.
>I'm wondering about the history of this item, as it
>looks pretty old. Can anyone on the 'group tell me
>how old it is, whether it was a popular item, etc.?
>
>Rich, WB2MBM

Hi Rich,

These paddles were originally made by E.F.Johnson, before they sold their key division to William Nye Company back in the 1970s. They are heavy-duty, to be sure! They are not a rare item, to my knowledge. I know they no longer make this paddle, and I think it's been out of production for many years.

Hope this helps! (and I hope I have my dates right!)

Dean K5DH

5774. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A0986C.97B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 173133

Gary,
Maybe Timewave can make a DSP box , that matches the 706 Mark II,
similar to the board that goes into the Yaesu speaker. It's only a
thought.

mike

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 21:31:14 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> wrote:
>
> >If you just purchased a Icom 706 MK II. Take a look at the LCD Display
> >from an Angle. You will see "DSP" clearly marked but it is not usable.
> >My belief is Icom was going to include audio DSP is this radio but at
> >the last minute scraped it so as to get it to market. The rumor I heard
> >is that a Icom Italy Dealer let the news out about the Icom 706 MK II
> >and the Rumors went out of control. Icom decided to release the IC-706
> >Mark II earlier than it was supposed to so the DSP feature was left out.
> >To bad. Perhaps next year Icom will come out with a Icom 706 MK III ???
> >I doubt Icom would have put the LCD with the words "DSP" if they were
> >not planning on it initialy.
> >
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> The 735 has the RTTY label on the LCD screen and NO RTTY Mode is
> available in the 735. The 751A had an extra digit but you can not
> enable it. Many LCD displays have more labels available than are
> used.
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

5775. F.S. : ICOM W2A Dual Band Hand Held

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33A00B70.593@whidbey.net>
Source record: 173134

I am selling my W2A with all the accessories.
If you are interested you can contact me at:

jstilson@whidbey.net

5776. Test, please ignore.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.c@btinternet.com
Message-ID: <5np2uq$hkt@neon.btinternet.com>
Source record: 173135

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This is a test.
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5777. Help. FTV707 2 metre transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.c@btinternet.com
Message-ID: <5np33o$hkt@neon.btinternet.com>
Source record: 173136

I have an FTV707 2 metre transverter with a blown PA module type VP-20BL, part number G1090216. I have tried to get hold of one of these modules from many emporiums but with no success. Can anyone help please?

John

5778. Lookin' fer a part

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Stan Labinsky Jr." <u1004786@warwick.net>
Message-ID: <33A00D34.22C8@warwick.net>
Source record: 173137

I'm looking for a source of the Stag 455-4-lug IF transformers. The standard ones found in the All American Gutless Wonder 5 tube table radios, the AD/DC types with the 50C5, 35W4, etc. tube lineup. Must be the chassis mountable type, the ones that installed with the "U" shaped brass colored hold down clip. Naturally equivalent units would be fine... I bought up all the ones at our local radio/tv parts store/museum. Theirs were made by J.W.Miller... BTW. does anybody have an Email address for Miller or Stag, if Stag still exists?
Thanks for any help... Stan. Oh, please respond to the Email address, thanks.

5779. Mods for ts940

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul1@news.sfu.ca
Message-ID: <5np60mguu1@morgoth.sfu.ca>
Source record: 173138

Can anyone help me with the pin diode mod info for this rig? The one source mentioned earlier doesn't seem to anwer my email messages for some reason.

cheers, Paul
VE7CQK
email: paul1@wizard.ucs.sfu.ca

5780. Kenwood TM-733 Cross-band Repea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill_Combs@macgroup.ORG
Message-ID: <0550b24.199706121232.0757E262@macgroup.org>
Source record: 173139

My friend has a Kenwood TM-733, which he woudl like to use as a cross-band repeater. He says the manual has no info on this, but I notice that in some ads for the rig (e.g., Jun's Electronics, p. 168, Aril QST) the claim is made that it will cross-band repeat.

My questions: How does one put it in that mode? If this is not a normal feature, is there a mod?

Bill
W8BC

5781. Need HTX-202 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William D. Redfearn, Jr." <william.redfearn@nt.com>
Message-ID: <339FF00E.2E9D@nt.com>
Source record: 173140

Need operator manual, service manual or schematic for the Tandy HTX-202
2 Meter HT.

Thanks - Dave.
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Dave Redfearn, Sr RF Engineer NORTEL RTP, NC.
Ph.(919) 992-3925 Email: william.redfearn@nt.com
QRL? de N4ELM/ qrp

All opinions are my own, no one else wants them.

5782. Subject: ***FS/WTB***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Brian K. Short" <ke7gh@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33A02637.4EEB@primenet.com>
Source record: 173141

Subject: ***FS/WTB***

FS
-Ameritron AL-1200 low hours (want auto-tune) $1400

-I have 2 Kantronics KAMs: a mint KAM+ w/v8 firmware and a KAM upgraded to enhanced w/v7 firmware. Only need 1 of them, take your pick: KAM+ v8 w/Hostmaster $225, KAMe v7 $150. Both will operate GTOR, Pactor, Amtor, Packet, RTTY, etc.

-Gracillis PackeTwin board (8530 hi-speed PC internal board)*
-Kantronics 9k6/19k2 modem card (presently mounted on Gracillis)
*Just attempted to put the Gracillis in my computer and it is a will not fit over my CPU fan (my computer is full of large boards).

WTB: FRG-9600 TV Board
Looking for the optional TV board (NTSC) for the FRG-9600 receiver. Consider any other accessories for same?

Brian ke7gh@primenet.com >or< http://www.primenet.com/~ke7gh

5783. Re: WTB: Kenwood IF10C Chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5np9er$s7l$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 173142

I think this unit may be the same as the Kenwood R5000 receiver.

You can just buy any flavor of 8251 and a 4040 at a local electronics store or distributor and plug them in. Buying your own costs about $10. Buying it from Kenwood costs about $50.

They don't bother to tell you the part numbers in the Service Manual either (to insure you will buy their kit), just like the 12VDC kits that Icom and Kenwood sell. If you are handy, you can do your own much cheaper.

Steve
WB7PSD

k5pn@aol.com (K5PN) wrote:

>Looking for the computer interface kit for the TS440S/AT....It contains
>the two IC's that install inside the ransceiver.........I believe catalog
>number is IF10C........

>Thanks,
>K5PN

>e mail to rchambers@aguirre.com

5784. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a0272f.13162048@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On 12 Jun 1997 13:13:31 GMT, moritz@ipers1.e-technik.uni-stuttgart.de () wrote:
>>It seems a little strange to me that Yaesu and other companies have not
>>recognized the demand for a normal collapsible wip (like the hot rod) for
>>the FT-50.
>
>What is the point in having a palm-size radio with a full-size
>antenna, which might easily break or break the connector?
>
>Moritz DL5UH

That's a *very* good question. There's no way I'm hanging a halfwave telescoping 2m whip on a SMA connector. That's an invitation to pull the SMA right out of the case. Even the Comet SMA-3 is ungainly on these small radios. I normally keep the stubby duck on the radio unless I'm in a bad location. Then I may put on the Comet, or hook up an external antenna. The latter is preferred if it doesn't restrict my mobility too much.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5785. Need for "matched" 6JS6C's in Yaesu FT101?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: spammers@must.die.com
Message-ID: <wsandersEBoAny.4LH@netcom.com>
Source record: 173144

I'm shopping for a new set of final tubes for the old FT101 and prices vary from $30 to $80. The expensive ones are in "matched" pairs. OK, basically the tubes are connected in parallel, so this makes some sense in terms of sharing the load between the tubes, but is it really necessary?

It would seem necessary if the 6JS6Cs are run as close to their output limits as Yaesu runs the 572B's in the FL2100B amplifier. I guess they designed these units assuming pretty intermittent use.

Thanks,

-wiley KF6IIU wsanders at netcom dot com

5786. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5npbec$ivu@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173145

kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald Schmitt) wrote:

>In <339E0439.7794@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
>writes:
>>
>>Robert A. Kile wrote:
>>>
>>> As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for.
>>> Chances are if these criteria are not met, I simply don't go back.
>On
>>> the other hand this list will assume that I the customer have done
>my
>>> homework and know what I'm looking for.
>>>
>>> They are as follows:
>>> 1. Was I greeted when entering the location?
>>> 2. Was there a large inventory? Was it well displayed?
>>> 3. Was there adequate staff? Were they busy with other customers? If
>so,
>>> did they acknowledge my presence?
>>> 4. Was pricing competative? Were the items brand names?
>>> 5. When approaching a salesperson with a specific question did he
>answer
>>> it? If he did not know the answer did he make an immediate effort to
>>> find the answer. Was he knowledgeable? Did he ask a lot of
>questions?
>>> 6.Did he say I don't know and move to another subject?
>>> 7.Did he attempt to qualify me for use and purpose? Or, did he just
>>> point to an item and "say we have this"?
>>> 8 Was the salesperson pressured by other responsiblities or was he
>>> focused on me?
>>> 9. When interrupted by another customer did he remain focussed on me
>by
>>> excusing himself?
>>> 10. If they did not have the product I was looking for did they make
>a
>>> suggestion of where to find it? If it were back ordered and expected
>in
>>> a short period of time did they state so?
>>> 11. Did they explain the policies of return/exchange at the time of
>>> sale. Did they mention terms of Warranty?
>>> 12. Did the sales person close the sale with a product of quality,
>>> priced competatively, and is it suitable/compatible for my use?
>>> 13. Did that person thank me and present me with a business card?

>>>
>>> As a shopper who is prepaired to buy an answer of "NO" to more than
>4
>>> items on the above list would probably indicate that I will not go
>back
>>> or frequent that business.
>>>
>>> Bob KG7D
>>>
>>> --
>>> GIF89aI!
>>
>>This Guy BOB KG7D is the radio repair technician at Amatuer Electronic
>>Supply in Las Vegas . If you have a Amatuer Electronic Supply
>Catalogue
>>Winter '96/97 His picture is on page 147.
>> I guess Bob is telling me _not to go to Amatuer Electronic Supply
>>since they did not pass his Salesperson Evaluation on one occation
>that
>>I delt with them.
>>
>> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>>
>>73's NS1R Steven Hershman

>Steve,

>Is being such a jerk an inborn talent or do you have to work hard at
>it?

>Lots of us know who Bob Kline is, and more than a few of us know him
>personally. So what if he works at AES, he didn't mention that in his
>post, nor did he post from the AES server. So why do you bring his
>employer to the table? To show every one how clever you are?

>What Bob has to say from his private server has nothing to do with
>where he works any more than my opinion of your style has anything to
>do with where I work. Oh and BTW the Las Vegas store meets the criteria
>set forth in Bob's original post as do the other AES stores I have been
>to. You might consider that if you were ignored or whatever it was a
>result of your attitude more than as a result of poor sales staff at
>the business you visited.

> Jerry

Entire thread included intentionally.
If Ray grenier still has anything to do with AES then they still have
the policies they had when the shaft was the orderof the day.

I don't know bob, and my gripe is with AES of michigan, but
they do NOT meet the above criteria.

So there is room for arguement.

I think the posted criteria is a useful thing to see.

keep on "whining" friend, many need to hear it.

Lou Hinshaw
aruder@pipeline.com

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

5787. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5npbef$ivu@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>On 9 Jun 1997 02:09:17 GMT, "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
>><339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>>>
>>> I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled
>>> to the vehicle electrical system with diode steering (RV kit).
>>
>>The only thing to watch for is that most UPSs are designed for full power
>>only as long as their batteries last. The transformer and/or power bridge
>>may overheat if run on external DC power.
>>
>>You will have to derate the max continuous output power.

>This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
>can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more than
>long enough to reach thermal equilibrium. You do have to be careful when
>looking at the ratings for the UPS, however. There is a peak surge rating,
>and a sustained rating. The former is only valid for momentary starting
>demands.

>Gary

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>534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
>Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

I hope I missed something.
The UPS is an Unirruptable Power Supply, having in or arond it
a battery. It is to be rated at its ability to run the power for so
long at some stated power consumption.

If it can run at that rated amount, it does NOT follow that it will
run continuously at that rate. The battery will run down.

Sheesh.

Lou Hinshaw.
aruder@pipeline.com

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

5788. Re: question on hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33a233ce.3990444@news.capital.net>
Source record: 173147

On 10 Jun 97 10:43:44 EDT, jenning1@marshall.edu wrote:

>Hello to all in this great hobby. I am soon to become a new member and user
>within this hobby. I would like to know about 2-meter hand helds. I am
>intrigued with 2-meter and would like to know more about it. I have a quick
>question though. Since I am a new comer I am unfamilur with the brand names and
>the many types of equipment that are out there. I would like to know is there
>is a reliable, durable, reasonably priced, 5 watt, hand held that would be
>great for a beginner. Any help on this matter would be greatly appreciated.
>Thank you for taking the time to read this.
>
>stuart (soon to be some call sign)
>
I can recommend the Radio Shack HTX-202 2 meter handheld. I have had
excellent service from this radio. When they're on sale you can get
one for less than $200. No out of band possiblities, but a very tight
front end. (less interference and intermod.)

--
Butch N2YMJ

To send mail
delete the xyz
from my address.

5789. Henry 3K Classic X Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlee@ezl.com
Message-ID: <866137361.14899@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Henry 3K Classic X HF Amplifier. Uses single 3CX1200D7 tube; operates 10 through 160 meters, all modes. 1500+ watts out all bands, all modes, no QSK. Asking $1800. Contact Robert L. Gray via email at rlee@ezl.com.

Robert L. Gray, KD9M

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

5790. GE Monogram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob_b <bob_b@xmission.com>
Message-ID: <33A03AAA.7EB5@xmission.com>
Source record: 173149

Where can I get a GE Monogram programing cable schem?

5791. Used 2M repeater wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: billkd4ekz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970612180200.OAA22145@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173150

I am looking for a good, used, reasonably priced 2M repeater complete with duplexers for use in the 144-146 MHz band. Repeater desired should preferably be built using discrete solid state components, not IC's. Also, repeater should have 12VDC power supply only, since reliable AC is not available in repeater's final site.

Please reply to e-mail address: BillKD4EKZ@aol.com

'73

de
Bill
KD4EKZ

5792. Re: Preamps/antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <33A03B84.61CC@radia1.com>
Source record: 173151

JS Kraling wrote:
>
> Thanks to all of those who gave me answers!!
>
> Now I have another question. While I have a homebrew antenna for my
> car...mag mount. I found one that says output 2m/50W//17cm/25W.
>
> What happens when I go over that? Distortation or what?
>
> Thanks for letting me bug you guys again!
>
> 73
> Joshua Kraling
> KB0TLK
> --
> I find television very educating. | J. Kraling jkraling@iastate.edu
> Every time somebody turns on the set, | off the wall
> I go into the other room and read a book. | Mac & PC Computer consulting
> Groucho Marx |
You will probably exceed the current rating of the loading
coil and burn it out. Then you will get distortion!

5793. Re: Motorola Syntor X9000 Info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <33A03BF8.5C32@radia1.com>
Source record: 173152

Suresh Kagoo wrote:
>
> have access to a couple of Motorola Syntor X9000. They were in service in
> the 460 Mhz range.
>
> My question will they go down to the ham bands (440mhz - 450 Mhz). Also
> will there do 9600 baud
> packet.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Suresh Kagoo N9GSA
>
> SKAGOO@msn.com
They will go to the Ham Band pretty easily - not sure about 9600...
Ernie
N2OJQ

5794. FS: Kenwood TK805D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: smaynard@home.com
Message-ID: <33a2361e.129024656@news.msnv1.occa.home.com>
Source record: 173153
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am posting this ad for a friend that does not have access to the Internet. Please call him for any queries or negotiations. His name and phone number is: Karl Liebold (714) 562-0297 (Southern California).

Kenwood TK805D, 16 channels with priority scan.
Tx/Rx 440-480 MHz. 35 watts. Radio is field and software programmable. Price: $400

5795. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <5npg46$auj@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 173154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

moritz@ipers1.e-technik.uni-stuttgart.de () writes:
>What is the point in having a palm-size radio with a full-size
>antenna, which might easily break or break the connector?

Well, it might be useful in an emergency: you take the radio hiking,
and someone is injured, and the regular antenna doesn't have enough
gain to reach anyone even at high power. A half-wave, or even a full
quarter-wave plus "tiger tail" performs much better than the stock
antenna, and might allow you to communicate.

For occasional emergency use, you can be careful enough not to break
the radio's SMA connector.

But if you can carry along an extra collapsible antenna, you can also
carry along the SMA-to-BNC adapter. This lets you use almost any
antenna you want to, and is little extra inconvenience. So I don't
think the lack of a SMA-mount half-wave is a big deal. I can't imagine
routinely using a half-wave on a FT-50.

Dave

5796. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <33A04763.50F5@magg.net>
Source record: 173155

Joe Leikhim wrote:
>
> The 9913F cable is a foam dielectric type. It doesnt have the water
> hose construction of the 9913.
>
> landisj@nad.com (Joe Landis) wrote:
>
> >>
>
> >It could be full of water too.
>
> >Good luck,
> >Joe - AA3GN
> >--
> >landisj@nad.com - speaking only for myself, of course
> >No, this is not a sig.The 9913Flex from Cable Experts still has the tube/helical spiral dielectric.

Dale
W4OP

5797. FS: FT-50 brand new in Canada.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc7764$c9773900$540d23cf@michel.csgoeland.qc.ca>
Source record: 173156

Hi there
I have for sale a Yaesu FT-50RH with the FNB-41 battery that gives 5 watts output. I also have the SMA to BNC adapter to connect a regular antenna and the ADMS 1C software for Windows. The radio is 1 month old and on warranty for a full year. The value of that equipment is about $525.00 Canadian and I am asking $350.00 Canadian or $250.00 U.S. I would prefer to sell in the Montreal area but would consider other offers. I think the warranty would not be in force in the U.S. so caveat emptor!

73 de VE2CJW
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5798. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a03e03.19006222@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173157

On Thu, 12 Jun 1997 03:37:00 GMT, n1ist@netcom.com (Michael L. Ardai) wrote:
>In article <5nmghd$p16@news.epcc.edu>,
> ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu (Ed E Jensen) wrote:
>>
>> I am posting this for a friend of mine. His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the
>> number is HTX202) only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to
>> modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.
>> 73, Ed
>
>Ed-
> Why? Check out the bandplan for 2M and where FM is allowed...

Do that. FM is allowed below 144.6 MHz. (If the radio cut off at 144.2 MHz,
you'd have an argument.)

I believe the radio in question is actually the HTX212 mobile rig. If so,
there's a keyboard mod, listed in the manual, to allow operation below
144.6 MHz.

Gary
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Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5799. Balloon Launch Saturday!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5npgcd$28c_037@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 173158

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www.windtrax.org

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Crusing Alt: Max Alt estimated at 100,000 feet

FORECASTED TRAJECTORY & CLIMB TO 60,000 FEET:
A. 50 mile SE of launch site, while climbing to 100,000 feet, then decending to surface via
parachute
B. 1 hour to 60,000 feet, and 90 minutes to maximum altitude.

PRELAUNCH FREQ's:
Check-ins (HF) 3.860 to 3.870MHz WD9CXU/Dennis Local Talk-in
147.015/R N9KRS/Bob
NETS BEGIN AT 1145UTC/0645 Local
Balloon type: Kaymont 1500GR Parachute is 8 ft diameter custom made
by KB9BSV/Barb
Flight Packages on flight:
Crossband Repeater by W9DUU/Paul Bohr
2m rcvr to 6 m & 70 cm Xmtrs, with voice ID Nicad powered, half wave
vertical ant., 100mW
GPS/Packet by WB9HIS/Chuck Crist
Garmin GPS rcvr, controlled via Paccom Packet & TNC, dwn linked on 446.0
ATV by KT9B/Terry
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ATV - Dn 439.25MHz (VP) 1.5W Pout

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5800. Removeable front panel 2 meter mobile?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Chisholm <chisholm@spec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc776c$a42fca60$c0956bc0@sleepy.spec.com>
Source record: 173159

Does anyone know if there is a late model mobile 2 meter fm only radio made that has a removable face plate such as many of the newer dual band rigs. It seems that only the dual band radios have this feature, but maybe there was 2 meter one made in the pass that has this feature. If you know of one (make and model) please e-mail me back, then perhaps I can find a used one.
Thanks and 73's

5801. WTB Collins SM-1,2,3MIC'S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <5npi6j$n18@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 173160

Wanted Collins Sm-1,2,3 desk mic's for my collection please 73, Leo

5802. WTB Central Electronics 200V, & 600V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <5npiah$n18@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 173161

Wanted Central Electronic 200V, 600V thanks , Leo

5803. Balloon Launch Saturday

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5npigb$19k_002@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 173162

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Flight Packages on flight:
Crossband Repeater by W9DUU/Paul Bohr
2m rcvr to 6 m & 70 cm Xmtrs, with voice ID Nicad powered, half wave
vertical ant., 100mW
GPS/Packet by WB9HIS/Chuck Crist
Garmin GPS rcvr, controlled via Paccom Packet & TNC, dwn linked on 446.0
ATV by KT9B/Terry
CCD's - one B&W up-view, one color Horz. View, plus WB8ELK color
graphics board &downlinked on Wyman ATV xmtr via ' wave antenna
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5804. Re: Help with mobile noise!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <339ffd51.2442163@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173163

On 12 Jun 1997 00:19:32 GMT, ham@w3eax.umd.edu (Scott Rosenfeld NF3I) wrote:
>1995 Dodge Neon.
>
>Scenario so far:
>
>Tailpipe bonded to frame (2 places)
>Antenna mounts bonded to frame
>Hood grounded to fender and frame
>Trunk grounded to fender and frame
>Capacitor from alternator B+ to frame
>All under-hood grounds improved by sanding of paint
>Not the fuel pump as it's constant pressure
>Not the power lead as the noise is gone when ant is disconnected
>
>What I get:
>
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>
>Putting engine under load makes the noise more intense.
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>In neutral, the noise is practically nil, independent of
> engine speed. Unless it isn't - and when the lights
> come on, it goes away!
>I'm thinking fuel management system (multi-point injection)
> but is it a big enough current to cause such noise?
>Also thinking to replace the plugs and wires? They're
> only two years old...
>Planning to try ferrites on the plug wires, type 43.

As Tom noted, ferrites on the plug wires probably won't do any good.

Spark plug noise does change with changing engine load. That's because
chamber pressure changes, which changes the characteristics of the
spark discharge. But turning on the lights should have no effect on this.

The injectors receive a varying *width* pulse which operates the solenoids
of the injectors. The current of this pulse has to be sufficient to bang the
solenoid open at the start of injection regardless of injection duration, but
the energy of the pulse has to be greater for longer duration opening of the
injector. So increasing engine load will result in a greater amount of energy
expended by the injector drivers.This shouldn't be sensitive to turning on the
lights either, *except* if the lights and injector currents share a common
length of ground impedance in the return circuit. In other words, unless
there's a ground loop.

Since it is a Chrysler product, and they are notorious for ground loops, I'd look at this. The likely location of the problem is the ground return from the injector control box to the battery negative. That may be via the instrument cluster and dash. Make sure that this is really a low impedance at DC and RF.

I've had all sorts of problems in this area with Chrysler built Jeeps. A quick test for this problem is to turn on your turn signals. If the instrument lights dim in step with the blinker, you've got a poor ground return between the instrument cluster/dash and the battery negative.

The cause is almost always dependence on mating *painted* surfaces to carry the return currents. Chrysler paints before assembly, and that causes all sorts of grounding problems. (The other manufacturers are doing this too now.)

You can blame this on the EPA and their paint solvent regulations which have caused the manufacturers to adopt new painting methods which work better on components rather than on finished autos. That's also why new cars have that orange peel finish instead of the very smooth finish of the older painting methods, IE it is the result of different solvent behavior. On the upside, there's less corrosion in vehicle joints with these painting methods because of better paint coverage.

To amateurs, however, this means we have to pay even more attention to bonding than in the past. Not only must the outer panels be bonded, but the inner structures have to be bonded too.

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5805. Re: WTB: Kenwood IF10C Chips

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33A0583A.2439@onramp.net>
Source record: 173164

K5PN wrote:
>
> Looking for the computer interface kit for the TS440S/AT....It contains
> the two IC's that install inside the ransceiver.........I believe catalog
> number is IF10C........
>
> Thanks,
> K5PN
>
> e mail to rchambers@aguirre.com

I have them for $15 plus postage...

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

5806. Alinco DX70 CTCSS board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: adrianb@gcmltd.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <866148707.28841.0.nnrp-2.9e98d2c1@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 173165

I have a Alinco DX70, the CTCSS board is an optional extra, I have fitted it and on transmit the harmonics of the CTCSS frequency can be heard with my voice. There are no adjustments on the CTCSS board. Help!

fer g0lxx tu

Adrian Bradley

adrianb@gcmltd.demon.co.uk

5807. Re: Collins net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Johnson <jjohnson@hpl.hp.com>
Message-ID: <33A02B6D.1CC3@hpl.hp.com>
Source record: 173166

Thanks to all who posted. Got a lot of info out of that request!

73,
Jim W6SC
jjoker@dxhound.com

5808. need rx mod for Icom2710

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Cave <joncave@xroadstx.com>
Message-ID: <33A01224.4246@xroadstx.com>
Source record: 173167

I am looking for the real extended rx mod for the Icom 2710. The one that opens up the 860 to 890 part of the radio.

Thanks, Jon Cave KK5OR

5809. Key LK-500ZC from C-line??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio@copland.udel.edu
Message-ID: <5npoug$4cd$1@copland.udel.edu>
Source record: 173168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I just inherited an Amp Supply LK-500ZC and wanted to key it with
a C line. To work the amp on QSK, which I've heard may not be so great,
I hook the keyer into the amp and key the tx from there. But the Drake is
negative keying. Easy solution? Worth doing?

Or, should I key the relay from the Drake? From where? Since the tx is
on only on key down, this would be the same as QSK, I guess. If I go into
the relay jack on the amp, would the key-down-only xmit from the Drake
make it go kablooey?

Pardon my ignorance, but hey!

Please e-mail to rgp@hamradio.com.

Tnx, Bob

5810. WTB COLLINS 55G-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <5nppgg$a8a@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 173169

Wanted Collins 55g-1 preselector for my 51s-1 receiver please
Leo........

5811. WTB Dx Eng.VoiceProcessors for Collins, and Drake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <5npnvk$862@argentina.earthlink.net>
Source record: 173170

Wanted Dx engineering voice processors for Collins 32s, Kwm2, 2a,
DrakeT4x,xc, thank you.......73, Leo.....

5812. Re: %%%%% Kenwood TS-120S Cooling Fan question %%%%%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ron, N7TAW" <rh@pcez.com>
Message-ID: <33A07F24.2CFB@pcez.com>
Source record: 173171

Patrick,

The fan is a standard 12V fan, and is controlled by a thermal sensor. The heat sink on the back of the 120 is pretty good, and the fan only comes on when it's temp rises to about 130 degrees f.

In four years running a 120 mobile, the fan only came on a couple of times, and those were when the car had been sealed up on a sunny day, and then I tried to run a long test to change antennas (key down for over a minute, ID beginning and end, of course).

Hope it helps,

Ron, N7TAW

Patrick Franzis wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> I have yet to see the cooling fan on my TS120s turn on. I've
> been using it for about 5 months now. If you use a TS-120s
> can you tell me at what intervals the fan turns on and what
> voltage the fan operates on?
>
> Thanks, -Patrick N1OCJ

5813. 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gradyr@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <gradyr-1206971853370001@user-37kbbpc.dialup.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on brands?

TIA,
Grady

5814. CRYSTAL HOLDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Arnold" <D.Arnold@primocomputers.com>
Message-ID: <33A0A2BF.25AD@primocomputers.com>
Source record: 173173

hello,

I have a GE MASTR II in vhf SPECTRUM an need the GOLD CAN on the main board that holds the CRYSTAl...any ideas where i can get one for my non-profit group

DON

5815. ANTIQUE TUBES FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Earl" <jpearl@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <33A0AB8E.4C11@interaccess.com>
Source record: 173174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

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2EA 1V $5.00 EA

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5816. Freq adjust on Alinco DJ560

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark & Sher Castiglione <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A0B1F3.72D3@flash.net>
Source record: 173175

Hello..I need to find out where the adjustment to "rubber" vco or main crystal in an Alinco DJ-560 HT. It's not too far off..just enough to sound bad.I don't have a skematic. Thank for any help//N8REZ Mark

5817. SB-220 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A09E8A.F17E983C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173176

I just got a Heath SB-220 and need to know how much output I should see on a Bird 43. Trying to find out if my 3-500Z are good. Not sure how much I should see in CW mode at 500ma. Shows 1kw dc in at 2K volts. How much out should I get. Have only tried it on 10m so far. Please post your reply, my e-mail is swamped.

73's Bob WB5APD/4

5818. Help with mobile noise!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ham@w3eax.umd.edu
Message-ID: <5nnfak$k95@dailyplanet.wam.umd.edu>
Source record: 173205

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Other suggestions? Anyone know any Chrysler engineers?
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* Scott Rosenfeld NF3I Burtonsville, MD FM19mc QRV 80-10/6/2/440 *
*** 6m 75 grids worked on 8 watts *** HF 140 cfmd * QRP-L #147 ***
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5819. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc76d7$cb5dce60$da102399@peter->
Source record: 173206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<339cf6f4.957303@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
> >
> >The only thing to watch for is that most UPSs are designed for full
power
> >only as long as their batteries last. The transformer and/or power
bridge
> >may overheat if run on external DC power.
> >
> >You will have to derate the max continuous output power.
>
> This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
> can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more
than
> long enough to reach thermal equilibrium.

10 minutes is fine most of the time for the bridge, but certainly not for
the
transformer.

How much would you be willing to wager on this one? ;)

(hint: I was a design engineer at a major UPS manufacturer)

Seriously, examine the size of the transformer, look at its insulation
grade,
and then figure out how much continuous power it should be able to handle.

A transformer the size of your fist with class B (or sometimes A)
insulation
no way can handle 200 Watts at 60 Hz continuous... also remember how
fast copper's resistance rises with temperature!

All the extended run units we made had a completely different and larger
transformer, larger heatsinks and/or a fan on the mosfet bridge, and other
considerations.

...Peter

P.S., You do testing, don't you? Paste a few thermocouples on the
transformer
of a UPS, hook it up to a BIG 12 or 24 Volt power supply, and find out how
long
it takes to reach equilibrium at full rated load. Don't fry it, though!

5820. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu
Message-ID: <5nnj47$2ak@news.epcc.edu>
Source record: 173207

I found out it is a HTX212, the mobile rig, not the HT. And the manual states it only transmits down to 144.6 and no, we do not want to transmit out of band.

Ed E Jensen (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu) wrote:
> I am posting this for a friend of mine. His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the
> number is HTX202) only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to
> modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.
> 73, Ed

> --
> Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)

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Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)

5821. PARTING: APACHE TX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970612014000.VAA20846@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173208

Hi All!
Am trying to find out if there is enough interest in my parting out of an APACHE TRANSMITTER, model TX-1. So far it in intact less the knobs and the plastic lens in front of the slide rule scale!
Thanks es 73........RICH....RLUCCH2098@aol.com

5822. Icom 2GXAT for sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: pdsalem@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970612020900.WAA23777@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173209

I have an Icom 2GXAT for sale or trade. Whole set is less than a year old. The radio is in mint condition. Have manual and original boxes. It comes with 2 seven watt batteries and a drop in rapid charger. Asking $300.00 or would love to trade it for an older dual band ht. Especially the Icom 24at ht. Would also prefer an Icom radio, but will consider all offers. Thanks.

73's
Phil KB5FLS

5823. Re: FS: Kenwood TK805D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <EBn5I6.J54@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 173210
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Sam Maynard <smaynard@home.com> wrote:

>I am posting this ad for a friend that does not have access to the
>Internet. Please call him for any queries or negotiations. His name
>and phone number is: Karl Liebold (714) 562-0297 (Southern
>California).

>Kenwood TK805D, 16 channels with priority scan.
>Tx/Rx 440-480 MHz. 35 watts. Radio is field and software programmable.
>Price: $400

They were selling for $349.00 new
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

5824. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1ist@netcom.com
Message-ID: <n1istEBn8po.Mt0@netcom.com>
Source record: 173211

In article <5nmghd$p16@news.epcc.edu>,
ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu (Ed E Jensen) wrote:
>
> I am posting this for a friend of mine. His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the
> number is HTX202) only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to
> modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.
> 73, Ed

Ed-
Why? Check out the bandplan for 2M and where FM is allowed...
/mike
--
\|/ Michael L. Ardai N1IST n1ist@netcom.com \|/
-*- === Boston Amateur Radio Club: http://www.barc.org/barc === -*-
/|\ or send "info barc-list" to listserv@majordomonetcom.com /|\

5825. Re: 20 Watts loss on 100 ft of cable???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jleikhim@nettally.com
Message-ID: <5nnt7c$p4s@server.cntfl.com>
Source record: 173212

The 9913F cable is a foam dielectric type. It doesnt have the water
hose construction of the 9913.

landisj@nad.com (Joe Landis) wrote:

>>

>It could be full of water too.

>Good luck,
>Joe - AA3GN
>--
>landisj@nad.com - speaking only for myself, of course
>No, this is not a sig.

5826. RE: frs hop-up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: enboe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970612044500.AAA10649@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173213

Wonder if you could add one of those "Tiger Tails" slipped under the antenna sleeve. This would provide a counterpoise and improve radiation efficiency, while not removing the antenna. Probably would wind up violating the 500mw ERP rule, though.

Eric

5827. FS: O-scopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radarguy@gdi.net
Message-ID: <339cb844.15738139@news.gdi.net>
Source record: 173214

Tektronix 321A - This is a portable that can run on AC power or with D
size batteries. 6 Mhz single trace. Comes with nice leather case.
$150 SOLD

HP 1740A - 100 Mhz Dual trace scope Excellent condition - asking
$450 SOLD

HP 1740A - 100 Mhz Dual trace scope Excellent condition except
handle is removed and one foot off the back is broken - asking $410

Check these out at TEST EQUIPMENT CONNECTION. 800-615-8378
See what they are asking for them, then get back with me.

Tektronix 504 - This is a low BW scope but working It includes a spare
for parts. Make me an offer around $40 for both to get them out of my
garage.

Tektronix 604 scope monitor. Working with small cosmetic flaw in fron
bezel. Asking $50

Shipping is extra

Russ
For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son,
that whoever believes in Him should not perish,
but have eternal life. John 3:16

5828. Re: Collins net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: docdc@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5no06o$5mm@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173215

In <339ED2AA.32EF@hpl.hp.com> Jim Johnson <jjohnson@hpl.hp.com> writes:

>
>A number of years ago I ran across a net on 20 mtrs that dealt with
>refurbishment of Collins radio gear. I think it met on weekends and
>it seemed to be quite useful for getting help and finding parts and
>manuals. Unfortunately, I've lost the frequency and time info for
>that net. Can anyone help me find it again?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Jim W6SC
> Work: jjohnson@hpl.hp.com
> Home: jjoker@dxhound.com

It's more than just the Collins net listed here, but you can weed
through it.

Dale KC8FAQ

Amateur Radio Swap Net List

Day Time* Freq Name

Monday 1900 3898 Gater Trader Net
Monday 2000 3920 MO/IA

Tuesday 3955 2000 Collins
Tuesday 3805 2100 Collins

Wednesday 1000 7251 SCARS Traders Net
Wednesday 2000 3865
Wednesday 2000 3945 Florida

Thursday 1830 3885 AM Swap Net
Thursday 2100 3875 Collins
Thursday 1400 7235 Swan Users Net

Friday 0930 3928 Western New York
Friday 2130 3870 Texas

Saturday 0830 3985 South
Saturday 1000 7275 Old Gear and Junk Net
Saturday 2000 3865 Drake Users Net

Sunday 0730 3945 Florida
Sunday 0900 7275 Georgia Traders Net
Sunday 1200 14317 Icom Users Net

Sunday 1400 7290 Heath DX-60 Net
Sunday 1500 14263 Collins Users Net
Sunday 1500 14207 Intl Texas Traders
Sunday 1600 3942 Hoss Traders Net
Sunday 1930 3755 Canadian
Sunday 2030 3922 Texas Continental

* Eastern Time

5829. w.t.b azden pcs-6000h manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc75e8$a2b0f5e0$cf794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 173216

i am looking for a copy of the azden pcs-6000h manual,also how to do a complete reset. thanks 73 jack n9iif. cmb@mc.net

5830. Wanted: Amp for WaveLan (Bilateral 915MHz)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ryan@inc.net
Message-ID: <33a0975a.8642515@news.inc.net>
Source record: 173217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

Does anyone have a source for a preamp/amp 915MHz amp that can handle the rx/tx speed of the 915MHz wavelan card? I haven't seen anything under $600...

Thanks for any leads,

Ryan Brooks
N9YBX
ryan@inc.net

5831. WTB Dual Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Wilson <pw@i2020.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7710$d390de40$7201e8cc@pw>
Source record: 173218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to find a decent dual bander with remotable face plate. Need it for my new vehicle, no place to mount the radio in the dash.

I have to trade, TM261A or TM241A plus cash. Also, 7 disk CDROM changer with SCSI card and all cabling and software.

Thanks....

N5PW

5832. FS: YAESU SPEAKER SP-980P

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: francer@usa1.com
Message-ID: <01bc771f$39739960$6ae1f9cc@default>
Source record: 173219

SELL OR TRADE Yaesu speaker SP-980P in mint (new) condition. Has great audio quality and accepts phone patch.Asking $95 plus shipping or best offer. Looking for SP-6 in new conditition.

Charles Francer, de N1RPD
francer@usa1.com

5833. WTB-Icom R7000 accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kin Ho <bush143@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5nombg$hs@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173220

Please e-mail description/price

5834. TM261A Mic Gain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Puff the Magic Dragon <uzi@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <339FE158.3DFA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173221

I need to reduce the mic gain on my Kenwood TM261A transceiver. Don't have a schematic. Any help locating the mic gain and deviation pots would be greatly appreciated.

Mark wb4tou

5835. Re: Help with mobile noise!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Ulrichs' <notmyaddress@nothing.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7721$6810f860$b6e0e7ce@ru>
Source record: 173222

http://www.magnecor.com/magnecor1/Index.htm

when all else fails get a set of magnecor wires

> What I get:
>
> Pulse noise. Varies with engine speed and other factors:
>

5836. FS: Tubes, tubes and more tubes!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: locoprom@adan.kingston.net
Message-ID: <5nolvmmli1@gollum.kingston.net>
Source record: 173223
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

We're attempting to sell off an extensive stockpile of NOS and used vacuum tubes which has been accumulating since the mid-1930's.

The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all at VERY fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio Equipment, etc. please email:

locoprom@adan.kingston.net

Thanks for your interest!

5837. Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic <tnic@IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <5nomue$d2p@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 173224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

It seems a little strange to me that Yaesu and other companies have not recognized the demand for a normal collapsible wip (like the hot rod) for the
FT-50.

No single accessory will boost the performance of the radio more than a decent full sized collapsible wip for the FT-50! You can easily double or triple the performance for $20-$30 if the antenna was available.

Last time I checked this was the best selling hand held.

Whats the problem. Is an SMA adapter that much trouble?

There seems to be a huge demand for this antenna but no one has come up with one yet.

The slightly improved other antennas that fit the FT-50 like the Comet are all still shrunken antennas that wont perform nearly as well as a nice collapsible half wave. Just make a 1/2 wave wire J-pole and check out the performance and gain over the miserable rubber duck that comes with the radio of the expensive Comet.

Build a better antenna for us and the world will throw money at your feet.

I am well aware of the sma/bnc adapter, and other shrunken antennas that perform better than the stock antenna but still stink when compared to a real wip.

Get it? Got it! Good!

=TOM=

5838. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wright@onramp.net
Message-ID: <wright-ya02408000R1206970652380001@news.onramp.net>
Source record: 173225

i have a Titan, and it works very well on 40m and above.

it does work on 75 and 80, but not as well as my dipole.

e-mail me with specific questions.

jeff, kc5nez
wright@onramp.net

In article <resurrect.339d813d.5449662@netnews.worldnet.att.net>,
buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net (Jeep Meister) wrote:

> I can't compare the GAP to the Cushcraft but, I have a GAP Challenger
> DX that I've been using for 2 1/2 years and I am impressed with it's
> performance. Went from box to on the air in abt 4 hrs.MFJ antenna
> analyzer showed abt 1.5 or to 1, or less, on all bands with NO TUNING.
> You do need 3 - 25 ft. radials but they don't have to be straight, I
> have a friend that also likes his GAP.
> Buzz
>
> On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 13:07:02 +0200, pinson@quaternet.fr wrote:
>
> >I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..
> >
> >Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
> >comparaison with R7000 ?
> >
> >Is it a good antenna ?
> >
> >Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****
> >

5839. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: moritz@ipers1.e-technik.uni-stuttgart.de
Message-ID: <5noslrsdj1@news.belwue.de>
Source record: 173226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

>It seems a little strange to me that Yaesu and other companies have not
>recognized the demand for a normal collapsible wip (like the hot rod) for
>the FT-50.

What is the point in having a palm-size radio with a full-size
antenna, which might easily break or break the connector?

Moritz DL5UH

5840. Remote control TM251

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alberto Tetra <albatetra@iol.it>
Message-ID: <01bc7803$89e12540$LocalHost@albavent>
Source record: 172978

Hallo, Guys

Can someone help me to remote control (by DTMF with another transceiver)
the KENWOOD TM-251 ?!?!?!

Bye Bye

albatetra@iol.it

5841. FS Icom model 211 all mode 2M $180 +S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nrgp5$180c@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172979

Unit in good working condition,includes hand mike and manuel.

bob_weiss@prodigy.com W6NKC

5842. Is there any Programming software for the DJ-S41 from ALINCO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: archangel@sm0tsc.pp.SE
Message-ID: <01BC7817.2F766340@sm0tsc.pp.se>
Source record: 172980

Hi gang !!!
Is there any programming/cloning software for the ALINCO DJ-S41 series???
Vy 73 de SM0TSC/Johan

5843. Re: is it possible to get a icom 2700H to monitor cell bands ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.com
Message-ID: <33a25c71.4178446@news.syspac.com>
Source record: 172981

"Tracy Rankin" <ve9dwf@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote:

>
>Was wondering if anyone new of a method to get a icom to monitor cell
>freqs.
>
>
>

Suggest you check with the democratic national committee.

5844. FS: Large AM transmitter, 160 - 10 M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <CONEAL@microtouch.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7808$dd960840$f7512ec0@coneal>
Source record: 172982

Hi Folks,

I have available for sale an extremely well built high power AM transmitter that covers 160 thru 10 meters. Final is a 4CX1500A modulated by a pair of 3CX1200A7's using 5KW broadcast iron. Fully metered, vacuum variables with turns counters, extra final tube, all machining professionally done. Plate power supply not included, needs 3500VDC at up to 1.5 amps, depending on the desired output power. All other supplies built in. Requires about a total of 26" of 19" rack space, plus room for the modulation transformer, reactor and plate supply. It can run very conservativly at 375 watts out...up to....well look up the final tube. Priced at $1.00 a watt at full output. Due to weight it is pick up only in Bolton, MA. 30 miles west of Boston. Email me for details. This is a one of a kind that exceeds broadcast quality in operation and appearance.

Need room for the next rig under construction.

Chuck...K1KW

5845. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic@IDT.NET
Message-ID: <5nrlui$jla@nnrp3.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 172983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

: What is the point in having a palm-size radio with a full-size
: antenna, which might easily break or break the connector?

: Moritz DL5UH

The point is your radio will perform FAR better with no other change.
You will hear stations you never heard before and they will hear you.

Its about making a 5 watt radio (the smaller the better) work to its
potential. You might ask why cripple a perfectly good radio with a crapy
antenna?

Yaesu went through the trouble to make an SMA to BMC adapter so why not
just make the antenna?

The radio is very solid and can handel it.

5846. Re: HTX204 on FRS Freq's?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: sgmhurd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613151401.LAA28650@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172984

Actually FRS is limited to 500mw.

sgmhurd@aol.com
Gary Hurd WR1U
tnx es 73 de ._ _ ._. ._ _ _ _ .._

5847. FS: Pro-43 scanner cellular enabled.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc780b$3936d740$540d23cf@michel.csgoeland.qc.ca>
Source record: 172985

I am taking bids for my Realistic Pro-43 scanner modified for cellular.
Works perfectly and comes in original box with manual. I will ship anywhere
in the U.S. or Canada. Cannot ship cod to the U.S., postal regulations in
Canada forbid that.

73 de VE2CJW
morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca

5848. Re: question on hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613152901.LAA29800@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172986

There are a multitude of HH radios out there that will fill your needs.....but you will have to narrow things down a bit....give some thought to the following and then try again.....You may get flamed ny some people for asking a newbie question if you don't !

Features: CTCSS Encode/Decode, # of memories, out-of-band reception ability, "paging" capability,

Availability of accessories: does the radio use standard connectors, or mfgr. specific ones requiring that you buy the spkr/mic, antenna, etc. from the mfgr rather than generic.

Cost: How much do you want to spend ?

I would suggest that you go sown to the newsstand or bookstore and pick up a copy of CQ-VHF, CQ, QST, or 73 magazine. Look through the ads and see if any radios appeal to you. You may get ideas of cost that way too. Once you have 2 or 3 models that you are interested in, try posting to the group and ask people's experience with those particular models. That way you'll get the info you want and need rather than having to sift through a lot of "fluff"
Good Luck in your quest !

73 de Ric (N2YWD)
PS- I have 2 HT's, a Yaesu FT416 2M single bander, and the new ADI AT600 dual-bander. Both are excellent radios !

5849. Re: question on hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlmott@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613152901.LAA29815@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172987

Now a lot of hams may disagree with me, but I would reccommend the Radio Shack HTX-202. You can buy it and any accessories you may ever need at your local radio shack instead of mail ordering it. It is basic, with a lot of features you need and want, but nothing like dual watch or extended receive. If you want a durable and reliable radio you should get one. The price is about as low as they come - $200.

JLMott@aol.com
KF4OKL

5850. What happened to AMP SUPPLY COMPANY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: swithrow@nyx.cs.du.edu
Message-ID: <5nrolt$5vv@nyx.cs.du.edu>
Source record: 172988

I have an Amp Supply LA1000a amplifier in need of a new meter
and just wondered where they went to. Anybody know? Their
number in Twinsburg, OH is now longer in service.

The manufacturer of the meter, Modutec, is a company I would
suggest not doing business with. They seem unwilling to take
a small order (<$200), sample a meter, and have no customer
service department.

73,
Skip Withrow - WB0BBE
ah441@freenet.uchsc.edu

5851. Re: My Maha NiMH battery experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970613084519.3434B-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 172989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 12 Jun 1997, Matt Staroscik wrote:

> I got a Maha MH-FNB-38 NiMH battery today for my Yaesu FT-51R. It's a
> 650mAh, 9.6V nickel metal hydride pack, and is basically a clone of the
> factory Yaesu NiCd pack.
>
> When I got it home, I quick-charged it. It only charged for about 30
> minutes before my NC-50 rapid charger said it was full. That's odd,
> because the factory pack charges for about 1 hour. I started using the
> radio, but the pack went dead early. Also, the battery checker in the 51
> incorrectly identified it as a type 31 battery, even though the voltage
> looked like a 38 (that is, starting at about 11V).

The nickel metal hydride batteries do not seem to charge well in a fast charger designed for nickel cadmium batteries. Before buying my MaHa battery for the Kenwood TH-79A, I called MaHa to ask if the battery could safely be charged in the fast charger I have for my Kenwood. They checked, and said it was, though they advised me to use the trickle charge mode as much as possible (even on my NiCads) to extend the battery life. After getting my MaHa battery, I tried the fast charger and foud that after about 20 minutes it was so hot that I thought it would catch fire! I removed it form the fast charger, then let it cool down. I used it on the TH-79A until it was again depleted (which didn't take long!), then gave it a full charge on the trickle charge setting. The battery didn't seem to be harmed by the aborted fast charging, but I wouldn't do it again.

Overall, I like the MaHa battery much more than the factory PB-34. The MaHa unit lasts about twice as long. I just wish I could safely fast charge it without having to buy another charger.

Julian
--
INET: jmfrost@uci.edu - Public Key for Encrypted Mail available.
** Irvine Aikikai (USAF Western Region) Home Page --
** http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/Aikido/Aikido.html
The Unofficial SIG-Sauer Home Page --
http://odaiko.ss.uci.edu/sig/sig.html

5852. DC Area Hamfests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hontanor@ccaix3.unican.es
Message-ID: <866217670.2255@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,dc.general

Hello, does anyone know of any upcoming Washington DC area Ham Fests in
the month of July?.

Please reply via e-mail

73 es DX
-ramon EA1UL

Ramon Hontanon Fdez. EA1UL
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SANTANDER SPAIN. - hontanor@ccaix3.unican.es

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5853. Re: question on hand helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <33A18DBF.B96@vbe.com>
Source record: 172991

jenning1@marshall.edu wrote:
>
> Hello to all in this great hobby. I am soon to become a new member and user
> within this hobby. I would like to know about 2-meter hand helds. I am
> intrigued with 2-meter and would like to know more about it. I have a quick
> question though. Since I am a new comer I am unfamilur with the brand names and
> the many types of equipment that are out there. I would like to know is there
> is a reliable, durable, reasonably priced, 5 watt, hand held that would be
> great for a beginner. Any help on this matter would be greatly appreciated.
> Thank you for taking the time to read this.
>
> stuart (soon to be some call sign)

Stuart:

I like the ADI 201-HP....has all the features except alpha numeric
display (not important for most) and is only 189.95 from AES. The radio
is MARS/CAP modifiable. HAs both encode and decode built in and works
great....I've owned one for about two months now and have been very
impressed (this from one who really was never interested in VHF at all)
....I love it !

Good luck in the hobby....it's great !

73 de Mike KB9QHU

5854. Re: Kenwood TM-733 Cross-band Repea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A17686.7A37@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172992

Bill Combs wrote:
>
> My friend has a Kenwood TM-733, which he woudl like to use as a cross-band
> repeater. He says the manual has no info on this, but I notice that in some
> ads for the rig (e.g., Jun's Electronics, p. 168, Aril QST) the claim is
> made that it will cross-band repeat.
>
> My questions: How does one put it in that mode? If this is not a normal
> feature, is there a mod?
>
> Bill
> W8BC

The Kenwood web site has that information in their "Tech notes". To put
the rig into crossband mode you hold the funcation key for 2 seconds
"Double beep". Then you'll notice ax "X" above the key on the furthest
right press it. Your there. Repeat to turn off. The rig also has a
"Remote control" mode. Where you can change freqs, power, tones,
channels ETC... from another radio...You'll need the notes though. If
you cant find them just write back and I'll get them to you...73

5855. Re: FT 1000D Comments wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: slay@netcom.com
Message-ID: <slayEBq3Br.FD5@netcom.com>
Source record: 172993

mpayne@gte.net (mpayne@gte.net) wrote:
: Thinking about buying on. Are they any good?? Thanks WA4E Mark

Yes.
Sandy W7BX

5856. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4yn@america.net
Message-ID: <33a1791d.1009099@news.america.net>
Source record: 172994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

CBS5LD@leeds.ac.uk (L. DE BRUIJN) wrote:

>In article <gradyr-1206971853370001@user-37kbbpc.dialup.mindspring.com>,
> gradyr@mindspring.com (Grady Russell) wrote:
>>Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter
>>transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on
>>brands?
>>
>>TIA,
>>Grady

TenTec has a 6mtr transverter with a 20 mtr IF in kit form for $95.00

www.tentec.com

73 Ron K4YN

5857. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <5nru0t$6pe@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 172995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:
>That's a *very* good question. There's no way I'm hanging a halfwave
>telescoping 2m whip on a SMA connector. That's an invitation to pull
>the SMA right out of the case. Even the Comet SMA-3 is ungainly on
>these small radios. I normally keep the stubby duck on the radio unless
>I'm in a bad location. Then I may put on the Comet, or hook up an
>external antenna. The latter is preferred if it doesn't restrict my mobility
>too much.

Maybe what the world really needs is the "hat mounted antenna". Build something that looks like one of those mag-mount BNC connectors, but without the magnets, attached to the top of a stiff hat. Run a few feet of nice thin RG-174 from the mount down to your handheld. And then you can put any BNC-mount antenna on the hat.

A half-wave would probably work best because it doesn't care much about the ground plane. But you could install some sort of thin foil ground plane the diameter of the upper part of the hat, and I'll bet it would work better with a quarter-wave or even rubber duck than the same antenna on the handheld. The handheld itself plus your arm is a pretty lousy ground plane, and an antenna on your hat is higher and doesn't have half the signal being absorbed by your body.

For even better results with quarter-wave and shorter antennas, drape a couple of ground radials away from the antenna mount and down over the side of the hat.

I'm only half joking here. A hat-mounted active antenna makes an amazing difference in the ability of a GPS to track in difficult conditions (like forest). I think it would make a considerable difference in portable radio operation as well - both receiving and transmitting. The main problem is dealing with the fashion implications, though low branches would also be a problem.

Dave

5858. Re: SB-220 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: qroking@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613171800.NAA08415@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172996

Hello, An SB-220 with good tubes in the CW-TUNE mode with 100 watts drive and tuned for max output will do about 950-1000 watts into a dummy load and bird wattmeter. In the SSB mode key down with 100 watts drive the output will be 1050-1100 max. This all depends on your line voltage and the regulation of it. I have had 3 SB-220's all with good tubes, and they all did as stated above on 220 volt line. It seems as though these are the limits. If you get anything less then these readings, suspect some problem somewhere. Remember, these are max output readings, not readings recommended by Heathkit. The above readings will yield about 700-800 mills on the plate. This exceeds heaths recommedations, but the amp WILL do it. They are a good amp if you treat them right. However they can be easily destroyed with improper loading and hi swr. There are many kits available for this unit for various things, I think they are ALL UNECESSARY
if proper care is taken. I HIGHLY recommend installing a standby switch so that you dont have to shut amp down for barefoot use or loading of tube type final exciters. A simple togglel switch breaking the relay contact is all that is need here. You will get less of a chance of blowing a filament on start-up. If you have an old tube type exciter, be sure to readjust plate tune into amp after amp load-up...IT WILL BE CHANGED. I believe many of the problems reported on these amps can be attributed to operator mistakes on loading. I can go on forever on how to load up an amp properly. But it CAN be done wrong, and many times IS!! 73 LOU

5859. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <5nruvu$6sp@harpo.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 172997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:
>This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
>can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more than
>long enough to reach thermal equilibrium.

I have my doubts about that. For example, I have a SL Waber UPS rated
at 250 VA. The heat sink for all of the power devices is a large bar
of aluminum attached to the circuit board. This has no significant
heat path to the outside that I can see. The case of the unit is
plastic, with a few small vent slots. None of the aluminum is exposed
on the outside of the case, nor is there a fan to draw air past the
heat sink. I'll bet it depends on the fact that it will only be running
for about 5 minutes at full load before the battery is depleted, and
longer run times go with reduced load.

In comparison, I have a Statpower inverter rated at about 125 W continuous
using the same technology (high-frequency inverter, 60 Hz AC synthesized
from 160 V DC or so). The entire case for the thing is the heat sink -
it's an aluminum extrusion. I'll believe that this will run at rating for
hours.

I've also seen an APC sine-wave inverter with the transistors mounted
to an internal fan-cooled heat sink. I'll believe that it might also
run indefinitely if kept supplied with DC.

Dave

5860. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kachina@sedona.net
Message-ID: <866195115.21152@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172998

In some article ,
k9zat wrote:
>
> Did you mention DSP I.F. passband chart showing ideal passband curve but ultim-
> ate rejection of 100 db at the bottom with a series of close-by secondary lobes
> bouncing up to -80db? This will sound good as long as your neighbor is not on
> your adjacent channel. K9ZAT

If your neighbor were on your adjacent channel, I think you'd be hearing
one helluva lotta noise, and little else, no matter what receiver you
were using! The filter in the brochure is 1.7 kHz wide at the 6 dB
points, and so these little lobes occupy a few hundred Hz of BW, no more.
What effect they could possibly have on any performance measure is beyond
me.... de Doug, KF6DX/7

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5861. FS ICOM IC900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO1 <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33A18C0D.3BDF@pacbell.net>
Source record: 172999

I have for sale an icom ic900 with the 2 meter and 70 cm modules.The
radio is compleate and in good shape and has the book.$550
AL

5862. Ham Radio for Sale Kenwood TM 731 Dual Band Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlabowitz@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <866074099.6799@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173000

For Sale on clean TM 731 Kenwood Dual Band Mobile with external duplexer.
Excellent condition. Have to sell as radio won't fit in current car.
Radio can be modified for out of band and has tone board installed.
Asking $400 and will pay shipping on prepaid sale

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5863. FS: CQ Magazine Collection from 1946 to 1988

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <5nrpdgjmv1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 173001
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The estate of W5AYC is selling a collection of CQ Magazines that run from 1946 thru 1988. They are wrapped in packages containing all the issues for each year. All are in good condition. The entire group will be sold as a group, no individual magazines or years. The entire group of almost 42 years will be sold for $250 . The magazines will be boxed and shipped if the buyer pays postage.

Contact

Glenny Hutcherson
2416 Lillian
Ft Worth, Texas

817-834-2127

5864. Re: GE Monogram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob_b <bob_b@xmission.com>
Message-ID: <33A1994F.1310@xmission.com>
Source record: 173002

K. Markey wrote:
>
> bob_b <bob_b@xmission.com> wrote in article <33A03AAA.7EB5@xmission.com>...
> > Where can I get a GE Monogram programing cable schem?
> >
>
> Bob,
>
> Tell me what the radio part number is, and I'll send you the drawing for
> the cable.
>
> Kevin
Kevin,

The part # for Model # MGM-148, GE Monogram 40W Mobile VHF Radio is;
344A4210P2.
Thank You, in advance,

Bob, B.

5865. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <cecil_a_moore@ccm.ch.intel.com>
Message-ID: <33A19CE7.97B@ccm.ch.intel.com>
Source record: 173003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Dave Martindale wrote:
> Maybe what the world really needs is the "hat mounted antenna".

Hi Dave, I have a quarter-wave whip mounted on top of an aluminum
hard hat. Works great and brings laughter into this dreary world.

73, Cecil, W6RCA, OOTC

5866. re Leicester Radio Society, UK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jalex@easynet.co.UK
Message-ID: <33A1ABA3.6296@easynet.co.uk>
Source record: 173004

Worldwide E-Mail PRESS / INFORMATION RELEASE - Dated: 12 June 1997

From:- Leicester Radio Society (LRS), Gilroes Cottages, Off Groby Road, Leicester. England. LE3 9QJ (Callsigns - G2AA / G5UM / G3LRS / G6XRS)

John Alexander / G7GCK. Chair of Leicester Radio Society. E-mail lrs@jalex.easynet.co.uk

Subject:- Leicester Radio Society Associate Membership Discount Card

Dear Sirs,

LRS is one of the oldest radio societies in the UK (formed 1913) and now requires a move to newer premises with better facilities for training and operating - ready for the next millennium.

We have negotiated a series of discounts with hotel groups and car rental companies within the UK. Anyone who needs to hire a car or book hotel rooms within the UK could benefit from our card and make savings - up to 35% for car hire.

Companies currently with us include Avis Rent A Car Ltd, Hertz (U.K.) Ltd, EuroDollar Rent A Car, Stakis Hotels, Wayfarer Inns and Jarvis Hotels. Together, these excellent companies offer a superb range of accommodation and vehicle hire possibilities.

It is not necessary to be a licensed Radio Amateur in order to obtain a card - it is available to anyone, anywhere around the world, who may visit the UK. Some Car rental companies are also offering discounted rates within the USA and Europe.Every card purchased increases the funds available for those new premises, equipment and training.

As the cards are taken up we expect that other companies will offer discounts, broadening the range and type of savings that can be made - these will be updated onto our new web site.

The discount card has been priced at £10 (Sterling) and can be obtained using a Mastercard, Eurocard or Visa credit card. We intend that this modest cost is recovered very rapidly as bookings, and consequent savings, are made.

Our new website contains details about LRS, its members and what we are hoping to achieve. An order form for the Discount Card is included and can be printed, completed and posted to us here in the UK. Subscribers should allow 28 days for delivery.

Check out http://www.foobar.co.uk/dialin/silver/lrs The web site gives information about membership / associate membership and the benefits of joining up with us.

We are a reputable Amateur Radio Society with big ideas for the future. LRS seeks only to further Amateur Radio in general and all monies raised will be used to this end. JA

We hope that you will include this information within your publication(s) and websites and bring it to the attention of your readers.

Please direct any enquiries to me, John Alexander, via snail-mail, fax or E-mail at the above numbers / addresses. Anyone requiring hardcopy text on LRS Letterheads can be supplied with these via standard mail or fax upon request.

With regards

John Alexander / G7GCK
LLB Hons, BSc Hons

5867. need mod for icom-ic27h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael Diaz <kb2mym-x@li.net>
Message-ID: <33A192DB.83F3E882@li.net>
Source record: 173005

need mod to go out of band for navy/mars
the 2mtr rig im using is a icom-27h
i need this mod for the navy/mars net and for the navy/mars packet
station
some place in 147 to 149mhz..
thank you for reading this..

5868. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kjsmith@violin.aix.calpoly.edu
Message-ID: <5ns6qk$3b96@violin.aix.calpoly.edu>
Source record: 173006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

It amazes me to see people complaining about the SMA antenna on the FT-50. I've owned many handhelds in my time, and my biggest complaint about ham gear was the use of BNC connectors for antennas. They don't lock into place well, and the slippage tends to wear the connectors out. I've repaired or replaced BNC's on HT's more times than I care to remember.

The SMA connector on the FT-50 was a HUGE selling point for me. Finally, a radio with a real antenna connector! You don't see Motorola, Kenwood Commercial, GE, etc using BNC antennas on their HTs, and it's for good reason. They're unreliable.

Of course I seldom use my FT-50 for anything more than a handheld. I've done the "make your radio into an octopus" thing by using it as a mobile and base rig in the past, and it's marginal at best. I now have a base radio and a mobile radio, and the HT gets used only as a portable.

Please Yaesu, don't change the antenna connector!

I don't like the stock antenna... It's deaf and big. I use the Icom FA-S270B, which is deaf, but small. Enough to hit nearby repeaters and work close-in simplex, and remote through my mobile in crossband mode. I'm considering a Comet or Diamond SMA duckie when I need a bit more oomph, but I'm not interested in the 15" 1/4 wave antennas for 2m. I have one here somewhere (Diamond), and it's so big, it makes the HT less than useable.

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Kirk J. Smith, KD6RCT | Biological Sciences - Microbiology
kjsmith@w6bhz.calpoly.edu | Cal Poly State University
http://www.w6bhz.calpoly.edu/~kjsmith | San Luis Obispo, California, USA

5869. FS Kenwood TS-520 w/ DG-5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33a1aeea.150989@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173007

Kenwood TS-520 with DG-5 Digital Display.
AC/DC model with both power cords, both manuals,
a hand mike, and the matching SP-520 speaker.
$325.00. plus shipping.

Buzz

Email buzzer@worldnet.att.net
Phn 702-677-2522

5870. Need equipment to get Radio Fingerprint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: DWINN@TNG.NET
Message-ID: <33a1b3f4.0@news.tng.net>
Source record: 173008

There is a growing number of people showing up on the Amateur VHF/UHF bands
and jamming local repeaters. I feel these are not licensed Amateurs and think
it is fun to JAM and make 911 calls.

There was a company a couple of years back that sold a unit that allow
a snapshot to be taked of the Carrier turn-on and be able to compare it later
to others carriers.

Does anyone know of this company or any software/hardware that will do the
same thing.

Don AF4Z
dwinn@tng.net

5871. 6 meter, 50 mhz, P.A. needed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: giguere@epix.net
Message-ID: <MPG.e0b8fc6a1deeac989684@newsserver.epix.net>
Source record: 173009

I am in need of a power amp for 50mhz in or
around 10-20watts.
I would like a 20 and bring the voltage down
to 10 watts.

Thanks,

John Giguere
717-348-2103 day
717-698-9374 eve
email giguere@epix.net

5872. fors sale: IC's, diodes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: grafton@snet.net
Message-ID: <866246330.25974@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,biz.comp.hardware

Here are the IC's I have for sale, plus a few other things.
All IC's are in anti-static sleeves except 1 type which was shipped loose
in a box.
Spec Quantity
Motorola MC6845P
R1 A 2818 72

R1 A 8325 18

6K1 RX
HD 146818P 50

SN7400 300

TMS 2764JL-45
MEP 8428 780

TMS 2114L-45NL
P8441 221

P8449 2500

TMS 27256JL-20
WA-8640 180

TMS 27C256-2JL
LBP8644 39

HD 46505SP
HD6845 SP 72

Sound AY-3-8912
GI8652 645

Intel D27256-2
U6052528S
pgm @12.5v 78

Z8400A81
Z80ACPU
86337 30

M2716
F1
88326 972

Also have:
Diodes:
1N4001 7500
1N751A 7000
1N359A 7200

Mini-heat sinks: 1400
They're about an inch across,with a 1/4 inch hole in the center
and a right-angle bend up at both ends (3/8 inch high).

Mini-lamps, type ML7330
14v 80ma -293 3300

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5873. Kenwood/Alinco FRS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hendrik Susanto <hsusanto@csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <33A1EA55.5DEC48CE@csulb.edu>
Source record: 173011

Can anyone tell me where I can purchase the Kenwood UBZ-LF14 FRS unit? Also need info for Alinco's FRS unit. I've called most of the major stores like HRO, AES, etc but nobody seems to be carrying them or even know about them. Thanks for any info.

5874. Re: Need equipment to get Radio Fingerprint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark & Sher Castiglione <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A1E211.D71@flash.net>
Source record: 173012

Don Winn wrote:
>
> There is a growing number of people showing up on the Amateur VHF/UHF bands
> and jamming local repeaters. I feel these are not licensed Amateurs and think
> it is fun to JAM and make 911 calls.
>
> There was a company a couple of years back that sold a unit that allow
> a snapshot to be taked of the Carrier turn-on and be able to compare it later
> to others carriers.
>
> Does anyone know of this company or any software/hardware that will do the
> same thing.
>
> Don AF4Z
> dwinn@tng.net
Yes the name of the company is Motron Electronics
http://www.motron.com
They were are Dayton and our repeater group bought one...so far it
looks like it will work, but have not put it into full use..73 Mark
N8REZ

5875. WTB-Collins sm-280 or sm-281 microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wemccann@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <866241462.23735@dejanews.com>
Source record: 173013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I want to purchase a collins sm280 or sm281 microphone. The microphone need not be working, but must be in excellent physical appearance.

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5876. WTB: ICOM, Kenwood, Yaesu Japanese HF radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613224400.SAA05447@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173014

Looking for the "tech" class HF xcvrs, 10-20 watt units.

Non-working units considered.

Alan, N3BJ

5877. WTB: Yaesu FT301S or SD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613224500.SAA05517@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173015

Looking for the above in good condition.

Non-working units considered.

Alan, N3BJ

5878. Re: Need equipment to get Radio Fingerprint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark & Sher Castiglione <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A1E202.61F6@flash.net>
Source record: 173016

Don Winn wrote:
>
> There is a growing number of people showing up on the Amateur VHF/UHF bands
> and jamming local repeaters. I feel these are not licensed Amateurs and think
> it is fun to JAM and make 911 calls.
>
> There was a company a couple of years back that sold a unit that allow
> a snapshot to be taked of the Carrier turn-on and be able to compare it later
> to others carriers.
>
> Does anyone know of this company or any software/hardware that will do the
> same thing.
>
> Don AF4Z
> dwinn@tng.net
Yes the name of the company is Motron Electronics
http://www.motron.com
They were are Dayton and our repeater group bought on...so far it looks
like it will work, but have not put it into full use..73 Mark N8REZ

5879. FS: Alinco DRM06T 6m FM xcvr.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Worth <gworth@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33A21B12.2DD9@ibm.net>
Source record: 173017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Alinco DRM06T 6 meter mobile. 10w output. With DTMF hand mic. Like new condition! Bought DX70T. Don't need DRM06T any more. Best offer. Call 914-341-0693. Best time to avoid machine is 7 - 9 pm EDT. Ask for Ed (N2WXN). Do not reply to this e-mail address. Posted by friend. Reply by phone. Thanks.

5880. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@kuentos.guam.net
Message-ID: <5nsngq$1ii@lehi.kuentos.guam.net>
Source record: 173018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

la8ak@onnline.no (J M Noeding) wrote:

>xposting such requests to rec.radio.amateur.dx is just as bad as any
>spam!!!!

>Jan-Martin N�ding, ** My email address: la8ak@online.no **
>LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 Kristiansand, Norway/EUROPE
>RSGB - NRRL - NRHF. tel: +47-380-87178 QTH (52660 QRL)

Tubes for an amateur transmitter don't have anything to do with DX ?
But 10KW Collins broadcast transmitters do ?

Go climb a hill and yodell........

73, Jim KH2D

5881. FS: Yaesu EDX-1 Tuner for DX-70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: linvillm@nscdiscovery.org
Message-ID: <5nsvou$e584@duke.groupz.net>
Source record: 173019

For Sale: Yaesu EDX-1 manual tuner for the DX-70. Like new. Comes in original box with mounting bracket, manual, and power cable to connect to DX-70.

Reason for selling: Bought as a package deal with the radio and I do not need a mobile tuner.

Asking $225 OBO shipped with prepay. + COD if you want COD. Any COD charges will have to be prepaid.

Mel Linville
WB4ZIT
706-821-0217 Days

5882. DXbase '97

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick258s@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e0bbfd482026749989690@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello -- Anyone out here using DXbase '97 for windows? If so, have you gotten the time to come up correct when you are logging? Thanks Rick n5vvb
Please respond to rick258@ix.netcom.com as my address in the header is altered to deter spam.

5883. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A21DE5.3D32@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173021

Robert A. Kile wrote:
>
> As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for.
[message here]
> Bob KG7D

Save it Bob, I posted by views on what I would like to see in a sales person at the local Ham Radio Outlet. I was disappointed in the replies I received. Mainly childish personal attacks on my character with absolutely no rebuttle or addition to my original message. People are just looking for someone who is a little different, showing a little creativity, so they can squash them. You can post your opinions, but be prepared to filter 99% of the replies.

5884. Standard C5900da Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: KHSL99F@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nsi9d$1mn0@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 173022

I am interested in any mods that you may know
of for the Standard C5900DA - Tri-Band.

Cheers.....Ken

5885. WTB: Big Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barrie G. Britton" <bbritto@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33A23AED.3301@ibm.net>
Source record: 173023

I'm looking for a big, tall, motorzied crank up tower...like
the U.S. Towers 72 to 89 footers. Must support 22 (or more)
square feet. Prefer location near So. California.

K someone, please. de Barrie, W6DX
Riverside, CA

5886. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu
Message-ID: <5nsee4$99c@newsgate.duke.edu>
Source record: 173024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

moritz@ipers1.e-technik.uni-stuttgart.de wrote:
: >It seems a little strange to me that Yaesu and other companies have not
: >recognized the demand for a normal collapsible wip (like the hot rod) for

: What is the point in having a palm-size radio with a full-size
: antenna, which might easily break or break the connector?

I don't have a tiny HT; my only HT is about the size and weight
of a brick. But my favorite antenna for it is a quarter-wave
length of piano wire (0.030", I think it was), with our without
another 1/4-wave "tail" on the grounded part of the BNC connector.

It works MUCH better than any "rubber duck" I've tried, and it's
really not much more bother. The piano wire is very flexible,
and it doesn't get in the way much. Even fits in my briefcase,
neatly flexed. (If you don't know what "piano wire" is, it's
stainless stuff that holds a straight shape but is flexible
depending on its diameter.)

Darned handy, easy to make, and GREAT performance compared to
a "duck." FWIW. YMMV. Vy 73.
--Ken

Ken Kuzenski AC4RD kuzen001@acpub.duke.edu
jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu Fidonet: 1:3641/1.1

All standard disclaimers apply.
Close cover before striking.
Your mileage may vary.

5887. Ten Tec Omni VI Plus & SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Brannick <WmLB@prefer.net>
Message-ID: <33A1ACE8.D0D20C0F@prefer.net>
Source record: 173025

I have always heard what a great rig the Omni VI was for CW and perhaps digital..

Does this suggest that it is not all that great on SSB.... ??

I am thinking about a new rig and would appreciate any comments on the Omni VI Plus.

I operate about 50/50 between SSB and the digital modes... not a lot of CW.. (I'm no good at it and don't want to embaress myself)

Bill | WmLB@prefer.net
ARS - KN6FJ

5888. FS:SK-506 4-1000 Chimney

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnhill@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca
Message-ID: <5nrqqfkpe1@news.sas.ab.ca>
Source record: 173026

Subject says all, deluge me with offers.

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email: johnhill@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca

QRP-L #838

5889. CAUTION: On Metal Hydrate Batery's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5nscnn$jd8$1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 173027

My experience on the metal Hydrate batterys?
Well after some research into this charge rates
of the metal hydrates it has come to my attention
that the metal hydrates will hold a maximum of
80% of the batery's capacity according to the battery
anylizer! This was confirmed by a tech friend of mine!
The problem was that the batery thresholds differ
between NiCads and Metal Hydrates according to most
1 hr chargers! So the result is different charge rates!
So ya will find when useing conventional NiCad 1hr.
chargers,that the metal hydrate will prematurely
stae charge completed and after that if left in the
charger will actually start dischargeing! the max
of a metal hydrate charge obtained thus far was 80%
after carefulley watching the charger and removed it
as soon as the charge completed lamp came on in the
smart 1hr nicad charger! This test was done for
Motorola Saber Baterys and Motorola 1hr Smart chargerS!
NOTE THE PLURAL s!! Yes several diferent chargers were
tested! The same results remain! I wonder if others
haver experienced this and is the possibly a compatability
problem with the Nicads and Metal hydrates when being
charged with all our regular standard smart chargers
regaurdless of the manufactures that are out there!
Just a word of caution plaese if ya have a insight
on this let me know,for I am open for suggestions to
this dilema! and have others experienced this?

tnx for reading this David!

kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net for replies or post a reply here!

5890. ah-100 cherokee mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc76bb$33643b60$7a794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 173028

anyone try the ah-100 cherokee mod,the 11 meter ssb handheld?like to know what the possibilities for 10 meter dx?thanks jack
cmb@mc.net

5891. f.s. atlas 210x

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc76be$c641dc00$df794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 173029

i have a atlas 210x with power supply.h.f. rig.$200.00
no trades
last party never sent a check that is why it is for sale again.
thanks 73 jack
cmb@mc.net

5892. AR 2000 reset info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erminio <erminio@vip.vipnet.it>
Message-ID: <01bc7823$b07b7280$17f9f3c2@vipnet.it>
Source record: 173030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have an portable receiver AR 2000, baut I d0n't have the manual, can
anyone tell me how I can reset it ?
Thank you.
73 de IZ8AJQ Erminio
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erminio@vip.vipnet.it

http://www.geocities.com/colosseum/6254

5893. Re: FT-50, favorite antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Baldock <tbaldock@pcug.org.au>
Message-ID: <33A06725.2B6D2C71@pcug.org.au>
Source record: 173095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Here in Australia a large electronics chain called "Dick Smith
Electronics" is the Yaesu dealer.

Their latest catalogue just out lists a Yaesu antenna for the FT50 with
sma connector and 1/4 performance on 2m and 5/8 on 70 cm "for better
performance than the standard antenna".

Ad doesn't give much info. Cost is AUS$40 and local dealer said they
will be in stock early July.

tnic wrote:

> But lets face it none of these shortie antennas are going to
> out perform a nice long wip on an FT50.
>
> Too bad no one is making a nice wip for an FT-50. They would be an
> instant
> best seller. Its one of the major short commings on the radio.
>
> The radio would perform 2 or 3 times better with nothing more
> than a better antenna. There is no more effective or less expensive
> improvemnet one could make.
>
> Yet no antenna. Only weird BNC adaption gizmo.
>
> The cash is burning a hole in my pocket for a decent antenna.
>
> =TOM=
> tnic@dt.net
>
> B. Good & B. Rogers <bnb@mindspring.com> wrote:
> : "TDF Technical Support" <tdftech@cyberramp.net> wrote:
>
> : >Finally, any other worthwhile mods to this great little HT? I'll be
> picking
> : >up a better antenna at the Arlington HAMCOM on 6/7. Any
> suggestions?
> : >
> : I've tried several and the one that now stays on our two FT-50's
> : are/is the Comet SMA3.
>
> : Regards, Bob, AB4G

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Tony Baldock
tbaldock@pcug.org.au
Canberra, Australia

5894. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613003900.UAA00620@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173096

Steve,

Is being such a jerk an inborn talent or do you have to work hard at it?

Lots of us know who Bob Kline is, and more than a few of us know him personally. So what if he works at AES, he didn't mention that in his post, nor did he post from the AES server. So why do you bring his employer to the table? To show every one how clever you are?

DITTO !!! Well stated.

5895. Re: GE Monogram

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K. Markey" <k.markey@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7794$9cbf9e40$fb0492cf@worldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173097

bob_b <bob_b@xmission.com> wrote in article <33A03AAA.7EB5@xmission.com>...
> Where can I get a GE Monogram programing cable schem?
>

Bob,

Tell me what the radio part number is, and I'll send you the drawing for
the cable.

Kevin

5896. x-ray tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy Burk <krubar@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc777a$eeaa87c0$LocalHost@randy-s>
Source record: 173098

I just bought an x-ray tube Saturday at an auction. It is 14 " long including a 2" metal ribbed
heat sink. It is about 4.5" at its widest diameter. It say Coolidge tube by Victor X-Ray Corp.,
Chicago. The tube is also marked RD 30214 and 10 MA. Do you have any idea of the age of
this tube, where it was used, the value of it, specs for the tube (ie power supply requirements)?
Or do you know of anyone who might be helpful for this information?

--
krubar@bright.net

5897. ICOMS WANTED IC475H, IC575H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: guesswho@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33a0a010.10321652@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173099

Icoms wanted ICOM IC475H, and ICOM IC575H
e-AL KD1UF e-mail info to: guesswho@mindspring.com

5898. FS : Standard C 508 A - Mini dual band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <EBoxx2.Atp@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 173100
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Standard C 508 A, dual band mini HT for sale. MINT condition, in box
with original packing, manual, accessories.

$200.00 shipped to 48, COD $5.00 extra

NO TRADES, E-Mail if interested
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

5899. FS or Trade Kenwood AT-200 Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: peitsch@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5nqa53$orc@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 173101

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For sale or trade
Kenwood AT-200 tuner vgc $125
or trade for SW reciever?????
Hallicrafters any or Zenith T-O any model

Thanks
Butch
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5900. WWW Site devoted to Morse Code and the life of a WWII Veteran

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: alisdair@waxfiles.com
Message-ID: <33a0b058.9357932@news.soundcom.net>
Source record: 173102

http://www.geocities.com/SoHo/Lofts/9208

Please visit the site :-)
zippidie doo daa

5901. Motorola Maxtrac 300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: lame@limp.com
Message-ID: <33a0c112.5421448@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 173103

Anybody know how to program ham band
440 MHz freqs into a UHF Maxtrac 300?

The software limits the lower end to 449.00
MHz but I understand there is a way to
bypass this limit.

My real e-mail reply is: blast@teleport.com

thanks. Jim K7KL

5902. Re: Need for "matched" 6JS6C's in Yaesu FT101?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Anthony C. Cash" <tonycash@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A0D6C4.817F5467@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173104

KF6IIU wrote:
>
> I'm shopping for a new set of final tubes for the old FT101 and prices
> vary from $30 to $80. The expensive ones are in "matched" pairs. OK,
> basically the tubes are connected in parallel, so this makes some
> sense
> in terms of sharing the load between the tubes, but is it really
> necessary?
>
> It would seem necessary if the 6JS6Cs are run as close to their output
> limits as Yaesu runs the 572B's in the FL2100B amplifier. I guess they
> designed these units assuming pretty intermittent use.
>
> Thanks,
>
> -wiley KF6IIU wsanders at netcom dot com

Yes, The Yaesu needs the matched pair and also be sure you do the
neutralization after the tubes are installed. US made tubes such as GE
are not recommended and may not even work ONLY Japan made tubes NEC will
work right. I just priced a matched pair of these from RF gain and they
want $150.00 for them. I would very much like to know if you find NEC
matched pairs for less and where.
73 de Tony
KD4K

5903. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5nql09$htc@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173105

In <5nmku7$nae@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com> kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald Schmitt) writes:

Bob Kline's post sniped for brevity

>>
>>This Guy BOB KG7D is the radio repair technician at Amatuer Electronic
>>Supply in Las Vegas . If you have a Amatuer Electronic Supply
>Catalogue
>>Winter '96/97 His picture is on page 147.
>> I guess Bob is telling me _not to go to Amatuer Electronic Supply
>>since they did not pass his Salesperson Evaluation on one occation
>that
>>I delt with them.
>>
>> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>>
>>73's NS1R Steven Hershman
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>Steve,
>
>Is being such a jerk an inborn talent or do you have to work hard at
>it?
>
>Lots of us know who Bob Kline is, and more than a few of us know him
>personally. So what if he works at AES, he didn't mention that in his
>post, nor did he post from the AES server. So why do you bring his
>employer to the table? To show every one how clever you are?
>
>What Bob has to say from his private server has nothing to do with
>where he works any more than my opinion of your style has anything to
>do with where I work. Oh and BTW the Las Vegas store meets the criteria
>set forth in Bob's original post as do the other AES stores I have been
>to. You might consider that if you were ignored or whatever it was a
>result of your attitude more than as a result of poor sales staff at
>the business you visited.
>
> Jerry
>

There is an amusing sequel to this story. Hershman responded to me via email with a two word message ending in "you". I dropped him a note

telling him to lose the profanity, that resulted in a threat. Being a curious sort I went to Dejanews and did a little search on Mr. Hershman it proved most enlightening.

Of particular interest were his postings to alt.sex.prostitution seeking product pricing and/or reviews. Haven't had such a good laugh in years. Almost as entertaining are his posts to alt.sex.sounds. There's more but I've wasted enough bandwidth on poor frustrated little Mr. Hershman for one day and this is really off topic.

73 Jerry

5904. FS: PALOMAR MN M-827 WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613060500.CAA03014@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173106

HELLO TO ALL...I HAVE A CLEAN AND GOOD WORKING PALOMAR WATTMETER FOR SALE.
IT IS A PEAK READING WATTMETER AND SWR BRIDGE. NO MANUAL. IT IS LIKE
THE CURRENT MODEL BUT WITH FEWER LEDS. PRICE IS 70.00 DELIVERED OR 60.00
PICKEDUP IN TUCSON. CONTACT ME AT 520-323-1120 OR EMAIL AT
cmsakir@aol.com 73 DE N7IOK, CLYDE.

5905. FS: HEATHKIT VFO HG-10B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613060200.CAA02807@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173107

I HAVE A CLEAN HG-10B THAT WORKS WELL INDEED. HAVE
NO NEED FOR IT. HAVE MANUAL COPY. PRICE DELIVERED
IN THE STATES IS 70.00. PICK UP PRICE IS 60.00. HOPE TO HEAR FROM YOU.
520-323-1120 OR EMAIL AT CMSAKIR@AOL.COM 73 DE N7IOK, CLYDE

5906. Re: Manual wanted: Heath DM-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Yau <ayau@hkstar.com>
Message-ID: <33A1BAB6.1CD0@hkstar.com>
Source record: 173108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.audio.tubes

A Redshirt wrote:
>
> Wanted: Manual or copy of the manual for Heathkit DM-1
> Distortion Meter. Will gladly pay all costs for manual or
> copies. Please help me get this fine piece of equipment
> back on the air - check those file cabinets!
>
> Thanks for reading this.
>
> John
> occupant@ns.net
> --

What a world! Someone told me to post manual request on another newsgroup (rec.audio.marketplace) and now you can do it. Is it discrimination or what!

AY

5907. Re: Kenwood TM-733 Cross-band Repea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jan Marius Evang <jane@ifi.uio.no>
Message-ID: <xmlpvtr3r6q.fsf@hrotti.ifi.uio.no>
Source record: 173109

>> Bill Combs writes:

BC> My friend has a Kenwood TM-733, which he woudl like to use as a
BC> cross-band repeater. He says the manual has no info on this, but
BC> I notice that in some ads for the rig (e.g., Jun's Electronics,
BC> p. 168, Aril QST) the claim is made that it will cross-band
BC> repeat.

BC> My questions: How does one put it in that mode? If this is not a
BC> normal feature, is there a mod?

press and hold the f-key, then it should be the key labeled "X" (on
the LCD). This feature is NOT present on all models, I seem to
remember it's the Chinese and the European that hasn't.
the model type can be changed throug some SMD-soldering or cutting of
wires. Make a websearch for "TM-733" and "Kenwood".
Then you'll find it for sure.

MArius
LC1MAT

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O-
Mammals Suck!

5908. Need circuit diagram for ICOM IC 45E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy <roy@smartnet.co.za>
Message-ID: <5nqnj6$s0n@news1.saix.net>
Source record: 173110

Can you help me with a circuit diagram for the Icom IC45E
I bought the radio second hand and do not have the circuit.
The set drifts off frequency it might be powersupply or something .
Thanks
Roy

5909. ? Crossband Repeater with DJ-560 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boer Armin <boer@wettzell.ifag.de>
Message-ID: <33A10C35.3FB2C50D@wettzell.ifag.de>
Source record: 173111

Hello,

does anybody know if it is possible to operate the Alinco DJ-560
transceiver as a crossband repeater and if possible, how can i awake
this funktion?

Thanks,
Armin.
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____
Armin Boeer, Fundamentalstation Wettzell
e-mail: boer@wettzell.ifag.de; packet: DJ4CK@DB0AAB

5910. WTB: Motorola channel elements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <3winks@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc77e4$35d176e0$40efaccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 173112

Looking for Motorola Channel Elements for a UHF Mitrek. KXN1086A &
KXN1095A are in it, but the manual shows a different Tx one.

Actually I wouldn't mind getting another UHF and VHF Mitrek if they were
cheap enough.

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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
http://www.qsl.net/w3ink/

5911. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: CBS5LD@leeds.ac.uk
Message-ID: <5nr5s5$8jo_001@leeds.ac.uk>
Source record: 173113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <gradyr-1206971853370001@user-37kbbpc.dialup.mindspring.com>,
gradyr@mindspring.com (Grady Russell) wrote:
>Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter
>transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on
>brands?
>
>TIA,
>Grady

Have a look at the VHF Communications homepage (can't remember the URL
offhand) They do a kit by DJ8ES (I think) that looks quite good.

Laurens

5912. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack
Message-ID: <33A13205.47BB@sullivan.vf.mmc.com>
Source record: 173114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Grady Russell wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter
> transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on
> brands?

Try Down East Microwave in New Jersey.
Website at: www.downeastmicrowave.com/
--
Jack
Modeling the NYC and NYNH&H in HO; D&H and CP Rail in N
ARRL - N2MPU
NRA & NRA-ILA

5913. Re: Alinco DJ-S41 Low Power Setting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33a13e82.862020@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173115

I have had one for over a month, and use it pretty regularly. (I also
have the Stand 508, and just bought a 510 yesterday) and am still
using the original batteries since I bought the '41. Battery life is
VERY impressive. The renewal batteries are probably the best bet for
long term use.

"Robert (Bob) Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:

>Ralph Zancha wrote:
> >
> > Hello Bill;
> >
> > I have had a DJ-S41 for about 4 months now. I am using nicad batteries
> > with average usage about 30 minutes tx and 4 to 6 hours rx I can expect
> > batery life of about 4 days. That is on low power.
> >
> > The Alinco home page says that low power is 50 miliwatts.
> >
> > I love the radio. I would highly recomend it to anyone. I have a friend
> > that has one and is using rechargable akaline.
> >
> > 73
> >
> > --
> > Ralph Zancha
> > <<WC9V>>
>
>
>For a low cost HT, the Alinco DJ-S41T does a VERY good job. I own 3 of them.
>One for me and the other two are for my sons who just got their licenses.
>
>The only bad part to the radio is it can pick up a lot of intermod noise. :-(
>Oh well, for $120 (USA) one can't expect everything.
>
>I carry mine almost everywhere; the small size and light weight makes it easy
>to carry around. Plus, I can hear and reach the local repeater most of the
>places I go to around town. :-)
>
>
>73,
>
>Bob (KF6JHG)
>--
>---
>If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start

>of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
>programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

5914. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A137D8.4E30@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173116

Lou or Annette Hinshaw wrote:
>
> kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald Schmitt) wrote:
>
> >In <339E0439.7794@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> >writes:
> >>
> >>Robert A. Kile wrote:
> >>>
> >>> As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for.
> >>> Chances are if these criteria are not met, I simply don't go back.
> >On
> >>> the other hand this list will assume that I the customer have done
> >my
> >>> homework and know what I'm looking for.
> >>>
> >>> They are as follows:
> >>> 1. Was I greeted when entering the location?
> >>> 2. Was there a large inventory? Was it well displayed?
> >>> 3. Was there adequate staff? Were they busy with other customers? If
> >so,
> >>> did they acknowledge my presence?
> >>> 4. Was pricing competative? Were the items brand names?
> >>> 5. When approaching a salesperson with a specific question did he
> >answer
> >>> it? If he did not know the answer did he make an immediate effort to
> >>> find the answer. Was he knowledgeable? Did he ask a lot of
> >questions?
> >>> 6.Did he say I don't know and move to another subject?
> >>> 7.Did he attempt to qualify me for use and purpose? Or, did he just
> >>> point to an item and "say we have this"?
> >>> 8 Was the salesperson pressured by other responsiblities or was he
> >>> focused on me?
> >>> 9. When interrupted by another customer did he remain focussed on me
> >by
> >>> excusing himself?
> >>> 10. If they did not have the product I was looking for did they make
> >a
> >>> suggestion of where to find it? If it were back ordered and expected
> >in
> >>> a short period of time did they state so?
> >>> 11. Did they explain the policies of return/exchange at the time of
> >>> sale. Did they mention terms of Warranty?
> >>> 12. Did the sales person close the sale with a product of quality,

> >>> priced competatively, and is it suitable/compatible for my use?
> >>> 13. Did that person thank me and present me with a business card?
> >>>
> >>> As a shopper who is prepaired to buy an answer of "NO" to more than
> >4
> >>> items on the above list would probably indicate that I will not go
> >back
> >>> or frequent that business.
> >>>
> >>> Bob KG7D
> >>>
> >>> --
> >>> GIF89aI!
> >>
> >>This Guy BOB KG7D is the radio repair technician at Amatuer Electronic
> >>Supply in Las Vegas . If you have a Amatuer Electronic Supply
> >Catalogue
> >>Winter '96/97 His picture is on page 147.
> >> I guess Bob is telling me _not to go to Amatuer Electronic Supply
> >>since they did not pass his Salesperson Evaluation on one occation
> >that
> >>I delt with them.
> >>
> >> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
> >>
> >>73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> >Steve,
>
> >Is being such a jerk an inborn talent or do you have to work hard at
> >it?
>
> >Lots of us know who Bob Kline is, and more than a few of us know him
> >personally. So what if he works at AES, he didn't mention that in his
> >post, nor did he post from the AES server. So why do you bring his
> >employer to the table? To show every one how clever you are?
>
> >What Bob has to say from his private server has nothing to do with
> >where he works any more than my opinion of your style has anything to
> >do with where I work. Oh and BTW the Las Vegas store meets the criteria
> >set forth in Bob's original post as do the other AES stores I have been
> >to. You might consider that if you were ignored or whatever it was a
> >result of your attitude more than as a result of poor sales staff at
> >the business you visited.
>
> > Jerry
>
> Entire thread included intentionally.
> If Ray grenier still has anything to do with AES then they still have
> the policies they had when the shaft was the orderof the day.

>
> I don't know bob, and my gripe is with AES of michigan, but
> they do NOT meet the above criteria.
>
> So there is room for arguement.
>
> I think the posted criteria is a useful thing to see.
>
> keep on "whining" friend, many need to hear it.
>
> Lou Hinshaw
> aruder@pipeline.com
>
> Prolific inventor,
> Lousy Salesman,
> Incompetent businessman.
> (Typical)

I would buy a radio from BOD at AES Las Vegas. I was just giving him a hard time. However, I did have a poor experience once(haven't we all). I will give them a another try. Also, BOB looks like he really enjoys repairing radios in the picture in the AES catalogue WINTER '96.97 ON PAGE 147. I meant no ill will to BOB KG7D.

73's NS1R Steve Hershman

5915. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A1380A.4B52@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173117

WB0NZV wrote:
>
> Steve,
>
> Is being such a jerk an inborn talent or do you have to work hard at
> it?
>
> Lots of us know who Bob Kline is, and more than a few of us know him
> personally. So what if he works at AES, he didn't mention that in his
> post, nor did he post from the AES server. So why do you bring his
> employer to the table? To show every one how clever you are?
>
> DITTO !!! Well stated.

My appology to the News Group.
NS1R Steven Hershman

5916. Re: My Maha NiMH battery experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a541d3.2327187@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 173118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 12 Jun 1997 07:05:41 +0100, Matt Staroscik
<staroscik@sowest.net> wrote:

>I got a Maha MH-FNB-38 NiMH battery today for my Yaesu FT-51R. It's a
>650mAh, 9.6V nickel metal hydride pack, and is basically a clone of the
>factory Yaesu NiCd pack.
>
>When I got it home, I quick-charged it. It only charged for about 30
>minutes before my NC-50 rapid charger said it was full. That's odd,
>because the factory pack charges for about 1 hour. I started using the
>radio, but the pack went dead early. Also, the battery checker in the 51
>incorrectly identified it as a type 31 battery, even though the voltage
>looked like a 38 (that is, starting at about 11V).
>
>I emailed Maha earlier today and explained all this to them, and I got
>mail back tonight at about 10:30. They told me that a NiMH pack that has
>been in storage for some months may be "asleep" and it should be cycled
>about 5 times to break it in. While it is "asleep" its charging
>characteristics will confuse the quick charger and cause it to stop
>charging early.
>
>While the jury's still out on the battery, the customer service is good.
>I'll post a follow-up once the battery is broken in. I hope it works
>out.
>
>--
>Matt Staroscik KF6IYW "It's not a doll -
>staroscik@sowest.net it's an ACTION FIGURE."

Al;so remember chargers made for nicad batteries do not deal well with
NiMH batteries. NiMH batteries require different charging
specifications than nicad batteries do. WWW and Associates did write
a tech note concerning this.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

5917. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc77f9$24451340$d80f2399@peter->
Source record: 173119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lou or Annette Hinshaw <aruder@pipeline.com> wrote in article
<5npbef$ivu@camel3.mindspring.com>...
> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>
> >This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10
minutes
> >can generally sustain it indefinitely.
>
> I hope I missed something.
> The UPS is an Unirruptable Power Supply, having in or arond it
> a battery. It is to be rated at its ability to run the power for so
> long at some stated power consumption.
>
> If it can run at that rated amount, it does NOT follow that it will
> run continuously at that rate. The battery will run down.

The discussion centered around the design factors involved, and performance
limitations resulting from running a UPS from an essentially infinite
source of
DC power (such as an auto power system which is continuously recharged
by the running engine).

We all are aware of the obvious fact that a small UPS battery will run down
in some specified time at some defined load.

5918. NEED: Mods for Standard C510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33a149b9.3732808@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173120

I need the Mods for this radio. Anybody have it? If so, please email them to me.

Thanks in advance >>> Doug

5919. FS Icom model 211 all mode 2M $180 +S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nrgt3$180c@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 173121

Unit in good working condition,includes hand mike and manuel.

bob_weiss@prodigy.com W6NKC

5920. FS Icom model 211 all mode 2M $180 +S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nrgn5$1dka@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 173122

Unit in good working condition,includes hand mike and manuel.

bob_weiss@prodigy.com W6NKC

5921. FS Icom model 211 all mode 2M $180 +S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nrgkr$180c@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 173123

Unit in good working condition,includes hand mike and manuel.

bob_weiss@prodigy.com W6NKC

5922. FS Icom model 211 all mode 2M $180 +S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nrgr4$1dka@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 173124

Unit in good working condition,includes hand mike and manuel.

bob_weiss@prodigy.com W6NKC

5923. swap 9600 TNC for mobile or HT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian and Sam Bradshaw <bradshaw@theonramp.net>
Message-ID: <33A13C86.54EF@theonramp.net>
Source record: 173125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have lost interest in packet, and no one in my area uses 9600. I have a PacCom Micropower 2, packet only 9600 baud TNC. It's nice, it has the optional DCD unit installed, and has RS-232 and TTL ports, and a printer interface that I don't understand(I think it's for a dumb terminal). It's in pretty good shape, but it's only got a 6K mailbox. It can also be ran at lower speeds(I ran it strictly at 1200, but was advertised as 9600) by jumpers under the front panel.

I'de like to swap it for a mobile, brand's not important as long as it works good and has PL, or an HT(preferable dual-band), also in good shape w/PL.

If you need more details or are interested, e-mail spamsonite@hotmail.com

Sam Bradshaw,
KB8ZZS.

5924. Re: Want Comments on ADI-600 Dualband HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ywd@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970613140301.KAA23321@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173126

I have had the ADI AT600 for about 2 months now. I like the radio myself, and I'll list some points for you below:

GOOD:
* lots of memories
* decent audio
* receives out of band
* small, but not too small (Yaesu FT50 TOO small ! Fat fingers)
* nicely backlit keypad
* will someday be able to program with my PC (200 memories takes long time)
* Uses standard connectors for accessories, BNC jack for antenna, mini plugs for spkr/mic
* you can listen to 2m on the internal spkr, and 70cm on an external spkr/mic - or vice versa (kinda neat)
* Standard Radio battery pack(s) fit the radio, so easy replacement

NOT SO GOOD:
* One band picks up scanning "noise" from the other, ie-when listening (ie- stopped) on 2m you can the "putt-putt" sound of the 70cm scanning, and vice versa.
* Gets noticeably warm when transmitting, even on low power
* Out of band reception on VHF good, UHF pretty good, 800 Mhz - acceptable. Of course, 800mhz is hard to get without a specific antenna anyway
* PC software for programming still not out yet !
* Some programming functions are tedious (PC software fix ?)

Overall, I like the radio and would suggest it to someone else....for $300 how can you go wrong ? I would advise that you buy the car cord too, then you can go high power when necessary

5925. Unwanted attachments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: cstampf@health.co.dutchess.ny.US
Message-ID: <199706131403.AA11513@gate.hin.state.ny.us>
Source record: 173127

HAMS should take notice that it is considered rude and inconsiderate
to send unrequested binary attachments to a listserv that is
broadcast to large audiences. Please consider those of us who pay
for connect time and aren't interested in your binaries.

Charles Stampf, SPHS
cstampf@health.co.dutchess.ny.us
Dutchess County Department of Health
387 Main Mall
Poughkeepsie NY 12601
(914) 486-3404

5926. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ????? Its real, tell Icom you want one!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A3676E.1D63@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172928

THe Icom 706 Mark II LCD display indeed has DSP, NR, all the
dSP functions on it.

Also I opened mine 706 Mark II and next to J4 is a big 10 Pin connector
in the audio secion of the radio with space for(((DSP unit??)), about
2inch by 3inch.

I bet donuts to dollars this is were the audio DSP was supposed to fit in
but was not ready for release!!!!

Hey, Icom fix the DSP module, and I will place my order for one to
plug into my new 706 Mark II.

How much am I willing to pay????(marketing question), the same price
as the Timewave DSP box!!

73

Mike

Clark Savage Turner wrote:
>
> In <john-1406970557450001@wd1v.mv.com> john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney) writes:
>
> >It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
> >designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.
>
> There is one manufacturer that does this now: Ten Tec. Check the QST
> ads about the DSP upgrades for the OMNI VI.
>
> >The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
> >upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!
>
> I agree 100 per cent. It is industry standard in many
> industries. Ten Tec does this to some extent.
>
> >Why is it that the radio manufacturers WWW pages don't solicit
> >opinions from their users?
>
> Ten Tec has a factory rep presence on the Ten Tec listserver. They
> listen to suggestions that way. I have not checked their web page
> because my feedback gets in on the server.
>
> (I know that Yaesu has a sales rep who is often answering questions
> around here on the newsgroups, too.)
>

> Your comments are well taken, John. I believe more should be done,
> but I suspect that most manufacturers see the "consumer" market in
> amateur radio and don't anticipate active consumers for some reason.
> Maybe because design and manufacture go on across the ocean it
> becomes tough to get such input in a form they can use.
>
> Clark
> WA3JPG

5927. WANTED: Experience with RCI 2950 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John J. Gervasi" <john.j.gervasi@lmco.com>
Message-ID: <33A2BE1A.AD6C2997@lmco.com>
Source record: 172929

If you have personal experience with moding the RCI2950 for increased modulation and decreased carrier power (positive swing with modulation) please tell me about it and the modification you made.

Email appreciated. Thanks in advance,

John

5928. TS-940 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: vbajaj@portal.stwing.upenn.edu
Message-ID: <5numpl$pb5@netnews.upenn.edu>
Source record: 172930

Are there any software or simple hardware mods that can be done
to the TS-940?

--Vik

--
Vik Bajaj
http://cognac.unplug.org

5929. Need info on Fredrick MD fest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage1@mailhost.epix.net
Message-ID: <33A302F3.7615@mailhost.epix.net>
Source record: 172931

Anybody have directions or a talk in for this
Thanx
Doug

5930. Fredrick fest ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage1@mailhost.epix.net
Message-ID: <33A30325.580C@mailhost.epix.net>
Source record: 172932

Need directions from 95
or talk in
Douh

5931. FT 50 software question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: scannaman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614185201.OAA00843@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172933

Hi folks...
I have owned a few FT 50's now, using them basically as my radio at
the Fire Dept. Anyway, for some reason, my main radio will not allow me to
either upload memory channels or down load them into the radio..anyone
else have this problem??? any ideas to fix it??? Yes, the radio is hot
rodded, no, it hasnt done this before.....HELP!!!!! please EMail me ,
thanks for any help anyone can give me.....Tom
Scannaman@AOL

5932. Re: Last chance to buy an Alpha Amp at old pricing....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614190501.PAA01907@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172934

why would they raise the price when they are over priced now?

try a command tech hf2500 for 20 % less before the price raise

Better check that price again. I've owned both of them and the 91B is the stronger amp, bigger transformer, better protection, more output, output tube 1/2 the price of the 3CX800a7, quieter, smoother and 100% guaranteed for four (4) years. Nothing else even comes close to that. The other amps you mentioned aren"t even in the same league. 73, Van

5933. Yaesu - FT-11R FOR SALE $199

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Skaras <jskaras@ti.com>
Message-ID: <33A2ECE4.5E527BD5@ti.com>
Source record: 172935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

$199, wife's unit, hardly used. few scratches on case at speaker from
keys in purse.
Small bat. May sell or trade hi power bat from my unit.

call 973 995-0405. Email: jskaras@ti.com

5934. Any Commercial 2-Way Newsgroups ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard F. Garcia" <n2czf@magg.net>
Message-ID: <33A2EE9E.6E89@magg.net>
Source record: 172936

Does anyone know of a newsgroup exclusivly for Commercial 2-Way Radio technicians (30-900 MHz) ? Interested in a spot were some of us can meet and swap info on the business/tehnical aspect of 2-way radio.

Thanks!
Rich
n2czf@magg.net
http://www.magg.net/~n2czf

5935. Re: Alinco DX-70???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A3862C.18E9@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172937

Got the new Icom 706 Mark II, The noise blanker works real well
for auto noise on the Mark II. Also They put back to back diodes on
their VHF Front end 60-200Mhz, haven't heard any static blow out
problems.
They fixed their font end 60-200Mhz with a varactor tuned front
end, no more images, etc.
No more FM BC overload. TX now is as good as Alinco DX-70, they
fixed up the Icom Mark II really well, now if they sell that DSP
module that goes into it, it be even greater!

73
Mike

Wyatt6gun wrote:
>
> I concur! Although I like the little unit, my DX-70 is now back to the
> factory for the second time for a nearby lightning strike. The first time,
> it was D12 (a diode I guess) that was blown. I am hoping that it is the
> same problem this time.
>
> Other than that, I really like the little rig and get exceptional good
> audio reports. Also, the noise blanker is most INeffective!
>
> Wyatt W5YHY

5936. Re: Kenwood TM-733 Cross-band Repea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33A31612.654D@n-link.com>
Source record: 172938

Jim N8XYN wrote:
>
> Bill Combs wrote:
> >
> > My friend has a Kenwood TM-733, which he woudl like to use as a cross-band
> > repeater. He says the manual has no info on this, but I notice that in some
> > ads for the rig (e.g., Jun's Electronics, p. 168, Aril QST) the claim is
> > made that it will cross-band repeat.
> >
> > My questions: How does one put it in that mode? If this is not a normal
> > feature, is there a mod?
> >
> > Bill
> > W8BC
>
> The Kenwood web site has that information in their "Tech notes". To put
> the rig into crossband mode you hold the funcation key for 2 seconds
> "Double beep". Then you'll notice ax "X" above the key on the furthest
> right press it. Your there. Repeat to turn off. The rig also has a
> "Remote control" mode. Where you can change freqs, power, tones,
> channels ETC... from another radio...You'll need the notes though. If
> you cant find them just write back and I'll get them to you...73
1. Hold the function key (Bottom Left Button) for 1 Sec:
2. The display will show "X" on the far right bottom side.
3. Press the far right botton under the "X" and the Cross band will be
on.
4. It will show EX:147.2.0.0 <-- Notice the periods.
5. It will only cross band 70 cm <> 2Mtr NOT 2Mtr<>2Mtr

Hope this helps
Tommie
--
A1 Custom Mugs, 13 Dana Dr Lampasas Tx 76550-1113 512.556.4691
Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special. Tomcmugs@n-link.com

5937. Re: IC-706 Mods wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Rosee <hrosee@connect.net>
Message-ID: <33A31989.5BE2@connect.net>
Source record: 172939

Gary Lucas wrote:
>
> Does anybody have any mods for the Icom IC-706? Or do you know where I
> might find any?
>
> Thanks,
> Gary
> KJ4GH
> kj4gh@scott.net
I have a link on my home page to a site full of 706 mods. See
http://www.qsl.net/wa5zzt

5938. Re: FS:collins 75A3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: B&R <robtram@ns.net>
Message-ID: <33A2FB76.5D9C@ns.net>
Source record: 172940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

B&R wrote:
>
> for sale one colins75a3 all orig.one 3khz filter.In very good condition
> inside and out asking $400 plus shipping.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Robert Ramirez
Hi lane ,
Pleae E-mail me again.I tried to E-mail you but it got returned.

thanks,

Robert

5939. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: GZGQ49A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5nuso3$2vqk@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172941

Try this.... http://downeastmicrowave.com
The WEB site shows transverters for all sorts of bands using a ten meter exciter. Cost is high on the pre-builts but better on the kits. I too would like to know of other WEB sites for transverters.
73 Rod KB8DNS

5940. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A2E6EF.5A7C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172942

Charlie Durand wrote:
>
> Robert A. Kile wrote:
> >
> > As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for.
> [message here]
> > Bob KG7D
>
> Save it Bob, I posted by views on what I would like to see in a sales
> person at the local Ham Radio Outlet. I was disappointed in the replies
> I received. Mainly childish personal attacks on my character with
> absolutely no rebuttle or addition to my original message. People are
> just looking for someone who is a little different, showing a little
> creativity, so they can squash them. You can post your opinions, but be
> prepared to filter 99% of the replies.

I agree with Bobs evaluation techniques. However, I have rarely seen
salespeople up to those standards. My previous comments about AES had
nothing to do with BOB himself. If one receives poor or excellent
service they should post to this newsgroup.
73's, NS1R Steven Hershman

5941. Collins 30L-1 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Arnold" <D.Arnold@primocomputers.com>
Message-ID: <33A325D6.716C@primocomputers.com>
Source record: 172943

HAVE ONE collins 30L-1 for sale..found it in my storage house not turned
on since 1989..have another amp now..amp worked last time i used it
have manual to go with it pwr 115VAC plug installed

I WILL PAY SHIPING
YOU SEND 400.00 cash. money order, postal money order, certified or
registered check or bank draft (NO PERSONAL CHECKS)

DON ARNOLD KB5FHX
3206 MORELAND ST
PASCAGOULA MS 39567-4550

e:mail D.ARNOLD@primocomputers.com

last guy said he wanted it but never sent money THIS IS A REPOST

5942. Re: Last chance to buy an Alpha Amp at old pr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614213900.RAA15539@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172944

i have all 3 and price is as stated hf2500,al1500 and alpha 89. all made
in
america(not bulgaria version). if commander and ameritron moved to
Bulgaria they could sell even cheaper. incidentially 91b had 5 serious
mods
(blower,ps etc).

kh6fhx

5943. Recommedation?? Small VHF for Volvo 850 (limited space)??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: grand_wazoo@geocities.com
Message-ID: <33a4fb96.88422439@news.idt.net>
Source record: 172945

I have a new Volvo 850 wagon that I would like to add a 2 meter rig (permanent mount). Does anyone
have recommendations on a good performing and small unit??

5944. Help - Kenwood TH-79A or ICOM - Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5nv3n4$t1k$1@news9.gte.net>
Source record: 172946

I'm looking for some information on the differences between a Kenwood Th-79A and an Icom Ic-Z1A. I realy like the stats and looks of Kenwoods but my dad has two Z1As and really enjoys them. So I am debating on wich hand-held I should purchase. I will welcome any advice or comments you may have.

Joel Sholar
KE4ZXQ

5945. IC-706 MK II DSP INFO !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A2E93A.3C5A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172947

I have several confirmations about ICOM "ALMOST" putting in DSP in the IC-706 MK II. IF you own the radio you can see the words "DSP" on the LCD display. Also, if you flip the radio and look at the circuit PCB you with see a small 15 pin connector. This coonector ties in with the audio output portion of the IC-706 MK II. ICOM had a small sheilded PCB that plugged into this connector. The DSP created lots of birdies on the receiver and Icom could not solve the problem in time. Icom was under the gun to get the radio out for DAYTON '97. BTW the heat dissapation of this PCB DSP wa 1 amp and generated 12 watts of heat additional.
GARY FIBER may dispute this posting but it is very accurate.
Also, Icom will definately put DSP in the next version "IC-706 MK II"!!!
I suggest we put pressure on Icom to finish the DSP PCB and offer it as an option (say $150)seems fair since it is audio DSP.

73's Steven Hershman NS1R

5946. FS: 4CX300A & SK-506

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnhill@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca
Message-ID: <5nulg3$js0$1@news.sas.ab.ca>
Source record: 172948

I have 4 each new in cans 4CX300A and SK-710 sockets also new, I also have
1 SK-506 chimney for 4-1000, new. Offers? Please e-mail to address
below,tnx.

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email: johnhill@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca

QRP-L #838

5947. Re: 706 mkII, looking for other owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Message-ID: <33A1CD4F.7144@transend.com.tw>
Source record: 172949

Mike Newbold wrote:
>
> i am looking for other 706mkII owners to compare notes.
> 73 de K0YO mike

Hi Mike --
I have one. It's now at Icom Japan being serviced. I lost the
HF+6 front end just a few days after buying it, caused I assume by
a 2 meter FM transmission with adjacent 2M and HF antennas.
Being fixed, under warranty, as I type this.

I did find it better than the original 706 -- even the CW keying
waveform is slightly better. QSK is still via a noisy relay, but
overall some nice improvmements. Sure can't beat the value of
this all-mode rig!

73,
Joe

73,
Joe

5948. FS/t CASH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ladd V. Straatmann" <laddo@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <5nv667$m15$1@news.msy.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172950

A little while back, I was browsing these newsgroups, just like you are now, and came across an article similar to this that said you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $5.00! So I thought, "Yeah, right, this must be a scam," but like most of us, but I was curious, so I kept reading. Anyway, it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 5 names and address stated in the article. You then place your own name and address in the bottom of the list at #5, and post the article in at least 200 newsgroups. (There are thousands.) No catch, that was it.

You can make up to or over $50,000.00 in 4-6 weeks, maybe sooner! I SWEAR, I'M NOT LYING TO YOU, AND THIS IS NOT A SCAM! If you're interested in making some big bucks, keep reading; if you're not, I apologize for wasting your time.

So after thinking it over, talking to a few people first, I figured what have I got to lose except for 5 stamps and $5, right? One person who very recently had tried it said it worked like a charm. He started getting money in the mail! He was shocked! He figured it would end soon, and didn't give it another thought. But then the money kept coming IN - tripling in size and multiplying by 10 - 20 times the amount that he got the first week! In his first week he had made a total of over $1,000!!! In the third week he had over $10,000 dollars, and it's still growing! This is his fourth week and he's made about $42,000 Total, and believe it or not the money is still coming in...

I know this has been checked out several times with the legal community and is deemed perfectly Legal, but being a very cautious person, I also wanted to check it out with the US Post Office. I called them

(1-800-725-2161) and explained this process and asked if there were any regulations that would be violated by doing this. Without hesitation, the postal official also said it is legal. At that point, I felt comfortable going ahead and joining the process.

Let me tell you how this works and most importantly, WHY IT WORKS!...Also, make sure you print a copy of this article NOW, so you get the information from it, and begin making money. The process is very simple, and it consists of 3 ease steps:

STEP 1: Get 5 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each sheet of paper: "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST. YOU ARE NUMBER #." Get five $1 bills, and place ONE inside each piece of paper that you have just written on, and fold each piece of paper so the bill will not be seen in the envelope (otherwise, nosy people who like to steal envelopes with money in it will not get yours). Put one paper inside the envelope and seal it. Do the same for all 5. You should now have 5 envelopes sealed, each having a piece of paper AND the $1 bill inside.

NOTE: Make sure those words that were stated above are written on each piece of paper. What you are doing is creating a service by this. This is PERFECTLY LEGAL. Now, mail the 5 envelopes with the paper and $1 in each to the following 5 addresses:

#1 G. Cisnero

VLN 1151

Unit C-105

1601 N.W. 97th Av.

Miami, FL 33172

#2 S.A.

P.O. Box 758

Grover Beach Ca 93483

#3 C. Smith

240 Sunnyridge ave #112

Fairfield, CT 06430

#4 M.Boles

1159 Harrison Pike

Apt. # 2303

Cleveland, TN 37311

#5 Ladd Straat

200 Jefferson Dr.

Houma, LA 70360

STEP 2: Now take the #1 name off the list that you see above, move the other names up (5 becomes 4, 4 becomes 3, etc...) and add YOUR Name as number 5 on the list.

STEP 3: Change anything you need to, but try to keep this article as close to original as possible. Now, post your amended article to at least 200 newsgroups. (I think there is close to 18,000 groups) All you need is 200, but remember, the more you post, the more money you make!

Don't know HOW to post in the newsgroups? Well, do exactly the following:

FOR NETSCAPE USERS,

1) Click on any newsgroup, like normal. Then click on "To News, which is in the top left corner of the newsgroup page. This will bring up a message box.

2) Fill in the SUBJECT with a flashy title, like the one I used, something to catch the eye!!!

3) Now go to the message part of the box and retype this letter exactly as it is here, with exception of your few changes. (Remember to add your name to number 5 and move the rest up)

4) When you're done typing in the WHOLE letter, click on FILE above the send button. Then, SAVE AS.. DO NOT SEND YOUR ARTICLE UNTIL YOU SAVE

IT. (So you don't have to type this 200 times :-)

5) Now that you have saved the letter, go ahead and send your

first

copy! (Click the SEND button in the top left corner)

6) This is where you post all 200! OK, go to ANY newsgroup

article

and

click the TO NEWS button again. Type in your flashy subject in the

SUBJECT BOX, then go to the message and place your cursor here. Now

click on ATTACHMENT which is right below the SUBJECT BOX. Click on

attach file then find your letter wherever you saved it. Click once on

your file then click OPEN then click OK. If you did this right, you

should see your filename in the ATTACHMENT BOX and it will be

shaded.

NOW POST AWAY!!

IF YOU ARE USING INTERNET EXPLORER:

It's just as easy, holding down the left mouse button,

highlight this entire article, then press the CTRL key and C key at the

same time to copy this article. Then print the article for your records

to have the names of those you will be sending $1.00 to.

NEXT, Go to the newsgroups and press POST AN ARTICLE type in your

flashy subject and click the large window below. Press CTRL and V and

the article will appear in the message window. ** BE SURE TO MAKE YOUR

ADDRESS CHANGES TO THE 5 NAMES. ** Now re-highlight the article and

re-copy it re-copy it so you have the changes.... Then all you have to

do for each newsgroup is CTRL and V and press POST. It's that easy!!

THAT'S IT! All you have to do is jump to different newsgroupes and

post away, after you get the hang of it, it will take about 30 seconds

for each newsgroup!

** REMEMBER, THE MORE NEWSGROUPS YOU POST IN, THE MORE

MONEY YOU WILL MAKE!! BUT YOU HAVE TO POST A MINIMUM OF

200 **

This is WHY this works!

Out of 200 postings, say I receive only 5 replies (a very low example). So then I made $5.00 with my name at #5 on the letter. Now, each of the 5 persons who just sent me $1.00 make the MINIMUM 200 postings, each with my name at #4 and only 5 persons respond to each of the original 5, that is another $25.00 for me, now those 25 each make 200 MINIMUM posts with my name at #3 and only 5 replies each, I will bring in an additional $125.00! Now, those 125 persons turn around and post the MINIMUM 200 with my name at #2 and only receive 5 replies each, I will make an additional $626.00! OK, now here is the fun part, each of those 625 persons post a MINIMUM 200 letters with my name at #1 and they each only receive 5 replies, that just made me $3,125.00!!! With an original investment of only $5.00!

AMAZING! And, as I said 5 responses is actually VERY LOW! Average is probable 20 to 30! So lets put those figures at just 15 responses per person. Here is what you will make:

at #5 $15.00

at #4 $225.00

at #3 $3,375.00

at #2 $50,625.00

at #1 $759,375.00

When your name is no longer on the list, you just take the latest posting in the newsgroups, and send out another $5.00 to names on the list, putting your name at number 5 again. Then start posting again. The thing to remember is, do you realize that thousands of people all over the world are joining the Internet and reading these articles every day, JUST LIKE YOU are now!! So can you afford $5.00 and see if it really works?? I think so - People have said, "what if the plan is played out and no one sends you the money? So what! What are the chances of that happening when there are tons of new honest users and new

honest people who are joining the Internet and newsgroups everyday and are willing to give it a try? Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users, every day, with thousands of those joining the actual Internet. Remember, play FAIRLY and HONESTLY and this will work. You just have to be honest. Make sure you print this article out RIGHT NOW, also. Try to keep a list of everyone that sends you money and always keep an eye on the newsgroups to make sure everyone is playing fairly. Remember, HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY. You don't need to cheat the basic idea to make the money!! Also remember that if nobody sends money then nobody benefits. I'm sure you would want the people after you to send in their money.

So think of it this way, you are giving them a gift in return for introducing

this wonderful money making method to you. If everybody pays, everybody gains.

GOOD LUCK to all and please play fairly and reap the huge rewards from this, which is tons of extra CASH. ** By the way, if you try to deceive people by posting the messages with your name in the list and not sending the money to the rest of the people already on the list, you will NOT get as much. Someone I talked to knew someone who did that and he only made about $150.00, and that's after seven or eight weeks! Then he sent the 5 $1.00 bills, people added him to their lists, and in 4-5 weeks he had over $10k. This is the fairest and most honest way I have ever seen to share the wealth of the world without costing anything but our time!!! You also may want to buy mailing and e-mail lists for future dollars.

Please remember to declare your extra income. Thanks once again

:)

5949. FS HALICRAFTERS RECEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter F. Christensen" <christep@mail.cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <33A31D5B.6D90@mail.cadvision.com>
Source record: 172951

I have the folling Halicrafters receivers for sale. They are in good
condition
and they come with their manuals.
1 S76...$150 Canadian or $111 US.
1 S85...$125 Canadian or $92 US.
1 S20R..$125 Canadian or $92 US.
The price does not include shipping from Calgary, Alberta.
I am Peter at christep@cadvision.com

5950. Re: >>>WANTED<<< LAB TOOLS for programming Motorola SaberIII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: D.Russell
Message-ID: <5nv976dsv1@news.dls.net>
Source record: 172952

jdc3021@aol.com (JDC3021) writes: > Please send info.
>
> JDC3021@aol.com
Motorola will sell it to ya the only place to get a legle
software unless ya want to go to jail will cost ya 350.00!
yES THEY ARE PROSICUTEING SOFTWARE PIRATES SO BE VERY VERY CAREFULL!

5951. Re: CAUTION: On Metal Hydrate Batery's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lraymond@sisna.com
Message-ID: <winWeb14Jun97141715@DIALUP6388.SISNA.COM>
Source record: 172953

In article <5nscnn$jd8$1@news.dls.net>,
D.Russell <@FoxValley.net> writes:
> My experience on the metal Hydrate batterys?
> Well after some research into this charge rates
> of the metal hydrates it has come to my attention
> that the metal hydrates will hold a maximum of
> 80% of the batery's capacity according to the battery
> anylizer! This was confirmed by a tech friend of mine!
> The problem was that the batery thresholds differ
> between NiCads and Metal Hydrates according to most
> 1 hr chargers! So the result is different charge rates!
> So ya will find when useing conventional NiCad 1hr.
> chargers,that the metal hydrate will prematurely
> stae charge completed and after that if left in the
> charger will actually start dischargeing! the max
> of a metal hydrate charge obtained thus far was 80%
> after carefulley watching the charger and removed it
> as soon as the charge completed lamp came on in the
> smart 1hr nicad charger! This test was done for
> Motorola Saber Baterys and Motorola 1hr Smart chargerS!
> NOTE THE PLURAL s!! Yes several diferent chargers were
> tested! The same results remain! I wonder if others
> haver experienced this and is the possibly a compatability
> problem with the Nicads and Metal hydrates when being
> charged with all our regular standard smart chargers
> regaurdless of the manufactures that are out there!
> Just a word of caution plaese if ya have a insight
> on this let me know,for I am open for suggestions to
> this dilema! and have others experienced this?
>
> tnx for reading this David!
>
> kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net for replies or post a reply here!

The appropriate way to end a sentence is with a period. Overuse
of the exclamation point becomes weary to readers and reduces
the credibility of the writer.

Mike

5952. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: loushery@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <33A33D83.220A@pacbell.net>
Source record: 172954

I have a GAP Titan . I have been up for over a year. I havent had one problem with it.
In short love it. Mine works on 6 meters with a 2:1 SWR. Heard one Ham got it to work on 160M.
73
Lou
KB6FFT

5953. Manuals Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33A353A7.3977@erols.com>
Source record: 172955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WANTED: Manuals for the following CAI Communications Associates equip:

SSB HF Transmitter (consisting of the following chassis)
CC-34- Local Control Panel
CO-70MS
CA-35MS20- Exciter
CL-36-PA Unit

And HV Power supply and RF filter Unit

(Company is now out of business but was located in Huntingon Station, NY) Leads to anyone or any company that may sell out of service equipment manuals also wanted. Thanks. 73 K3BEQ

5954. Ping Pong Message To Me

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Green <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33A351A6.2F26@erols.com>
Source record: 172956

To the amateur who sent me a message, subj Ping Pong. I replied but received back undeliverable messages from the servers.

In answer to your question the repeaters are using Cellwave Corpoation, 4 bay folded dipole vert. 73 K3BEQ

5955. IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A35178.2EF5@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172957

Yes the Icom 706 MK II had DSP built in but then Icom decided to scrap it. If you own a IC-706 you will see on the LCD the words "DSP" and "NR"(noise reduction).
If you look at the bottom PCB of the radio you will see a 10 pin Phenolic connector. there is also a 2x3 space for the DSP shilded PCB
I just got another confirmation from a Icom (outside the USA) informent. I had to use my special "INTERIGATION" methods on him. He is recuperating nicely at a nearby hospital.
What I got from him before he passed out was that Icom was going to offer this DSP as an option for $??? and You would simply plug in the PCB just like the other options on the IC-706 MK II (CTCSS decode,voice synthesizer etc. You set the IC-706 MK II setup so the radio knows the DSP is installed in the radio. I wish ICOM would try to get the DSP unit to work and offer it to the Ham customers. I would buy it if it were under $200 (you can buy a timewave DSP 9+ for $200.

Gary Fiber from Icom may tell you guys that what I am saying is not true. Remember who told you guys about the Icom 706 Mk II long before it was announced ! Also I clearly remember Gary Fiber saying that Icom had no plans on making the IC-706 Mark II. Hee Hee. You guys know who to believe.

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

5956. Re: 706 mkII, looking for other owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A35571.468C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172958

Mike Newbold wrote:
>
> i am looking for other 706mkII owners to compare notes.
> 73 de K0YO mike

Hey Mike. Icom had DSP noise reduction but scrapped it. Look at the LCD
You will see "DSP" AND 'NR" for noise reduction.

5957. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ????? Its real, tell Icom you want one!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A3571D.3B9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172959

Michael Aust wrote:
>
> THe Icom 706 Mark II LCD display indeed has DSP, NR, all the
> dSP functions on it.
>
> Also I opened mine 706 Mark II and next to J4 is a big 10 Pin connector
> in the audio secion of the radio with space for(((DSP unit??)), about
> 2inch by 3inch.
>
> I bet donuts to dollars this is were the audio DSP was supposed to fit in
> but was not ready for release!!!!
>
> Hey, Icom fix the DSP module, and I will place my order for one to
> plug into my new 706 Mark II.
>
> How much am I willing to pay????(marketing question), the same price
> as the Timewave DSP box!!
>
> 73
>
> Mike
>
> Clark Savage Turner wrote:
> >
> > In <john-1406970557450001@wd1v.mv.com> john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney) writes:
> >
> > >It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
> > >designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.
> >
> > There is one manufacturer that does this now: Ten Tec. Check the QST
> > ads about the DSP upgrades for the OMNI VI.
> >
> > >The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
> > >upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!
> >
> > I agree 100 per cent. It is industry standard in many
> > industries. Ten Tec does this to some extent.
> >
> > >Why is it that the radio manufacturers WWW pages don't solicit
> > >opinions from their users?
> >
> > Ten Tec has a factory rep presence on the Ten Tec listserver. They
> > listen to suggestions that way. I have not checked their web page
> > because my feedback gets in on the server.

> >
> > (I know that Yaesu has a sales rep who is often answering questions
> > around here on the newsgroups, too.)
> >
> > Your comments are well taken, John. I believe more should be done,
> > but I suspect that most manufacturers see the "consumer" market in
> > amateur radio and don't anticipate active consumers for some reason.
> > Maybe because design and manufacture go on across the ocean it
> > becomes tough to get such input in a form they can use.
> >
> > Clark
> > WA3JPG

I agree with Clark and Mike! Icom should offer the DSP PCB as an option but at a fair price. I think $150 is pretty fair. Just get the bugs out. I have three confirmations about Icom scrapping the DSP feature due to time constraints/Birdies with the DSP. The last "Icom Informant" gave up this info after a brutal "interrigation". He is now recouperating a local hospital.

NS1R Steven Hershman

5958. Diamond Verticle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve & Iris <slewis@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <33A35648.4854D9A0@netusa1.net>
Source record: 172960

I have recently acquired a Diamond antenna. It is a verticle, resonante

on 151Mhz. What I would like to do is tune this antenna down to
146Mhz. The only part number I can get off the antenna is X or K
-500MA. The antenna has three sections, the top section is 4.5 feet
long, the middle and bottom sections are 5ft 9in long. It has three
Radials 20in long. If anyone has information on this antenna please let

me know. Thank You in Advance

Steve KB9DVM

5959. hf or vhf radio in subaru??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Laudel <alaudel@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33A3654E.61EB@pacbell.net>
Source record: 172961

Has anyone installed either a 100watt hf transceiver or up to 50watt
two meter unit in a late model 1997 subaru outback?
If so what were the results? I would like to buy a new 1997, but am
unwilling to take a chance.

Al Laudel
alaudel@pacbell.net
n6mbd

5960. EOARC Home Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty@trucom.com
Message-ID: <33a2ebde.8947780@news.trucom.com>
Source record: 172962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Everyone is invited to vistit the new Home Page of The Eastern Ozarks
Amateur Radio Club (EOARC) located at:

http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/6073/

Information about up-coming events (like our Fox Hunt!) and more will
be found there.

Take Care & 73

Marty Albert - marty@trucom.com
Amateur Radio: KC6UFM@KC6UFM.#SEMO.MO.USA.NOAM

****
Interested in Amateur Radio?
http://www.trucom.com/ppages/marty
****
HAmPS Coordinator
http://www.geocities.com/CapeCanaveral/Lab/7067
****

5961. FS: tubes, test equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@emodus.com
Message-ID: <33a35f8e.0@news.cyberannex.com>
Source record: 172963

Hello!

Used Tubes, Pulled from Surplus Equipment, unteseted,
Priced accordingly, Substatnial quantities available:

6AL5 $0.50; 6AU6A $1.00; 6CL6 $ $1.00; 6X4 $1.00;
5963 (12AU7A) $1.25; 8136 $0.75; 8532W $1.00'

TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned
and calibrated,120 day warranty,shipping free in the USA
$465.00 each!

Amphenol 31-5061 TNC MALE CONNECTOR
for: RG59, RG62, RG140, RG210 COAXIAL CABLE.
New, In original bags, FREE SHIPPING on 4 or more.
$0.75 each!

JAN 6186W, equal to 6AG5WA, sharp cut-off pentodes 7 pin
miniature made by Philips in the USA 1986, NOS, individual
boxes, 5000 available, shipping in the USA: 1 - 199 $4.00,
200 or more shipping free!
$0.10 each

For more ELECTRON TUBES (both new and/or used), various
ANTIQUE RADIO COMPONENTS or
ELECTRONIC TEST EQUIPMENT, please E-mail:
sales@emodus.com
For a complete list.

Thank you!

5962. TH-79AD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: djmd@one.net
Message-ID: <33a226cb.871917671@news.one.net>
Source record: 172964

I wanna get one of these, and want to know if anyone out there can comment on the AM Aircraft receive quality. I work near a Delta hub and would like to listen to air traffic control during my lunch hour. :-)

Any comments are appreciated, even other general comments about this HT.

THANKS!

KB8IFZ

5963. AR 2000 reset info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erminio <erminio@vip.vipnet.it>
Message-ID: <01bc78b8$91935a00$14f9f3c2@vipnet.it>
Source record: 172965

I have an portable receiver AR 2000, baut I d0n't have the manual, can
anyone tell me how I can reset it ?
Thank you.
73 de IZ8AJQ Erminio
--
erminio@vip.vipnet.it

http://www.geocities.com/colosseum/6254

5964. Re: Need info on Shinwa SH505G Portable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Malcolm Eaton <argus@alphalink.com.au>
Message-ID: <33A26B1A.1CA089FE@alphalink.com.au>
Source record: 172966
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Jeff Money wrote:

> Recently acquired some of these radios use in Marine Radio Service but
>
> can't find any info about programming, etc. Anyone with ANY info
> would be
> appreciated.
>
> Shinwa Tsushinki Co, Ltd --- SOMEWHERE in Japan
>
> Jeff KD4CLR

G,Day
Did you recive my first reply?

I have all the info you need .

and can send to you if you want.

Please respond to

meaton@ozemail.com.au

Regards
Malcolm
VK3UME

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VK3UME

5965. Yaesu announces the new HF solid state amplifier price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <01BC783F.7A0A4F20@teleport43.shani.net>
Source record: 173031

Yaesu Japan announced the list price for the new 1KW output
solid state / automatic antenna tuner :

* VL-1000 - amplifier deck & automatic tuner: Y350000 !!
* VP-1000 - 50Vdc switching power supply : Y200000 !!

Those are the Japan list prices as figured in their WEB site.
I suppose that the US prices will be at least 20-30% less at
dealers. Anyway, those figures are quite prohibitive and
disappointing.

The VL-1000 was exposed at Dayton at Yaesu booth with no
detailed technical specs or brochures. Maybe more infos
will be released at Friederichshafen HamFest at the end of
this month.

No news about the ICOM new similar solid state amplifier
IC-PW-1.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

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Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <01BC783F.D6CA82C0@teleport43.shani.net>
Source record: 173032

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5967. KWM-380/HF-380 Parts Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k2112@cris.com
Message-ID: <5nsqm4$ci6@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 173033

KWM-380/HF-380 Parts Kit

Part # Quantity Description

281-0659-020 1 Main Tuning Knob
281-0659-040 1 Dual Pot Knob Set
266-5424-010 1 Main Power Switch
376-0276-050 1 RF/AF Gain Pot
229-9702-010 1 Encoder
293-1332-010 2 sets Matched IF Crystals (39.145KC)
351-8870-050 1 ROM Chip (WARC)
352-1138-010 2 PT5701 Transistor
638-6788-001A 1 Coupler Circuit Board

Note: The above items are sold as a kit only and are NOS in factory packaging.

Price: $149.00 shipped. There are a limited number of these kits.

The following parts are available on a very limited basis:

259-8018-030 Selectivity Switch $20.00 each

Crystal Oven (used on oscillator board of HF-380) $60.00 each

Contact: Harry Snyder
PO Box 6107
Carefree AZ 85377
602-488-4287

5968. C-64 Commodore computer-free to radio club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: dhickey389@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614015601.VAA23707@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173034

I have a Commodore C-64 computer with disk drive and Okidata printer
available to any radio club that wants this equipment. The only
stipulation is that a club member must pick it up or arrange for shipping
collect. I live in Arlington Hts, Il. 25 miles nw of Chicago. Please
e-mail me if interested. All in good condition.

Dennis WD9ALX

5969. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Achilleas Theodoridis <sv2bbm@prometheus.hol.gr>
Message-ID: <33A20C7F.46C6@prometheus.hol.gr>
Source record: 173035

David Whitehurst wrote:
>
> I do not know about the 1750 hz burst tone. The US version doesn't do
> this. I CAN tell you the the US version DOES work via remote control of
> another radio -HT, mobile,etc. You can enter frequency, engage/disengage
> repeater fxn, raise/lower power, switch to memory channel/vfo/call(and
> presumabley add/remove a tone encode or decode. The 733 kenwood has some
> after market notes on this very similar fxn of the tmv7a. I have both
> radios & use each to crossband REMOTELY the other prn.
> N4ZGT. David.

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Achilleas Theodoridis sv2bbm
Electronics & Control Systems
19 Salaminos str,Panorama,Thessaloniki,Greece
Post Code:GR 552 36
Tel / Fax ++30 -31 -344651(Auto-answering),
e-mail: sv2bbm@hol.gr

Hi David
1. It is possible to write the corect procedure for remote control of
the TMV7A ?
2. How can unlock the buttons of the microphone, during remote control ?
3. Need first to transmitt a page code or a dtss, and after the dtmf
control tones A000# ?

Tanks 73

5970. Icom 448A Operation Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Michelson <wx2d@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7874$2fcc7840$365c9ace@markmich>
Source record: 173036

I am looking for a manual with specs.and instructions for a ICOM 448A
mobile radio.

Thank You.

73 Mark

WX2D@WEBSPAN.NET

5971. WTB 440 radio for link

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Schulz <schulz@northnet.org>
Message-ID: <01bc786f$2a808520$098ce8cd@aldus.northnet.org>
Source record: 173037

The Black River Amateur Radio club is looking for a 440mHz radio for our link. It must be capable of sending and receiving PL tones also.

Please send me an Email with info and price..

73's
Dave KA1NSR

schulz@northnet.org

5972. Wanted Service help Cushman CE15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <5nt54d$fkd@news.jump.net>
Source record: 173038
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

I have a smoking Cushman CE15 Spectrum Analyzer and am trying to locate some source of service information/manual for it. Does anyone have a manual for it they could work something out on?? Does anyone know a source for such manuals? Does anyone know the manufacturer of these instruments and where they might be contacted?? Any help greatly appreciated. (It's stopped smoking since it's been unpluged!)

Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com

5973. Frederick hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Roys <sroys@umabnet.ab.umd.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A32.3.94.970614000421.79266A-100000@umabnet.ab.umd.edu>
Source record: 173039

Hello,

I know there is a hamfest this weekend in Frederick, MD, but where exactly is it? The ARRL listing just says Frederick, and I don't want to spend the morning driving around looking for it.

Thanks,
Steve.

5974. Need Info: Kenwood TK-805 470-490Mhz convert to 440 Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wega@loop.com
Message-ID: <33a20598.315379@nntp.loop.com>
Source record: 173040

Need to know how to retune the TK-805 to 440 Mhz. Please anyone know
how to do this?
WE6A

5975. Re: FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@enter.netxx
Message-ID: <33a22027.13971912@news.enter.net>
Source record: 173041

On 9 Jun 1997 07:55:42 GMT, Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton)
wrote:

>>>Take a look at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
>>>
>>tried this, as well as members.aol.com/aeimm. got a list of spirtual
>>books. is the ft50 programmable only with divine guidance? aol sez no
>>page like this
>
>Damn, my english seems not to be excelent :)

sorry...it's my shorthand that's poor! i tried this web page on
America Online and it tells me the page isnt found...
>

delete the xx from my email address to reply

5976. Help: Yaesu FTV-700

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shelby Merrick <smerrick@som-uky.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <33A237C8.8BDA6AA0@som-uky.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 173042

I noticed this part in my 757GXII owner manual, and it looks like a transverter. I am assuming it was and was interested in what frequencies it covered. I've never seen one anywhere else. Any informations would be appreciated, and the going used price. Thanks.
73's Shelby Merrick
KE4AKA

5977. WTT for IC-706 or ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garrett Waltrip <garrett@relia.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7880$2e7fb680$2a9cadcf@main>
Source record: 173043

I have the following computer I would like to trade for Icom IC-706
or other radio capable of 100 watts on 6 mtr.

Clone Pentium Computer:
:Intel Pentium 133 CPU
:Intel Chipset MB.
:64 Meg. EDO Memory
:2.1 Gig. Hard Drive
:128 bit Video card
:8x CD Drive
:3.5 and 5.25 Floppy drives
:Wave Table sound card
:28.8 V.34 Modem
:Iomega tape-250 Tape drive with 5 tapes
:Mid size tower case
:15" Monitor
:HP DeskJet 500 printer
I also have a SCSI controller and a 100baseT network card if needed.
--
If interested Email me at the address below.

Garrett Waltrip
N7QWT DN41
garrett@relia.net

5978. Need Info: How to extend Coverage Kenwood TK-805 to 450 Mhz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wega@loop.com
Message-ID: <33a22105.7336002@nntp.loop.com>
Source record: 173044

Anyone know how to tweek the TK-805 covering 470-490 Mhz to cover
440-450 Mhz.

WE6A

5979. FS: IC-751A 160-10 Meter All mode/General Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wega@loop.com
Message-ID: <33a22331.7892008@nntp.loop.com>
Source record: 173045

IC-751A. General Coverage TX/RX .30-32 Mhz.
All Modes: FM/AM/SSB/CW/RTTY.
Quad Conversion Receiver (Like IC-781;FT-1000)
Dual SSB & Dual CW Filters in two of the four IF's.
RF Speech Processing; Very effective Noise Blanker.
Dual VFO's plus 1000 memories (Wilco Memeory Board Acc)
Icom Club Pin Diode Mods.
Built-In AC Supply. RC-10 Freq. Controller. Mic. Manual, original packaging. $895.
WE6A

5980. Last chance to buy an Alpha Amp at old pricing....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <5ntdvr$i7d@surf.com>
Source record: 173046

Last chance to buy an Alpha amp at old pricing....
Only a few days before Alpha/Power raises its
prices on ALL Alpha amps. A small deposit
will hold one for you at the old price...order now!

You're invited to "See The Quality, Feel The Power"
of the latest Alpha Linear amplifiers at Alpha's
new web site:

http://www.alpha-power-inc.com

For additional information about Alpha amps,
please contact Dave Wilson at:

Tel: (970) 535-4173
Fax: (970) 535-0281
Email: sales@alpha-power-inc.com

Alpha/Power was founded more than a quarter century
ago as ETO (Ehrhorn Technological Operations) to
design and manufacture the best possible maximum-
legal-power, continuous heavy duty, HF linear
amplifier for radio amateurs.

Alpha/Power (ETO) amplifiers contributed to the
expressions brick-on-the-key, maximum legal-power
and all modes, no time limit to the lexicon of
amateur radio. They pioneered the no-compromise
desk top amplifier, hands-off no-tune-up operation,
full break-in (QSK), standard 160 mater coverage,
and microprocessor-controlled automatic bandswitching,
tuneup and remote control.

Alpha/Power (ETO) also has pioneered realistic buyer
protection with long term limited warranties (never
prorated and now an unequaled four years), and the
money-back guarantee.

Please respond directly to Alpha, NOT to me! Thanks.

5981. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: john@wd1v.mv.com
Message-ID: <john-1406970557450001@wd1v.mv.com>
Source record: 173047

In article <339EB81B.7704@earthlink.net>, Michael Aust
<maust21401@earthlink.net> wrote:

> I noticed that also, if Icom offers a board to stick in <$200,
> and could enable the DSP in the Mark II, I would go for it!!
>
> 73
>
> Mike

It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.

As consumers, we should INSIST upon it and help these manufacturers
design what we REALLY WANT.

Who wants to be hosed every year as new models come out and
transcend the features that they just invested in...are we supposed
to buy new radios every year?

Some of the implementations are anemic and some of the missing features
prove that people who aren't USING these radios are playing too big a
role in DESIGNING them!

The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!

Why is it that the radio manufacturers WWW pages don't solicit
opinions from their users? No email inputs exist that I've
seen other than notes to their "webmaster" so you can complain
about slow loading graphics and such.

<and now, WD1V steps off the soapbox, stretches, and takes a
big lungful of air, noticing that everything looks just a little
better than it had just moments ago...it was as though he
had released something that he didn't even know was inside.>

73,

John D. Seney
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

5982. 706 mkII, looking for other owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Newbold <newbold@cmn.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7882$9b606a40$ec91a8ce@cmn.net.cmn.net>
Source record: 173048

i am looking for other 706mkII owners to compare notes.
73 de K0YO mike

5983. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankf1056@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614113901.HAA29339@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173049

Gary
are the inverters used in the UPS pure sine wave? some are some aren't?
how does it affect a amateur radio if it is a steppped sine wave,
presuming some are? I would think this is not good.

Frank Farwell kbozfn

5984. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3wmt1@juno.com
Message-ID: <5nu25q$el8@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 173050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am currently building the Ten Tec 2m-6m transverter. So far it is going well. I opted for the 2-6 to give me the whole 6m band, unlike the 20m-6m which only gives you a 2 mhz bandwidth.
73's N3WMT

5985. Re: What happened to AMP SUPPLY COMPANY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614122300.IAA01378@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173051

I have an Amp Supply LA1000a amplifier in need of a new meter
and just wondered where they went to. Anybody know? Their
number in Twinsburg, OH is now longer in service.

The manufacturer of the meter, Modutec, is a company I would
suggest not doing business with. They seem unwilling to take
a small order (<$200), sample a meter, and have no customer
service department.

73,
Skip Withrow - WB0BBE
ah441@fr

Amp Supply has been out of business for years. Contact Bill Edwards at
Omega Electronics in Knightdale, NC. His Phone # is (919) 266-7373 Fax
(919) 250-0073. He was Denny's right hand man on those amps. He carries
parts and repairs them. He knows them inside and out and would be able to
help you. 73, Van

5986. How to set crossband repeat with Kenwood TH77A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrhodes@iti2.net
Message-ID: <33a1eaa1.5336522@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 173052

I friend (K0COI) asked me to post this.

How do you set up the Kenwood TH77A ht for crossband repeat? Thanks.

5987. Re: Yaesu announces the new HF solid state amplifier price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A290D9.41C6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 173053

morel wrote:
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> solid state / automatic antenna tuner :
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> * VP-1000 - 50Vdc switching power supply : Y200000 !!
>
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>
> 73 de Morel, 4X1AD

I wonder why the Japanese amplifiers cost so much? I think a QRO or Commander amplifier is a better choice. I wish they would give us 6 meters on the American Tube amplifiers.

5988. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Hughes <KC4FWS@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A2982E.269F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173054

Walker Brents wrote:
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> My son, Barry, K0XE, is thinking of buying an Ameritron linear. He does
> not have access to usenets and asked me to put out a call for comments
> on the Ameritron, pro or con, or whatever. TIA and 73,
> Walker N5KZZ

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Jim KC4FWS

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Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Hughes <KC4FWS@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A2987E.633E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173055

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Jim KC4FWS

5990. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: niteline@bright.net
Message-ID: <33a2c37c.1375778@news.bright.net>
Source record: 173056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 08:31:34 GMT, walt@dial.pipex.com (Walt Davidson)
wrote:

>On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 17:28:39 +0800, Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT
><joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:
>
>>Trying to repair a Yaesu FT-101 and am in need of a set of output
>>tubes. Either new or used/tested/guaranteed is ok. Low price is
>>paramount.
>
>I always thought the output tubes in the FT101 were 6146B.
>
>73 de G3NYY
>
>--
>Walt Davidson Email: walt@dial.pipex.com

The Yaesu Ft 101 B - F models Used 6JS6C and 1 - 12BY7A For the
driver and the FT101ZD used 6146B's and the 12BY7A and the FT102 also
used 6146B and 12BY7A the FT401 Use 6KD6 and 6 or 10GK6 for the
driver,, I service these every day. so am verry familiar.
Just trying to help.
Thanks
Dan...
Dan's C.b. Sales & Service

5991. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a2a0d3.90170466@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 173057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On Fri, 13 Jun 1997 12:17:59 -0700, Cecil Moore <cecil_a_moore@ccm.ch.intel.com> wrote:
>Dave Martindale wrote:
>> Maybe what the world really needs is the "hat mounted antenna".
>
>Hi Dave, I have a quarter-wave whip mounted on top of an aluminum
>hard hat. Works great and brings laughter into this dreary world.
>
>73, Cecil, W6RCA, OOTC

Yeah, we see people sporting these antennas at Dayton every year.
One enterprising pair of hams even had quads mounted on their
hats. That let them DF each other in the fleamarket. A metal hardhat
with a broad brim (the kind oilfield workers usually sport) is best for
this sort of thing. Keep the power down and transmissions short,
though, don't want to roast your eyes and brain.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

5992. WTB - Motorola Mobile Vehicle Adapter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: swoodwar@fix.net
Message-ID: <5nu7rp$h85$2@zinger.callamer.com>
Source record: 173058

Looking for an MVA for the MT-1000 handheld to provide external
antenna connection, microphone and speaker plus charge battery.
Thanks!
Steve W7AZF
swoodwar@fix.net

5993. Atlas service/repair?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: vroberts_@rpa_.net
Message-ID: <33a21cf7.3885681@snews5.zippo.com>
Source record: 173059

Does anyone know of a specialist in servicing Atlas radios, in particular the 210x? Hopefully someone who has worked on many and is familiar with their quirks, not just the "I can work on anythng" type ;)

TNX :)

- Remove underscores in return address to reply -
Vince Roberts-N2XMT-Rochester,NY-vroberts@rpa.net

5994. Want: Manual Motorola RF Sig Gen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc78cc$d84e4180$2af277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 173060
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello -

Looking for manual or copy for Motorola (actually made
by Measurement Corp) RF Signal Generator model S-1320
(transistor version of older T-1034). Will happily pay any
and all costs for manual or copy.

Thanks de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net
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5995. For Sale: Packet Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcfuzz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614142200.KAA08569@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173061

For Sale: Only $300 - ALL EQUIPMENT IN MINT CONDITION!

TM241A Kenwood 2 mtr 50w 118-174 RX DTSS

KPC-3 Kantronics Packet TNC

RS-20A ASTRO 20 Amp Supply

MFJ-1272BYV MFJ TNC/MIC SWITCH Kam VHF POR

All this gear for only $300 plus shipping.

Jump on this one because it won't last long.

If interested... send email to samw@sprintmail.com

5996. DIP METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ktheo7707@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614143900.KAA09826@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173062

ANYONE HAVE A DIP METER COVERING 1.8 THRU 30MHZ FOR A REASONABLE PRICE?.

5997. Re: Ten Tec Omni VI Plus & SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5nub02$a06@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 173063

That is a good question. I had the Kenwood 940 and a friend's
FT 1000D on the same shelf with my OMNI VI (not plus) for a
while last year. I am a die hard Ten Tec fan. I like CW, but
also use a lot of SSB.

The OMNI is fine for SSB. However, there are features of the
others that make SSB more fun and pleasant, and they are things
you should think about. The OMNI VI has one wide bandwidth of
2.4 (a little less because of 2.4 filters in each of two IF's).
The 940 model has a standard bandwidth of 2.7, I think the same for
the 1000. This is much more pleasant to listen to when ragchewing
on SSB as far as my ears are concerned. With a quality speaker
it is very smooth sounding.

The OMNI has a PBT which works very well. However, the
others have forms of slope tuning that allow tailoring of the
passband from either side of the center. The PBT really only
gets you to one side. It is not as flexible for SSB bandwidths.
This is only a factor if you work in QRM and like the maximum
bandwidth possible for SSB (I do).

Those are the only things about the OMNI that do not favor SSB.
It is still easily as good for digging out weak SSB signals and
killing QRM while allowing intelligible signals to be heard.
So if some level of "fidelity" is important to you (and the OMNI
is not bad at all in this regard, it is equal to most, but not
to the top line riceboxes), go listen to one and decide for yourself.

Oh, the internal speaker in the 961 supply is not much, it works
but that is about it. There is a new 962 power supply, I don't
know if they have improved the speaker in it. I always used a
good quality external speaker and it helped a lot.

The OMNI wins hands down for CW. I can put it next to another
radio and you can pretty hear the difference good filtering and
IF structures make.

Overall, if I had to have one radio in my shack, I would still
choose the OMNI VI. However, I would be happier with SSB operation
if there was a slightly wider bandwidth available and some form of
slope tuning.

Clark
WA3JPG

5998. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5nubfn$a45@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 173064

In <john-1406970557450001@wd1v.mv.com> john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney) writes:

>It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
>designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.

There is one manufacturer that does this now: Ten Tec. Check the QST
ads about the DSP upgrades for the OMNI VI.

>The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
>upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!

I agree 100 per cent. It is industry standard in many
industries. Ten Tec does this to some extent.

>Why is it that the radio manufacturers WWW pages don't solicit
>opinions from their users?

Ten Tec has a factory rep presence on the Ten Tec listserver. They
listen to suggestions that way. I have not checked their web page
because my feedback gets in on the server.

(I know that Yaesu has a sales rep who is often answering questions
around here on the newsgroups, too.)

Your comments are well taken, John. I believe more should be done,
but I suspect that most manufacturers see the "consumer" market in
amateur radio and don't anticipate active consumers for some reason.
Maybe because design and manufacture go on across the ocean it
becomes tough to get such input in a form they can use.

Clark
WA3JPG

5999. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhg@sydney.dialix.com.au
Message-ID: <5nu53b$c6n$1@sydney.dialix.com.au>
Source record: 173065

pinson@quaternet.fr wrote:
: I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..
:
: Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
: comparaison with R7000 ?
:
: Is it a good antenna ?
:
: Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****
:

Cher Frank,

I had many problems with a Cushcraft R5 and lately bought
a GAP Titan.

At this poor time in HF propagation, it seems just as good,
without the problems.

However, I would add that the GAP MUST be well guyed (ignore
waht GAP say). Also, the GAP seems to be more efficient at
radiating into other VHF antenna systems. But it does not cause
SWR problems, nor the RF into the shack. Its bandwidth is greater
and published SWR figures more easier to obtain with little modif-
ications.

73

Robin

Robin Gandevia VK2VN
HamLog 3.1
rhg@ozemail.com.au

6000. <<<For Sale>>> Icom W2A Dualbander Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33A2B99A.7C35@whidbey.net>
Source record: 173066

I am selling my W2A with all it accessories. The readio is seldom used
and is in like new condition. There are some minor scratched on the
batteries from insertion and removal from the rapid charger.

The Radio:
Icom W2A
Icom BP-84 Battery
Icom FA-1443B Antenna

The Accessories:
Peraphex 12 Volt Battery
Icom BP-77A Battery Charger
USA Radio Chest Holster
Icom BC-80 Desttop (Rapid)Charger
Diamond RH77B Antenna
Antenna West Roll Up Dual Band J-Pole
Icom HM-65 Speaker Mic

Original Boxes and Manuals

John W7JCS
jstilson@whidbey.net

6001. >>>WANTED<<< LAB TOOLS for programming Motorola SaberIII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614154500.LAA14918@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173067

Please send info.

JDC3021@aol.com

6002. Re: Want: Manual Motorola RF Sig Gen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Garabedian <westernmobiletel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A294CC.3E13@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 173068
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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>
> Thanks de John WB6GHA
> occupant@ns.net
> --

HEY REDSHIRT! We have one (book and sig. gen.) I can see the
RF gen. but I have to look for the manual.
Best Regards, ARTHUR 73 KC6KUK . . .

6003. Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <33c0b8ee.10864996@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 173069

Hi, rec.radio.amateur.equipment readers,

Please pardon my attempt to become a newsgroup cop, but the newsgroup rec.radio.amateur.equipment is attracting more and more "for sale" and "wanted to buy" posts, and I hope I can make an improvement by politely letting everyone know that this newsgroup is designed for the discussion of equipment. There is another newsgroup -- "rec.radio.swap" that is dedicated to ham radio equipment sales and trading. (I think because it doesn't have the title "amateur" in it, some hams might not recognize rec.radio.swap as an amateur radio newsgroup -- but it is.)

Why worry about this? Well, it's just much harder to look for subject lines of interest when you have to wade through the "for sales."

Over the past few weeks, I've sent private mail to many of the hams who posted "for sale" messages here, with the message printed above. I've received many replies, and thankfully none were angry. Many hams saw so many "for sales" here that they quite naturally assumed this was the place to post them. Traditionally, it is not. I see some value in returning to that tradition, since it makes scanning the newsgroup for more-or-less technical discussion much easier. It would also make buying and selling easier, with just one newsgroup to review.

This is a purely a personal message. I'm not connected with or acting in any official capacity for the internet, usenet or the newsgroup. Hopefully you will not take offense, and if you disagree, please feel free to follow your own conscience.

73,
Gary KN4AQ
****
Gary Pearce AVID/Video Editor kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Cary, NC Franklin Video Ham Radio:
(919) 380-9944 Raleigh, NC KN4AQ

6004. For Trade HF YEASU FT 840 Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33A2DB76.7E6E@n-link.com>
Source record: 173070
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.periphs.scsi,comp.publish.cdrom.multimedia,comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.cd-rom,it.comp.win95,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.d,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.old

FOR TRADE

I have a new YEASU FT 840 Base HF Radio,SP-6 Ext. Speaker,
MD-1 Desk Mic, Hand Mic, User Manual.

FT 840 has the optional FM Board added and has all
the repeater offset and tone.

Will trade for Icom IC-706 Mobile Radio in Same condition.
Mint Condition

512.556.4691 ask for Tommie

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A1 Custom Mugs, 13 Dana Dr Lampasas Tx 76550-1113 512.556.4691
Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special. Tomcmugs@n-link.com

6005. Re: Alinco DX-70???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wyatt6gun@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614160301.MAA16370@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173071

I concur! Although I like the little unit, my DX-70 is now back to the factory for the second time for a nearby lightning strike. The first time, it was D12 (a diode I guess) that was blown. I am hoping that it is the same problem this time.

Other than that, I really like the little rig and get exceptional good audio reports. Also, the noise blanker is most INeffective!

Wyatt W5YHY

6006. IC-706 Mods wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Lucas <kj4gh@scott.net>
Message-ID: <33A2CD43.7FAA@scott.net>
Source record: 173072

Does anybody have any mods for the Icom IC-706? Or do you know where I might find any?

Thanks,
Gary
KJ4GH
kj4gh@scott.net

6007. Icom IC735 4-sale...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Lucas <kj4gh@scott.net>
Message-ID: <33A2CE75.54CA@scott.net>
Source record: 173073

I have an Icom IC-735 HF rig for sale for $575.00 firm.

Rig includes 500 hz CW filter.

I have original box and manuals.

I will pay S/H to anywhere in USA.

Require cashiers check for purchase.

Contact me at: kj4gh@scott.net for arangments or
205-988-5776

Gary

6008. Kenwood TK-270 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0evg@iti2.net
Message-ID: <33a3cfd0.14125044@news.iti2.net>
Source record: 173074

I am in need of the KPG-27D programming software and a KPG-22
interface cable for my Kenwood TK-270 (VHF)and TK-370 (UHF) HT's.
I utilize these two units for Amateur use.
If anyone has this available, please e-mail me at [n0evg@iti2.net]
with prices and shipping mode.

6009. Distributors Wanted NOW!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Scott <summer@laoffices.com>
Message-ID: <5nue5v$84p$9403@cadmium.aware.nl>
Source record: 173075

Hi,

This is a Solicitation Email, we are looking for new TUFF'97 DISTRIBUTORS.
TUFF'97 is a promotional concept for a prospect follow-up system called
"Simple Track". Software designed for Windows 95, 3.11 and NT
machines. (Macintosh users read the NOTE below(*))

Concept:

The TUFF'97 software includes a copy of Simple Track, so you can use this
for your own personal administration (free). However, the TUFF'97 software
is designed to give you BIG TIME credits for just taking the efforts to
PROMOTE it.

How do I get those credits?. Easy, just distribute/promote it. How?
(Give away the software for free, put it on your website/homepage
and let everyone download it. Give it to your friends, attach it by
email etc). With a one time $40.00 (USD) validation code purchase,
YOUR name becomes part of all sofware you sent out to your customers.
When your TUFF'97 software gets validated, all your personal information is
automatically integrated in the software, so everyone knows how to reach
you by phone/fax or email and where to sent the check/money or cash orders.

Basically this is the concept. Offcourse you need the software to grasp
the whole thing. Believe it, there is absolutely no marketing knowledge
required, just ask for the software package, join and start promoting your
own TUFF'97 line. The only thing you DO need is a PC or Mac(*) and Internet.

(*) TUFF'97 is only available for MacOS users running Connectix VirtualPC
or Insignia's Sofwindows 95/3.11. A true MacOS version is not available.

When you're interested in becoming a TUFF'97 distributor and create your own
distribution line, sent a mailto:FiReStArTeR@frodo.com and ask for your
copy of the TUFF software (We'll sent you a download location and install
instructions). This is a serious opportunity, so only serious responses
are processed. If you're not interested, have a nice day.
Best Regards,
Tony Scott
Worldwide Pants Promotions
24H Support/Download requests,
mailto:FiReStArTeR@frodo.com
voice:(+01)779 698 4655
Fax :(+01)779 698 4555

6010. Re: Last chance to buy an Alpha Amp at old pricing....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614171900.NAA22850@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173076

why would they raise the price when they are over priced now?

try a command tech hf2500 for 20 % less before the price raise

or an ameritron for 40 % less.

a watt is a watt

kh6fhx

6011. >> WANTED << Motorola RIB box for programming.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970614172801.NAA23702@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 173077

Wanted the above. Please e-mail with options.

6012. Re: Ft-50 Game mode ??? How does it work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: paems1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615203500.QAA21972@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172829

When you find out please let me know. There are supposed to be 10
different games. and I have not figured out one of them yet.
Mark

6013. Mounting Bkt. Metron Amp.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P. (Rocky) Davis" <ac5io@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33A47340.5AD1@n-link.com>
Source record: 172830

WTB:Mobile Mounting Bracket for Metron MA1000B Amplifier.
ADDRESS: ac5io@n-link.com
Rocky

6014. FS: 22AMP METERED POWER SUPPLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: francer@usa1.com
Message-ID: <01bc79d0$753b24a0$55e1f9cc@default>
Source record: 172831
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.radio.amateur,alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner

FOR SALE - New Condition Pyramid Gold Series Regulated Power Supply Model
Number PS-26K
Indididual Amp And Voltage Meters
Input: 115 VAC 60 Hz 500W Max. Fuse Protected
Front Panel Positive And Negative Output Leads
Power Switch: Illuminated 15Amp 125VAC
Output: Adjustable 6-15VDC 22 Amp Regulated Low Ripple Output
Overload Protection Devices & Protection With Instant Automatic Reset
Over Temperature Protection With Instant Automatic Reset
Built In Cooling Fan
Original Box, Instructions, And Schematic
New Condition
PRICE: $95.00 OBO PLUS SHIPPING. (Shipping Not Negotiable)

Charles Francer N1RPD

6015. Re: DXbase '97-was operator error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33A45DE7.2C0C@whidbey.net>
Source record: 172832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Might want to try Virtule CD...

John

6016. Re: Help with mobile noise!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: larrybo@cris.com
Message-ID: <5o1mat$5o@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 172833

gentleman,
Please consider your posts and the fact that you do not need to quote
the complete message that you are responding to. It does make a mess on
the board.

Net-Tamer V 1.09 - Registered

6017. FS rohn 48' hbx tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615214400.RAA27603@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172834

I have a rohn 48 foot free standind tower.Its in nice shape,it's down and ready to go asking $250.00
My call is ka1kla in New Bedford,Ma. 508 999 3748

6018. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #660

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: RBates854@aol.COM
Message-ID: <970615174346_2055296837@emout07.mail.aol.com>
Source record: 172835

In a message dated 97-06-14 13:35:03 EDT, Lou Hinshaw wrote:

<< I don't know bob, and my gripe is with AES of michigan, >>

Where is AES of Michigan ??

de Bob AA9DX

6019. REPEATER FOR SALE VHF ICOM 1520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Bigio <d.bigio@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc79d5$1d8ce860$c02474cf@default>
Source record: 172836

ICOM 1520 VHF REPEATER. JUST LIKE IN THE BOOK. IT HAS BEEN USED AS A
BACKUP BUT IS NO LONGER NEEDED. (NO DUPLEXES) $1900.00 + SHIPPING. HAVE
INST. MANUAL AND SERVICE MANUAL. WILL SET UP PER YOUR INFO IF WANTED.
DAN AD4ZK NORFOLK VIRGINIA 23518 d.bigio@worldnet.att.net

6020. fs AEA PK 232 mbx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615214600.RAA27830@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172837

I have AEA pk232 mbx for sale $150
ka1kla 508 999 3748 or ka1kla@ici.net

6021. fs Kenwood sm 220 scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615214900.RAA28016@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172838

I have for sale a Kenwood sm 220 scope with bs 8
$275.00
ka1kla 508 999 3748
or ka1kla@ici.net

6022. Wanted: rs232 to radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pedro Marcelo Pasinetti <mpasi@unsl.edu.ar>
Message-ID: <33A4004C.6537@unsl.edu.ar>
Source record: 172839

Hi, I am looking for some like a box with a rs-232 conector in one side,
and a antenna in the other side. I am thinking in half-duplex and speed
2400 bps minimum.
Thanks,
Marcelo Pasinetti
mpasi@unsl.edu.ar

6023. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a3f07a.12690002@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172840

On 14 Jun 1997 11:39:32 GMT, frankf1056@aol.com (FrankF1056) wrote:
>Gary
> are the inverters used in the UPS pure sine wave? some are some aren't?

That's right. They run the gamut from squarewave to modified sinewave to
a pretty pure sinewave.

>how does it affect a amateur radio if it is a steppped sine wave,
>presuming some are? I would think this is not good.

Mostly, it doesn't matter. Pure squarewave can present some problems for AC
motors, such as cooling fans, but modified sinewave generally addresses that.
The modern switching supplies in radios take squarewave in stride, and even
older linear supplies can generally handle it unless they are marginallly designed.

Any inverter, or other switching power supply, can be a source of RFI. But it
isn't necessary for the inverter to output a *pure* sinewave in order to clean that
up. Ordinary RF bypassing will make even a squarewave inverter clean enough
at HF or VHF+. The harmonics needing suppression are *very* high order, and
don't significantly alter the waveshape.

Often any problem will be in the reverse direction, IE RF getting into the inverter
can disrupt its operation. This can happen regardless of the waveshape the
inverter outputs. Good shielding and suppression is needed to prevent this.

For amateur radio purposes, the major difference between various brands of
inverters is not the waveshape that they produce. It is the degree of RF proofing,
both in and out, that they employ. Unfortunately, the manufacturers don't often
give us any test data on this. We have to find out by inspection and experiment
whether the inverter we are considering is adequately shielded and suppressed
for our purposes.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6024. Mosley antennas???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33A43ECE.565D@ibm.net>
Source record: 172841

Anybody have info on the Mosley TA-53-M 5-band beam. I have
heard they are well built and effective.

TNX, Larry
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E-mail: larrygibbs@ibm.net

Amateur Radio W3UIO, Operating Ten-Tec

Running Netscape at OS/2 Warp 4

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6025. F.S. Yaesu FT 890AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Baker <gbaker@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <33A48610.27D1@pacifier.com>
Source record: 172842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,
Name is Gary,
I have for sale a Yaesu ft-890AT, this radio has the optional CW and
SSB filters,
MH-1 B8 microphone and two owners manuals.
This radio has never been mobile and is in excellent shape.
I just do not use it much and could use the money.
I am asking $800.00 FIRM and you pay shipping.
No Trades
Please repond to me by phone@ 503-842-1202 after 5 pm pacific time.
Or by E-mail, my NEW E-mail address is: gbaker@eicbbs.wseo.wa.gov
DO NOT REPLY TO THIS ADDRESS
I have since moved out of area and gbaker@pacifier.com is no longer
valid.
73
Gary Baker
N7GB

6026. FS: RCI-2950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ladd V. Straatmann" <laddo@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A48FD1.45B2@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172843

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great condx.
no mic
Make offer

Ladd
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6027. Alico DJ-G5T Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark & Sher Castiglione <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A4AFE0.4824@flash.net>
Source record: 172844

Thanks for reading this...Are there any mods for extended receive for the HT listed above..I've checked the usual sites but none are listed..thanks
Mark N8REZ

6028. *NEW* Fox_Tango Reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ShortCkt <ShortCkt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33A49719.409F@primenet.com>
Source record: 172845

NEW Fox_Tango Reflector

Fox_Tango is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to "vintage" and "classic" equipment manufactured by the
Yaesu Musen Co., Ltd. of Tokyo Japan.

* equipment, accessories
* collecting, restoring, refurbishing
* buy, sell, trade, swap
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* just plain operating old Yaesu stuff

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe fox_tango

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe fox_tango

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: fox_tango@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

6029. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <33A49734.3CA8@radia1.com>
Source record: 172846

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sat, 14 Jun 1997 09:57:44 GMT, john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney) wrote:
> >It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
> >designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.
>
> Like an S100 box? Is big, bulky, and clunky what we really want?
> What sells would seem to contradict that idea. If that's what
> hams wanted, most would own big, clunky Ten-Tec boxes filled
> mostly with air and an assortment of modules wired together with
> connectors that suffer chronic oxidation problems leading to
> infuriating intermittant behavior. But most hams seem to like
> nice compact little radios which are highly integrated.
>
> >As consumers, we should INSIST upon it and help these manufacturers
> >design what we REALLY WANT.
> >
> >Who wants to be hosed every year as new models come out and
> >transcend the features that they just invested in...are we supposed
> >to buy new radios every year?
>
> Well, apparently amateurs do, since they seem willing to chunk the
> radio that they "just had to have" last year in the garbage and buy this
> year's model. The manufacturers and ham stores like that, of course,
> since it keeps them in business. Amateurs seem to like it too, why
> else would they scrap radios that made them delirious with joy only
> a year ago?
>
> >The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
> >upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!
>
> Modular hardware will add cost and bulk (and likely reduce reliability). Is that
> what amateurs really want? It appears to me that the demand is for more compact
> and inexpensive radios instead. It can cost less, and take less bulk, to produce
> highly integrated radios than it would to produce highly modular and configurable
> radios. How many people bought an IC900 in preference to a compact dual bander
> they can hold in their hand?
>
> I agree that firmware should be upgradable. But how much of that really exists?
> It appears that upgraded firmware only appears when upgraded hardware requires
> it. That won't retrofit into a radio without the upgraded hardware (see hardware
> above). Bugfixes should be issued when needed, but that appears to be relatively
> seldom.
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> As to why the radios aren't designed in the US, there are two answers to that.
> The first is the obvious one that they aren't built here. But there is a more
> important reason as well. And that is that the US amateur market is a relatively
> small percentage of the world amateur market. The radios we buy aren't designed
> exclusively for us (unless they are 222 MHz radios). They are designed for a world
> market which may have other priorities (regulatory as well as operational) than we
> do in how they think a radio should work.
>
> Note that I tend to agree with you that there are some really brain dead decisions
> made in the amateur market from time to time. But I don't think that's exclusively
> the fault of the manufacturers. They're in the business to sell radios, and as long
> as we buy them, they're happy campers.
>
> And I think that they *do* listen to what we want. I'd say the IC706 Mk II is an
> example of that. They fixed almost everything we didn't like about the original
> radio while retaining everything we did like about the older radio. If they weren't
> listening, then why the Mk II? Now I know you want them to "upgrade" your old
> radio, but is that realistic? They've apparently made changes to every board in
> the radio to fix the things we didn't like, and wrote some new firmware to drive
> it. If they offered an upgrade, the only thing left from the older radio would be
> the case. It is likely that the labor to do the upgrade would make the upgrade
> cost more than a new radio. Does that make any sense to you? It doesn't to
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> and to develop fixes for them. There are a few things the Mk II offers which would be
nice
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lemming
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for
> the same reason. It does what I need in a sufficiently competent way. Sure, I like some
of the
> features of the new IC756, but I don't like them $2,000 worth. If you do, fine, go buy
one. I'll
> wait until I can buy it from you for half price because you just have to have next year's
model.
> Then I'll modify it if it does things that annoy me. I don't expect to be able to upgrade
my
> IC735 to an IC756 in any other way.
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well put.

6030. Address of Drake reflector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radio@copland.udel.edu
Message-ID: <5o265o$rv7$1@copland.udel.edu>
Source record: 172847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have lost the address to subscribe to the Drake reflector at fablotz.min.net or whatever?

Could you help me? Tnx, Bob N9GG

6031. IC-706 MKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <33A4970D.1FB@southeast.net>
Source record: 172848

Hello,

I received a 706 this week and am very impressed with it except for one thing. It seems to be deaf on AM below 1mHz. Is this to be expected? Anyone else notice the same thing?

Thanks,

Jim..

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Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

6032. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A4A3E9.256@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172849

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Gary, I am not complaining that Icom should have put DSP in the RADIO.
They at least attempted to do it but for some reason did not follow

through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin connector. There is a 3X4 spavr for a DSP shielded module to sit.
I heard Icom scrapped the DSP for reasons: they were in a rush to get the radio out for Dayton '97 and had some bugs in the DSP module.
All we want is for Icom to try to get the bugs out and offer it as an option.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6033. WTT: Yeasu FT 840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33A4C519.5196@n-link.com>
Source record: 172850
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.forsale

FOR TRADE

I have a new YEASU FT 840 Base HF Radio,SP-6 Ext. Speaker,
MD-1 Desk Mic, Hand Mic, User Manual.

FT 840 has the optional FM Board added and has all
the repeater offset and tone.

Will trade for Icom IC-706 Mobile Radio in Same
condition.
Mint Condition

512.556.4691 ask for Tommie
--
A1 Custom Mugs, 13 Dana Dr Lampasas Tx 76550-1113 512.556.4691
Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special. Tomcmugs@n-link.com

6034. dead IC-706??? & reapir place

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
Message-ID: <33A4AA71.1026@ndti.net>
Source record: 172851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

1. My 706 went stupid yesterday and reset itself to factory settings. Lost all memory settings. It would not power up whent the power button was pushed. I gigled connections and it came back but came back stupid. I had a preamp problem and had blowen the 4 amp internal fuse earlier in the day. It was replaced without incident at that time.

Today it would not power up at all! I removed from the mobil installation and hooded up the front pannel direct. Still dead. I checked the fuse it is good. There is 12 Volt in the radio but not at the fuse connector.

DOES ANYONE RECOGNIZE THIS PROBLEM AND HAVE A FIX FOR IT.

2. Can anyone recommend an ICOM repair shop that won't mess with my modifications, is reasonable, and knows the 706.

Thanks to the NEWS groups.

Bill Harwood
W5WH

6035. Major WWW Updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ShortCkt <ShortCkt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33A4BFAF.38EF@primenet.com>
Source record: 172852

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Major WWW Updates
http://www.qsl.net/k7on

New pages, new sections, new, new...
(CW section, BoatAnchor section, Digital section enhanced,
Radio Modifications, Frequency Lists, Local Az Section,
Fox_Tango mailing list, more, more, more...)
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6036. Re: Need for "matched" 6JS6C's in Yaesu FT101?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carbuff@aol.com
Message-ID: <866426380.19079@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172853

In article <33A0D6C4.817F5467@worldnet.att.net>,
tonycash@worldnet.att.net wrote:
>
> KF6IIU wrote:
> >
> > I'm shopping for a new set of final tubes for the old FT101 and prices
> > vary from $30 to $80. The expensive ones are in "matched" pairs. OK,
> > basically the tubes are connected in parallel, so this makes some
> > sense
> > in terms of sharing the load between the tubes, but is it really
> > necessary?
> >
> > It would seem necessary if the 6JS6Cs are run as close to their output
> > limits as Yaesu runs the 572B's in the FL2100B amplifier. I guess they
> > designed these units assuming pretty intermittent use.
> >
> > Thanks,
> >
> > -wiley KF6IIU wsanders at netcom dot com
>
> Yes, The Yaesu needs the matched pair and also be sure you do the
> neutralization after the tubes are installed. US made tubes such as GE
> are not recommended and may not even work ONLY Japan made tubes NEC will
> work right. I just priced a matched pair of these from RF gain and they
> want $150.00 for them. I would very much like to know if you find NEC
> matched pairs for less and where.
> 73 de Tony
> KD4K

There is a modification that can be made to the 101-e series that makes
it possible to use the american tubes in this radio. Im not exactly sure
of the exact address for this mod but if you do a search for "Yaesu
FT-101-e" it will come up. I have this file on file, myself and if you
need it just drop me an email and I will forward it to you. I will soon
be in the market for these tubes also so Ill be doing this mod myself.
Also, the tubes in my radio at this time dont appear to be matched in any
way as they are totally seperate. However in my cb linear which uses
similar type tubes, they seem to be joined at the top by a board and are
inseperable. So I will probably learn all about this "matched" thing
myself in the near future. Good luck>

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6037. Re: Looking to buy Blue LED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A4C588.312@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172854

Brad Cuppy wrote:
>
> Hello All,
>
> I am looking to buy some Blue LED's but the mail order place I
> bought them from doesn't advertise in Nuts'n'Volts. They are
> in St. Louis but don't remeber their name or 800 number.
>
> I would appreciate any info.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Brad - N9DTL / ZF2UG

Try Mouser Electronics or Digi-Key. They both have 800 numbers.

Doug

6038. Re: Motorola Maxtrac 300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Sue <polrbear@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <33A4D775.6BEF@direct.ca>
Source record: 172855

For out-of-band pgmming, enter an in-band freq, save the file, and use a sector editor to change the freq to ham. You will also require a method of converting hex to dec and back again, such as an HP calculator. Once you have edited said sector, you can re-run your RSS and program the radio. You will also have to re-align the radio using the "warp" feature in the RSS to bring it back on freq, as it will be out a few kHz.
VE7WAR

6039. 2E26 Tubes 4-Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSH KAYSON <jkmtl@total.net>
Message-ID: <33A3E7F1.7D33@total.net>
Source record: 172856

I HAVE A QUANTITY OF TUBE TYPE 2E26 FOR SALE. ALL BRAND NEW IN RCA BOXES.

I WOULD LIKE TO SELL SAME SINCE I NO LONGER USE THESE.

ASKING $5.00 EACH US FUNDS

JOSH KAYSON VE2JKK

6040. Re: CAUTION: On Metal Hydrate Batery's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Canopus <be459@lafn.org>
Message-ID: <33A3D441.444B@lafn.org>
Source record: 172857

> D.Russell <@FoxValley.net> writes:
> > My experience on the metal Hydrate batterys?
> > Well after some research into this charge rates
> > of the metal hydrates it has come to my attention
> > that the metal hydrates will hold a maximum of
> > 80% of the batery's capacity according to the battery
> > anylizer! This was confirmed by a tech friend of mine!
> > The problem was that the batery thresholds differ
> > between NiCads and Metal Hydrates according to most
> > 1 hr chargers! So the result is different charge rates!
> > So ya will find when useing conventional NiCad 1hr.
> > chargers,that the metal hydrate will prematurely
> > stae charge completed and after that if left in the
> > charger will actually start dischargeing! the max
> > of a metal hydrate charge obtained thus far was 80%
> > after carefulley watching the charger and removed it
> > as soon as the charge completed lamp came on in the
> > smart 1hr nicad charger!
.....
> > Just a word of caution plaese if ya have a insight
> > on this let me know,for I am open for suggestions to
> > this dilema! and have others experienced this?
> >
> > tnx for reading this David!
> >
> > kb9lpk-3@foxvalley.net for replies or post a reply here!
>

Do you know what make the Smart Charger so smart? Without know how do the chargers work and what is the charging characteristics of the battery, I will not say that the battery is fully charged after the "full" indicator light is on. So, what tell the charger that a Metal hydrate is full? Delta V? Anyone has an answer?

Canopus

6041. BUY DRAKE R 4245

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claodio <cpatuelli@racine.ra.it>
Message-ID: <01bc7951$7302b380$1f44b7c2@MIOPC.TUOPC>
Source record: 172858

BUY from Italy
--
cpatuelli@racine.ra.it

6042. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: TJM <74032.172@compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <33A4D914.40DD@compuserve.com>
Source record: 172859

Robin Gandevia wrote:
>
> pinson@quaternet.fr wrote:
> : I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..
> :
> : Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
> : comparaison with R7000 ?
> :
> : Is it a good antenna ?
> :
> : Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****
> :
>
> Cher Frank,
>
> I had many problems with a Cushcraft R5 and lately bought
> a GAP Titan.
>
> At this poor time in HF propagation, it seems just as good,
> without the problems.
>
> However, I would add that the GAP MUST be well guyed (ignore
> waht GAP say). Also, the GAP seems to be more efficient at
> radiating into other VHF antenna systems. But it does not cause
> SWR problems, nor the RF into the shack. Its bandwidth is greater
> and published SWR figures more easier to obtain with little modif-
> ications.
>
> 73
>
> Robin
>
> Robin Gandevia VK2VN
> HamLog 3.1
> rhg@ozemail.com.au
Robin,
I have the Gap too.
And, have found it to be a great antenna ,...And it at least fills the specs listed . Except the guys! I felt it was just to flexible to hold up without guys... put 1/16" dacron abt 2/3's of the way up... Just enough to stablize. It's been thru 60mph+ without problems now.
73
Tom aa2vk

6043. I sincerely apologize...(spam)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ladd V. Straatmann" <laddo@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A37AFC.331E@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc.,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

i sincerely apologize on behalf of one of my systems operators for spamming.. He was merely tring it out and to all of your concerns I now know of its danger.. I will never ever allow any spam to be produced by my system again

I hope you will accept my apology...

Ladd V. Straatmann

6044. Icom IC-22A FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dkiefer@altinet.net
Message-ID: <33a67c25.52883588@news.altinet.net>
Source record: 172880

I have an Icom IC-22A crystal controlled 2-meter radio for
sale. I've used this unit for many years on packet here in
the Dallas area, and its been a good work horse. Heres
a chance to get on Packet with a very reasonable but very
good transceiver. Its crystalled for 145.09 mhz which is
the packet bbs frequency in this area. I also have installed
a Com Spec SS-32p ctcss encoder. I never got a microphone
with it, for the intention was to use it for packet. I have spec
sheet for the encoder, and zerox copy of a manual for the
IC-22A. I'm asking $85.00 plus shipping.

Call (972) 962-3595 between 10 AM and 2 PM weekdays,
and after 10 AM weekends. Or email dkiefer@altinet.net

Thanks es 73 Don W4QXK

6045. Re: 706 mkII, looking for other owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A41F30.EE4@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172881

hershman wrote:
>
> Mike Newbold wrote:
> >
> > i am looking for other 706mkII owners to compare notes.
> > 73 de K0YO mike
>
> Hey Mike. Icom had DSP noise reduction but scrapped it. Look at the LCD
> You will see "DSP" AND 'NR" for noise reduction.

Yes, I noticed this also on my Icom 706 Mark II, and the internsal 10
pin connnector and open space in the bottom audio section.
My friends want to get the Yaesu FT-920 DSP, but if Icom comes out with
a DSP module on the 706 Mark II, they say they wait and jump at the
706 Mark II with a plug in DSP module.

6046. Latin Women

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pqwoeiur@poeujf.net
Message-ID: <5o01ol$6l5$46@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 172882

Hey, just thought i'd share with everyone,
I found a site with loads of nude CHEERLEADERs. The
address is:

http://www.mid-night.com/

--Jason--

(Sorry for the intrusion, everyone needs some short skirts in their life)

P.S. They also a have spanish / latina women archive

6047. Re: 706 mkII, looking for other owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A4284D.76C3@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172883

Mike,

Below are some comments
Subject:
Re: IC-706 MK II DSP INFO !!!!!!!!!!
Date:
Sun, 15 Jun 1997 07:49:17 -0700
From:
Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
To:
hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
CC:
maust21401@earthlink.net, john@wd1v.mv.com,
b.berry@worldnet.att.net,
jnance@one.net
References:
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Subject:
Re: New Icom 706 mkII IMPROVED!!!, (DSP Ready?? Maybe !!))
Date:
Sun, 15 Jun 1997 06:11:53 -0700
From:
Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Organization:
EarthLink Network, Inc.
To:
Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT <joentam@transend.com.tw>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment
References:
1 , 2

Joe ,

I have an Icom 706 Mark II, and previously had the
original IC-706.

I really like the 706 Mark II, it is very much improved
over the original IC-706 in design!!

The Mark II VHF 60-200Mhz receiver was greatly improved
in many ways.

The New Icom 706 Mark II is major changed radio and
simple mods done to a 706 will not make it a Mark II.

These are my observations on the New Icom 706 Mark II
from a technical side.

Icom fixed the 60-200Mhz receiver, to be more sensitive.
The new Mark II has additional selective front end filtering
to cut out image response(means better than 3dB improvement
in RF to IF noise Figure).

A quick inspection in the Mark II has a new VHF RF Front
End (60-200Mhz), with additional preselect varactor tuned stage
to cut out images. Use to see Aircraft band 118-135 portion get
blasted by FM BC band. If you turned on the preamp, the signal
got actually noisier while the S-meter went up. Now its just the
opposite, when using the preamp, ithe signal gets more quieting
in the receiver, and S-meter goes up!!(like it should).

Additional, the front end has two back to back diodes to
protect the front end from 6 meter tx, along which is a shunt
diode to mute the 60-200Mhz front end when operating the HF-6
meter portion (prevent front end damage to high RF signals.
If you on 2 meters and transmit with another mobile on two
next to each other, well that may be ?? to how much you can
protect the receiver. This change really helps the RF burnout
issue on the original 706's if mistreated. Still use my Comet
duplexer with the next 706, as well as the old 706, and never
had a front end die. My suggestion to you is get that duplexer
or just have one antenna at a time on the radio, use a coax switch!!
Just have to exercise a little caution and common sense, and you
original 706 front end should last as long as you have the radio!!
I use the Duplexer or switch method on the new Mark II. You can not
pump watts into the front end, it's just plain semiconductor physics
my friend. Use a little prevention, and you will not have problems.

Also the FM broadcast WFM 88-108 reception was improved greatly!!
If you put a long wire on the FM BC band (88-108) and had many strong
FM BC signals into the IF spaced close together, the IF filter was
not sufficient to separate the signals and would mix and you could
hear 2 - 3 FM BC stations while listening to to FM BC station.
Now the the Icom 706 Mark II, this was fixed, now the radio hears
only one station, does not exhibit this with the new IF filters!!
Additionally, the S meter now works in the FM BC-Band on WFM along
with the spectrum Scope, (original 706 did not). The also increased
the Scope to have a 0.1MHz steps which is handy in the FM BC-Band!!

The transmit audio is much better, with with wider SSB filter
than the orignal 706 and changes to the Microphone/Audio circuitry.
NO more comments that Alinco's sound's better, Actually I think the
new Icom 706 Mark II tx audio is even slightly better than the DX-70,
which I have!!

You can now cross band tx between bands, before the original 706
could not!!

They added the Tone CTCSS PL Squelch receive, which is really nice
on busy VHF frequencies.

The Power Amplifier has been modified to a new design to have
thermal shutdown protection if it gets too hot!!, along with
a thermal Fan switch. The Ip3 performance has been improved with
a new Bipolar Design on the 706 Mark II, as opposed to the MOSFET
PA used in the original 706 with less Linearity.
Also, the casual ham will not notice this, but if you turn on the
706 Mark II, and set the display to the low light Setting ond tilt the
LCD display , you will see the words DSP , ANF, and NF. It does not
take a genius to figure this out. We all may see an DSP option being
offered for the Mark II. These labels are seen since LCD displays
employ liquid films that change densisity due to the chage presented
to them, while unactivated looking straight on, seem invisable, but at
an angle the fine sub micron film depth relects light slightly
different to to the properties optical light transmission through
different thickness films. When activated the thickness is changed due
to the charge and the LCD display becomes visable. For appliance
operators that are not enginneres, this is the simplest explanation.
Tjhe point here is that the Icom 706 Mark II, possible will have a
SP board option. Looking one the Botton is a 10 pin connector next to
the audio section of J4 and a section about 2inch by 3inch to accomodate
a possible audio DSP module. I know this will be denied by Icom and be
called a plug as a test point!!! (But they even denied there was
a Icom 706 Mark II)!!!
So my friends, I am waiting for the DSP option.

Moving along, I went to London to try the 706 and 706 Mark II
before it made it's day in the USA and found that the HF reciever
seemed better on 20meters, almost like less IF gain, anyway, to
listen the radio with the new lager speaker in it, it sounds
much better!
The noise blanker on the old 706 was useless, thre new Icom
706 Mark II noise blanker, really works well in the car on
auto noise type pulses and on AM can be switched off. I could
never use the original NB on SSB with strong signals with the old
706, Now the new Noise Blanker works quite well.
I like the 20Watts on the New Mark II as opposed to 10Watts, I
use the Mirage B2530 Amplifier and get near 300 watts out for 144MHz
SSB work!!!.
I really like the quick menu for band change and the new RIT functions.
Anyway, everyone knows of the applicance operator improvements.
The meessage here is about the technica improvements in the New
706 Mark II versus the original 706 from an engineer's
perpective!!

Hope this helps you, waiting for DSP option .
73

Mike

Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT wrote:
>
> Mike Newbold wrote:
> >
> > i am looking for other 706mkII owners to compare notes.
> > 73 de K0YO mike
>
> Hi Mike --
> I have one. It's now at Icom Japan being serviced. I lost the
> HF+6 front end just a few days after buying it, caused I assume by
> a 2 meter FM transmission with adjacent 2M and HF antennas.
> Being fixed, under warranty, as I type this.
>
> I did find it better than the original 706 -- even the CW keying
> waveform is slightly better. QSK is still via a noisy relay, but
> overall some nice improvmements. Sure can't beat the value of
> this all-mode rig!
>
> 73,
> Joe
>

hershman wrote:
>
> I have several confirmations about ICOM "ALMOST" putting in DSP in the
> IC-706 MK II. IF you own the radio you can see the words "DSP" on the
> LCD display. Also, if you flip the radio and look at the circuit PCB
> you with see a small 15 pin connector. This coonector ties in with the
> audio output portion of the IC-706 MK II. ICOM had a small sheilded PCB
> that plugged into this connector. The DSP created lots of birdies on the
> receiver and Icom could not solve the problem in time. Icom was under
> the gun to get the radio out for DAYTON '97. BTW the heat dissapation of
> this PCB DSP wa 1 amp and generated 12 watts of heat additional.
> GARY FIBER may dispute this posting but it is very accurate.
> Also, Icom will definately put DSP in the next version "IC-706 MK II"!!!
> I suggest we put pressure on Icom to finish the DSP PCB and offer it as
> an option (say $150)seems fair since it is audio DSP.
>
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

Subject:
Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????
Date:
Sat, 14 Jun 1997 05:57:54 -0400
From:
john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney)
Organization:
WD1V
To:
Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment

References:
1 , 2

(A copy of this message has also been posted to the following newsgroups:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment)

In article <339EB81B.7704@earthlink.net>, Michael Aust
<maust21401@earthlink.net> wrote:

> I noticed that also, if Icom offers a board to stick in <$200,
> and could enable the DSP in the Mark II, I would go for it!!
>
> 73
>
> Mike

It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.

As consumers, we should INSIST upon it and help these manufacturers
design what we REALLY WANT.

Who wants to be hosed every year as new models come out and
transcend the features that they just invested in...are we supposed
to buy new radios every year?

Some of the implementations are anemic and some of the missing features
prove that people who aren't USING these radios are playing too big a
role in DESIGNING them!

The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!

Why is it that the radio manufacturers WWW pages don't solicit
opinions from their users? No email inputs exist that I've
seen other than notes to their "webmaster" so you can complain
about slow loading graphics and such.

<and now, WD1V steps off the soapbox, stretches, and takes a
big lungful of air, noticing that everything looks just a little
better than it had just moments ago...it was as though he
had released something that he didn't even know was inside.>

73,

John D. Seney
http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

Mike Newbold wrote:
>
> i am looking for other 706mkII owners to compare notes.
> 73 de K0YO mike

6048. WTB Cheap Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott Van Aartsen, KB0ULA" <kb0ula@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7960$7f5aa700$401392ce@kb0ula>
Source record: 172884

A couple friends and I are trying to put together a cheap repeater. We're looking for a good tower, for a repeater antenna, and maybe some 440-link yagis. It doesn't have to be ROHN 25-G or anything, just cheap, and fairly durable.

Hey, if you've GOT cheap ROHN 25-G, that's cool too! =)

If you've got a tower and want to get rid of it, send me a quick note.

73 de KB0ULA

6049. FS: McIntosh Vintage Custom Loudspeakers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: henrybii@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615082600.EAA07121@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172885

Have a pair of McIntosh customized 4L4Ms. These speakers were made by McIntosh for close relatives of one of its top designers. They are more ornate with non standard grille cloth.

These are large units housing 11 drivers each. Four woofers, 1 midrange and a high requency array off 4 tweeters and 2 super tweeters.

Weighing in at over 200 lbs per they are not bookshelf units.

Condition is mint--they look like they just left the factory.

Serious offers only considered.

If interested please email me at Henrybii@aol.coml

6050. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: francer@usa1.com
Message-ID: <01bc7974$30230560$5be1f9cc@default>
Source record: 172886

Honest salesperson evaluations and product evaluations is what makes this news group extreamly valuable, not personal attacks. As a informed shopper, you need to be able to evaluate products and opinions to the best of your ability and be able to read between the lines.

Charles Francer
N1RPD

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<33A2E6EF.5A7C@ix.netcom.com>...
> Charlie Durand wrote:
> >
> > Robert A. Kile wrote:
> > >
> > > As a shopper for any equipment here are some things that I look for.
> > [message here]
> > > Bob KG7D
> >
> > Save it Bob, I posted by views on what I would like to see in a sales
> > person at the local Ham Radio Outlet. I was disappointed in the
replies
> > I received. Mainly childish personal attacks on my character with
> > absolutely no rebuttle or addition to my original message. People are
> > just looking for someone who is a little different, showing a little
> > creativity, so they can squash them. You can post your opinions, but
be
> > prepared to filter 99% of the replies.
>
> I agree with Bobs evaluation techniques. However, I have rarely seen
> salespeople up to those standards. My previous comments about AES had
> nothing to do with BOB himself. If one receives poor or excellent
> service they should post to this newsgroup.
> 73's, NS1R Steven Hershman
>

6051. FS - ALINCO DR-150T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: cheewug@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615105301.GAA11148@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172887

Hello , I have an Alinco DR-150T in excellant condition. (10 mos.)
$230.00 (I'll Ship/48) - $215.00 (U-Ship). I have the box , schematic
, of course the mic , bracket , power cord - Owners Manual got lost
somehow , but the radio is easy enough to program.

100 memory channels , Dual VFO's , 10/25/50 watts , 440 & Air RCV.
Channel Scope Activity Display , Mars/Cap , ETC.

Interested , call 718-634-8424 after 4pm - before 10 pm EST. Thanks.

73 , Rich.

6052. Re: Last chance to buy an Alpha Amp at old prCheck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4hk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615105801.GAA11254@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172888

Check quality of QRO Technologies amplifiers at
www.bright..net/~qrotec

I have used the HF-2000 model in the past; very well built with heavy duty components. Now use a Titan, so no biased interest. Also owned a 76PA when they were very well built.
QRO has a winner.
73
Jim
REC.RADIO.AMATEUR

6053. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tnic@IDT.NET
Message-ID: <5o0m4j$hen@nnrp2.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 172889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

The primary complaint about the SMA connector is ONLY the lack of
antennas available. If more SMA antennas were available in various
lengths we all would be happy and noone would be complaining.

But right now its very slim pickins.

Raidos serve a varied user group. A varied selection of antennas is
needed.

In rec.radio.amateur.equipment Kirk James Smith <kjsmith@violin.aix.calpoly.edu> wrote:
: It amazes me to see people complaining about the SMA antenna on the
: FT-50. I've owned many handhelds in my time, and my biggest complaint
: about ham gear was the use of BNC connectors for antennas. They don't
: lock into place well, and the slippage tends to wear the connectors out.
: I've repaired or replaced BNC's on HT's more times than I care to
: remember.

: The SMA connector on the FT-50 was a HUGE selling point for me. Finally,
: a radio with a real antenna connector! You don't see Motorola, Kenwood
: Commercial, GE, etc using BNC antennas on their HTs, and it's for good
: reason. They're unreliable.

: Of course I seldom use my FT-50 for anything more than a handheld. I've
: done the "make your radio into an octopus" thing by using it as a mobile
: and base rig in the past, and it's marginal at best. I now have a base
: radio and a mobile radio, and the HT gets used only as a portable.

: Please Yaesu, don't change the antenna connector!

: I don't like the stock antenna... It's deaf and big. I use the Icom
: FA-S270B, which is deaf, but small. Enough to hit nearby repeaters and
: work close-in simplex, and remote through my mobile in crossband mode.
: I'm considering a Comet or Diamond SMA duckie when I need a bit more
: oomph, but I'm not interested in the 15" 1/4 wave antennas for 2m. I
: have one here somewhere (Diamond), and it's so big, it makes the HT less
: than useable.

: --
: Kirk J. Smith, KD6RCT | Biological Sciences - Microbiology
: kjsmith@w6bhz.calpoly.edu | Cal Poly State University
: http://www.w6bhz.calpoly.edu/~kjsmith | San Luis Obispo, California, USA

6054. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcs@cmcorp.com
Message-ID: <5o0mj2gnu1@newsie.cent.net>
Source record: 172890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

aruder@pipeline.com (Lou or Annette Hinshaw) wrote:

>ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>>On 9 Jun 1997 02:09:17 GMT, "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>>>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
>>><339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>>>>
>>>> I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled
>>>> to the vehicle electrical system with diode steering (RV kit).
>>>
>>>The only thing to watch for is that most UPSs are designed for full power
>>>only as long as their batteries last. The transformer and/or power bridge
>>>may overheat if run on external DC power.
>>>
>>>You will have to derate the max continuous output power.

I run a 1500 watt UPS off my solar supply CONTINUOUSLY!
It is a BEST Power true sine wave UPS.
I have had no signs of needing to de-rate it.
(It's powering my PC right now!)
I have used it to deliver power when the commercial supply failed
running at full load for up to 3 days. I have my large power storage
connected via 200 amp connectors to the UPS.
Perhaps the modified pseudo-sine wave units require de-rating.

>>This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
>>can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more than
>>long enough to reach thermal equilibrium. You do have to be careful when
>>looking at the ratings for the UPS, however. There is a peak surge rating,
>>and a sustained rating. The former is only valid for momentary starting
>>demands.

>>Gary

>>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
>>Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>>534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
>>Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

>I hope I missed something.
>The UPS is an Unirruptable Power Supply, having in or arond it
>a battery. It is to be rated at its ability to run the power for so
>long at some stated power consumption.

>If it can run at that rated amount, it does NOT follow that it will
>run continuously at that rate. The battery will run down.

>Sheesh.

>Lou Hinshaw.
>aruder@pipeline.com

>Prolific inventor,
>Lousy Salesman,
>Incompetent businessman.
>(Typical)

6055. Alpha et ETO amplifier ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: f5tcn@mail.dotcom.fr
Message-ID: <336dbc8a.2719315@news.hol.fr>
Source record: 172891

You could say me if he exists a seller of amplifier ALPHA or ETO in
Europe.
And what is the price for this material?
Thank you to help me.

6056. FS: Kenwood TS690 w/accesories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike@toby.valinet.com
Message-ID: <5o0nsm$pdd@ns.valinet.com>
Source record: 172892

I have for sale a Kenwood TS690 within installed Antenna Tuner. It also comes with RS232C Interface Box and Control Software. Unit was only used for 2 weeks and then packed away. Looking for $1200 or best offer. Email me at Mike@valinet.com for more info.

Mike
N1TCA

6057. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Volz <mvolz@avci.net>
Message-ID: <33A3E86E.5E4D@avci.net>
Source record: 172893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Grady Russell wrote:
>
> Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter
> transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on
> brands?

Last I looked, a company called Hamtronics sold them.
--
Mike
KG8UK
2 WH 103
ICQ 1262284

6058. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A3E97F.236C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172894

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> In <33A35178.2EF5@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> filled with himself and multiple dilusions writes:
> >
> >Yes the Icom 706 MK II had DSP built in but then Icom decided to scrap
> >it. If you own a IC-706 you will see on the LCD the words "DSP" and
> >"NR"(noise reduction).
> >If you look at the bottom PCB of the radio you will see a 10 pin
> >Phenolic connector. there is also a 2x3 space for the DSP shilded PCB
> >I just got another confirmation from a Icom (outside the USA)
> informent.
> >I had to use my special "INTERIGATION" methods on him. He is
> >recuperating nicely at a nearby hospital.
> > What I got from him before he passed out was that Icom was going to
> >offer this DSP as an option for $??? and You would simply plug in
> the
> >PCB just like the other options on the IC-706 MK II (CTCSS
> decode,voice
> >synthesizer etc. You set the IC-706 MK II setup so the radio knows the
> >DSP is installed in the radio. I wish ICOM would try to get the DSP
> unit
> >to work and offer it to the Ham customers. I would buy it if it were
> >under $200 (you can buy a timewave DSP 9+ for $200.
> >
> >Gary Fiber from Icom may tell you guys that what I am saying is not
> >true. Remember who told you guys about the Icom 706 Mk II long before
> it
> >was announced ! Also I clearly remember Gary Fiber saying that Icom
> had
> >no plans on making the IC-706 Mark II. Hee Hee. You guys know who to
> >believe.
>
> Actually Steve we do remember your "Mark II" story and are still
> waiting for the 70cm coverage you promised. Does making this stuff up
> make you feel important? Remember EVERYTHING you post to the news
> groups is available on Dejanews so you can't change the story later.
>
> As the sign down at the feed store says, "I'm a bit of a BSer myself
> but I really appreciate watching a professional at work."
>
> BTW please no more romantic stuff to my email I don't appreciate the
> threats or the profanity, thank you.
>

> Jerry
> >
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Excuse me . Most of my posts are correct or very close. Many hams have sent me positive E-Mail saying they enjoy my posts (entertainment value) plus great info on new equipment. Perhaps I was incorrect on the 440 MHZ being included. I will keep all hams informed of any worthwhile news in the future even if you don't want to hear about it.
Jerry if you hate my posts simply don't read them.

73's NS1R

6059. Re: SHACK SELL MAKE OFFERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <33A39F52.1CB7@atl.org>
Source record: 172895

JKanejr182 wrote:

> DRAKE TR-4CW-RIT ..MINT MINT MINT MS-4 PS-4 NO MIKE NO N.B. HAVE PLUG
> MANUAL AND FACTOR BOX 9.9
> FULL OUTPUT

If you don't get a better offer, I'll purchase your TR4CW/RIT for
$250 plus shipping up to $20. Please let me know by Mon PM though
as I will keep $ aside only until then.
I'm in 30306 postal code.

-bob
wb4mnf

6060. Re: Salesperson Evaluation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB DUCKWORTH <bob@atl.org>
Message-ID: <33A3A206.10C3@atl.org>
Source record: 172896

Lest all the salesmen feel overly pressured by a demanding public...

Here is what I expect.

1) Find the box/stuff I want to purchase.
2) Don't drop it on the way to the counter.
3) Give me a receipt and the correct change.

-bob

6061. Re: DXbase '97-was operator error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick258s@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e0da87b2cda99f1989691@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <MPG.e0bbfd482026749989690@nntp.ix.netcom.com>,
rick258s@ix.netcom.com says...
> Hello -- Anyone out here using DXbase '97 for windows? If so, have you
> gotten the time to come up correct when you are logging? Thanks Rick
> n5vvb
> Please respond to rick258@ix.netcom.com as my address in the header is
> altered to deter spam.
>
I found my problem. It was related to a statement I had in my
autoexec.bat file. Now have DXbase '97 up and running and I really like
it. It is a wonderful program just like all the dos versions before it.
I highly recomend the program. Rick

6062. WTB: VHF PWR Transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ak2f@qsl.net
Message-ID: <866381269.26881@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted to buy:

Need a pair of power transistors to repair a mirage B1060 amplifier.
Should be about 80 Watts each at 146 MHz. Something like MRF245. Pse
respond via e-mail to: AK2F@qsl.net

73s,
Woody

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6063. IC-820H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A3F289.14BC@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172899

I have a really strange problem with an Icom 820H. Everything on the subband in FM mode has to be tunned 5 Khz lower in order to be in tune. IE a Repeater on 444.225 has to be tunned as 444.220. 145.350 as 145.345. I tried a full reset with no improvement. Ideas please?

6064. FS: Tubes and Test Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@emodus.com
Message-ID: <5o0so8$b0f$80@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 172900

Hello!
Another special offer:

Used Tubes, Pulled from Surplus Equipment, unteseted,
Priced accordingly, Substatnial quantities available:

6AL5 $0.50; 6AU6A $1.00; 6CL6 $ $1.00; 6X4 $1.00;
5963 (12AU7A) $3.00; 12AU7A $3.00; 12AX7A $3.00;
6080 $4.00; 8136 $0.75; 8532W $1.00

TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned
and calibrated,120 day warranty,shipping free in the USA
$465.00 each!

Amphenol 31-5061 TNC MALE CONNECTOR
for: RG59, RG62, RG140, RG210 COAXIAL CABLE.
New, In original bags, FREE SHIPPING on 4 or more.
$0.75 each!

JAN 6186W, equal to 6AG5WA, sharp cut-off pentodes 7 pin
miniature made by Philips in the USA 1986, NOS, individual
boxes, 5000 available, shipping in the USA: 1 - 199 $4.00,
200 or more shipping free!
$0.10 each

For more ELECTRON TUBES (both new and/or used), various
ANTIQUE RADIO COMPONENTS or
ELECTRONIC TEST EQUIPMENT, please E-mail:
sales@emodus.com
For a complete list.

Thank you!

6065. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a3f4cb.13794775@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 13 Jun 1997 10:11:26 -0700, davem@cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:
>ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:
>>This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
>>can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more than
>>long enough to reach thermal equilibrium.
>
>I have my doubts about that. For example, I have a SL Waber UPS rated
>at 250 VA. The heat sink for all of the power devices is a large bar
>of aluminum attached to the circuit board. This has no significant
>heat path to the outside that I can see. The case of the unit is
>plastic, with a few small vent slots. None of the aluminum is exposed
>on the outside of the case, nor is there a fan to draw air past the
>heat sink. I'll bet it depends on the fact that it will only be running
>for about 5 minutes at full load before the battery is depleted, and
>longer run times go with reduced load.
>
>In comparison, I have a Statpower inverter rated at about 125 W continuous
>using the same technology (high-frequency inverter, 60 Hz AC synthesized
>from 160 V DC or so). The entire case for the thing is the heat sink -
>it's an aluminum extrusion. I'll believe that this will run at rating for
>hours.
>
>I've also seen an APC sine-wave inverter with the transistors mounted
>to an internal fan-cooled heat sink. I'll believe that it might also
>run indefinitely if kept supplied with DC.
>
> Dave

I don't believe that we are in disagreement. The nameplate rating of a standby
UPS should not be taken as its sustained rating. That rating provides for the
surge power needed to start fans, disk drives, etc. But it isn't the power level
at which the UPS can run continously, even for a few minutes. The rating I'm
talking about above is the one the UPS can sustain for 10 minutes or more.
A UPS operating at this level *will* have reached thermal equilibrium in under
10 minutes.

For example, the UPS I'm using has a nameplate surge rating of 800 watts,
but you can't draw 800 watts from it continously without disasterous thermal
consequences. At 200 watts, however, its temperature stabilizes in well under
10 minutes.

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6066. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a3f840.14679549@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172902

On Fri, 13 Jun 1997 12:37:35 -0600, kachina@sedona.net wrote:
>In some article ,
>k9zat wrote:
>>
>> Did you mention DSP I.F. passband chart showing ideal passband curve but ultim-
>> ate rejection of 100 db at the bottom with a series of close-by secondary lobes
>> bouncing up to -80db? This will sound good as long as your neighbor is not on
>> your adjacent channel. K9ZAT
>
>If your neighbor were on your adjacent channel, I think you'd be hearing
>one helluva lotta noise, and little else, no matter what receiver you
>were using! The filter in the brochure is 1.7 kHz wide at the 6 dB
>points, and so these little lobes occupy a few hundred Hz of BW, no more.
>What effect they could possibly have on any performance measure is beyond
>me.... de Doug, KF6DX/7

Well, what the ripples tell us is that the ultimate rejection of the filter is
not 100 db. It is in fact 80 db. There are radios using filters with better
ultimate rejection than that. Radios used in multi-multi contest stations have
to be better than that for example. They accomplish that with cascaded filters,
however. Kachina uses cascaded filters too, but as far as I can tell, only two of
them, an analog first IF filter and the DSP filter. I'm not clear whether the
displayed passband curve is representative of the radio or just of the DSP
second IF filter response. If it is only the latter, then it probably isn't a concern
if the first IF filter is similarly sharp. If it is the former, then the radio probably
won't be a good candidate for use at a multi-multi station.

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6067. Swan 500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Samuel Johnson <samjohnson@Bledsoe.net>
Message-ID: <33A3FA35.372F@Bledsoe.net>
Source record: 172903

I have advertised this rig before and changed my mind about selling, but I think I'll give up on HF for a while and stick to VHF and UHF, The rig is a good Swan 500C with the 117v power supply, including mic. Rig is not 100% cosmetically but functions well but is definately not in bad shape. Non-smoker with me only, (Don't know about previous owner).
I would like to trade the rig for dual band equipment or 2 meter duplexers, a straight sale is an option, but a trade is my goal. E-mail me with any deals you have.
Thanks,
Sam Johnson

6068. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a3fbc1.15576775@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On 13 Jun 1997 12:25:08 -0700, kjsmith@violin.aix.calpoly.edu (Kirk James Smith) wrote:
>It amazes me to see people complaining about the SMA antenna on the
>FT-50. I've owned many handhelds in my time, and my biggest complaint
>about ham gear was the use of BNC connectors for antennas. They don't
>lock into place well, and the slippage tends to wear the connectors out.
>I've repaired or replaced BNC's on HT's more times than I care to
>remember.

BNC connectors should be considered assembly connectors. Repeatedly
connecting and disconnecting them will cause rapid wear. But the SMA
is actually little better in this regard. The threaded coupling won't wear out
quickly, but the female center contact will quickly deform and become
intermittant from repeated connection and disconnection. Because it
is so small, it'll fail this way quicker than the center contact of a BNC.
If you're going to use a connector for repeated connecting and disconnecting,
you need to use one designed for that service, such as the QC connector.

>The SMA connector on the FT-50 was a HUGE selling point for me. Finally,
>a radio with a real antenna connector! You don't see Motorola, Kenwood
>Commercial, GE, etc using BNC antennas on their HTs, and it's for good
>reason. They're unreliable.

Actually, they aren't, though as noted above, there are better choices for
a connection which is intended to be repeatedly connected and disconnected.
There are worse choices too, however, F connectors for example. The big
problems with the SMA are the small diameter center contacts which become
deformed and intermittant after only a few connection cycles, and the small
shoulder in contact with the case, which makes them prone to breaking through
the case when a large moment arm, IE long antenna or stiff cable, is attached
to them. A proper antenna for this connector style has a shoulder which rests
against the case and relieves the strain on this small mounting area.

Anyone who repeatedly connects and disconnects either the SMA connector
on these radios or the BNC on other HTs, is going to experience rapid connector
failure. It's a fact of life. These connectors aren't designed for that purpose. About
500 cycles is all a BNC can tolerate. And if you aren't reasonably careful to make
sure the center pin is aligned when you connect to the radio, a SMA has an even
shorter life. If you intend to connect and disconnect on a daily basis, change to QC
connectors, or expect to have to replace the connector on your radio yearly, if not
sooner.

>Of course I seldom use my FT-50 for anything more than a handheld. I've
>done the "make your radio into an octopus" thing by using it as a mobile
>and base rig in the past, and it's marginal at best. I now have a base
>radio and a mobile radio, and the HT gets used only as a portable.

Right. HTs are for foot mobile use. They make a lousy substitute for a mobile rig or base rig.

Gary

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6069. Ham Fest '97 Begins HERE!! First come, first serve!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dant@ionet.net
Message-ID: <33a3c896.64607371@news.txdirect.net>
Source record: 172905
Cross-posted to: sci.homebrew,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The following items are available on a first come, first serve basis.

If interested, simply reply by email for any or all of the items offered.

Please include the item(s) desired and the price you are willing to pay.

Do not forget freight charges. This is something you will be paying.

Send Email relies to dant@ionet.net

HAM FEST '97 LISTING
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1 EA GOOD H.P. # 01611-62101, 8 bit external data probe
10 EA NEW Amp meter # 035259-0001 nsn 6625003075288
22 EA NEW Magnasync # 044-0006 transister socket nsn 5935000684665
1 EA GOOD Hartron coil checker # 0910336
1 EA GOOD Bell-Howell amplifier # 09384-14-013022 nsn 9066002061981
1 EA GOOD Consolidated Engineering # 1-110BM8
1 EA FAIR vom meter # 1-166
1 EA NEW Triplett # 10 probe p/n 79-415
1 EA GOOD Master gauge # 100-3 (0-10,000)
1 EA GOOD Elgar # 1001A AC power source
6 EA C&G # 10035-1 Altimeter sensor transulator nsn 6660011668741
1 EA POOR C&G associate # 10035-1 sensor translator
1 EA GOOD C & G # 10035-1 sensor translator P# 17130, meter gone
4 EA POOR C&G # 10046 time code display
2 EA NEW Struthers # 100567 Watt meter nsn 6625005776361
1 EA GOOD TL # 101 curve tracer
6 EA NEW Extender card # 101845 nsn 6625002675426
1 EA GOOD Data Pulse # 102 pulse generator nsn 6625009432888
3 EA GOOD HP # 10248C 8 Bit probe
2 EA GOOD Systron-Donner # 1037M5J1 ditigal counter w/ video amplifer # 1948A nsn 6625003831448
4 EA NEW Technical Services Lab # 1043-221 Air Flow Sensor assbly. nsn 6660012948727
1 EA GOOD Ballantine # 1066S O-scope, case missing, nsn 6625010430262
4 EA GOOD Holtzer-Cabot # 10B insulation resistance tester nsn 9266002524579
3 EA GOOD Holtzer-Cabot # 10BA insulation tester nsn 6625009711228
2 EA GOOD Holtzer-cabot # 10M
9 EA Polarad # 1105B signal generator W/ 1020-T modulator nsn 6625013156242 good
4 EA Polarad # 1105BT sig. generator w/# 1020T modulator nsn 6625013156242 good
35 EA GOOD Polard # 1105E-L signal generator w/ 10 EA. # 1020A modulator
1 EA Polarad # 1107E-FT signal generator (P-01607E-FWTJ) nsn 6625010970642 good
1 EA GOOD Polarad # 1108A-QS (P-01358A-1-2 test set) W/ FM adapter # 1041-1-2 signal

generator nsn 6625013042326
2 EA Polarad # 1108A-QS w/# 1041-1-2 adaptor nsn 6625013042326 looks great
1 EA GOOD Freed # 1110A-B inductance bridge
3 EA NEW Collins Radio # 1120 nsn 6625008129785
2 EA 1 POOR/1 GOOD Kollsman # 1130-019 Barometer
1 EA GOOD Alectra # 11B DBA meter nsn 6625000104605
1 EA EXCELLENT Racal-Dana # 1203 universal switch controller
1 EA GOOD RFL # 1207 assecessor box
1 EA GOOD Freq. Standards # 1217-G wave meter 1200-1700 MC nsn 6625005534422
1 EA GOOD Bertan Assoc # 1221 high voltage
1 EA NEW Cable # 12250D nsn 6625010613381
23 EA NEW Simpson # 1227 meter nsn 6625011089610
5 EA FAIR Simpson # 1227 meters cat # 4320
2 EA GOOD Systrom-Donner # 1255A plug-in nsn 6625001900329
1 EA GOOD LSI Serria # 127C frequency selective voltmeter nsn 662500WPO0037
1 EA FAIR Gauss meter # 1295-A
2 EA GOOD Sperry # 12X1 freq. meter nsn 6625008856663
1 EA GOOD Doric # 130 a-c meter nsn 6625011259392
1 EA GOOD Doric # 130A capacitance meter nsn 6625011259392
2 EA NEW meter gauges # 133-7052 nsn 6625011133667
1 EA GOOD Spectral dynamics corp. # 13300 SD-311
6 EA NEW # 1357-0-5AAC nsn 6625000802786
3 EA NEW Yokogawa # 136102018 panel meter nsn 6625002556259
2 EA GOOD Varian # 1400 aerograph (chromatograph) nsn 663000ACO1025
65 EA NEW Teletype Corp # 15044LVR Levers nsn 3040003701018
2 EA GOOD Polarad # 1509 10-15.5 Ghz freq. doubler w/ 2 EA.# 1207E 3.7-8.4 Ghz signal source, W/2 EA.# 1020A modulator nsn 6625010972232
16 EA NEW Triplett # 1521494 meter nsn 6625001694434
4 EA GOOD Kay # 154AF marka-sweep w/ PM 7650 plug-ins(2 missing), nsn 6625009415144
1 EA GOOD Koeler # 1555-1A wheat charger
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 1568A wave analyzer nsn 6625009743558 some parts gone
1 EA POOR Biddle # 159 nsn 6625001413558
1 EA GOOD RD # 1600B ohm meter nsn 6625008529631
3 EA GOOD AUL # 1602 insulation tester nsn 6625001413558
1 EA GOOD AUL instruments # 1602 insulation tester nsn 6625001413558
2 EA GOOD HP # 1611A logic state analyzer nsn 662500ACO1134
1 EA GOOD HP # 1615A logic state analyzer nsn 6625010258323
2 EA GOOD Biomotion # 1650D digital logic recorder nsn 6625010663359
1 EA GOOD Northern Precision # 1700-6412 azimuth data converter nsn 7030004029426
1 EA FAIR HP # 1720A O-scope parts missing nsn 6625010344783
1 EA GOOD Elgar # 1751 AC power source nsn 662500ACO3820
1 EA GOOD Electronic Brasing # 178C Ignition Harness tester nsn 662500ACO1724
1 EA EXCELLENT Hickok # 1890M transistor tester nsn 6625009933389
1 EA EXCELLENT Olympus # 1900222 inspection scope
1 EA GOOD Systron Donner # 1948A video amp. nsn 6625001189218
11 EA NEW Canfield elect. # 1N434 indicator nsn 5961005048587
1 EA FAIR Dana # 2000 VOM
1 EA GOOD Power Instruments # 2000 line frequency meter
9 EA GOOD HP audio oscillator # 200AB nsn 6625005192384
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 200AB oscilator nsn 6625005192384
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 200AB Oscillator nsn 6625005192384

1 EA GOOD HP # 200CD Oscillator, 1 broken knob,
1 EA GOOD HP # 200CD oscillator nsn 6625005757737
2 EA NEW Cat. # 201 nsn 6625006494589
1 EA GOOD Harris # 2020 Vector voltmeter nsn 6625004599472
2 EA GOOD Vector voltmeter # 2020-20215 nsn 6625004599472
1 EA GOOD Harris PRD electronics # 2021
1 EA GOOD Boonton # 202J FM-AM signal generator nsn 6625009538219
2 EA NEW A & M # 203060 gauge nsn 6625009016578
1 EA GOOD Bendix # 2036284-0503 (2041215-1103) Radar indicator
8 EA NEW Sentorion test lead # 204-18W nsn 6625010912065
1 EA GOOD Bendix # 2041029-3301 VOR receiver nsn 9058002607239
3 EA GOOD Biddle # 21159 insulation tester nsn 6625001413558
1 EA GOOD Biddle # 21159 nsn 6625001413558
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 211AR Sq. wave generator nsn 6625006488340
7 EA NEW Simpson amp meter # 2122 nsn 6625000053825
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 214A signal generator nsn 6625006827452
1 EA GOOD Boonton # 215E signal generator
1 EA GOOD Sierra # 219B transister tester
9 EA NEW ITT Pomona # 2401 shielded box (BNCF-F-M) nsn 6625002231923
3 EA NEW Biddle cat # 250579 ground resistance tester acc. kit nsn 6625010787307
48 EA GOOD Test probe # 250C 302 nsn 6625004726538
1 EA GOOD Simpson # 260 VOM nsn 6625009853951
1 EA FAIR Boonton # 260A Q-meter nsn 6625006686200
1 EA NEW API # 261C meter nsn 6625005805898
18 EA NEW A & M instruments # 265-1015 DB meter # 185169 nsn 6625013142910
8 EA NEW Simpson # 27 p/n S08119 nsn 6625000863660
1 EA GOOD Rycom # 2785-1 transmitter
1 EA NEW Shunt assy # 281965-0001 nsn 6625011625196
1 EA GOOD Airesearch # 290122-400 Gas turbine engine tester
3 EA NEW Amp meter # 291B292A16 nsn 6625004825618
2 EA NEW Miscorp # 2991B292A16 Amp meter nsn 6625004825618
5 EA GOOD Poeing P # 2A14209A-102-20 AN/AWM-40A launch simulator
1 EA GOOD Winslow # 301 test set
2 EA GOOD H.P. # 3112B voltmeter nsn 6625010415591
7 EA GOOD Tektronix # 317 O-scope nsn 6625012754766
15 EA GOOD Tektronic # 317 O-scope nsn 6625009711236
3 EA NEW amp meter # 3218 nsn 6625008186206
1 EA GOOD Collins # 329B-7A flight director indicatior nsn 5895010491976
2 EA GOOD HP # 3440A volt meter, plug-in gone, nsn 6625000132630
1 EA GOOD Collinss # 346B-3 audio test panel p/n 6026A-001 nsn 5500001080133
2 EA NEW Westinghouse # 347D636G01 nsn 66250130087296
1 EA GOOD Dana # 351-D autohet counter nsn 9066002555992
3 EA NEW Crompton meter # 362 nsn 6625011181281
1 EA NEW API amp meter # 38-1810-1001
1 EA FAIR Simpson # 388 thermo meter w/probes
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3900 w/option 4, w/# 3901 communication test system, plugin gone
2 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3911 plug-in
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3912 plug-in nsn 6625011347234
2 EA GOOD HLI # 3913 nsn 66250111350350
2 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3914 plug-in

3 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3922A plug-in
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3925B-232 plug-in
3 EA GOOD HLI # 3925C-232 plug-in nsn 6625013110514
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3926 plug-in w/ option 4
3 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3927-1 plug-in
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3928-1 plug-in
1 EA NEW HLI # 3941-A plug-in nsn 6625012579509
2 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3941A plug-in
4 EA NEW # 400814-1 nsn 6625000862602
1 EA GOOD HP # 400D volt meter nsn 6625006431670
2 EA GOOD HP # 400L voltmeter nsn 6625007296907
1 EA NEW AGC # 4047454-050 Detector nsn 6625011527274
1 EA GOOD A.R. # 40A Data analyzer nsn 662500ACO4417
1 EA GOOD HP # 410B volt meter
1 EA POOR HP # 411A voltmeter nsn 6625000668522
2 EA GOOD Belfort # 420-TS wind speed transmitter nsn 6660009203250
1 EA GOOD HP # 427A voltmeter nsn 6625001350407
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 428A DC amp meter nsn 6625007980659
1 EA GOOD HP # 428A DC ampmeter w/probe nsn 6625007980659
1 EA GOOD Weinschel # 430A sweep oscillator, plugin gone, nsn 6625010429480
1 EA GOOD Wesson # 432 watt meter
3 EA GOOD Wesson # 433 AC voltmeters
1 EA GOOD Wesson # 433 amp meter (AC)
1 EA GOOD HP # 435B power meter nsn 6625010335050
10 EA NEW Roller press # 4402573 nsn 6625013076581
1 EA GOOD Century # 444 Ocillograph
1 EA FAIR General Microwave # 451 power meter nsn 6625007391394
2 EA GOOD General Microwave # 451 power meter
2 EA GOOD General Microwave # 451 power meters nsn 6625009259398
1 EA GOOD General Microwave # 451-1 power meter nsn 6625009259398
8 EA NEW Runway Visiability meter # 451-9165-1 nsn 6660009439780
8 EA NEW Meter Mod # 458029900 nsn 6625008221459
1 EA Raytheon # 463016-1 power supply nsn 6130005444882
1 EA GOOD Inverter # 47 panel nsn 693000ACO1095
1 EA FAIR Century # 472E-1 recorder nsn 5826004650856
1 EA GOOD Collins # 477U-2 ADF antenna simulator, nsn 662500ACO4398
1 EA GOOD Collins # 477V3 fault isolation panel nsn 662500ACO3132
1 EA GOOD Lamda-max # 481LC spectraophoto meter nsn 662500ACO4704
1 EA GOOD Texas Instruments # 4918 monitor display, tube gone,
1 EA FAIR Hazeltine # 4DTD155394 test set nsn 6625013134115
1 EA G.E. watt meter cat # 50-103-25 AAB40 nsn 6625011989628
1 EA GOOD Syva Qst sample processor # 50015
3 EA GOOD Standard Electric # 500B Variac
16 EA NEW H.P. # 5083-1752 Oscope tube nsn 5960001374734
102 EA NEW H.P. # 5083-3552 Oscope tube nsn 5960006158001
1 EA GOOD LDJ # 511 Gauss meter nsn 662500ACO4181
11 EA GOOD Eaton # 512312-1 AC/DC power module
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # 515-A O-scope nsn 6625005855665
1 EA GOOD Halcyon # 515A data line test set nsn 6625004499244
1 EA GOOD Peer # 5163 transmitter control panel nsn 6625008673250

1 EA GOOD Systems Inc. # 5166 ILS test set nsn 6625007771435
1 EA GOOD Halcyon # 519A nsn 6625004438086
19 EA GOOD Halcyon # 519A remote transmission test set nsn 6625004438086
1 EA GOOD Computer Components # 5241 audio attenuator nsn 6625013134410
1 EA GOOD HP frequency counter # 5345A plug-in gone nsn 6625005314752
5 EA NEW Simpson meter # 534793-1 p/n 509741 nsn 6625000243748
1 EA GOOD Hickox # 539B tube tester nsn 6625005530248
2 EA NEW Jewell # 53N Amp meter nsn 6625009736509
1 EA GOOD USON # 540 leak detector with power supply nsn 4940009284698
1 EA FAIR Delcon # 5448 Modulation monitor nsn 6625000144488
1 EA POOR Delcon # 5448 Modulation monitor nsn 662500014488
1 EA GOOD Loral # 553 O-scope nsn 6625007153888
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # 561A O-scope w/ 3A1 & 3B3 plug-ins nsn 6625009915126
1 EA GOOD Collins # 562C-5 Auto pilot amplifier nsn 6615011710219
1 EA GOOD Dymec # 5636 H-Band signal generator (klystron) nsn 6625008779484
3 EA GOOD Digitech # 5647 Digital pattern generator nsn 6625009117949
1 EA GOOD Power supply # 5712010 nsn 6130004900496
3 EA GOOD General Radio # 583-A putput power meter nsn 6625001514230
8 EA NEW Socket Kit # 583529-1 nsn 5935002141863
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 583A power meter
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 583A power meter nsn 6625001514230
1 EA FAIR General Radio # 583A power meter nsn 6625001514230
1 EA FAIR General Radio # 583A power meter nsn 6625001514230
2 EA GOOD PRD Electronics # 587-A microwave tuning cavity nsn 6625007549476
1 EA FAIR Boonton # 59 meggacycle meter
11 EA NEW Simpson # 59-1330 amp meter nsn 6625001279935
4 EA NEW Test adapter # 59-4 black nsn 6625000190119
1 EA GOOD Roxter # 5900 power supply
1 EA GOOD McDonald Douglas # 5916816-1 linear servo actutor nsn 662500ACO1738
1 EA GOOD McDonald-Douglas # 5916817501 Elect-thermal switchtester nsn 662500ACO1733
1 EA GOOD Anemothermo air meter # 60
6 EA GOOD Triplett # 60 VOM
3 EA GOOD Triplett # 60-NA voltmeter
1 EA FAIR Magnasync/Moviola # 605 nsn 6645011142200
1 EA GOOD Reaction # 6050 Theodolite telemetric transmitter
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 606A Signal generator nsn 6625008190472
5 EA GOOD Triplett # 60NA VOM
2 EA GOOD HP # 614A UHF signal generator nsn 6625003515958
1 EA GOOD HP # 616-B UHF signal generator
3 EA GOOD HP # 616B signal generator nsn 6625007528622
1 EA GOOD Collins # 618T radio
2 EA GOOD AUL # 6202ARF signal generator nsn 6625005399685
4 EA GOOD HP # 623B nsn 6625003042326
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 623B signal generator nsn 6625000743751
8 EA GOOD HP # 623B signal generator nsn 6625000743751
2 EA NEW Autek # 625-0467 self test program I-F
10 EA GOOD Triplett # 630 VOM
1 EA GOOD Triplett # 630 PLK voltmeter
7 EA FAIR Triplett # 630-NA vom nsn 6625008287828
3 EA GOOD Triplett # 630-NS multi-meter

1 EA NEW # 630852-0001 volt meteeer nsn 6625011113848
2 EA NEW amp meter # 635 nsn 6625003270727
1 EA GOOD Weinschel # 64A step attenuator
1 EA GOOD General Motors # 6506545 Control analyzer nsn 662000ACO1004
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 650A Oscillator nsn 6625005398584
13 EA GOOD HP # 650A oscillators nsn 6625005398584
1 EA GOOD BG # 65A ignition harness test set
1 EA GOOD Boonton # 65B signal generator
1 EA FAIR Trigger generator # 6625 nsn 6625000234082
1 EA EXCELLENT Weston # 666 V-O-M
1 EA GOOD Weston # 666 multimeter nsn 6625011743180
1 EA GOOD Collins # 67821 nsn 662500ACO4223
1 EA FAIR Collins # 678P-1 radio harness test set nsn 662500ACO4222, parts missing
1 EA GOOD Collins # 680-J-1 spectrum generator nsn 5820003252336
4 EA NEW Cramer # 691 time totalizer
12,000 EA NEW General Electric # 6EB8 IF power amplifier tube nsn 5960008798174
2 EA GOOD General Electric # 6RW142YN2 transformer rectifier nsn 6130000340544
1 EA NEW Pace # 7004-0006 # PFP-40 Fuse tester-maker system + 1 EA. used machine and P# Advanced 6993- 0077 nsn 592000fusemaker
4 EA GOOD Servo transciever # 7008-3
4 EA 1 POOR/3 GOOD Servo # 7008-3 transfer unit
24 EA NEW ITC # 7010-004 Elasped time indicator nsn 6625013235282
11 EA GOOD Rockwell # 702D-1MW calibrator
1 EA NEW CCA # 708687-02 nsn 6660000073575
2 EA NEW circuit card assy # 708849-01 nsn 6660000073564
3 EA GOOD Rockwell # 70D2-1MW deviation calibrator
7 EA Technology Inc. # 710-9000W external modem looks new
2 EA NEW Receiving Cowl # 710286-01 nsn 6660010761568
8 EA NEW Insulator # 710295-04 nsn 6660012025801
1 EA GOOD Plotomatic # 715
1 ea GOOD H.P. # 715A power supply nsn 66250055?7288
1 EA GOOD ATC # 7246 Beacon ground test station power supply,
2 EA GOOD Admiral # 7270 Radar Beacon test set, w/# 7271 signal generator & # 7272 O-scope nsn 6625008672154 (9258004025211)
1 EA GOOD Admiral # 7270 Radar beacon test set, w/# 7272 Oscope-coder, w/# 7271 signal generator
2 EA GOOD Solid state swithcing test set # 73PCB nsn 662500ACO3565
1 EA FAIR Tektronix # 7403-N O-scope, plug-in gone
1 EA GOOD AIL # 75 noise indicator nsn 6625003399826
1 EA GOOD AIL # 75 Noise test set (figure indicator) nsn 6625001859629
1 EA GOOD Rockwell # 7585069001 signal analyzer
8 EA NEW amp meter # 75DCMA nsn 6625000276904
15 EA GOOD Fairchild # 76-02A dual trace plug-ins nsn 6625008925280
1 EA GOOD Fairchild # 76-02A plug-in
1 EA GOOD Power supply # 7600647-2 nsn 9061003075929
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 760B sound amalyzer nsn 6625006695371
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # 7613 Oscope, missing plug-in, nsn 6652003307082
1 EA GOOD Hydro-space Corp # 7650001 Radio antenna theodilite nsn 6625007866154
29 EA GOOD Fairchild # 766H O-scope w/ 76-02A & 74-03A & 74-13 plug-ins nsn 6625009240334
1 EA FAIR Fairchild # 766H O-scope w. 74-03A & 76-02A plug-in, nsn 6625009240336 good

2 EA NEW 3M # 769 microfilm print paper
1 EA GOOD Pitney Bowes # 771-592 embosser nsn 749000embosser
1 EA GOOD Sierra research # 7801, sans-706 Tacan test panel nsn 662500ACO5145
1 EA POOR Hydrospace system # 7843 Theodolite telemetric trans. ant. nsn 662500ACO4289
66 EA NEW Triplett output probe # 79-446 nsn 6625011586100
1 EA POOR Fluke # 8000A multi-meter nsn 6625002107584
2 EA GOOD ARO air router # 8001T nsn 322000ACO1032
1 EA GOOD Xtal Oscillator # 8004290G2 Manufacturer Code # 99828
7 EA GOOD Triplett probes # 801 nsn 6625003136775
1 EA GOOD Triplett VOM # 801 nsn 6625012623494
1 EA GOOD Fluke # 801-600 current probe
6 EA NEW Kavovras # 8038-04-00 Color generator board nsn 6660012506983
1 EA GOOD DTC # 8080
1 EA FAIR Data Com # 8081 battery test panel missing parts
2 EA GOOD Meridan # 8094 Glide slope test set nsn 6625004352153
1 EA GOOD Fluke # 8100A multimeter nsn 6625004334234
1 EA GOOD Chain Lakes Research # 8139 RF modulation monitor nsn 6625001621624
4 EA NEW Westoon # 814 freq. meter nsn 6625002410069
1 EA GOOD Chain lakes research # 8142 doppler VOR 5B antenna monit. nsn 6625004650789
1 EA GOOD Tasker # 8169, ACTRBS-1-R Radar site test set, nsn 6625004633522
1 EA FAIR GRM # 817 transmitter
84 EA NEW Texas Instruments # 822188-1 circuit boards nsn 6625004438086
1 EA GOOD RFL # 829 test set nsn 6625006231747
3 EA GOOD Fluke # 8300A voltmeter nsn 6625013129834
2 EA GOOD 3M # 8300A-W Flutter meter nsn 6625003333322
1 EA GOOD 3M # 8300A-W flutter meter nsn 6625003333322
1 EA GOOD Fluke # 845AR volt meter nsn 6625002577561
1 EA GOOD Aerovox # 85 motor starting compasator selector
1 EA POOR Fluke # 8520A
5 EA NEW circuit card assy # 86113A035 nsn 5998010110456
1 EA FAIR Cutler-Hammer # 8636 Glide slope
1 EA GOOD HP # 8690B plugin gone, nsn 6625004423470
1 EA GOOD F.M.D. Triplett # 880 VOM w.probbes
1 EA NEW toggle switch # 8832K6 nsn 5930006157897
1 EA GOOD Astro systems # 88734 ditigal azimuth to synchro converter
1 EA GOOD Reaction # 8993 modulator nsn 5825011132457
1 EA GOOD GE # 8DB-18A-Y2365 DC amp meter
1 EA GOOD U.D.S. # 900 comtest nsn9066002512464
1 EA GOOD Weston # 901 volt meter
2 EA NEW Sperry # 90536-7156533 circuit card assbly. nsn 5998011556989
24 EA NEW Extender card # 907724-1 nsn 6625004762205
7 EA NEW Panel # 91451212 nsn 6660011752193
1 EA GOOD Logimetrics # 921A RF signal generator nsn 6625004336477
1 EA GOOD Logimetrics # 921A signal generator, gage missing
1 EA FAIR Weston # 931 amp meter nsn 6625008287828
1 EA GOOD Weston # 931 amp meter nsn 6625008287828
1 EA POOR Weston # 931 voltmeter
1 EA GOOD GRM # 9334-1A audio unit type AU2400A
1 EA GOOD GRM # 9334-A1 audio unit
1 EA GOOD GRM # 9334-A1 audio unit

200 EA NEW Data Products # 93950000-200 sual channel CAU 4200 synchronizer nsn
58995011741687
1 EA GOOD Esterline Angus # 9471-1 nsn 6625013156244
2 EA GOOD Eico # 950 capacitance bridge
1 EA GOOD Reaction Instruments # 9505A-01 theodolite telemetric transmitter
1 EA GOOD Allied Technology # 9600-15 test set
1 EA GOOD AT&T power unit # 963G104-100 nsn 5895013016098
1 EA GOOD Collins # 971F-1 test set nsn 662500ACC1642
2 EA FAIR Sonycraft # 9758-1 control panel
1 EA FAIR Sonycraft # 9758-2 power supply transcribed wheather broadcast equip.
1 EA GOOD Teline Radio # 9771 oscilator
1 EA GOOD Collins # 980L-1 test set, plugin gone, nsn 4920004902549
1 EA FAIR Aero # 9997 altimeter indicator
14 EA NEW Lens stop # A5866 nsn 6660010768231
1 EA GOOD Collins # AAR 51Y-4 nsn 5826004613530
1 EA GOOD IRT # ADR-400 Multi Bus nsn 6150-00-?
1 EA GOOD Olympus # ALS150U Xenogen light source
2 EA Tektronic # AM-6565-U plug-ins nsn 6625001069625 looks great
2 EA GOOD Cutler-Hammer # AN-TPM-32 video signal processor nsn 6625004444390
2 EA GOOD AIL Cutler-Hammer # AN-TPM-35 indicator test set nsn 6625004444391
1 EA GOOD Cutler-Hammer # AN-TPM-36 elect. circuit test set nsn 6625004827195
1 EA GOOD Cutler-Hammer # AN-TPM-37 power supply test set "8" nsn 6625004444393
1 EA POOR Collins # ARCQA nsn 691000ACO1065
3 EA GOOD GRM # ASU-2400S ATCT selector unit type 9334-5
1 EA GOOD Esterling Angus # AW55-65 multiplier
1 EA GOOD Brush # BL-117 motor drive
1 EA FAIR Federal Telephone & Radio # CA1366 probe detector
1 EA NEW circuit card assy # CCA708683-01 nsn 6660000073571
663 EA NEW Malory Capacitor Co # CGGS652V050V3C capitor nsn 5910010576720
1 EA GOOD Carlson # CST712 3 station tester
1 EA GOOD General Commucations # CY/1156-UPM-4A type 7272 nsn 6625008672154
1 EA GOOD Telequipment # D-54 O-scope
1 EA FAIR Bendix # DFA-70A-1 ADF reciever
1 EA EXCELLENT Data Products # DMS 303 Analyzer nsn 6625002148420 looks
3 EA NEW Data Products # DMS-303A data test set nsn 6625002148420
3 EA NEW Data Products # DMS-303A data test set analyzer
58 EA NEW Electrical cover # DPXB-60 nsn 5935012146153
1 EA GOOD CTI # DTS-531P distortion analyzer P# 100609-501 nsn 6625003186434
2 EA GOOD Glatzer # EBC-BR-15D
1 EA GOOD Glatzer # EBC-DF-88B
1 EA GOOD phase splitter emergency beacon # EBC120-0
1 EA GOOD Heath kit # ET-3100 Design experimenter
1 EA GOOD Heath kit # ET-3200 Design experimenter
1 EA GOOD Heath kit # ET-3400 Micro computer learning system
1 EA GOOD Hunt # F-420C-PS power supply
1 EA GOOD Boeing # F72785-1 elevator rutter test set # 727 nsn 662500ACO1681
1 EA GOOD Bendix # FCC-SMTR-DATA, RT-1401B nsn 5821012682064
1 EA GOOD Bendix # FCT-12B Doppler counter nsn 6625009318828
1 EA FAIR Bendix # FCT-12B doppler freq. counter nsn 6625009318828
1 EA GOOD RMS # GR 33-1 chart recorder

24 EA FAIR/POOR David Clark # H-133C-AIC Headset-microphone nsn 5965002267870
1 EA GOOD HP # H03-302A wave analyzer nsn 6625009743558
2 EA POOR HP # H4878 thermothermistor M. nsn 6625005323650
1 EA GOOD H.P. # H487B thermistor mount nsn 6625005323650
1 EA GOOD H.P. # H532A freq. meter nsn 6625007308570
1 EA FAIR General Electric # H7 Halogen leak detector nsn 662500ACO1154
1 EA GOOD Halcyon # HC500A-515A data line test set
1 EA GOOD Weinschel # HO-A Heterodyne mixer nsn 662500ACO3312
2 EA GOOD HP # HO3-302A wave analyzer nsn 6625009743558
2 EA GOOD Triplett # HP 459A high voltage probe (# T-7969)
1 EA POOR Huntron tracker # HTR1005B-15
4 EA GOOD # HVM1191 nsn 6625013134370
76,800 EA NEW Raytheon # JAN 6418 electron tube nsn 5960006440299
3 EA NEW Gould # K100-D probe acessory cable nsn 6625013043510
6 EA NEW probes # KJ12044-1
2 EA GOOD Linaire # LI-5 conntrol panel
5 EA NEW probes # LP7678-1 nsn 6625011800523
1 EA GOOD M.E.I. (Marion) # M2 meter tester nsn 6625005858006
8,000 EA NEW National Semiconductor # M38510/00103BDA digital microcircuit nsn 5960003658353
1 EA GOOD Intel # MCS-85 system design kit
1 EA GOOD General Radio # MD-1 fuel quanity gage tester P# P-579
29 EA GOOD ARK # ME-3PC modem nsn 66600131446171
1 EA FAIR Bendix # MI-32A amplifier
1 EA Power supply # MON-N221447-1 nsn 6625006490062
1 EA GOOD Industrial instruments # MP1 power meter nsn 6625009647231
1 EA GOOD Power System Corp. # MPC-110530308 Micro power center
4 EA NEW amp meter # MR36W5U5DCAAR nsn 6625005421537
3 EA NEW Jewall meters # MS3T
1 EA NEW Aico # MTTA-106D-PC toggle switch nsn 5930011861308
2 EA GOOD Daven # OP-182 power output meter nsn 6625009725124
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # OS-245"P-U" O-scope w/ 7B & 53A & 2 EA AM-6565-U plug-ins, nsn 6625001069623
1 EA GOOD OAC # OSC 49-11 crystal oscillator
1 EA GOOD HP # PL-1186A plug-in
4 EA GOOD Kay Elect. # PM7650 plug-ins nsn 6625003185972
1 EA FAIR Pace # PPS-100A soldering center nsn 343900ACO1001
13 EA EXCELLENT Autek # PS-01 power supply
26 EA EXCELLENT Autek # PS-02 dual power supply
2 EA FAIR GRM # PSM-24-5 power supply type 9334-12
2 EA GOOD Westinghouse # PV-130 potential transformer
1 EA GOOD Westinghouse # PX-151 voltmeter
1 EA GOOD Westinghouse # PY5 amp meter
1 EA GOOD Boston # R50 motor speed control nsn 6640000001412
1 EA GOOD M.E. # RA40-30-01 DC power supply
2 EA GOOD Semcor # RC-115 capacitor analyzer nsn 6625002265318
1 EA GOOD Semcor # RC115 Capacitor analyzer nsn 6625002265318
2 EA GOOD Semcor # RC115 capacitor analayzer
1 EA GOOD Sony # RM4444 nsn 582000ACO1283
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # RM561A O-scope w/3A6 & 3B3 plug-ins, nsn 6625002474461

4 EA NEW Weschler # RT351RFA meter nsn 6625000862598
1 EA GOOD Bendix # RTT-12B Doppler test pannel nsn 6625009318827
1 EA GOOD Bendix # RTT-41A nsn 662500ACO4219
2 EA GOOD Bendix # RTT-41A VHF transciever nsn 662500ACO4219
1 EA GOOD Bendix # RVG-33A VOR audio generator nsn 662500ACO5073
1 EA GOOD Heller # S50T motor control
1 EA GOOD Kepco # SC-32-15A Power supply
10 EA NEW Nortec # SP100 test leads nsn 6625002450391
2 EA GOOD DY4 # SX:909-004 power supply
1 EA FAIR Solid state controls # T-2+45A cables for doppler test system, P# 85-T-20-450-00 data sheild turbo 2+ standby power system
1 EA GOOD Empire devices # T-2-NF-105 tuning unit
3 EA NEW meters # TA-52 nsn 6625011189916
1 EA FAIR Tull # TAC-1001 converter
2 EA NEW Pomona # TBS-7 socket adapter nsn 6625005041457
4 EA GOOD Stancil Hoffman # TCR-89-4 recorder
1 EA GOOD AIL Cutler-Hammer # TD-1074-G generator nsn 6625001390416
1 EA EXCELLENT Consolidated Airborne # TF889 fuel quanity tester nsn 6625010881831
1 EA FAIR # TL101 curve tracer
50 EA NEW P # TL1510-71-1 circuit card assy. nsn 6625004762206
1 EA GOOD Sprague # TO-5 Capacitor analyzer nsn 662500ACO5348
1 EA EXCELLENT Sprague # TO-6A Capacitor Analyzer nsn 6625009015601 looks
1 EA Packard Bell # TS-1809 transponder tester P# SM-D-568353 nsn 6110012153750 good
1 EA GOOD Signal generator # TS418C-U
1 EA GOOD Signal generator # TS510A-U
2 EA GOOD NEC # TTS-37B nsn 6625009185721
47 EA GOOD NEC # TTS-37B nsn 6625009135721
54 EA GOOD NEC # TTS-37BAQ-CN transmitter test set nsn 6625009185721
1 EA FAIR Northeast # TTS-44 transmission test set nsn 6625011036524
2 EA NEW Heating element # V30000020 nnsn 6660009324705
1 EA GOOD GeorgeVoron # Vo-41 capacity resistance analizer
1 EA GOOD General Radio # W10MT3W Variac transformer
1 EA GOOD General Radio # W5-MT-3W variac transformer
2 EA FAIR General Radio # W5MT3
8 EA GOOD FEL # WDA 940 .96-4.26 Ghz freq. meter (wave meter # 536A) nsn 6625009666728
6 EA NEW Yokogawa # YE-250-2 meters nsn 66250110574199
3 EA FAIR F.M.D. # ac-7-7411 amp meter (Triplett 636)
4 EA FAIR Daben # op182 power output meter nsn 6625009725124
5 EA NEW Bitronics # plastic/5/ac voh meter nsn 6625000272481
1 EA GOOD H.P. #10020A resistive divider kit
1 EA GOOD Monsanto #1107 plug-in
1 EA GOOD Electra DPM meter #11B nsn 6625000104605
3 EA NEW Simpson #1227 meters nsn 6625011181077
3 EA EXCELLENT Mine Safety Appliances #361 automatic gas alarm P#486253 nsn 66655012642246 hydrogne sulfide, combustible gas & oxygen alarm system (T.O. 11H5-33-1)
3 EA GOOD HLI #3921 nsn 6625011350349
4 EA NEW HLI #3926 Plug-in nsn 6625011797719 w/manual,
1 EA NEW Nautel #523 voltmeter
9 EA GOOD AirFlo #F420C-TS nsn 66600092032550
15 EA GOOD Weston (Dixson) meter # 2521 p/n 267848

6 EA GOOD Empro 1000 amp shunt nsn 9066002579921
1 EA GOOD Dumont 1062 Oscope nsn 6625003192980
1 EA GOOD H.P. 13037 disc controller
2 EA GOOD Kay marka-sweep 154CFA w/1 EA. PM 7650A plugin nsn 6625003185972
3 EA NEW Simpson 160 carring case cat # 2225 nsn 6625010222219061
1 EA NEW H.P. 1802-A plug-in nsn 6625004647744
3 EA GOOD HP 1802A dual channel vertical amplifer, 100Mhz plug-in, nsn 6625004647744
1 EA GOOD HP 200AV audio oscillator
1 EA FAIR Harris PRD 2020 vector volt meter nsn 6625004599472
3 EA NEW G.E. 3000 AC volt meter p/n 50-103021-PZ-UA2 nsn 6625003271154
2 EA GOOD HP 312A voltmeter nsn 6625006897685
1 EA GOOD HP 312A voltmeter nsn 6625006897685
1 EA GOOD Fluke 335D voltage standard/null detector nsn 6625003615246
1 EA GOOD HP 3440-A voltmeter w/o plug-in
1 EA GOOD H.P. 355D vhf atenuator
1 EA GOOD Intergraph 36 x 48 H.P. Digital table IV32 w/32C computer & 2 monitors
1 EA GOOD H.P. 489A microwave amplifier 1.0-2.0 Ghz nsn 6625000797045
5 EA GOOD Tektronix 500A # 66 mobile Oscope carts
1 EA EXCELLENT Tektronix 5111A Oscope w/ 2 EA. 5A15N amplifiers & 1 EA. 5B10N time base
5 EA GOOD Halcyon 519A Remote retransmission system nsn 6625004438086 , -few but.
1 EA GOOD H.P. 5245L electronic counter w/ 5252A prescaler
2 EA GOOD H.P. 5255A plug-in 3-12.4 Ghz nsn 6625001300066
36 EA GOOD H.P. 5262A plug-ins, some with H.P. 10006D probes nsn 6625009670460
1 EA GOOD HP 5326B counter
1 EA GOOD H.P. 614A UHF signal generator nsn 6625005530433
6 EA GOOD HP 623B test set nsn 9066002515159
1 EA GOOD H.P. 626A SHF signal generator
1 EA FAIR General radio 650A impedance bridge nsn 6625002440503
4 EA GOOD H.P. 7035B recorder nsn 6625004636042
1 EA GOOD Fairchild 74-13A plug-in nsn 6625008925279
70 EA NEW ITT 8 pin octal test socket adapter # TUS-8 nsn 6625008181651
1 EA GOOD H.P. 8080 micro processor probe
1 EA GOOD Fluke 8120A multi-meter nsn 6625003228664
1 EA GOOD Dynamic AC line corrector # LC-1241B
1 EA GOOD Biotronics AC voltmeter
1 EA FAIR Westinghouse AC voltmeter # 4740-2010306
1 EA GOOD Bendix ALT-12C doppler anteana load nsn 6625009318831
1 EA GOOD Tektronix AM-6565-U plug-in nsn 6625001069625
4 EA GOOD Wiltron AM/FM signal generators # 630 nsn 6625001105896 -1 plugin
3 EA NEW DME Air to ground reciever modification kit nsn 6210013190616
4 EA Stancil-Hoffman Atis recorder # TRC89 w/# CU-89 plugin nsn 5835010286325
1 EA EXCELLENT Environmental Tech Corp Autotech GRS-1 industrial audiometer with TP-1 printer
1 EA GOOD Biddle Cat # 247000-11 ohmmeter nsn 6652012375872
1 EA GOOD Belfort DASI display panel # 9999-2 nsn 6660011110825
1 EA Belfort DASI sensor/transulator # 9999-1 nsn 6660011110829
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1 EA GOOD Wesson DC amp meter
13 EA NEW Valtronics DC kilovolts meter # 63-0852-0001 nsn 6625011113848
1 EA GOOD Sensitive Research Instrument DC voltmeter DCHI nsn 6625000547670

2 EA GOOD Alectra Debm-DBA meter # 11B nsn 6625000104605
3 EA NEW E&R Electric Pincer Tip nsn 6625001499418
1 EA GOOD MPX FM demodulator # 3149 nsn 662500ACO4943
1 EA GOOD Seattle Technical Precision ILS Calibrator
1 EA NEW D.C. Kilovolt meter p/n M-1404 nsn 6625011237975
23 EA NEW Dialight LED nsn 6625012432082
4 EA GOOD Rohde Schwarz NAUS measure head nsn 92660025980311
2 EA KAY PM7650 plug-ins nsn 6625003185972
1 EA GOOD Collins RT-1163/A radio transciever # 618M-2
1 EA FAIR Bendix RT-131A Radar power unit
1 EA FAIR Bendix Radar mockup RDR-1200 # 6028A-001 nsn 691000ACO1047
22 EA NEW OCC Relays p/n 8QA516A2 nsn 5945009737992
1 EA GOOD Vought SM-639/ASM inertial measurement set
5 EA NEW Switchcraft TT-166 patch cord nsn 6625012313925
1 EA GOOD Garrett TTU 205/E temperature, pressure test set P# 607330-3-1 nsn 4920000656114 in metal case
1 EA GOOD Digital TU80 & RA81 computer w/ LP26 printer
5 EA GOOD Bendix VHF transceiver # 2067210-4112 "RTA 41D"
1 EA GOOD Bendix VID # 9410 test set nsn 6625013086446
19 EA NEW Weston VOM 666 cat. # 2714060-6818 nsn 6625011743180
1 EA GOOD Bendix VOR audio generator # 2070810-3302 nsn 6625010227542
5 EA NEW Ideal Precision VU audio meters, P# 250P1-5217 nsn 6625000032907
1 EA GOOD Benrus Watch # 5196A O-scope nsn 6625006787166
1 EA GOOD Wesson Watt meter
18 EA GOOD T.I. XFM 400031-1 power transformer nsn 5950009737034
1 EA GOOD Stromberg-Carlson XY system portable test set code 19 nsn 6625008698894
1 EA GOOD Bitronics a-s volt meter nsn 6625000272481
1 EA GOOD Westom ac amp meter # 433
2 EA NEW mfg code 27197 ac volt meter p/n 400923-1
1 EA GOOD Leland air borne motor/generator P# 07639-MGE-23-413 nsn 6125000203217
1 EA GOOD Mensor air data test set nsn 662500ACO1737
1 EA Litton airrrflow measurrre plate p/n 451945-01
4 EA NEW Collins amp meter nsn 6625003193003
4 EA NEW Yokogawa amp meter p/n 512X43 msm 6625008706771
24 EA NEW Simpson amp meter p/n 1227 cat# 04310 nsn 6625001161632
9 EA NEW Triplett amp meters # 330-G p/n 10047-1600 nsn 6625011289279
2 EA GOOD Univox amplifer # 9618-1 nsn 8200003001011
9 EA NEW Aydin amplifier nsn 6625010457212
1 EA FAIR Kear Fott angulator position indicator test set # KT-427469-1,nsn 6625005653860
1 EA NEW Watts antenna p/n L906-65A nsn 6625013160366
2 EA FAIR Litton battery unit # CA154-2
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1 EA GOOD Inmac cable p/n 5S904/310-2C
1 EA NEW H.P. cable assy probe p/n 086160605 nsn 6625002320919
2 EA NEW H.P. carrying cases nsn 6625013112712
1 EA GOOD Biddle cat # 15572-1
4 EA GOOD Biddle cat # 21159 ohm meter nsn 6625001413558
3 EA NEW Triplett cat # 331S meters nsn 6625000237385
1 EA FAIR Battery charger
1 EA FAIR Century chart recorder P# 7956 472 recorder nsn 5826004650856

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7 EA NEW T. H. Giftt circuit board p/n 1934 nsn 6660010347166
1 EA GOOD Analogical circuit tester # J-133 nsn 663500EAO0021
1 EA GOOD Weinschel coaxial step attenuator # 64A nsn 6625009274466
1 EA GOOD Motorola codex 6 port modem # 47050
1 EA GOOD Electrohome Electronics color monitor # 38-D03402-60 nsn 7025-00-?
1 EA GOOD Power-One component type custom rectifier
8 EA GOOD Universal Data System comtest P# CEX17C
1 EA GOOD Sola constant voltage transformer cat# 23-22-125
1 EA GOOD Milro control wind speed retransmitter
1 EA GOOD Monsanto counter # 100500A w/ 1104A-101 plug-in nsn 6625001568371
1 EA GOOD Sundstrand data control field test set P# 951-0190-006 nsn 662500ACO1712
1 EA GOOD Tekronix data probe p/n P6451 nsn 6625011515699
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3 EA GOOD Pace desoldering station # SX214A nsn 3439005565525
1 EA GOOD Astar desoldering station nsn 3439005565525
2 EA GOOD Avonicsfire detection system p/n EA58M3 engine emergency fire assy.
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2 EA NEW amp meters nsn 6625011249713
1 EA GOOD power sensor nsn 6625011278723
14 EA NEW meters nsn 6625011365155

1 EA NEW Tip nsn 6625011631624
1 EA NEW Burkett-Young meter nsn 6625011755848
2 EA NEW Yokogawa meters nsn 6625012559074
1 EA NEW meter nsn 6625013161203
1 EA NEW circuit card nsn 6660000073579
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2 EA NEW transformers nsn 6660010791170
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2 EA NEW Yokogawa meter p/n 251420RXRY nsn 6625011577875
4 EA NEW multimeter p/n 2800-0041 nsn 6652000573064
1 EA GOOD Intercontinental Dynamics p/n 28135-002, ALTI meter tester # 38-281 nsn 662500ACO4407
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5 EA NEW R.F. Coil p/n 3742 25-1 nsn 5950001453995
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1 EA NEW TI p/n 40060-1 power inductor
8 EA NEW meters p/n 4377-00 nsn 6625008185114
1 EA NEW Brush p/n 44440051 magnetic head
1 EA NEW amp meter p/n 458029900 nsn 6625008221459
2 EA GOOD Circuit cards p/n 50-103021 PZUAAB nsn 6625011691812
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1 EA GOOD p/n F402C-5A wind speed indicator nsn 6660008804960
5 EA NEW window p/n FL4831 nsn 6660006219607
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1 EA NEW API # 261C meter nsn 6625005805898
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1 EA FAIR Bendix # MI-32A amplifier

1 EA FAIR Bendix RT-131A Radar power unit
1 EA FAIR Bendix Radar mockup RDR-1200 # 6028A-001 nsn 691000ACO1047
1 EA GOOD Bendix # 2036284-0503 (2041215-1103) Radar indicator
1 EA GOOD Bendix # 2041029-3301 VOR receiver nsn 9058002607239
1 EA GOOD Bendix # FCC-SMTR-DATA, RT-1401B nsn 5821012682064
1 EA GOOD Bendix # FCT-12B Doppler counter nsn 6625009318828
1 EA GOOD Bendix # RTT-12B Doppler test pannel nsn 6625009318827
1 EA GOOD Bendix # RTT-41A nsn 662500ACO4219
1 EA GOOD Bendix # RVG-33A VOR audio generator nsn 662500ACO5073
1 EA GOOD Bendix ALT-12C doppler anteana load nsn 6625009318831
1 EA GOOD Bendix VID # 9410 test set nsn 6625013086446
1 EA GOOD Bendix VOR audio generator # 2070810-3302 nsn 6625010227542
2 EA GOOD Bendix # RTT-41A VHF transciever nsn 662500ACO4219
5 EA GOOD Bendix VHF transceiver # 2067210-4112 "RTA 41D"
1 EA FAIR Benrous watch VHF O-scope # 5196 nsn 66255008672141
1 EA GOOD Benrus Watch # 5196A O-scope nsn 6625006787166
1 EA GOOD Bertan Assoc # 1221 high voltage
1 EA GOOD Biddle # 21159 nsn 6625001413558
1 EA GOOD Biddle Cat # 247000-11 ohmmeter nsn 6652012375872
1 EA GOOD Biddle cat # 15572-1
1 EA GOOD Biddle digital low resistance ohm meter # 247000-11 nsn 6652012375872
1 EA GOOD Biddle megger insulation tester
1 EA GOOD Biddle ohm meter cat # 21159 nsn 66250014123558
1 EA POOR Biddle # 159 nsn 6625001413558
3 EA GOOD Biddle # 21159 insulation tester nsn 6625001413558
4 EA GOOD Biddle cat # 21159 ohm meter nsn 6625001413558
9 EA NEW Biddle wheatstone bridge and interruptor test set cat. # 72-433
3 EA NEW Biddle cat # 250579 ground resistance tester acc. kit nsn 6625010787307
2 EA GOOD Biomotion # 1650D digital logic recorder nsn 6625010663359
1 EA Biotronics volt meter p/n 890-5
1 EA GOOD Biotronics AC voltmeter
1 EA GOOD Bitronics a-s volt meter nsn 6625000272481
5 EA NEW Bitronics # plastic/5/ac voh meter nsn 6625000272481
1 EA GOOD Boeing # F72785-1 elevator rutter test set # 727 nsn 662500ACO1681
1 EA FAIR Boonton # 260A Q-meter nsn 6625006686200
1 EA FAIR Boonton # 59 meggacycle meter
1 EA GOOD Boonton # 202J FM-AM signal generator nsn 6625009538219
1 EA GOOD Boonton # 215E signal generator
1 EA GOOD Boonton # 65B signal generator
1 EA GOOD Boston # R50 motor speed control nsn 6640000001412
1 EA GOOD Boston ratio motor input 750 rpm output 29.2 rpm with 1 EA. Century # DN68C-F 1/2 horse motor
1 EA GOOD Bruno-New York Ind phase rotation ABC-ACB nsn 6625007253536
1 EA GOOD Brush # BL-117 motor drive
1 EA NEW Brush p/n 44440051 magnetic head
1 EA NEW Burkett-Young meter nsn 6625011755848
1 EA GOOD C & G # 10035-1 sensor translator P# 17130, meter gone
1 EA GOOD C & G digital time code display
4 EA POOR C&G # 10046 time code display
6 EA C&G # 10035-1 Altimeter sensor transulator nsn 6660011668741

1 EA POOR C&G associate # 10035-1 sensor translator
1 EA NEW CCA # 708687-02 nsn 6660000073575
1 EA GOOD CTI # DTS-531P distortion analyzer P# 100609-501 nsn 6625003186434
1 EA NEW Cable # 12250D nsn 6625010613381
1 EA GOOD Cancellation bridge p/n 0397097-0001 nsn 6625013158025
3 EA NEW Canfield voltmeter nsn 6625009822626
11 EA NEW Canfield elect. # 1N434 indicator nsn 5961005048587
1 EA GOOD Carlson # CST712 3 station tester
3 EA NEW Case/Prime volt meter p/n 200R 4902 nsn 6625011798082
2 EA NEW Cat. # 201 nsn 6625006494589
1 EA FAIR Century # 472E-1 recorder nsn 5826004650856
1 EA FAIR Century chart recorder P# 7956 472 recorder nsn 5826004650856
1 EA FAIR Century recorder # 472E-1) # 7956 nsn 582500ACO1055
1 EA GOOD Century # 444 Ocillograph
1 EA GOOD Chain Lakes Research # 8139 RF modulation monitor nsn 6625001621624
1 EA GOOD Chain lakes research # 8142 doppler VOR 5B antenna monit. nsn 6625004650789
6 EA GOOD Circuit card assy nsn 5895004775019
10 EA Circuit cards p/n 310903-1 nsn 9000002100172
2 EA GOOD Circuit cards p/n 50-103021 PZUAAB nsn 6625011691812
30 EA Circuit cards nsn 6625004438086
43 EA Circuit cards p/n 928706-1 nsn 9000002100142
6 EA Circuit cards p/n 917575-2 nsn 9000002100137
9 EA Circuit cards p/n 919332-1 nsn 90000021001388
1 EA GOOD Cole-Parmer chemcadet PH meter/controler # 5652-00 nsn 662500ACO4664
1 EA Collins dual RMI # 332C-1
1 EA FAIR Collins # 678P-1 radio harness test set nsn 662500ACO4222, parts missing
1 EA GOOD Collins # 329B-7A flight director indicatior nsn 5895010491976
1 EA GOOD Collins # 477U-2 ADF antenna simulator, nsn 662500ACO4398
1 EA GOOD Collins # 477V3 fault isolation panel nsn 662500ACO3132
1 EA GOOD Collins # 562C-5 Auto pilot amplifier nsn 6615011710219
1 EA GOOD Collins # 618T radio
1 EA GOOD Collins # 67821 nsn 662500ACO4223
1 EA GOOD Collins # 680-J-1 spectrum generator nsn 5820003252336
1 EA GOOD Collins # 971F-1 test set nsn 662500ACC1642
1 EA GOOD Collins # 980L-1 test set, plugin gone, nsn 4920004902549
1 EA GOOD Collins # AAR 51Y-4 nsn 5826004613530
1 EA GOOD Collins RT-1163/A radio transciever # 618M-2
1 EA GOOD Collins tester #B34C6 nsn 662500ACO3669
1 EA POOR Collins # ARCQA nsn 691000ACO1065
2 EA GOOD Collins p/n 792-6083-005 nsn 5895011481667
4 EA NEW Collins amp meter nsn 6625003193003
1 EA GOOD Collins (Rockwell) type 478A-2, # ZIFOR II, P# 522-3626 zero phase-VOR indicator
3 EA NEW Collins Radio # 1120 nsn 6625008129785
1 EA GOOD Collinss # 346B-3 audio test panel p/n 6026A-001 nsn 5500001080133
1 EA GOOD Computer Components # 5241 audio attenuator nsn 6625013134410
94 EA NEW Concord plug-in pin nsn 6625011655914
1 EA EXCELLENT Consolidated Airborne # TF889 fuel quanity tester nsn 6625010881831
1 EA GOOD Consolidated Engineering # 1-110BM8
4 EA NEW Cramer # 691 time totalizer
3 EA NEW Crompton meter # 362 nsn 6625011181281

1 EA FAIR Cutler-Hammer # 8636 Glide slope
1 EA GOOD Cutler-Hammer # AN-TPM-36 elect. circuit test set nsn 6625004827195
1 EA GOOD Cutler-Hammer # AN-TPM-37 power supply test set "8" nsn 6625004444393
2 EA GOOD Cutler-Hammer # AN-TPM-32 video signal processor nsn 6625004444390
1 EA NEW D.C. Kilovolt meter p/n M-1404 nsn 6625011237975
16 EA NEW DAC osolator # OSC-49-11
1 EA GOOD DED tester # 2366-12 nsn 6625010704971
3 EA NEW DME Air to ground reciever modification kit nsn 6210013190616
1 EA GOOD DTC # 8080
1 EA GOOD DTC test probe # 4502
2 EA GOOD DY4 # SX:909-004 power supply
4 EA FAIR Daben # op182 power output meter nsn 6625009725124
1 EA FAIR Dana # 2000 VOM
1 EA GOOD Dana # 351-D autohet counter nsn 9066002555992
1 EA FAIR Data Com # 8081 battery test panel missing parts
1 EA EXCELLENT Data Products # DMS 303 Analyzer nsn 6625002148420 looks
200 EA NEW Data Products # 93950000-200 sual channel CAU 4200 synchronizer nsn
58995011741687
3 EA NEW Data Products # DMS-303A data test set nsn 6625002148420
3 EA NEW Data Products # DMS-303A data test set analyzer
1 EA GOOD Data Pulse # 102 pulse generator nsn 6625009432888
1 EA GOOD Datagraph recorder CEC HR 2012 nsn 583500ACO1130
1 EA GOOD Daven power output meter # OP-961
2 EA GOOD Daven # OP-182 power output meter nsn 6625009725124
24 EA FAIR/POOR David Clark # H-133C-AIC Headset-microphone nsn 5965002267870
1 EA FAIR Decade resistance box
1 EA FAIR Delcon # 5448 Modulation monitor nsn 6625000144488
1 EA POOR Delcon # 5448 Modulation monitor nsn 662500014488
1 EA GOOD Descender amplifer p/n 686724-1
23 EA NEW Dialight LED nsn 6625012432082
1 EA GOOD Digital TU80 & RA81 computer w/ LP26 printer
5 EA NEW Digital indicator display panel # SP333 nsn 6625010423219
3 EA GOOD Digitech # 5647 Digital pattern generator nsn 6625009117949
1 EA GOOD Doric # 130 a-c meter nsn 6625011259392
1 EA GOOD Doric # 130A capacitance meter nsn 6625011259392
1 EA GOOD Dumont 1062 Oscope nsn 6625003192980
4 EA GOOD Dumont delaying sweep # 74-13A plug-ins, nsn 6625008925279
1 EA Dymec klystron w/ HPH # H281A adapter (signal generator) nsn 6625008779484
1 EA GOOD Dymec # 5636 H-Band signal generator (klystron) nsn 6625008779484
1 EA GOOD Dynamic AC line corrector # LC-1241B
3 EA NEW Dynetech digital patch cord nsn 6625012296796
2 EA NEW E F Johnson electronic module # 908181 nsn 5820010204795
3 EA NEW E&R Electric Pincer Tip nsn 6625001499418
11 EA GOOD Eaton # 512312-1 AC/DC power module
2 EA GOOD Eico # 950 capacitance bridge
1 EA GOOD Electra DPM meter #11B nsn 6625000104605
58 EA NEW Electrical cover # DPXB-60 nsn 5935012146153
1 EA GOOD Electrohome Electronics color monitor # 38-D03402-60 nsn 7025-00-?
1 EA GOOD Electronic Brasing # 178C Ignition Harness tester nsn 662500ACO1724
1 EA GOOD Elgar # 1001A AC power source

1 EA GOOD Elgar # 1751 AC power source nsn 662500ACO3820
25 EA NEW Emico DB meter nsn 6625012325886
1 EA GOOD Empire devices # T-2-NF-105 tuning unit
6 EA GOOD Empro 1000 amp shunt nsn 9066002579921
1 EA GOOD Engine test set p/n50-76A-001 nsn 662500ACO1677
1 EA EXCELLENT Environmental Tech Corp Autotech GRS-1 industrial audiometer with TP-1 printer
1 EA GOOD Esterline Angus # 9471-1 nsn 6625013156244
2 EA GOOD Esterline-Angus universal current transformer # D
1 EA GOOD Esterling Angus # AW55-65 multiplier
24 EA NEW Extender card # 907724-1 nsn 6625004762205
6 EA NEW Extender card # 101845 nsn 6625002675426
3 EA FAIR F.M.D. # ac-7-7411 amp meter (Triplett 636)
1 EA GOOD F.M.D. Triplett # 880 VOM w.probbes
8 EA GOOD FEL # WDA 940 .96-4.26 Ghz freq. meter (wave meter # 536A) nsn 6625009666728
1 EA FAIR Fairchild # 766H O-scope w. 74-03A & 76-02A plug-in, nsn 6625009240336 good
1 EA GOOD Fairchild # 76-02A plug-in
1 EA GOOD Fairchild 74-13A plug-in nsn 6625008925279
1 EA GOOD Fairchild plug-in nsn 6625008925280
1 EA GOOD Fairchild time base # 74-03A plug-in
15 EA GOOD Fairchild # 76-02A dual trace plug-ins nsn 6625008925280
29 EA GOOD Fairchild # 766H O-scope w/ 76-02A & 74-03A & 74-13 plug-ins nsn 6625009240334
1 EA FAIR Federal Telephone & Radio # CA1366 probe detector
1 EA Fluke p/n 9000A7201
1 EA GOOD Fluke # 801-600 current probe
1 EA GOOD Fluke # 8100A multimeter nsn 6625004334234
1 EA GOOD Fluke # 845AR volt meter nsn 6625002577561
1 EA GOOD Fluke 335D voltage standard/null detector nsn 6625003615246
1 EA GOOD Fluke 8120A multi-meter nsn 6625003228664
1 EA POOR Fluke # 8000A multi-meter nsn 6625002107584
1 EA POOR Fluke # 8520A
1 EA POOR Fluke digital freq. counter # 1920A
3 EA GOOD Fluke # 8300A voltmeter nsn 6625013129834
1 EA FAIR Flux meter type TS-15A-AP nsn 6625001789580
1 EA GOOD Freed # 1110A-B inductance bridge
1 EA GOOD Freed transformer # 1115 inductance bridge nsn 662500ACO1076
1 EA GOOD Freq. Standards # 1217-G wave meter 1200-1700 MC nsn 6625005534422
1 EA FAIR G.E. type AP-12 # 8AP12VIBBI
3 EA NEW G.E. 3000 AC volt meter p/n 50-103021-PZ-UA2 nsn 6625003271154
1 EA G.E. watt meter cat # 50-103-25 AAB40 nsn 6625011989628
1 EA GOOD GE # 8DB-18A-Y2365 DC amp meter
1 EA FAIR GRM # 817 transmitter
1 EA GOOD GRM # 9334-1A audio unit type AU2400A
1 EA GOOD GRM # 9334-A1 audio unit
1 EA GOOD GRM # 9334-A1 audio unit
2 EA FAIR GRM # PSM-24-5 power supply type 9334-12
3 EA GOOD GRM # ASU-2400S ATCT selector unit type 9334-5
1 EA GOOD Garrett TTU 205/E temperature, pressure test set P# 607330-3-1 nsn 4920000656114 in metal case
7 EA NEW Gasket p/n adp-ded883-3 nsn6625001837258

1 EA FAIR Gauss meter # 1295-A
1 EA GOOD General Commucations # CY/1156-UPM-4A type 7272 nsn 6625008672154
1 EA FAIR General Electric # H7 Halogen leak detector nsn 662500ACO1154
12,000 EA NEW General Electric # 6EB8 IF power amplifier tube nsn 5960008798174
2 EA GOOD General Electric # 6RW142YN2 transformer rectifier nsn 6130000340544
1 EA FAIR General Microwave # 451 power meter nsn 6625007391394
1 EA GOOD General Microwave # 451-1 power meter nsn 6625009259398
2 EA GOOD General Microwave # 451 power meter
2 EA GOOD General Microwave # 451 power meters nsn 6625009259398
1 EA GOOD General Motors # 6506545 Control analyzer nsn 662000ACO1004
1 EA General Radio output power meter # 583A nsn 6625000866282
1 EA FAIR General Radio # 583A power meter nsn 6625001514230
1 EA FAIR General Radio # 583A power meter nsn 6625001514230
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 1568A wave analyzer nsn 6625009743558 some parts gone
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 583A power meter
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 583A power meter nsn 6625001514230
1 EA GOOD General Radio # 760B sound amalyzer nsn 6625006695371
1 EA GOOD General Radio # MD-1 fuel quanity gage tester P# P-579
1 EA GOOD General Radio # W10MT3W Variac transformer
1 EA GOOD General Radio # W5-MT-3W variac transformer
1 EA GOOD General Radio impedance bridge # 1650A nsn 6625004446084
2 EA FAIR General Radio # W5MT3
3 EA GOOD General Radio # 583-A putput power meter nsn 6625001514230
1 EA FAIR General radio 650A impedance bridge nsn 6625002440503
1 EA GOOD GeorgeVoron # Vo-41 capacity resistance analizer
1 EA GOOD Glatzer # EBC-DF-88B
2 EA GOOD Glatzer # EBC-BR-15D
3 EA NEW Gould # K100-D probe acessory cable nsn 6625013043510
1 EA GOOD Gould Biomation logic analyzer nsn 6625011368482
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 01611-62101, 8 bit external data probe
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 200AB oscilator nsn 6625005192384
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 200AB Oscillator nsn 6625005192384
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 211AR Sq. wave generator nsn 6625006488340
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 214A signal generator nsn 6625006827452
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 428A DC amp meter nsn 6625007980659
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 606A Signal generator nsn 6625008190472
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 623B signal generator nsn 6625000743751
1 EA GOOD H.P. # 650A Oscillator nsn 6625005398584
1 EA GOOD H.P. # H487B thermistor mount nsn 6625005323650
1 EA GOOD H.P. # H532A freq. meter nsn 6625007308570
1 EA GOOD H.P. #10020A resistive divider kit
1 EA GOOD H.P. 13037 disc controller
1 EA GOOD H.P. 355D vhf atenuator
1 EA GOOD H.P. 489A microwave amplifier 1.0-2.0 Ghz nsn 6625000797045
1 EA GOOD H.P. 5245L electronic counter w/ 5252A prescaler
1 EA GOOD H.P. 614A UHF signal generator nsn 6625005530433
1 EA GOOD H.P. 626A SHF signal generator
1 EA GOOD H.P. 8080 micro processor probe
1 EA GOOD H.P. service cable p/n 08410-60067
1 EA GOOD H.P. test adapter A-2209-45, 08410-60109

1 EA NEW H.P. 1802-A plug-in nsn 6625004647744
1 EA NEW H.P. cable assy probe p/n 086160605 nsn 6625002320919
1 EA NEW H.P. transformer nsn 6660010791170
1 ea GOOD H.P. # 715A power supply nsn 66250055?7288
102 EA NEW H.P. # 5083-3552 Oscope tube nsn 5960006158001
16 EA NEW H.P. # 5083-1752 Oscope tube nsn 5960001374734
18 EA NEW H.P. handle p/n 5060-8737 nsn 6625008184575
2 EA GOOD H.P. # 3112B voltmeter nsn 6625010415591
2 EA GOOD H.P. 5255A plug-in 3-12.4 Ghz nsn 6625001300066
2 EA NEW H.P. carrying cases nsn 6625013112712
36 EA GOOD H.P. 5262A plug-ins, some with H.P. 10006D probes nsn 6625009670460
4 EA GOOD H.P. 7035B recorder nsn 6625004636042
1 EA NEW H.P. 8080 emulator processor circuit card
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3900 w/option 4, w/# 3901 communication test system, plugin gone
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3912 plug-in nsn 6625011347234
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3925B-232 plug-in
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3926 plug-in w/ option 4
1 EA GOOD HLI # 3928-1 plug-in
1 EA NEW HLI # 3941-A plug-in nsn 6625012579509
2 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3911 plug-in
2 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3914 plug-in
2 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3941A plug-in
2 EA GOOD HLI # 3913 nsn 66250111350350
2 EA NEW HLI p/n 3928-1 plug-in nsn 6625013160369
3 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3922A plug-in
3 EA EXCELLENT HLI # 3927-1 plug-in
3 EA GOOD HLI # 3925C-232 plug-in nsn 6625013110514
3 EA GOOD HLI #3921 nsn 6625011350349
4 EA NEW HLI #3926 Plug-in nsn 6625011797719 w/manual,
1 EA FAIR HP # 1720A O-scope parts missing nsn 6625010344783
1 EA GOOD HP # 1615A logic state analyzer nsn 6625010258323
1 EA GOOD HP # 200CD Oscillator, 1 broken knob,
1 EA GOOD HP # 200CD oscillator nsn 6625005757737
1 EA GOOD HP # 400D volt meter nsn 6625006431670
1 EA GOOD HP # 410B volt meter
1 EA GOOD HP # 427A voltmeter nsn 6625001350407
1 EA GOOD HP # 428A DC ampmeter w/probe nsn 6625007980659
1 EA GOOD HP # 435B power meter nsn 6625010335050
1 EA GOOD HP # 616-B UHF signal generator
1 EA GOOD HP # 8690B plugin gone, nsn 6625004423470
1 EA GOOD HP # H03-302A wave analyzer nsn 6625009743558
1 EA GOOD HP # PL-1186A plug-in
1 EA GOOD HP 200AV audio oscillator
1 EA GOOD HP 312A voltmeter nsn 6625006897685
1 EA GOOD HP 3440-A voltmeter w/o plug-in
1 EA GOOD HP 5326B counter
1 EA POOR HP # 411A voltmeter nsn 6625000668522
13 EA GOOD HP # 650A oscillators nsn 6625005398584
2 EA GOOD HP # 1611A logic state analyzer nsn 662500AC01134
2 EA GOOD HP # 3440A volt meter, plug-in gone, nsn 6625000132630

2 EA GOOD HP # 400L voltmeter nsn 6625007296907
2 EA GOOD HP # 614A UHF signal generator nsn 6625003515958
2 EA GOOD HP # HO3-302A wave analyzer nsn 6625009743558
2 EA GOOD HP 312A voltmeter nsn 6625006897685
2 EA POOR HP # H4878 thermothermistor M. nsn 6625005323650
3 EA GOOD HP # 10248C 8 Bit probe
3 EA GOOD HP # 616B signal generator nsn 6625007528622
3 EA GOOD HP 1802A dual channel vertical amplifer, 100Mhz plug-in, nsn 6625004647744
4 EA GOOD HP # 623B nsn 6625003042326
6 EA GOOD HP 623B test set nsn 9066002515159
8 EA GOOD HP # 623B signal generator nsn 6625000743751
9 EA GOOD HP audio oscillator # 200AB nsn 6625005192384
1 EA GOOD HP frequency counter # 5345A plug-in gone nsn 6625005314752
1 EA GOOD Halcyon # 515A data line test set nsn 6625004499244
1 EA GOOD Halcyon # 519A nsn 6625004438086
1 EA GOOD Halcyon # HC500A-515A data line test set
19 EA GOOD Halcyon # 519A remote transmission test set nsn 6625004438086
5 EA GOOD Halcyon 519A Remote retransmission system nsn 6625004438086 , -few but.
1 EA GOOD Harris # 2020 Vector voltmeter nsn 6625004599472
1 EA FAIR Harris PRD 2020 vector volt meter nsn 6625004599472
1 EA GOOD Harris PRD electronics # 2021
1 EA GOOD Hartron coil checker # 0910336
1 EA FAIR Hazeltine # 4DTD155394 test set nsn 6625013134115
1 EA GOOD Heath kit # ET-3100 Design experimenter
1 EA GOOD Heath kit # ET-3200 Design experimenter
1 EA GOOD Heath kit # ET-3400 Micro computer learning system
2 EA NEW Heating element # V30000020 nnsn 6660009324705
1 EA GOOD Heller # S50T motor control
112 EA NEW Herman H Smith test probe # 303 nsn 6625006432799
1 EA EXCELLENT Hickok # 1890M transistor tester nsn 6625009933389
1 EA GOOD Hickox # 539B tube tester nsn 6625005530248
3 EA GOOD Holtzer-Cabot # 10BA insulation tester nsn 6625009711228
4 EA GOOD Holtzer-Cabot # 10B insulation resistance tester nsn 9266002524579
2 EA GOOD Holtzer-cabot # 10M
1 EA GOOD Honeywell p/n 3003-000-2-00-0111 digital power supply
1 EA GOOD Hunt # F-420C-PS power supply
1 EA POOR Huntron tracker # HTR1005B-15
1 EA GOOD Hydro-space Corp # 7650001 Radio antenna theodilite nsn 6625007866154
1 EA POOR Hydrospace system # 7843 Theodolite telemetric trans. ant. nsn 662500ACO4289
1 EA GOOD IRT # ADR-400 Multi Bus nsn 6150-00-?
24 EA NEW ITC # 7010-004 Elasped time indicator nsn 6625013235282
1 EA ITT p/n JAN5948A klystron tube nsn 5960007525384
4 EA NEW ITT test leads p/n 1236-60-2 nsn 6625004441137
70 EA NEW ITT 8 pin octal test socket adapter # TUS-8 nsn 6625008181651
9 EA NEW ITT Pomona # 2401 shielded box (BNCF-F-M) nsn 6625002231923
5 EA NEW Ideal Precision VU audio meters, P# 250P1-5217 nsn 6625000032907
1 EA GOOD Industrial instruments # MP1 power meter nsn 6625009647231
1 EA GOOD Inmac cable p/n 5S904/310-2C
8 EA NEW Insulator # 710295-04 nsn 6660012025801
1 EA GOOD Intel # MCS-85 system design kit

1 EA FAIR Intercontinental Dynamics p/n 29794-003 # 880-29794 nsn 662500ACO4406
1 EA GOOD Intercontinental Dynamics p/n 28135-002, ALTI meter tester # 38-281 nsn 662500ACO4407
1 EA GOOD Intergraph 36 x 48 H.P. Digital table IV32 w/32C computer & 2 monitors
1 EA GOOD Inverter # 47 panel nsn 693000ACO1095
3 EA NEW Jewall meters # MS3T
2 EA NEW Jewell # 53N Amp meter nsn 6625009736509
2 EA KAY PM7650 plug-ins nsn 6625003185972
6 EA NEW Kavovras # 8038-04-00 Color generator board nsn 6660012506983
4 EA GOOD Kay # 154AF marka-sweep w/ PM 7650 plug-ins(2 missing), nsn 6625009415144
4 EA GOOD Kay Elect. # PM7650 plug-ins nsn 6625003185972
2 EA GOOD Kay marka-sweep 154CFA w/1 EA. PM 7650A plugin nsn 6625003185972
1 EA FAIR Kear Fott angulator position indicator test set # KT-427469-1,nsn 6625005653860
1 EA GOOD Kepco # SC-32-15A Power supply
1 EA NEW Kit nsn 6625001377738
3 EA NEW Kits for Actbi-4 Power meter nsn 0000000120573
1 EA GOOD Koeler # 1555-1A wheat charger
2 EA 1 POOR/1 GOOD Kollsman # 1130-019 Barometer
1 EA LDC fluoro monitorIII # 90217101 nsn 664400ACO1590
1 EA GOOD LDJ # 511 Gauss meter nsn 662500ACO4181
18 EA NEW LED p/n SP-333 nsn 6625010423219
1 EA GOOD LSI Serria # 127C frequency selective voltmeter nsn 662500WPO0037
1 EA GOOD Lamda-max # 481LC spectraophoto meter nsn 662500ACO4704
1 EA GOOD Leland air borne motor/generator P# 07639-MGE-23-413 nsn 6125000203217
14 EA NEW Lens stop # A5866 nsn 6660010768231
2 EA GOOD Linaire # LI-5 conntrol panel
1 EA Litton airrrflow measurrre plate p/n 451945-01
2 EA FAIR Litton battery unit # CA154-2
1 EA GOOD Logimetrics # 921A RF signal generator nsn 6625004336477
1 EA GOOD Logimetrics # 921A signal generator, gage missing
1 EA GOOD Loral # 553 O-scope nsn 6625007153888
1 EA GOOD M.E. # RA40-30-01 DC power supply
1 EA GOOD M.E.I. (Marion) # M2 meter tester nsn 6625005858006
1 EA GOOD MPX FM demodulator # 3149 nsn 662500ACO4943
22 EA NEW Magnasync # 044-0006 transister socket nsn 5935000684665
1 EA FAIR Magnasync/Moviola # 605 nsn 6645011142200
663 EA NEW Malory Capacitor Co # CGGS652V050V3C capitor nsn 5910010576720
2 EA GOOD Marking amplifer nsn 6660007832107
1 EA GOOD Master gauge # 100-3 (0-10,000)
1 EA GOOD McDonald Douglas # 5916816-1 linear servo actutor nsn 662500ACO1738
1 EA GOOD McDonald-Douglas # 5916817501 Elect-thermal switchtester nsn 662500ACO1733
1 EA GOOD Megger insulation tester nsn 6625000938189
1 EA GOOD Mensor air data test set nsn 662500ACO1737
1 EA GOOD Mensor quartz manometer nsn 662500ACO3176
2 EA GOOD Meridan # 8094 Glide slope test set nsn 6625004352153
1 EA Meter nsn 6625009736509
1 EA NEW Meter nsn 6625009736509
8 EA NEW Meter Mod # 458029900 nsn 6625008221459
1 EA GOOD Micom microoo 7400 protocol converter, 8 port nsn 702500ACO1619
1 EA GOOD Micro processor w/ Intel chips nsn 702500ACO5970

1 EA GOOD Milro control wind speed retransmitter
1 EA GOOD Milro windspeed & direction transmitter # 326800
3 EA EXCELLENT Mine Safety Appliances #361 automatic gas alarm P#486253 nsn 66655012642246 hydrogne sulfide, combustible gas & oxygen alarm system (T.O. 11H5-33-1)
2 EA NEW Miscorp # 2991B292A16 Amp meter nsn 6625004825618
9 EA NEW Modification Kit nsn 0000000120350
1 EA GOOD Monsanto #1107 plug-in
1 EA GOOD Monsanto counter # 100500A w/ 1104A-101 plug-in nsn 6625001568371
1 EA GOOD Monsanto time interval # 1107 nsn 6625010421390
1 EA GOOD Motorola codex 6 port modem # 47050
1 EA NEW Motorola p/n SKN6012BPR
2 EA GOOD NEC # TTS-37B nsn 6625009185721
47 EA GOOD NEC # TTS-37B nsn 6625009135721
54 EA GOOD NEC # TTS-37BAQ-CN transmitter test set nsn 6625009185721
8,000 EA NEW National Semiconductor # M38510/00103BDA digital microcircuit nsn 5960003658353
1 EA NEW Nautel #523 voltmeter
1 EA NEW Nautel power meter # 523-W
1 EA FAIR Nems-Clark modulation monitor # 5168 nsn 6625000144488
10 EA NEW Nortec # SP100 test leads nsn 6625002450391
1 EA FAIR Northeast # TTS-44 transmission test set nsn 6625011036524
1 EA GOOD Northern Precision # 1700-6412 azimuth data converter nsn 7030004029426
1 EA GOOD OAC # OSC 49-11 crystal oscillator
1 EA NEW OCC relay nsn 5945009737992
22 EA NEW OCC Relays p/n 8QA516A2 nsn 5945009737992
1 EA EXCELLENT Olympus # 1900222 inspection scope
1 EA GOOD Olympus # ALS150U Xenogen light source
50 EA NEW P # TL1510-71-1 circuit card assy. nsn 6625004762206
2 EA NEW PRB-10020A nsn 6625001741732
2 EA GOOD PRD Electronics # 587-A microwave tuning cavity nsn 6625007549476
1 EA FAIR Pace # PPS-100A soldering center nsn 343900ACO1001
1 EA NEW Pace # 7004-0006 # PFP-40 Fuse tester-maker system + 1 EA. used machine and P# Advanced 6993- 0077 nsn 592000fusemaker
3 EA GOOD Pace desoldering station # SX214A nsn 3439005565525
1 EA Packard Bell # TS-1809 transponder tester P# SM-D-568353 nsn 6110012153750 good
7 EA NEW Panel # 91451212 nsn 6660011752193
1 EA GOOD Peer # 5163 transmitter control panel nsn 6625008673250
8 EA NEW Philips p/n 8926 10:1 passive probe nsn 6625013109153
1 EA GOOD Pioneer photo-tach # 12 RPM meter
1 EA GOOD Pitney Bowes # 771-592 embosser nsn 749000embosser
1 EA GOOD Plotomatic # 715
5 EA GOOD Poeing P # 2A14209A-102-20 AN/AWM-40A launch simulator
1 EA Polarad # 1107E-FT signal generator (P-O1607E-FWTJ) nsn 6625010970642 good
1 EA GOOD Polarad # 1108A-QS (P-01358A-1-2 test set) W/ FM adapter # 1041-1-2 signal generator nsn 6625013042326
2 EA Polarad # 1108A-QS w/# 1041-1-2 adaptor nsn 6625013042326 looks great
2 EA GOOD Polarad # 1509 10-15.5 Ghz freq. doubler w/ 2 EA.# 1207E 3.7-8.4 Ghz signal source, W/2 EA.# 1020A modulator nsn 6625010972232
4 EA Polarad # 1105BT sig. generator w/# 1020T modulator nsn 6625013156242 good
7 EA GOOD Polarad signal generators, # 1105B, with # 1020-T Moduator nsn 6625013156242 , a

few knobs missing
9 EA Polarad # 1105B signal generator W/ 1020-T modulator nsn 6625013156242 good
35 EA GOOD Polard # 1105E-L signal generator w/ 10 EA. # 1020A modulator
2 EA NEW Pomona # TBS-7 socket adapter nsn 6625005041457
1 EA GOOD Power Instruments # 2000 line frequency meter
1 EA GOOD Power System Corp. # MPC-110530308 Micro power center
1 EA Power supply # MON-N221447-1 nsn 6625006490062
1 EA GOOD Power supply # 5712010 nsn 6130004900496
1 EA GOOD Power supply # 7600647-2 nsn 9061003075929
1 EA NEW Power supply nsn 6660010732334
1 EA GOOD Power-One component type custom rectifier
5 EA NEW R F switch nsn 6625010380808
1 EA GOOD R&S Navs measure head p/n 200-871-50 nsn 6625013134375
5 EA NEW R.F. Coil p/n 3742 25-1 nsn 5950001453995
7 EA NEW R.F. amp meter nsn 6625008672795
1 EA GOOD RD # 1600B ohm meter nsn 6625008529631
1 EA GOOD RFL # 1207 assecessor box
1 EA GOOD RFL # 829 test set nsn 6625006231747
1 EA GOOD RMS # GR 33-1 chart recorder
1 EA EXCELLENT Racal-Dana # 1203 universal switch controller
3 EA GOOD Radio Freq Lab p/n CA1412 vhf probe nsn 6625000861113
1 EA Raytheon # 463016-1 power supply nsn 6130005444882
76,800 EA NEW Raytheon # JAN 6418 electron tube nsn 5960006440299
1 EA GOOD Reaction # 6050 Theodolite telemetric transmitter
1 EA GOOD Reaction # 8993 modulator nsn 5825011132457
1 EA GOOD Reaction Instruments # 9505A-01 theodolite telemetric transmitter
2 EA NEW Receiving Cowl # 710286-01 nsn 6660010761568
1 EA GOOD Rockwell # 7585069001 signal analyzer
11 EA GOOD Rockwell # 702D-1MW calibrator
3 EA GOOD Rockwell # 70D2-1MW deviation calibrator
4 EA GOOD Rohde Schwarz NAUS measure head nsn 92660025980311
10 EA NEW Roller press # 4402573 nsn 6625013076581
1 EA GOOD Roxter # 5900 power supply
2 EA GOOD Runway visual range projector power supply # 8998-1 nsn 6660010732334
8 EA NEW Runway Visiability meter # 451-9165-1 nsn 6660009439780
1 EA GOOD Rycom # 2785-1 transmitter
1 EA GOOD Sango-Weston signal cond. 06141-assy-41883
1 EA GOOD Schroff test adapter # 20800-171
1 EA GOOD Seattle Technical Precision ILS Calibrator
1 EA GOOD Semcor # RC115 Capacitor analyzer nsn 6625002265318
2 EA GOOD Semcor # RC-115 capacitor analyzer nsn 6625002265318
2 EA GOOD Semcor # RC115 capacitor analayzer
1 EA GOOD Sensitive Research Instrument DC voltmeter DCHI nsn 6625000547670
8 EA NEW Sentorion test lead # 204-18W nsn 6625010912065
4 EA 1 POOR/3 GOOD Servo # 7008-3 transfer unit
4 EA GOOD Servo transciever # 7008-3
1 EA NEW Shunt assy # 281965-0001 nsn 6625011625196
1 EA Sierra p/n 7124-7135-1 Tacan flight check
1 EA GOOD Sierra # 219B transister tester
1 EA Sierra research radio beacon test set # AN-VRM-506A, P# 7124-01-60-5, -plugin
1 EA GOOD Sierra research # 7801, sans-706 Tacan test panel nsn 662500ACO5145

1 EA GOOD Signal generator # TS418C-U
1 EA GOOD Signal generator # TS510A-U
1 EA FAIR Simpson # 388 thermo meter w/probes
1 EA GOOD Simpson # 260 VOM nsn 6625009853951
11 EA NEW Simpson # 59-1330 amp meter nsn 6625001279935
23 EA NEW Simpson # 1227 meter nsn 6625011089610
24 EA NEW Simpson amp meter p/n 1227 cat# 04310 nsn 6625001161632
3 EA NEW Simpson #1227 meters nsn 6625011181077
3 EA NEW Simpson 160 carring case cat # 2225 nsn 6625010222219061
5 EA FAIR Simpson # 1227 meters cat # 4320
8 EA NEW Simpson # 27 p/n S08119 nsn 6625000863660
8 EA NEW Simpson meter # 1327 nsn 66250020455951
8 EA NEW Simpson meter cat # 2123 p/n 534792-1 nsn 6625000053827
2 EA NEW Simpson Ameter p/n 152-1501 nsn 6625006493660
7 EA NEW Simpson amp meter # 2122 nsn 6625000053825
5 EA NEW Simpson meter # 534793-1 p/n 509741 nsn 6625000243748
8 EA NEW Socket Kit # 583529-1 nsn 5935002141863
1 EA GOOD Sola constant voltage transformer cat# 23-22-125
1 EA FAIR Solid state controls # T-2+45A cables for doppler test system, P# 85-T-20-450-00 data sheild turbo 2+ standby power system
2 EA GOOD Solid state swithcing test set # 73PCB nsn 662500ACO3565
1 EA GOOD Sony # RM4444 nsn 582000ACO1283
1 EA FAIR Sonycraft # 9758-2 power supply transcribed wheather broadcast equip.
2 EA FAIR Sonycraft # 9758-1 control panel
1 EA GOOD Spectral dynamics corp. # 13300 SD-311
17 EA NEW Spectrum analyzer touch pad control p/n 2478
2 EA GOOD Sperry # 12X1 freq. meter nsn 6625008856663
2 EA GOOD Sperry vibration analyzer P# 1784471-901 nsn 6625002265699
2 EA NEW Sperry # 90536-7156533 circuit card assbly. nsn 5998011556989
1 EA GOOD Sperry DASI sensor/translation unit nsn 6685010996688
1 EA EXCELLENT Sprague # TO-6A Capacitor Analyzer nsn 6625009015601 looks
1 EA GOOD Sprague # TO-5 Capacitor analyzer nsn 662500ACO5348
4 EA GOOD Stancil Hoffman # TCR-89-4 recorder
4 EA Stancil-Hoffman Atis recorder # TRC89 w/# CU-89 plugin nsn 5835010286325
3 EA GOOD Standard Electric # 500B Variac
1 EA GOOD Stromberg-Carlson XY system portable test set code 19 nsn 6625008698894
2 EA NEW Struthers # 100567 Watt meter nsn 6625005776361
1 EA GOOD Sundstrand data control field test set P# 951-0190-006 nsn 662500ACO1712
2 EA GOOD Sunstrand p/n 160935-203 nsn 1650012954848
1 EA GOOD Sunstrand Barc field tester p/n 9510195001 nsn 662500ACO1713
1 EA GOOD Surf indicator brush 6 # BL-110-57-2170 nsn 662500ACO1299
5 EA NEW Switchcraft TT-166 patch cord nsn 6625012313925
1 EA GOOD Systems Inc. # 5166 ILS test set nsn 6625007771435
2 EA GOOD Systrom-Donner # 1255A plug-in nsn 6625001900329
1 EA GOOD Systron Donner # 1948A video amp. nsn 6625001189218
2 EA GOOD Systron-Donner # 1037M5J1 ditigal counter w/ video amplifer # 1948A nsn 6625003831448
1 EA GOOD Syva Qst sample processor # 50015
7 EA NEW T. H. Giftt circuit board p/n 1934 nsn 6660010347166
2 EA NEW T.H. Gifft p/n 1933 PSU circuit board for IRBC ceilometer recorder nsn

6660010347165
18 EA GOOD T.I. XFM 400031-1 power transformer nsn 5950009737034
5 EA NEW T.I. dial plates p/n 49-6822 nsn 6625001694434
1 EA NEW TI p/n 40060-1 power inductor
1 EA GOOD TL # 101 curve tracer
25 EA NEW TRW bearings p/n R6FF nsn 3110006798920
1 EA GOOD Tasker # 8169, ACTRBS-1-R Radar site test set, nsn 6625004633522
1 EA FAIR Techimcon fast-lc pupm w/ HPLC cartage p/n 167-A020-01B
4 EA NEW Technical Services Lab # 1043-221 Air Flow Sensor assbly. nsn 6660012948727
1 EA GOOD Technicon Fast-LC programmer Chromatograph nsn 664000ACO1485
7 EA Technology Inc. # 710-9000W external modem looks new
1 EA GOOD Tekronix data probe p/n P6451 nsn 6625011515699
15 EA GOOD Tektronic # 317 O-scope nsn 6625009711236
2 EA Tektronic # AM-6565-U plug-ins nsn 6625001069625 looks great
1 EA EXCELLENT Tektronix 5111A Oscope w/ 2 EA. 5A15N amplifiers & 1 EA. 5B10N time base
1 EA FAIR Tektronix # 7403-N O-scope, plug-in gone
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # 515-A O-scope nsn 6625005855665
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # 561A O-scope w/ 3A1 & 3B3 plug-ins nsn 6625009915126
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # 7613 Oscope, missing plug-in, nsn 6652003307082
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # OS-245"P-U" O-scope w/ 7B & 53A & 2 EA AM-6565-U plug-ins, nsn 6625001069623
1 EA GOOD Tektronix # RM561A O-scope w/3A6 & 3B3 plug-ins, nsn 6625002474461
1 EA GOOD Tektronix AM-6565-U plug-in nsn 6625001069625
5 EA GOOD Tektronix 500A # 66 mobile Oscope carts
7 EA GOOD Tektronix # 317 O-scope nsn 6625012754766
96 EA NEW Tektronix implosion shields, mfg code 80009, p/n 337-2122-00 nsn 6625010644896
3 EA GOOD Telephonics test set nsn 6625013134115
1 EA GOOD Telequipment # D-54 O-scope
65 EA NEW Teletype Corp # 15044LVR Levers nsn 3040003701018
3 EA GOOD Teletype corp key boards nsn 90580015164401
1 EA GOOD Teline Radio # 9771 oscilator
4 EA NEW Test adapter # 59-4 black nsn 6625000190119
48 EA GOOD Test probe # 250C 302 nsn 6625004726538
1 EA GOOD Texas Instruments # 4918 monitor display, tube gone,
84 EA NEW Texas Instruments # 822188-1 circuit boards nsn 6625004438086
1 EA NEW Tip nsn 6625011631624
2 EA GOOD Topaz uninterruptible power systems, P# 84462
1 EA FAIR Trigger generator # 6625 nsn 6625000234082
1 EA GOOD Triplett # 630 PLK voltmeter
1 EA GOOD Triplett high voltage probe # T-79-68
1 EA NEW Triplett # 10 probe p/n 79-415
10 EA GOOD Triplett # 630 VOM
13 EA NEW Triplett p/n 79214 nsn 6625010537681
15 EA GOOD Triplett vom meter # 60-NA
16 EA NEW Triplett # 1521494 meter nsn 6625001694434
2 EA GOOD Triplett # HP 459A high voltage probe (# T-7969)
3 EA GOOD Triplett # 60-NA voltmeter
3 EA GOOD Triplett # 630-NS multi-meter
3 EA NEW Triplett cat # 331S meters nsn 6625000237385
3 EA NEW Triplett high voltage probe p/n 79-292 nsn 6625003270704
3 EA NEW Triplett volt meter p/n 152-1638 nsn 6625007618501

35 EA NEW Triplett probe leads # 10 type 2 p/n 79-415
5 EA GOOD Triplett # 60NA VOM
6 EA GOOD Triplett # 60 VOM
7 EA FAIR Triplett # 630-NA vom nsn 6625008287828
9 EA NEW Triplett amp meters # 330-G p/n 10047-1600 nsn 6625011289279
1 EA GOOD Triplett VOM # 801 nsn 6625012623494
66 EA NEW Triplett output probe # 79-446 nsn 6625011586100
7 EA GOOD Triplett probes # 801 nsn 6625003136775
1 EA FAIR Tull # TAC-1001 converter
1 EA GOOD U.D.S. # 900 comtest nsn9066002512464
1 EA GOOD USON # 540 leak detector with power supply nsn 4940009284698
46 EA NEW United Technology transformer p/n HCA-350
8 EA GOOD Universal Data System comtest P# CEX17C
1 EA GOOD Univox power supply # 9619
2 EA GOOD Univox amplifer # 9618-1 nsn 8200003001011
2 EA NEW Univox linear amplifer # 9615-1
1 EA GOOD VII signal source # 1207A CCTB bar dot mixer nsn 6625011467663
4 EA NEW VU meter nsn 6625008896148
7 EA GOOD Vaislal humidity probe # 25U nsn 6625011541306
13 EA NEW Valtronics DC kilovolts meter # 63-0852-0001 nsn 6625011113848
2 EA GOOD Varian # 1400 aerograph (chromatograph) nsn 663000ACO1025
2 EA GOOD Vector voltmeter # 2020-20215 nsn 6625004599472
8 EA Viz meter p/n 9200-129 nsn 6625004452742 look good
7 EA GOOD Voltage multiplier p/n 8800-3262 nsn 6625004874038
1 EA GOOD Vought SM-639/ASM inertial measurement set
1 EA GOOD W-S temp control # 607936-1-2
25 EA NEW Warning stickers nsn 9905010433630
1 EA NEW Watts antenna p/n L906-65A nsn 6625013160366
1 EA GOOD Weinschel # 430A sweep oscillator, plugin gone, nsn 6625010429480
1 EA GOOD Weinschel # 64A step attenuator
1 EA GOOD Weinschel # HO-A Heterodyne mixer nsn 662500ACO3312
1 EA GOOD Weinschel coaxial step attenuator # 64A nsn 6625009274466
4 EA NEW Weschler # RT351RFA meter nsn 6625000862598
5 EA NEW Weschler volt meters nsn 6625009822626
1 EA GOOD Wesson # 432 watt meter
1 EA GOOD Wesson # 433 amp meter (AC)
1 EA GOOD Wesson DC amp meter
1 EA GOOD Wesson Watt meter
3 EA GOOD Wesson # 433 AC voltmeters
1 EA FAIR Westinghouse AC voltmeter # 4740-2010306
1 EA GOOD Westinghouse # PX-151 voltmeter
1 EA GOOD Westinghouse # PY5 amp meter
2 EA GOOD Westinghouse # PV-130 potential transformer
2 EA NEW Westinghouse # 347D636G01 nsn 66250130087296
1 EA GOOD Westom ac amp meter # 433
1 EA EXCELLENT Weston # 666 V-O-M
1 EA FAIR Weston # 931 amp meter nsn 6625008287828
1 EA GOOD Weston # 666 multimeter nsn 6625011743180
1 EA GOOD Weston # 901 volt meter
1 EA GOOD Weston # 931 amp meter nsn 6625008287828

1 EA POOR Weston # 931 voltmeter
15 EA GOOD Weston (Dixson) meter # 2521 p/n 267848
19 EA NEW Weston VOM 666 cat. # 2714060-6818 nsn 6625011743180
4 EA NEW Westoon # 814 freq. meter nsn 6625002410069
4 EA GOOD Wiltron AM/FM signal generators # 630 nsn 6625001105896 -1 plugin
1 EA GOOD Winslow # 301 test set
1 EA GOOD Xtal Oscillator # 8004290G2 Manufacturer Code # 99828
5 EA NEW Yogokowa hertz panel meter nsn 6625010314735
1 EA NEW Yokogawa meter DC amp p/n 250400mt
1 EA NEW Yokogawa p/n 50-152141MTMT2 nsn 6625011342207
3 EA NEW Yokogawa # 136102018 panel meter nsn 6625002556259
4 EA NEW Yokogawa amp meter p/n 512X43 msm 6625008706771
4 EA NEW Yokogawa meters p/n 50-250200mt nsn 6625011764555
6 EA NEW Yokogawa # YE-250-2 meters nsn 66250110574199
2 EA NEW Yokogawa meter p/n 251420RXRY nsn 6625011577875
2 EA NEW Yokogawa meter p/n 50-162111MTMT nsn 6625000895767
2 EA NEW Yokogawa meters nsn 6625012559074
1 EA GOOD Zenith inteq fax machine
1 EA GOOD Zero dual blower # ZP14492-1
1 EA NEW amp meter nsn 6625011080805
1 EA NEW amp meter p/n 458029900 nsn 6625008221459
2 EA NEW amp meter # 635 nsn 6625003270727
2 EA NEW amp meter p/n 908194 nsn 6625009379172
3 EA NEW amp meter # 3218 nsn 6625008186206
4 EA NEW amp meter # MR36W5U5DCAAR nsn 6625005421537
4 EA NEW amp meter p/n MMT-A710282 nsn 6625000679026
5 EA NEW amp meter p/n A30-007715 nsn 6625013042443
6 EA NEW amp meter p/n 908194 nsn 66250093791172
8 EA NEW amp meter # 75DCMA nsn 6625000276904
2 EA NEW amp meters nsn 6625011249713
3 EA NEW amplifers p/n 045223 nsn 6625005766214
100 EA NEW bearings nsn 3110007123106
30 EA NEW bearings nsn 3110000278576
5 EA NEW bearings nsn 3110005165246
11 EA NEW bolt meter p/n DM-3100B-1 nsn 6625011161632
7 EA NEW circuit boards p/n 918120-2 nsn 9000002100108
1 EA NEW circuit card nsn 6660000073579
1 EA NEW circuit card assy # CCA708683-01 nsn 6660000073571
2 EA NEW circuit card assy # 708849-01 nsn 6660000073564
5 EA NEW circuit card assy # 86113A035 nsn 5998010110456
102 EA NEW circuit cards p/n 907626-1 nsn 9000002100124
2 EA NEW circuit cards nsn 6660000073579
4 EA NEW circuit cards p/n 907753-2 nsn 9000002100326
45 EA NEW circuits cards nsn 6625009185721
1 EA NEW connecting box p/n 2401 nsn 6625002231923
2 EA NEW curved glass p/n K210-MS305 nsn 6660009074625
54 EA NEW deck board extender p/n 83-00021450-8 nsn 6625012112850
5 EA NEW electrical adapter plug nsn 5935005069756
55 EA NEW extension card p/n 9077-1 nsn 6625004762206
5 EA NEW extension cards p/n 951622-1 nsn 6625012202194

3 EA NEW handle p/n 66-10008-15 nsn 6625011185115
8 EA NEW holders p/n HLP1086 nsn 6250011389844
4 EA NEW kits nsn 0000000120642
5 EA NEW kits nsn 0000000120689
1 EA NEW meter nsn 6625013161203
1 EA NEW meter p/n 50251 440 LSSF nsn 6625011577885
1 EA NEW meter p/n 63-0852-0001 nsn 6625011113848
17 EA NEW meter p/n 907748-1 nsn 6625001757758
2 EA NEW meter gauges # 133-7052 nsn 6625011133667
9 EA NEW meter gauges nsn 6625011139120
10 EA NEW meters p/n M-1404 nsn 6625011237975
14 EA NEW meters nsn 6625011365155
3 EA NEW meters # TA-52 nsn 6625011189916
8 EA NEW meters p/n 4377-00 nsn 6625008185114
2 EA NEW mfg code 27197 ac volt meter p/n 400923-1
1 EA NEW modification kit p/n 5539593 nsn 6625010166761
4 EA NEW multimeter p/n 2800-0041 nsn 6652000573064
2 EA NEW noise generator nsn 5895007232912
350 EA NEW nuts nsn 5310011471624
1 EA GOOD phase splitter emergency beacon # EBC120-0
700 EA NEW plastic bushing nsn 5325010510121
17 EA NEW plastic foots nsn 6625010234999
40 EA NEW plastic scope cover nsn 9066002586596
10 EA NEW plastic washers nsn 5310010055328
2 EA GOOD plug-in extensions nsn 6625010184100
1 EA GOOD power sensor nsn 6625011278723
1 EA GOOD power supply p/n 711705-01 nsn 6660010732334
1 EA NEW probe detector p/n 10850-B nsn 6625010409511
12 EA NEW probe jaw p/n 5060-0416 nsn 6625003247460
100 EA NEW probe tip p/n 8510-128-1 nsn 6625013136567
25 EA NEW probe tip p/n 3005-7412 nsn 6625003748407
5 EA NEW probes # LP7678-1 nsn 6625011800523
6 EA NEW probes # KJ12044-1
1 EA FAIR receiver panel p/n 669183-1 nsn 9000002101104
8 EA NEW reflectors p/n 2182BH nsn 6660009074631
14 EA NEW sheild p/n 337-1700-00 nsn 6625011238332
4 EA NEW simpson meters nsn 6625001661048
12 EA NEW spring p/n 9A0309-2 nsn 66600089551142
1 EA GOOD syncro unit nsn 5895013059571
1 EA GOOD test adapter nsn 6625004959735
186 EA NEW test adapter nsn 6625003136564
2 EA NEW test extension cards p/n 7890 050-01 nsn 6625011825291
1 EA NEW test lead nsn 6625000728637
17 EA NEW test probe nsn 6625004712800
30 EA NEW test probe p/n XM-black-IAW nsn 6625010709420
35 EA NEW test probe p/n XMRED nsn 6625010628248
40 EA NEW test probe nsn 6625011125966
1 EA NEW toggle switch # 8832K6 nsn 5930006157897
4 EA NEW tracer ditigal current p/n 547A nsn 6625010450376
2 EA GOOD transformer nsn 6625009078009

2 EA NEW transformers nsn 6660010791170
6 EA GOOD transformers nsn 6660010791170
3 EA NEW volt meter p/n 291562-2 nsn 6625006689518
8 EA NEW volt meter p/n 0-1DCKV-RND nsn 6625000237520
6 EA NEW volt meter gauge nsn 6625002939986
1 EA FAIR vom meter # 1-166
3 EA NEW wheel p/n 319859-1 nsn 6625010050719
5 EA NEW window p/n FL4831 nsn 6660006219607

6071. RADIO SHOW!!! IMPORTANT!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: JClot64367@aol.com
Message-ID: <866387805.30569@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172907

I work in a radio in France and since May I'm a new user in Internet. IF YOU SPEAK A LITTLE FRENCH and if you want to participate to my show every Saturday, send me a *.wav file 11025Khz mono 16bit and tell me about classment of music in your countries. TIME LIMITED 90sec Your intervention will be diffused in France! If you want information JClot64367@aol.com Thank you.

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6072. FS: ICOM 735 and accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marty Purselley <brewer@flash.net>
Message-ID: <01bc79a2$46f119c0$ee091ed1@default>
Source record: 172908

FOR SALE:

ICOM 735 HF Transceiver (160m-10m general coverage receive)
-Includes: manual, mobile mounting bracket, scanning microphone,
DC power cord, and Fox tango CW filter
PS-55 matching power supply
AT150 Automatic Antenna tuner

All equipment is like new. Non smoker and never mobile.

Asking $800.00 OBO

Email if interested or need more details

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6073. FS: MFJ-1270CQ W?WARRANTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Johnson <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc79a7$91708120$f28d56cf@tee-jay>
Source record: 172909

Hello All;
I'm selling the "MFJ-1270CQ: MFJ TNC-2 Packet Controller Turbo Plus"
with the 9600bps modem installed. This tnc/modem has all the features
of the "MFJ-1270C" plus builtin 9600bps G3RUH modem for 9600bps AX.25
and 9600bps AFSK operations.
The MFJ-1270CQ is fully TAPR TNC-2 compatible with KISS interface,
MFJ Host mode * Anti-collision technology * Enhanced personal Mailbox
Plus Much more.
Included are all original docs, manuals, box and accessories. This
unit is still under MFJ's Unlimited 100% Warranty. It has less than
4 hours use. It's Basicly New Out Of The Box!..Reason 4 Sale: I just
bought the new AEA/Timewave DSP-2232 that includes all PacSat modes,
Wefax, SSTV & more.. Also I am a non-smoker
New it sells for around $229.99 +shipping. Asking $195 +shipping.
All cash offers will be considered..
Please call 1-609-386-9382 10am to 10pm Eastern Time..
Or RE: via Email to: n2rif@amsat.org
Packet: N2RIF@WM2F.SNJ.NJ.USA.NA
Thank You For Reading My Bulletin
de Thom J aka T.j.
....73

6074. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A4B3A6.6015@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172910

Jerry,
Steve is not making this up, look at the 706 Mark II
display, when the backlight is set low , you can see
the outlined Letters of the unactivated in thee Upper Left
say DSP, ANF, and NR. Does not take a genius to figure that
out, and that 10 pin connector and space for the module!!
73

Mike

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> In <33A35178.2EF5@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> filled with himself and multiple dilusions writes:
> >
> >Yes the Icom 706 MK II had DSP built in but then Icom decided to scrap
> >it. If you own a IC-706 you will see on the LCD the words "DSP" and
> >"NR"(noise reduction).
> >If you look at the bottom PCB of the radio you will see a 10 pin
> >Phenolic connector. there is also a 2x3 space for the DSP shilded PCB
> >I just got another confirmation from a Icom (outside the USA)
> informent.
> >I had to use my special "INTERIGATION" methods on him. He is
> >recuperating nicely at a nearby hospital.
> > What I got from him before he passed out was that Icom was going to
> >offer this DSP as an option for $??? and You would simply plug in
> the
> >PCB just like the other options on the IC-706 MK II (CTCSS
> decode,voice
> >synthesizer etc. You set the IC-706 MK II setup so the radio knows the
> >DSP is installed in the radio. I wish ICOM would try to get the DSP
> unit
> >to work and offer it to the Ham customers. I would buy it if it were
> >under $200 (you can buy a timewave DSP 9+ for $200.
> >
> >Gary Fiber from Icom may tell you guys that what I am saying is not
> >true. Remember who told you guys about the Icom 706 Mk II long before
> it
> >was announced ! Also I clearly remember Gary Fiber saying that Icom
> had
> >no plans on making the IC-706 Mark II. Hee Hee. You guys know who to
> >believe.
>
> Actually Steve we do remember your "Mark II" story and are still
> waiting for the 70cm coverage you promised. Does making this stuff up

> make you feel important? Remember EVERYTHING you post to the news
> groups is available on Dejanews so you can't change the story later.
>
> As the sign down at the feed store says, "I'm a bit of a BSer myself
> but I really appreciate watching a professional at work."
>
> BTW please no more romantic stuff to my email I don't appreciate the
> threats or the profanity, thank you.
>
> Jerry
> >
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6075. Re: My Maha NiMH battery experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wagner@neo.lrun.com.anti-spam
Message-ID: <33a41a6c.1771916@news-server>
Source record: 172911

>On Thu, 12 Jun 1997 07:05:41 +0100, Matt Staroscik
><staroscik@sowest.net> wrote:
>
>>I got a Maha MH-FNB-38 NiMH battery today for my Yaesu FT-51R. It's a
>>650mAh, 9.6V nickel metal hydride pack, and is basically a clone of the
>>factory Yaesu NiCd pack.
>>
>>When I got it home, I quick-charged it. It only charged for about 30
>>minutes before my NC-50 rapid charger said it was full. That's odd,
>>because the factory pack charges for about 1 hour. I started using the
>>radio, but the pack went dead early. Also, the battery checker in the 51
>>incorrectly identified it as a type 31 battery, even though the voltage
>>looked like a 38 (that is, starting at about 11V).
>>
>>I emailed Maha earlier today and explained all this to them, and I got
>>mail back tonight at about 10:30. They told me that a NiMH pack that has
>>been in storage for some months may be "asleep" and it should be cycled
>>about 5 times to break it in. While it is "asleep" its charging
>>characteristics will confuse the quick charger and cause it to stop
>>charging early.
>>
>>While the jury's still out on the battery, the customer service is good.
>>I'll post a follow-up once the battery is broken in. I hope it works
>>out.
>>
>>--
>>Matt Staroscik KF6IYW "It's not a doll -
>>staroscik@sowest.net it's an ACTION FIGURE."

I bought the 7.2V 650maH MaHa NiMH for my FT-50 at Dayton and like it so far. I stopped at the MaHa booth at Dayton and asked their techies about charging the battery in my Yaesu NC-50 quick charger.

They said they have tested their packs with the Yaesu NC-50. They also told me the only drawback was that the quick charge will only take the pack up to about 80%. If you want a full 100% charge, the pack should be left in for an additional 3 to 4 hours after the NC-50 charger switches to trickle. If you look at the sorry excuse for a manual that came with the NC-50, they say about the same thing even for NiCds. I've found this to be true in practice so far also, both for the Yaesu NiCds and MaHa NiMH packs.

I've noticed in QST that there are a couple of manufacturers that now sell chargers that do both NiMH and NiCds, and they look strikingly similar to the Yausu NC-50...as in they scratched the Yaesu logo off

and put on their own.

On the sleep theory, I didn't have that with the MaHa battery, but I have found with my new laptop NiMh battery that it needed about 5 cycles to get it up to capacity. I suspect it was on a shelf for a year before I bought it.

Wagner@neo.lrun.com John Wagner Amateur Radio N8CD
remove .anti-spam from end of reply-to address when replying

6076. WTB: Filters for FT-1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc79ac$dd3057c0$6b50b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 172912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for both 250 filters and the Collins 500 hz filter for the
Yaesu FT-1000MP.

e-mail to nu6x@sedona.net or call 520-284-6848

Thanks Mark NU6X

6077. FS: IC-251a all mode 2 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <33A4192E.457F@southeast.net>
Source record: 172913

For sale:

Icom IC-251a all mode 2 meter rig.

10 watts.

Excellent condition.

$350

Contact: Tom Martin
KM4CU
904-381-6538 days
904-695-0510 evenings

6078. Wanted: Paddles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615170301.NAA03899@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172914

Looking for paddles Describe condition, model, price. Tks Gerry

6079. Re: Rotor plate that fits in the middle of a section.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33A42119.5F5F@erols.com>
Source record: 172915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Peter D. Richeson wrote:
>
> I am looking for a rotor plate that will fit in the middle of a section
> of ron 25g tower. I have a yeasu rotor and it will fit but the standard
> mounting plate will not. Does any one know of such a thing. Thanks.
> --
> ____
> Peter D. Richeson/KA5COI| Email: peter.d.richeson@boeing.com |
> 499 boeing Blv. | Inside http://matrix.hv.boeing.com/~richesop|
> Huntsvlle, Al 35824 | Outside http://www.traveller.com/~richesop |
> M/S JR-10 | Phone (205)461-2603 |
> ---+
> "I don't believe in a no-win scenaro." - Admiral James T. Kirk |
> I do not speak for any one but me, and some times not even for me. |
> ---+
Rohn does make such a thing. They also make a "rotor" top section for
the 25G with an internal rotor mount. Most distributors should have both
these available.

6080. WTB: ICOM IC-2KL LINEAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Jankowski <russja@stratos.net>
Message-ID: <33A425DD.E1AF5648@stratos.net>
Source record: 172916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Hello ALL!!

I am looking for an ICOM IC-2KL LINEAR AMP & Matching power supply. The OPC-118 cable would be welcomed also. Let me know what you have.

Tnx in advance,

WA8DXK -- Russ

6081. F.S. YAESU FT-890AT HF *******

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Baker <gbaker@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <33A42891.7690@pacifier.com>
Source record: 172917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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6082. FS: Quantics W9GR DSP unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2upX@bellatlantic.net
Message-ID: <5o1ah9$2fb@world6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 172918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS: Quantics W9GR DSP unit. This unit was originally featured in 9/92
QST. I've upgraded it to the 10 function unit. The unit will fit in
many speaker enclosures. Mine was mounted in a Yaesu SP-5. The
controls are mounted on the "freq response" plate, so if you have a
Yaesu speaker, this would slide right in.
Asking $75 + shipping. Barry W2UP, e-mail: w2up "at" bellatlantic.net
(trying to skirt the spam bots)

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Note - Remove the X from my e-mail address for direct replies

6083. WTB: HP 3326 Function generator and HP859X spectrum analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KI6QP <stuart@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <33A429F0.627C@ricochet.net>
Source record: 172919

-- I am looking for a Hewlett Packard 3336 generator and 8593E ar 8594E
spectrum analyzer. If you have either or know someone who does, I would
appreciate a call/e-mail.
Thanks.

** Stuart Rumley
Phone: 415/369-0575 *
* 308 Nevada Street Fax: 415/369-0575 *
* Redwood City CA 94062 e-mail: stuart@ricochet.net *
* +
****

6084. test post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com
Message-ID: <5o19qfcnj1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 172920

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6085. Antenna for Kenwood Th 79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Chao <rc168@msn.com>
Message-ID: <5o17dpofk1@nnrp4.snfc21.pbi.net>
Source record: 172921

I just pruchased a TH 79. I would like to know what kind of handheld
antenna is good for this model. THANKS!

6086. Re: DXbase '97-was operator error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Reid <jreid@aloha.net>
Message-ID: <01bc79b9$15a24d00$28070ccf@kh7m>
Source record: 172922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

RICK <rick258s@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article

> I found my problem. It was related to a statement I had in my
> autoexec.bat file. Now have DXbase '97 up and running and I really like
> it. It is a wonderful program just like all the dos versions before it.
> I highly recomend the program. Rick

Yes, but I understand you must put the CD back in the
drive every third time you start the program!? Most of us
wish to leave one of the call sign data base CDs in the
drive just about all the time. According to the author,
that is just the way it is, copyright protection, I guess.

73, Jim, KH7M

6087. Want FT-920 Comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A43FB2.3699@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172923

Looking for Yaesu FT-920 comments. I am looking at buying either the
Icom 756 or the Yaesu FT-920 soon.

6088. FS: Kenwood TS-940S-AT with extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve2@theonramp.net
Message-ID: <33a4407d.0@208.136.0.6>
Source record: 172924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For Sale:
Mint Condition Kenwood TS-940S-AT
extras include:
IF-10B Eprom for computer interface installed
IF-232C Interface unit for computer connection
500hz CW filter

original owner
have boxes and all manuals

$1350 shipped

Please email me if interested at steve2@theonramp.net

Thanks,
Steve Muenich, NA5C
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6089. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a4424d.33639486@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 15 Jun 1997 09:04:46 -0400, Mike Volz <mvolz@avci.net> wrote:
>Grady Russell wrote:
>>
>> Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter
>> transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on
>> brands?
>
>Last I looked, a company called Hamtronics sold them.

I wouldn't recomend them. Cheap is as cheap does.

Gary
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Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6090. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a43555.30319089@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172926

On Sat, 14 Jun 1997 09:57:44 GMT, john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney) wrote:
>It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
>designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.

Like an S100 box? Is big, bulky, and clunky what we really want?
What sells would seem to contradict that idea. If that's what
hams wanted, most would own big, clunky Ten-Tec boxes filled
mostly with air and an assortment of modules wired together with
connectors that suffer chronic oxidation problems leading to
infuriating intermittant behavior. But most hams seem to like
nice compact little radios which are highly integrated.

>As consumers, we should INSIST upon it and help these manufacturers
>design what we REALLY WANT.
>
>Who wants to be hosed every year as new models come out and
>transcend the features that they just invested in...are we supposed
>to buy new radios every year?

Well, apparently amateurs do, since they seem willing to chunk the
radio that they "just had to have" last year in the garbage and buy this
year's model. The manufacturers and ham stores like that, of course,
since it keeps them in business. Amateurs seem to like it too, why
else would they scrap radios that made them delirious with joy only
a year ago?

>The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
>upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!

Modular hardware will add cost and bulk (and likely reduce reliability). Is that
what amateurs really want? It appears to me that the demand is for more compact
and inexpensive radios instead. It can cost less, and take less bulk, to produce
highly integrated radios than it would to produce highly modular and configurable
radios. How many people bought an IC900 in preference to a compact dual bander
they can hold in their hand?

I agree that firmware should be upgradable. But how much of that really exists?
It appears that upgraded firmware only appears when upgraded hardware requires
it. That won't retrofit into a radio without the upgraded hardware (see hardware
above). Bugfixes should be issued when needed, but that appears to be relatively
seldom.

As to why the radios aren't designed in the US, there are two answers to that.
The first is the obvious one that they aren't built here. But there is a more
important reason as well. And that is that the US amateur market is a relatively
small percentage of the world amateur market. The radios we buy aren't designed

exclusively for us (unless they are 222 MHz radios). They are designed for a world market which may have other priorities (regulatory as well as operational) than we do in how they think a radio should work.

Note that I tend to agree with you that there are some really brain dead decisions made in the amateur market from time to time. But I don't think that's exclusively the fault of the manufacturers. They're in the business to sell radios, and as long as we buy them, they're happy campers.

And I think that they *do* listen to what we want. I'd say the IC706 Mk II is an example of that. They fixed almost everything we didn't like about the original radio while retaining everything we did like about the older radio. If they weren't listening, then why the Mk II? Now I know you want them to "upgrade" your old radio, but is that realistic? They've apparently made changes to every board in the radio to fix the things we didn't like, and wrote some new firmware to drive it. If they offered an upgrade, the only thing left from the older radio would be the case. It is likely that the labor to do the upgrade would make the upgrade cost more than a new radio. Does that make any sense to you? It doesn't to me.

I've modified my 706 to solve the problems it had which annoyed me. And I throughly enjoyed doing so. It challenged me to examine where the (IMHO) mistakes were made and to develop fixes for them. There are a few things the Mk II offers which would be nice to have, but I can live with the old radio as modified by me. So I'm not going to be a lemming
and toss it in the trash and spend $1200 to get those few features. I hang onto my IC735 for
the same reason. It does what I need in a sufficiently competent way. Sure, I like some of the
features of the new IC756, but I don't like them $2,000 worth. If you do, fine, go buy one. I'll
wait until I can buy it from you for half price because you just have to have next year's model.
Then I'll modify it if it does things that annoy me. I don't expect to be able to upgrade my
IC735 to an IC756 in any other way.

Gary
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Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6091. Re: FT-50r reset sequence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: paems1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615202800.QAA21393@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172927

You must push the knob down and push the mom button in while turning the power button on all at the same time.
Mark

6092. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <5nvfak$g27@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 172967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

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Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

_____
30-54 R8190 R8150
148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. You can also get Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectrom SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model UHF VHF-high VHF-low

SM-301 X X X
SM-302 X X
SM-303 X X
SM-304 X X

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) /
10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)

6093. FS: Yaesu FT10/40/50 Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615013400.VAA05572@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172968

Yaesu ADMS-1C Program Software. FT10/40/50 $25 Shipped
Yaesu EDC-5B 12V Cig liter cord w/noise filter, for FT10/40/50 $17.50 Shipped
Yaesu CN-2 BNC to SMA adaptor. $5 Shipped

All of these items were purchased new in Mar 97. ADMC-1C used once to program FT-10R. Other two items never used. EDC-5B still in sealed package. Sold the FT-10R and other accessories, don"t need these.

Van,
WB0NZV

wb0nzv@aol.com

6094. Re: Any Commercial 2-Way Newsgroups ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: subbustr@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <5nvh3o$27q@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 172969

try rec.radio.commerical-lmr

Oak Harbor,WA
98277
subbustr@whidbey.net
de VE7-LFA/W7

6095. Looking to buy Blue LED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpc004@kktv.com
Message-ID: <5nvil2$n7t$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 172970

Hello All,

I am looking to buy some Blue LED's but the mail order place I
bought them from doesn't advertise in Nuts'n'Volts. They are
in St. Louis but don't remeber their name or 800 number.

I would appreciate any info.

Thanks,

Brad - N9DTL / ZF2UG

6096. Re: New Icom 706 mkII IMPROVED!!!, (DSP Ready?? Maybe !!))

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A3EA19.7628@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172971

Joe ,

I have an Icom 706 Mark II, and previously had the
original IC-706.

I really like the 706 Mark II, it is very much improved
over the original IC-706 in design!!

The Mark II VHF 60-200Mhz receiver was greatly improved
in many ways.

The New Icom 706 Mark II is major changed radio and
simple mods done to a 706 will not make it a Mark II.

These are my observations on the New Icom 706 Mark II
from a technical side.

Icom fixed the 60-200Mhz receiver, to be more sensitive.
The new Mark II has additional selective front end filtering
to cut out image response(means better than 3dB improvement
in RF to IF noise Figure).

A quick inspection in the Mark II has a new VHF RF Front
End (60-200Mhz), with additional preselect varactor tuned stage
to cut out images. Use to see Aircraft band 118-135 portion get
blasted by FM BC band. If you turned on the preamp, the signal
got actually noisier while the S-meter went up. Now its just the
opposite, when using the preamp, ithe signal gets more quieting
in the receiver, and S-meter goes up!!(like it should).

Additional, the front end has two back to back diodes to
protect the front end from 6 meter tx, along which is a shunt
diode to mute the 60-200Mhz front end when operating the HF-6
meter portion (prevent front end damage to high RF signals.
If you on 2 meters and transmit with another mobile on two
next to each other, well that may be ?? to how much you can
protect the receiver. This change really helps the RF burnout
issue on the original 706's if mistreated. Still use my Comet
duplexer with the next 706, as well as the old 706, and never
had a front end die. My suggestion to you is get that duplexer
or just have one antenna at a time on the radio, use a coax switch!!
Just have to exercise a little caution and common sense, and you
original 706 front end should last as long as you have the radio!!
I use the Duplexer or switch method on the new Mark II. You can not
pump watts into the front end, it's just plain semiconductor physics
my friend. Use a little prevention, and you will not have problems.

Also the FM broadcast WFM 88-108 reception was improved greatly!!
If you put a long wire on the FM BC band (88-108) and had many strong
FM BC signals into the IF spaced close together, the IF filter was
not sufficient to separate the signals and would mix and you could
hear 2 - 3 FM BC stations while listening to to FM BC station.
Now the the Icom 706 Mark II, this was fixed, now the radio hears
only one station, does not exhibit this with the new IF filters!!
Additionally, the S meter now works in the FM BC-Band on WFM along
with the spectrum Scope, (original 706 did not). The also increased
the Scope to have a 0.1MHz steps which is handy in the FM BC-Band!!

The transmit audio is much better, with with wider SSB filter
than the orignal 706 and changes to the Microphone/Audio circuitry.
NO more comments that Alinco's sound's better, Actually I think the
new Icom 706 Mark II tx audio is even slightly better than the DX-70,
which I have!!

You can now cross band tx between bands, before the original 706
could not!!

They added the Tone CTCSS PL Squelch receive, which is really nice
on busy VHF frequencies.

The Power Amplifier has been modified to a new design to have
thermal shutdown protection if it gets too hot!!, along with
a thermal Fan switch. The Ip3 performance has been improved with
a new Bipolar Design on the 706 Mark II, as opposed to the MOSFET
PA used in the original 706 with less Linearity.
Also, the casual ham will not notice this, but if you turn on the
706 Mark II, and set the display to the low light Setting ond tilt the
LCD display , you will see the words DSP , ANF, and NF. It does not
take a genius to figure this out. We all may see an DSP option being
offered for the Mark II. These labels are seen since LCD displays
employ liquid films that change densisity due to the chage presented
to them, while unactivated looking straight on, seem invisable, but at
an angle the fine sub micron film depth relects light slightly
different to to the properties optical light transmission through
different thickness films. When activated the thickness is changed due
to the charge and the LCD display becomes visable. For appliance
operators that are not enginneres, this is the simplest explanation.
Tjhe point here is that the Icom 706 Mark II, possible will have a
SP board option. Looking one the Botton is a 10 pin connector next to
the audio section of J4 and a section about 2inch by 3inch to accomodate
a possible audio DSP module. I know this will be denied by Icom and be
called a plug as a test point!!! (But they even denied there was
a Icom 706 Mark II)!!!
So my friends, I am waiting for the DSP option.

Moving along, I went to London to try the 706 and 706 Mark II
before it made it's day in the USA and found that the HF reciever
seemed better on 20meters, almost like less IF gain, anyway, to
listen the radio with the new lager speaker in it, it sounds
much better!

The noise blanker on the old 706 was useless, thre new Icom
706 Mark II noise blanker, really works well in the car on
auto noise type pulses and on AM can be switched off. I could
never use the original NB on SSB with strong signals with the old
706, Now the new Noise Blanker works quite well.
I like the 20Watts on the New Mark II as opposed to 10Watts, I
use the Mirage B2530 Amplifier and get near 300 watts out for 144MHz
SSB work!!!.
I really like the quick menu for band change and the new RIT functions.
Anyway, everyone knows of the applicance operator improvements.
The meessage here is about the technica improvements in the New
706 Mark II versus the original 706 from an engineer's
perpective!!

Hope this helps you, waiting for DSP option .
73

Mike

The Front end seems more selective, by inspection between
the 706 and Mark II, it appears that a Varactor tuned stage is
Front end to cut down on image reso

Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT wrote:
>
> Mike Newbold wrote:
> >
> > i am looking for other 706mkII owners to compare notes.
> > 73 de K0YO mike
>
> Hi Mike --
> I have one. It's now at Icom Japan being serviced. I lost the
> HF+6 front end just a few days after buying it, caused I assume by
> a 2 meter FM transmission with adjacent 2M and HF antennas.
> Being fixed, under warranty, as I type this.
>
> I did find it better than the original 706 -- even the CW keying
> waveform is slightly better. QSK is still via a noisy relay, but
> overall some nice improvmements. Sure can't beat the value of
> this all-mode rig!
>
> 73,
> Joe
>
> 73,
> Joe

6097. Re: Yaesu FT-900 reset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: srsulak@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615025101.WAA13186@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172972

To disable the beep hold the Notch button in while turning the power on.

To do a system reset hold in the Up and Down buttons while turning the power on. Note that this will clear all memories and return settings to their factor default.

KD4YEP

6098. Re: Atlas service/repair?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Warner <jimwcuda@tbcnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc793f$a59c0f60$2ee370cf@s_jimw>
Source record: 172973

Warner Radio Service
407 Van Buren St.
Malta, IL 60150
(815)825-2522
Eves and weekends. References from Atlas owners available upon request.

Vince Roberts <vroberts_@rpa_.net> wrote in article
<33a21cf7.3885681@snews5.zippo.com>...
> Does anyone know of a specialist in servicing Atlas radios, in
> particular the 210x? Hopefully someone who has worked on many and is
> familiar with their quirks, not just the "I can work on anythng"
> type ;)
>
> TNX :)
> ____
>
> - Remove underscores in return address to reply -
> Vince Roberts-N2XMT-Rochester,NY-vroberts@rpa.net
> ____
>

6099. SHACK SELL MAKE OFFERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jkanejr182@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970615041001.AAA20506@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172974

BEST BID WILL GET.................
DRAKE C-LINE WITH N.B. MS-4 PS-4 STOCK FILTER GOLD D104 MIC
MANUALS AND FACTOR BOXES MINT MINT MINT 9.8
FULL OUTPUT
DRAKE TR-4CW-RIT ..MINT MINT MINT MS-4 PS-4 NO MIKE NO N.B. HAVE PLUG
MANUAL AND FACTOR BOX 9.9
FULL OUTPUT
KENWOOD TS 450SAT+PS-53+MC-60+SP-23 BRAND NEW JUST 6 HOURS
ON RADIO WITH 500HZ CW FILTER GREAT RADIO ALL BOXES MANUALS
FULL OUTPUT
DENTRON SUPER TUNER VERY NICE 2KW

PLEASE MAKE ALL BIDS TO JKanejr182@aol.com
THEONLY REASON IM SELL IS TO GET A KENWOOD 950SDX
SO A LUMP SUM OFFER MIGHT GET IT ALL
ALL THIS STUFF IS JUST LIKE I SAID... MINT

6100. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5nvsh3$760@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172975

In <33A35178.2EF5@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
filled with himself and multiple dilusions writes:
>
>Yes the Icom 706 MK II had DSP built in but then Icom decided to scrap
>it. If you own a IC-706 you will see on the LCD the words "DSP" and
>"NR"(noise reduction).
>If you look at the bottom PCB of the radio you will see a 10 pin
>Phenolic connector. there is also a 2x3 space for the DSP shilded PCB
>I just got another confirmation from a Icom (outside the USA)
informent.
>I had to use my special "INTERIGATION" methods on him. He is
>recuperating nicely at a nearby hospital.
> What I got from him before he passed out was that Icom was going to
>offer this DSP as an option for $??? and You would simply plug in
the
>PCB just like the other options on the IC-706 MK II (CTCSS
decode,voice
>synthesizer etc. You set the IC-706 MK II setup so the radio knows the
>DSP is installed in the radio. I wish ICOM would try to get the DSP
unit
>to work and offer it to the Ham customers. I would buy it if it were
>under $200 (you can buy a timewave DSP 9+ for $200.
>
>Gary Fiber from Icom may tell you guys that what I am saying is not
>true. Remember who told you guys about the Icom 706 Mk II long before
it
>was announced ! Also I clearly remember Gary Fiber saying that Icom
had
>no plans on making the IC-706 Mark II. Hee Hee. You guys know who to
>believe.

Actually Steve we do remember your "Mark II" story and are still
waiting for the 70cm coverage you promised. Does making this stuff up
make you feel important? Remember EVERYTHING you post to the news
groups is available on Dejanews so you can't change the story later.

As the sign down at the feed store says, "I'm a bit of a BSer myself
but I really appreciate watching a professional at work."

BTW please no more romantic stuff to my email I don't appreciate the
threats or the profanity, thank you.

Jerry
>
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6101. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33a3764e.6898872@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 172976

On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 14:50:54 GMT, hjanssen@eskimo.com (Hank
Janssen) wrote:

>Here is a rookie question, who makes an 1.25 Meter mobile. I can find
>70cm/2m mobiles everywhere but I have had a hard time finding a 1.25
>mobile. (I know they exist I have seen them)
>
>Do they exist, and do they exist in a dual band configuration. Who makes
>them and what are the prices.
>
>Any and all help is appreciated.!
>
>
>--
>---------------------- http://www.eskimo.com/~hjanssen ----------------------
>Hank Janssen. | A Degree Only means You have proven
>Advanced Sentient Systems. Seattle WA | to know where to look up an answer
>EMAIL: hjanssen@eskimo.com | to a known question.

There are two mobiles on the market for 222 MHz ...
The Kenwood TM331A
The Azden PCS7200
Both are in the area between $400-$500.

There is one dual band radio on the market, which covers 2
meters and 222 MHz -
The Kenwood TM642A (or, with backlit microphone,
The Kenwood TM642AD
This radio has a slot for one additional module (available
for 10 meters, six meters, 440 MHz or 1200 MHz).
This radio sells in the mid-$700 range.

With so little 222 MHz activity (on a world wide basis - no
flames please - 222 MHz is only a ham band in North America,
and is only really very active in the major metropolitan
areas), the manufacturers have been reluctant to commit a
lot of development work (read $$$) into a new radio for this
band.

Hope this helps!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

6102. Kenwood TS-870S FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: dkiefer@altinet.net
Message-ID: <33a37655.51395599@news.altinet.net>
Source record: 172977

I have for sale a Kenwood TS-870S HF Transceiver with the optional SO-2 TXCO unit. I have all accessories that were shipped with it. I purchased it as a Christmas present to myself on December 23, 1995. I used it approximately 4 months, and packed it back up in its original carton. The control program that came with it is included along with operators manual for the transceiver. Unit is immaculate, and has been in a smoke free environment. Paid over $2400.00 for it. I'm asking $1700.00 plus shipping.

I also have a couple of Kenwood SP-41 mobile speakers. Asking $25.00 each or both for $45.00 plus shipping.

Call me at (972) 962-3595 between the hours of 10 AM to 2 PM weekdays, and after 10 AM weekends.
Email dkiefer@altinet.net

Reason for selling? I've gotten out of ham radio.

Thanks es 73 Don W5QXK

6103. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a635cd.2133618@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172729

On Sun, 15 Jun 1997 22:24:41 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Gary, I am not complaining that Icom should have put DSP in the RADIO.
>They at least attempted to do it but for some reason did not follow
>through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters
>DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused
>connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin
>connector. There is a 3X4 spavr for a DSP shielded module to sit.
>I heard Icom scrapped the DSP for reasons: they were in a rush to get
>the radio out for Dayton '97 and had some bugs in the DSP module.
> All we want is for Icom to try to get the bugs out and offer it as an
>option.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Did you ever think it may NOT be profitable to produce such an item ?

I do not think any amateur manufacturer would produce an item they
could not make a profit on, ie; recently look at the Z1A, ICOM gave
them away at $319.00. It did not sell so there was no profit being
made

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6104. Re: My Maha NiMH battery experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a736f9.2433583@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172730

>I've noticed in QST that there are a couple of manufacturers that now
>sell chargers that do both NiMH and NiCds, and they look strikingly
>similar to the Yausu NC-50...as in they scratched the Yaesu logo off
>and put on their own.

Likely these chargers are knock offs. There are a few " ICOM "
chargers that are knock offs. The ones I've seen have a switch for
110 to 220 volts where ICOM required changing of the internal
transformer.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6105. fs Icom Ic-R71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970616125500.IAA28364@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172731

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I have a clean icom Ic-R 71A
with fl 32-a 500hz cw filter
ex-310 voice
ex-257 fm unit
rc-11 remote
Best offer
My nane is Dick
ka1kla in New Bedford,Ma.
508 999 3748
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6106. fs Ten tec Corsair II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970616125901.IAA28612@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172732

I have a Corsair II with matching PS and filters one cw one ssb
asking $775.00 + ship
Name is Dick, ka1kla
In New Bedford,Ma.
508 999 3748

6107. SWL Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: asperges@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <33a72ae1.5718771@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 172733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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http://www.innotts.co.uk/~asperges/

Updated. (Follow the links from the menu page)

73 de Jeremy G4NJH

6108. Re: Here's some Test Equipment that everybody wants!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: nabil@linda.teleport.com
Message-ID: <5o3i3jran1@linda.teleport.com>
Source record: 172734
Cross-posted to: sci.homebrew,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

dant@ionet.net writes:
>The following items are available on a first come, first serve basis.
>
>If interested, simply reply by email for any or all of the items offered.
>
>Please include the item(s) desired and the price you are willing to pay.
>
>Do not forget freight charges. This is something you will be paying.
>
>Send Email relies to dant@ionet.net

Is this equipment that you own NOW?

--
Aaron Nabil
nabil@teleport.com

6109. >>For Sale<< Icom W2A Dualbander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33A554D9.5848@whidbey.net>
Source record: 172735

I am selling my W2A with all it accessories. The readio is seldom used
and is in like new condition. There are some minor scratched on the
batteries from insertion and removal from the rapid charger.

The Radio:
Icom W2A
Icom BP-84 Battery
Icom FA-1443B Antenna

The Accessories:
Peraphex 12 Volt Battery
Icom BP-77A Battery Charger
USA Radio Chest Holster
Icom BC-80 Desttop (Rapid)Charger
Diamond RH77B Antenna
Antenna West Roll Up Dual Band J-Pole
Icom HM-65 Speaker Mic

Original Boxes and Manuals

John W7JCS
jstilson@whidbey.net

6110. FS: YAESU FT-40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: m <global07@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7a66$8d01f5a0$ad7174cf@264138627>
Source record: 172736

MINT CONDITION YAESU FT-40 HT

UHF HI POWER

420-512MHZ TX / RX

BEST OFFER

MIKE
KB2TIU

6111. ! YAESU FT-40 UHF HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: m <global07@juno.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7a66$b84ae460$ad7174cf@264138627>
Source record: 172737

420-512 MHZ RX TX
MINT CONDITION
HI POWER

BEST OFFER

MIKE
KB2TIU

global07@juno.com

6112. Icom IC-T2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kent R. Frazier" <kfrazier@nmsu.edu>
Message-ID: <33A55A09.5B16676E@nmsu.edu>
Source record: 172738

Does anyone own one of these handhelds? How do they compare with others
in the same price range?

6113. Re: Gap Titan Dx Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Phillips <tomsrig@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A5772A.7AFE@flash.net>
Source record: 172739

Robin Gandevia wrote:
>
> pinson@quaternet.fr wrote:
> : I have R7000 Crushcraft vertical Antenna with many problems..
> :
> : Does any body using the new Gap Titan Dx antenna ? and can make
> : comparaison with R7000 ?
> :
> : Is it a good antenna ?
> :
> : Tks 73 es Dx Frank *****F 6 B L P*****
> :
>
> Cher Frank,
>
> I had many problems with a Cushcraft R5 and lately bought
> a GAP Titan.
>
> At this poor time in HF propagation, it seems just as good,
> without the problems.
>
> However, I would add that the GAP MUST be well guyed (ignore
> waht GAP say). Also, the GAP seems to be more efficient at
> radiating into other VHF antenna systems. But it does not cause
> SWR problems, nor the RF into the shack. Its bandwidth is greater
> and published SWR figures more easier to obtain with little modif-
> ications.
>
> 73
>
> Robin
>
> Robin Gandevia VK2VN
> HamLog 3.1
> rhg@ozemail.com.au

Hi, I'd like to add my 2 cents. I have a GAP Challanger and in operation for the last two years. Works very well. There are small tricks you can do to it to make the SWR come down. The SWR stock on the bands it is spec'd for is OK, most are less than 2:1 but you do not get the entire band on 80. 40, 20, 10,15, and 2m has SWR less than 2:1. If you extend the tubes alittle you can get SWR's down to 1.5:1 or less. Cut the 3 25ft counterpoises to about 24ft each and you get an incredible 1.2:1 on 40m almost the entire band. 80M must have the cap on the top of the

antenna changed if you want to work another range of the 80m band. I did tests comparing this GAP to a 20M dipole up at 30ft, and found the GAP to be less noisy for some reason. The manufacture claims the vertical to be less noisy than most other verticals and he seems to be correct, as far as I went in my testing process.

Regards
Tom - AB5ZJ

6114. Re: CAUTION: On Metal Hydrate Batery's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33a56ddd.20710335@news.capital.net>
Source record: 172740

On 16 Jun 1997 04:28:34 GMT, Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
wrote:

>"Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>>lraymond@sisna.com wrote in article
>><winWeb14Jun97141715@DIALUP6388.SISNA.COM>...
>>>
>>> The appropriate way to end a sentence is with a period. Overuse
>>> of the exclamation point becomes weary to readers and reduces
>>> the credibility of the writer.
>
>STRICTLY the opinion of a single person, who appears to be a grade school
>english/spelling teacher. You have my full pity, if you judge the basic
>intent and value of written material primarily on it's purity of
>presentation. It is NOT the credibility of the person you have criticized
>that is suspect, but your own... (yes, 3 ....'s)

I have to agree somewhat with "the english/spelling teacher." People's
ignorance of good grammar and spelling today is just appalling. Did
they stop teaching this in schools 10 or 20 years ago? There's not
much sense in writing something if you can't spell or form good
sentences. Now all you flamers out there can jump right on this, but
you know it's the truth.

--
Butch N2YMJ

To send mail,
delete the xyz
in my address.

6115. Re: FT-50, favorite antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Follett <bfollett@ditell.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7a74$0e1ce160$6636b3cf@newmicronpc>
Source record: 172741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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6116. FS New SMA Connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7a76$d3117ec0$b42392cf@default>
Source record: 172742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

48 pcs new in the package Connecting Devices Inc. CDI 5762cc 9130 SMA female chassis mount 4 hole gold in color

9 pcs new in the package Omni Spectra 2051-1618-02 chassis mount 4 hole mount SMA connector Male silver in color

$5.00 each plus shipping, all 57 pcs $250.00 shipped

Mike WB2GLW

6117. WTB "40+5 Years of Mobileering" by Don Johnson, W6AAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: buzzer@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33a56f36.7092455@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172743

Please respond via email
Thanks,
Buzz

6118. FS Coating Thickness Gauge(meter)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7a77$22fc7ac0$b42392cf@default>
Source record: 172744
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Zormco model 2003 coating thickness gauge 0-15 mils $75.00 shipped

Mike WB2GLW

6119. Test Do Not Read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33a5729d.253505@news.capital.net>
Source record: 172745

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TEST TEST TEST

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Butch N2YMJ

To send mail,
delete the xyz
in my address.
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6120. Re: MFJ keyer/paddle f/s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33a675f0.559363@news.capital.net>
Source record: 172746

On Mon, 16 Jun 1997 03:51:29 GMT, James Farkas <jfarkas@fyi.net>
wrote:

>MFJ-422C keyer / Bencher paddle combo on page 91 of the AES winter 96/97
>catalog. A basic keyer and great Bencher black base paddle with gold
>contacts. Like new, in original box with manual. Used one time, now no
>longer needed. Excellent physical condition, works perfectly.
>Purchased last week from Amateur Electronic Supply for $124.95. Now
>$80. Jim, KA3CYW.
nnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnnn

--
Butch N2YMJ

To send mail,
delete the xyz
in my address.

6121. WTB: Yaesu RMK-747 -- Cable for remote mounting the faceplate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KI8CU" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7a79$b9de0ce0$424e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 172747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a friend who recently picked up a Yaesu FT-747 and he's looking to remotely mount the control face. He doesn't have, however, the cable to do so and AES and other suppliers claim not to carry such an item.

The part number for the cable is RMK-747

Anyone who may have one for sale, or that can direct me to a source for this cable -- PLEASE WRITE...

Email me directly with your responses and I'll forward them to my friend, Neal, AA8PQ.

Thanks very much in advance!! 73!

=-=
Chad Johnston, KI8CU

Email: webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
T.O.M.A.R.C., Gaylord, MI 146.820- Repeater
http://www.nuwaysupply.com/TOMARC/
Assistant Emergency Coordinator - Otsego County, MI
NWS SkyWarn Net Controller
A.R.E.S. / R.A.C.E.S.
http://www.nuwaysupply.com/ki8cu/

6122. Re: Ameritron Comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: vicwhite@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970616172400.NAA17790@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172748

I have a Ameritron AL-1200 and I am very pleased with it. I have had it almost 3 years. Vic W5LRU
VicWhite@aol.com

6123. AOR TR-720 aviation hand-held doc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "F. A. van Haaff" <fransois@interstroom.nl>
Message-ID: <01bc7a7f$a82ba880$697debc2@sky-p100>
Source record: 172749

Can anyone provide me with the technical doc of the AOR TR-720 aviation VHF hand-held? Its PA typically is unserviceable, and the hardware is spaghetti. No use without doc.
No representative of AOR was found and I doubt whether AOR still exists.
The set belongs to a lady friend, whose husband-experienced pilot died in an accident. The set is precious to her, used as it was in good old days.
Copying and/or mailing costs will be gladly paid.
<fransois@interstroom.nl>

6124. WTD:Dual Band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Foster <dfoster@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <33A570C5.6DC3@pdq.net>
Source record: 172750

Willing to swap 386 computer with Color VGA and 120MEG HD, 1.44 floppy,
sound card and speakers, modem with fax and voicemail for good dual band
mobile or hand held.
dfoster@pdq.net - Houston TX

6125. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP INFO !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: allanl3561@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970616174301.NAA19334@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172751

You must have a different radio that the IC-706 MKII that I have. It does everything it was advertised to do and I love mine.

6126. IC-207 MODS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Spillett <ka2ctn@no-spam.ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7a7f$13567640$832a86d0@dave.st-camillus.org>
Source record: 172752

I am looking for mods for the IC-207 dualband mobile. The UHF band is only
440-450 and I need to use it from 430-450 and would like to receive
450-470.
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Thanks,
Dave - ka2ctn@spillett.com

6127. Re: ah-100 cherokee mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5o40dous1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 172753

"jack" <cmb@mc.net> wrote:

>anyone try the ah-100 cherokee mod,the 11 meter ssb handheld?like to know
>what the possibilities for 10 meter dx?thanks jack
>cmb@mc.net

There was a post regarding this last week. Go to:

www.cbgazette.com

They have a clear set of instructions on converting this handheld to
10M operation, and a review of the radio.

I haven't tried it myself, but would be tempted to do so. It could be
fun!

Steve
WB7PSD

6128. ADI AT-201 comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33A5854B.846@agcs.com>
Source record: 172754

I'm getting ready to buy my first 2M HT and would like to keep it
around $200. One of the radios I'm considering is the ADI AT-201
and I'm interested in any positive or negative comments on the radio.
Specifically,
is it Easy to program
is display easy to read
freedom from interference
missing features you wish it had
battery life
output with standard battery

---------- Insert standard disclaimer here. ----------
Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com

6129. FS: **TEN-TEC GEAR**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: pactor@communityonline.NET
Message-ID: <33A57A13.28B2@communityonline.net>
Source record: 172755

I am offering for sale the following items:

TEN-TEC Transceiver Model 546, Series C: 10-160 including all WARC
bands

TEN-TEC Model 280: Matching power supply

TEN-TEC Model 228: Matching antenna tuner/bridge

Price:$450.00obo

If interested, please call and leave a message at:

(707)448-6759 (Vacaville, Ca.)
-or-
Email: pactor@communityonline.net

6130. Alinco DJ191 comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33A58F28.50B1@agcs.com>
Source record: 172756

I'm getting ready to buy my first 2M HT and would like to keep it
around $200. One of the radios I'm considering is the Alinco DJ191
and I'm interested in any positive or negative comments on the radio.
Specifically,
is it Easy to program
is display easy to read
freedom from interference
missing features you wish it had
battery life
output with standard battery

---------- Insert standard disclaimer here. ----------
Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com

6131. Re: Using SoundBlaster as DSP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7a8b$3e29c960$242a25a6@Scooter.cs.mci.com>
Source record: 172757

There is some FREEWARE out there that does exactly that. It is pretty amazing stuff. I use it all the time.

The zipped file is called SBFFT12. Search for it at http://www.shareware.com or I can email to anyone.

Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net> wrote in article <339A7920.58F0@pacbell.net>...
> Paul Berthel Schou wrote:
> >
> > It seems to me that I've seen some discussion about using a
> > SoundBlaster to manipulate received audio. Is/has anyone had any
> > success doing this? It sure would be convenient for me if I could use
> > my SoundBlaster for controlling the audio bandwidth and maybe even
> > cutting out some hetrodynes.
> >
> > Any information will be appreciated.
> >
> > Paul B. Schou - pauls@clark.net - ke6et@ke6et.ampr.org - ke6et@amsat.org
> > Annapolis, MD USA Sailing Capital of the World - ke6et@ke6et.md.usa.noam
>
> Paul:
> Check out Pioneer Hill Software at
> http://www.telebyte.com/pioneer/index.html. I'm using their Spectra Plus
> software of a Media Vision card. Very interesting to play with, maybe I
> might even learn something here!
>
> Ed
>

6132. fs AEA PK 232 MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970616193901.PAA29343@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172758

I have a pk232 mbx for sale
$150.00
name is Dick ka1kla In New Bedford,Ma.

6133. Quick Shimano Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kreblon@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu
Message-ID: <5o44ol$88f$1@geraldo.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 172759

Greetings all,

I am unable to determine the Shimano "Line-up".

I know the Deore LX/XT/XTR are above the Alivio and STX..
But which is better STX or Alivio?
I see STX components on lesser bikes than the Alivio..and visa-versa.

Any insights?

Bob Nagy
Austin

6134. Re: ah-100 cherokee mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pcsas <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <33A5C70A.D1@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 172760

Steve Kennedy wrote:
>
> "jack" <cmb@mc.net> wrote:
>
> >anyone try the ah-100 cherokee mod,the 11 meter ssb handheld?like to know
> >what the possibilities for 10 meter dx?thanks jack
> >cmb@mc.net
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> They have a clear set of instructions on converting this handheld to
> 10M operation, and a review of the radio.
>
> I haven't tried it myself, but would be tempted to do so. It could be
> fun!
>
> Steve
> WB7PSD

It looks like a fun unit and covers all of SSB portion of 10 meters.
What we need to do next is find a mod to add "0" channels.
Currently their is no provision for channels like 28.450 or 28.400.

6135. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33A59888.36D3@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 172761

Gary Pearce wrote:
>
> Hi, rec.radio.amateur.equipment readers,
>
> Please pardon my attempt to become a newsgroup cop, but the newsgroup
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment is attracting more and more "for sale" and
> "wanted to buy" posts, and I hope I can make an improvement by politely
> letting everyone know that this newsgroup is designed for the discussion of
> equipment. (snip)
>
> 73,
> Gary KN4AQ

Actually, Gary, there IS a rec.radio.amateur.swap newsgroup! But, no one is using it except for a few diehards. I can't blame anyone for not wanting to post on rec.radio.swap because of all of the scanners, CB and commercial listings. You do have a point about this newsgroup and I will be sure to post my for sale items elsewhere.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

6136. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A5A1DF.7D4C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172762

Ed & Brenda Cregger wrote:
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> Gary Pearce wrote:
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> >
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> > Gary KN4AQ
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> is using it except for a few diehards. I can't blame anyone for not
> wanting to post on rec.radio.swap because of all of the scanners, CB and
> commercial listings. You do have a point about this newsgroup and I will
> be sure to post my for sale items elsewhere.
>
> Ed Cregger, NM2K
> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com
My server says no such thing as rec.radio.amateur.swap.

73's Bob

6137. WTB:GE Delta Control Head

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Hackney <aln@any.net>
Message-ID: <33A5A224.4A5B@any.net>
Source record: 172763

Looking for a Control Head for a GE Delta VHF (Crystal) Trunk mount
radio w/o cable
aln@any.net

6138. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5o47oi$9n2@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172764

In <33A4B3A6.6015@earthlink.net> Michael Aust
<maust21401@earthlink.net> writes:
>
>Jerry,
> Steve is not making this up, look at the 706 Mark II
>display, when the backlight is set low , you can see
>the outlined Letters of the unactivated in thee Upper Left
>say DSP, ANF, and NR. Does not take a genius to figure that
>out, and that 10 pin connector and space for the module!!
>73
>
>Mike
>
Mike,

I don't doubt the letters are there. It is what Steve speculates that I have a problem with. Perhaps Steve is right or perhaps they are just there for future use, the point is Steve doesn't really know, he is doing just what you are doing, speculating and drawing conclusions based on flimsy evidence. The difference is that Steve CLAIMS to have some sort of inside knowledge I believe this claim to be meadow muffins. As you can see following this thread he already has people believing DSP will be offered soon. This just leads to heartburn for Gary Fibre and /gary is a really nice guy. The whole thing is about Steve's ego and need for attention not equipment.

73 Jerry

6139. TEN TEC FS & INFO WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5xrd@telepath.com
Message-ID: <5o480i$8n9$1@usenet81.supernews.com>
Source record: 172765

For sale,

(1) Omni Vi with power supply, and filters: 282, 285, 288, & 216 (500 hz 6 pole FSK). None smoker, unit is mint to mint minus (minor marks) always in bedroom shack. Reason for selling: heart attack and quadruple by-pass surgery. May have to sell home and am downsizing my shack.
$ 2100.00

You pay shipping.

(2) Also may have Timewave DSP-59+, Rupp electronic power meter, 40' Martin tower and Sommer 7 band yagi with Yaesu G-1000SDX rotor and controller.

(3) There used to be a Ten Tec mailing list but I can't find it now. Is it still there??? What is the address???

If interested e-mail me directly at: n5xrd$juno.com

6140. Let Hams see what you have to sell.....LOOK.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: george@sky.net
Message-ID: <33a5a763.3953408@news.sky.net>
Source record: 172766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.ham.radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello
Do you have soom equipment for sale.Well when you post a Forsale
message on this newsgroup you can now send a picture too the person
that would like to buy your equipment.This will allow him to see what
you have for sale and what kind of shape it is in before you send it
to him.
How can you do this.Simple.Just take a picture of the equipment you
have forsale and send it to me by snail mail.Inclued your e-mail
address and 50 cents.When I get your picture I will scan it and send
it back to you by e-mail.
Heres the address

KB0MAI
G Epley
113e Broadway
Grainvalley Mo
64029

6141. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP INFO !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A5AF5C.3A87@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172767

Ed & Brenda Cregger wrote:
>
> hershman wrote:
> > (snip)
> > I suggest we put pressure on Icom to finish the DSP PCB and offer it as
> > an option (say $150)seems fair since it is audio DSP.
> >
> > 73's Steven Hershman NS1R
>
> I suggest that both original 706 and MkII owners put pressure on Icom to
> buy back the pieces of crap they are trying to pass off as
> state-of-the-art amateur radios. I realize that a jack-of-all-trades
> type of radio will not be a master of anything in particular, but my 706
> is virtually useless. No more Icoms for me. They burned twice in the
> last five years. Fool me once...
>
> Ed, NM2K

now, now, now! I just baught an IC-820 and love the damned thing!
Although it has went back for warrenty repair today. Hey, you dont
think this is a pattern do you?

6142. Upgradeable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@tentec.COM
Message-ID: <19970616162011.2ee1033d.in@mvangel.com>
Source record: 172768

WD1V writes:
Date: Sat, 14 Jun 1997 09:57:44 GMT
>It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
>designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.
>
>As consumers, we should INSIST upon it and help these manufacturers
>design what we REALLY WANT.
>
>Who wants to be hosed every year as new models come out and
>transcend the features that they just invested in...are we supposed
>to buy new radios every year?

Who indeed? Which is why at Ten-Tec we have a long tradition of upgradeable pieces of equipment and for constantly seeking to improve our gear through suggestions provided by users of our equipment. We have provided software upgrades at a nominal fee for years for our top-of-the-line transceivers. With the addition of the new Omni-VI Plus we listened to our transceiver owners, who told us among other things that they didn't want to spend $2500+ on a new rig that was going to be obsolete in the next 12 months, after already making a sizeable investment in Ten-Tec with the Omni-VI. BOTH the hardware and software are upgradeable together or separately to provide you with the option of a full upgrade for your Omni-VI or just adding the enhanced DSP features. Adding the new VI+ DSP chips can be done without even sending us the transceiver.

>Some of the implementations are anemic and some of the missing features
>prove that people who aren't USING these radios are playing too big a
>role in DESIGNING them!

We use our transceivers, and we listen to the suggestions made to improve them. We have done that with each successive piece of equipment we have ever manufactured. Every one of our engineering staff is a licensed amateur. You'll hear Ten-Tec employees on the air every single day using our equipment. We use them in contests. We use them on 75 meters. Mobile CW. Driving transverters (our own) for VHF use. This morning's main topic of discussion in Sevierville was not weekend sports; it was the 6 meter E-skip openings in this weekends' VHF contest.

>The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
>upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!

Absolutely! We have upgraded software for our transceivers each year for the past several years. You can even call us if you have an out of production older transceiver model and purchase the latest

software, even though we may not build that particular model at present. All upgrades to the Omni-VI and Omni-VI Plus have come from user suggestion, and will continue to in the future as we add more features to our rigs. Who else does this?

>Why is it that the radio manufacturers WWW pages don't solicit
>opinions from their users? No email inputs exist that I've
>seen other than notes to their "webmaster" so you can complain
>about slow loading graphics and such.

We have a direct e-mail link from our web site to my desk. Any e-mail you type in to Ten-Tec from our web site regardless of subject matter will be read by us. We not only read our electronic mail, but respond to it as well. Reach us directly at <sales@tentec.com>. For an independent opinion from people that use our equipment and have experience in dealing with us over the last 29 years, send a message to the Ten-Tec Internet Reflector at <tentec@contesting.com>. Ten-Tec has no connection with the operation or maintenance of this reflector.

We do things differently from other companies involved in the amateur radio industry. We don't use the amateur radio dealer network. We have an unmatched trial policy on "test-driving" our equipment. We have an unparalleled service reputation and we fix anything we have ever built going back to our very first PM-series QRP rigs in the late 1960's.

And if that weren't enough, it's American made.

><and now, WD1V steps off the soapbox, stretches, and takes a
>big lungful of air, noticing that everything looks just a little
>better than it had just moments ago...it was as though he
>had released something that he didn't even know was inside.>
>
>73,
>John D. Seney
>http://www.mv.com/ipusers/wd1v

It does look better, doesn't it!

73,
Scott Robbins, W4PA
Amateur Radio Sales, Ten-Tec, Inc.
sales@tentec.com

6143. Icom IC-T2A or IC-T22A comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33A5B009.FE63D564@agcs.com>
Source record: 172769
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

I'm getting ready to buy my first 2M HT and would like to keep it around
$200. I'm considering the Icom IC-T2A and IC-T22A and I'm interested in
any positive or negative comments on the radios.

Specifically,

is it easy to program

is display easy to read

freedom from interference

missing features you wish it had

battery life

output with standard battery

----------------- Insert standard disclaimer here. --------------

Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR
riecherg@agcs.com

Content-Disposition: inline

Message-ID: <33A58F28.50B1@agcs.com>
Date: Mon, 16 Jun 1997 12:08:24 -0700
From: Jerry Riechert
Organization: AG Communication Systems
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0 (X11; I; SunOS 5.4 sun4m)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
CC: Info-Hams@ucsd.edu
Subject: Alinco DJ191
comments

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around $200. One of the radios I'm considering is the Alinco DJ191
and I'm interested in any positive or negative comments on the radio.
Specifically,
is it Easy to program
is display easy to read
freedom from interference
missing features you wish it had
battery life
output with standard battery

---------- Insert standard disclaimer here. ----------
Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com

6144. Re: Here's some Test Equipment that everybody wants!! WoW lots of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: frankie@valley.com
Message-ID: <frankie.306.037F39A7@valley.com>
Source record: 172770
Cross-posted to: sci.homebrew,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <5o3i3jran1@linda.teleport.com> nabil@linda.teleport.com (Aaron Nabil)
writes:
>From: nabil@linda.teleport.com (Aaron Nabil)
>Subject: Re: Here's some Test Equipment that everybody wants!!
>Date: 16 Jun 1997 07:20:35 -0700

wow thats alot of equipment

>dant@ionet.net writes:
>>The following items are available on a first come, first serve basis.
>>
>>If interested, simply reply by email for any or all of the items offered.
>>
>>Please include the item(s) desired and the price you are willing to pay.
>>
>>Do not forget freight charges. This is something you will be paying.
>>
>>Send Email relies to dant@ionet.net

>Is this equipment that you own NOW?

>--
>Aaron Nabil
>nabil@teleport.com

6145. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mulveyr@ll.aa2ys.ampr.org
Message-ID: <5o4cfp$23b0$1@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 172771

On Mon, 16 Jun 1997 15:48:24 -0400, Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com> wrote:
>Gary Pearce wrote:
>>
>> Hi, rec.radio.amateur.equipment readers,
>>
>> Please pardon my attempt to become a newsgroup cop, but the newsgroup
>> rec.radio.amateur.equipment is attracting more and more "for sale" and
>> "wanted to buy" posts, and I hope I can make an improvement by politely
>> letting everyone know that this newsgroup is designed for the discussion of
>> equipment. (snip)
>>
>Actually, Gary, there IS a rec.radio.amateur.swap newsgroup! But, no one
>is using it except for a few diehards. I can't blame anyone for not
>wanting to post on rec.radio.swap because of all of the scanners, CB and
>commercial listings. You do have a point about this newsgroup and I will
>be sure to post my for sale items elsewhere.
>

It's rec.radio.swap, actually. As far as I know, scanners and CB's
fall under the category of "radio", as well. :-)

- Rich

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Rich Mulvey
mulveyr@frontiernet.net Rochester, NY USA
http://www.frontiernet.net/~mulveyr
Amateur Radio: aa2ys@amsat.org, aa2ys@wb2wxq.#wny.ny.usa

6146. IC-575H Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: u1005688@warwick.net
Message-ID: <33a5b658.1414871@news.warwick.net>
Source record: 172772

Does anyone have the Mods for the Icom 575H if so
can you either E-Mail to me or tell me where I might
aquire it....

Thanks
Manny@Warwick.net

6147. IC-575H Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: u1005688@warwick.net
Message-ID: <33a5b6c8.1526699@news.warwick.net>
Source record: 172773

Does anyone have the Mods for the Icom 575H
If so can you please E-Mail it to me or tell me where
I might retrieve it from......

Thanks
Manny@Warwick.net
KB2YPF

6148. RE: My Maha NiMH battery experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970616152347155552@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 172774

>>...I quick-charged it...

A mistake!

Maha also recommends to us that we do NOT use quick charers on
their NiMH batteries.

Well, at least if you desire approximately 2X the life out of them.

Sad but true - unless you own a chargers specifically designed for
NiMH batteries, you have to go out in your garage and find those
ugly little wall warts that originally came with out HTs.

Clint Bradford, KE6LCS/KAF3359 909.681.6210 Voice sysop@atdbbs.com
ATTENTION to Details 909.681.6221 BBS ftp@atdbbs.com

6149. Roof Tower Wanted NYC Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: vinpaul2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970616224300.SAA17065@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172775

please send details.

6150. Re: Wanted: rs232 to radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <mrmicro@techie.com>
Message-ID: <33A5C1C0.7F37@techie.com>
Source record: 172776

Pedro Marcelo Pasinetti wrote:
>
> Hi, I am looking for some like a box with a rs-232 conector in one side,
> and a antenna in the other side. I am thinking in half-duplex and speed
> 2400 bps minimum.
> Thanks,
> Marcelo Pasinetti
> mpasi@unsl.edu.ar
--

This sounds like the new PatCom HF transceiver to me.
--

Ed
MrMicro@techie.com

6151. Standard C156A comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33A5C607.CDC817B6@agcs.com>
Source record: 172777
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

I'm getting ready to buy my first 2M HT and would like to keep it

around $200. One of the radios I'm considering is the Standard C156A

and I'm interested in any positive or negative comments on the radio.

Specifically,

is it Easy to program

is display easy to read

freedom from interference

missing features you wish it had

battery life

output with standard battery

---------- Insert standard disclaimer here. ----------

Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR
riecherg@agcs.com

Content-Disposition: inline

Message-ID: <33A58F28.50B1@agcs.com>
Date: Mon, 16 Jun 1997 12:08:24 -0700
From: Jerry Riechert
Organization: AG Communication Systems
X-Mailer: Mozilla 3.0 (X11; I; SunOS 5.4 sun4m)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
CC: Info-Hams@ucsd.edu
Subject: Alinco DJ191
comments

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Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com

6152. MFJ-422C keyer / Bencher paddle f/s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Farkas <jfarkas@fyi.net>
Message-ID: <33A5BE2B.4FFD@fyi.net>
Source record: 172778

MFJ-422C keyer / Bencher paddle combo on page 91 of the AES winter 96/97 catalog. A basic keyer and great Bencher black base paddle with gold contacts. Like new, in original box with manual. Used one time, now no longer needed. Excellent physical condition, works perfectly. Purchased last week from Amateur Electronic Supply for $124.95. Now $80. 412-758-4447, Jim, KA3CYW.

6153. WTB: 6M Yagi or Quad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: bhackett <bhackett@ic.net>
Message-ID: <33A57630.3257@ic.net>
Source record: 172779

If anyone has a 6M yagi or quad laying around, I need one for field day. Please let me know about either via email (bhackett@ic.net) or you can call me (313) 996-5750 at work or (313) 429-7139 at home.

Thanks...Brian, WV1R

6154. WTD Johnson KW Matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <33A5E4A2.6089@frii.com>
Source record: 172780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to trade Johnson KW Matchbox with SWR unit and manual. In storage since mid-80's.
CONDITION:
Electrical VG
Mechanical VG
Appearance G (Some paint wear, but panel lettering fine. Plastic face on meter shows
some hazing. No dents.)

Want a Yeasu FRG-7 or FT757. Other SS HF TVR operating on 12Vdc considered. Eyeball trade preferred. Will sell matchbox for $250 plus shipping (no COD's).

Please reply by email to avatar@frii.com

W0MAY

6155. [===WTB: Teac X-1000R service manual ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <866505018.8001@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,rec.video,rec.video.production,rec.video.marketplace

Looking for service and user manuals for the following equipment:

Teac X-1000R reel to reel deck

Sony DXC-M2 Video Camera

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6156. WTB: TS-940

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Charles J. Shaw" <cshaw@epix.net>
Message-ID: <33A5E316.12CA@epix.net>
Source record: 172782

If the price is fair and the rig is in good condition, both internally
and externally, I am in the market for a Kenwood TS-940.
Serious offers only, please.

Charlie Shaw
KB3BTO
cshaw@epix.net

6157. Re: Address of Drake reflector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmitchel <wmitchel@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33A5E6E2.2525@concentric.net>
Source record: 172783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Robert Penneys wrote:
>
> I have lost the address to subscribe to the Drake reflector at
> fablotz.min.net or whatever?
>
> Could you help me? Tnx, Bob N9GG

i didn't see the previous post, but does this have anything to do with
the r.l. drake company?

warren, ko4xb

6158. Re: Uniden CB to 10mtrs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Volz <mvolz@avci.net>
Message-ID: <33A5EA5F.266C@avci.net>
Source record: 172784

You can convert the PC 122 to 10 meters by replacing the master ref.
oscillator crystal and realigning. Of course, you would only get 40
frequencies.

I have _not_ specifically heard this model radio on 10, but I have heard
the MB8719 chassis on 10-i.e. Pres. Grant XL, Washington, Cobra 148,
142, by changing the crystal.

The MB8719 has a much greater frequency selection capability, since you
can expand them to go from 26.815 to 28.085 with the stock crystal.
The 858 will go even wider, but they don't use that chassis anymore that
I know of.
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Mike
KG8UK
2 WH 103
ICQ 1262284

6159. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A5EC94.352B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172785

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> In <33A4B3A6.6015@earthlink.net> Michael Aust
> <maust21401@earthlink.net> writes:
> >
> >Jerry,
> > Steve is not making this up, look at the 706 Mark II
> >display, when the backlight is set low , you can see
> >the outlined Letters of the unactivated in thee Upper Left
> >say DSP, ANF, and NR. Does not take a genius to figure that
> >out, and that 10 pin connector and space for the module!!
> >73
> >
> >Mike
> >
> Mike,
>
> I don't doubt the letters are there. It is what Steve speculates that I
> have a problem with. Perhaps Steve is right or perhaps they are just
> there for future use, the point is Steve doesn't really know, he is
> doing just what you are doing, speculating and drawing conclusions
> based on flimsy evidence. The difference is that Steve CLAIMS to have
> some sort of inside knowledge I believe this claim to be meadow
> muffins. As you can see following this thread he already has people
> believing DSP will be offered soon. This just leads to heartburn for
> Gary Fibre and /gary is a really nice guy. The whole thing is about
> Steve's ego and need for attention not equipment.
>
> 73 Jerry
>
>
I suggest that Jerry seeks therapy at his earliest convienence.
73's NS1R Steve

6160. Free Band Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Warner <mcwarner@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A5D0CC.33D2@flash.net>
Source record: 172786

I have an older FT-50R and was able to do the european mod. I recently learned about the Freeband mod. and thought it would be nice to TX on 220.

Problem: After Freeband modification, my intermod went through the roof! I had no intermod problems before the modification. Now its almost unusable.

Qustion: Has anyone had this problem? Does anyone know what value resistor was removed so I can try to put the radio back to original again?

Please e-mail to mcwarner@flash.net

Tnx,

Mark

6161. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A5EE58.3842@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172787

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Sun, 15 Jun 1997 22:24:41 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Gary, I am not complaining that Icom should have put DSP in the RADIO.
> >They at least attempted to do it but for some reason did not follow
> >through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters
> >DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused
> >connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin
> >connector. There is a 3X4 spavr for a DSP shielded module to sit.
> >I heard Icom scrapped the DSP for reasons: they were in a rush to get
> >the radio out for Dayton '97 and had some bugs in the DSP module.
> > All we want is for Icom to try to get the bugs out and offer it as an
> >option.
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> Did you ever think it may NOT be profitable to produce such an item ?
>
> I do not think any amateur manufacturer would produce an item they
> could not make a profit on, ie; recently look at the Z1A, ICOM gave
> them away at $319.00. It did not sell so there was no profit being
> made
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

If that is the case then why the "DSP" and "NR" on the display.
Also, why the big 2 x 3 space with a connector that is in the audio
output section of the radio. Did Icom plan on DSP and then disband the
idea for one reason or another?
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6162. FS: FT-51R highpower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC7KPP@juno.com
Message-ID: <866513378.14816@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALEFT-51RHIGH POWERStill in box with:&#65533; Two new Larson Kulducks Antennas (One for VHF, One of UHF)&#65533; High Power (5 Watt) Battery&#65533; Desk Charger&#65533; Instruction Manual&#65533; Warranty Card&#65533; Speaker Mic Included&#65533; In Good condition, only reason for selling is because owner got a newer handheld.$425

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6163. Uniden CB to 10mtrs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Frank <jfrank@mailbag.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7aaf$42188560$5ab2adcd@jfrank.bind.net>
Source record: 172789

Has anyone successfully converted a Uniden PC122XL CB transceiver to the 10 meter ham band?
What is involved in this conversion? Thanks & 73 John N9CH

6164. F.S. tektronics 2225 oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Pjeter <pjetermi@msu.edu>
Message-ID: <33A608B4.8C6@msu.edu>
Source record: 172790

I have a Tektronics Model 2225 Oscilloscope for sale.
It is 50Mhz dual trace
Rarely used
Asking $420 + shipping charges
If interested, email at pjetermi@pilot.msu.edu or
flpjeter@wwnet.com

6165. Re: 10m to 6m/2m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Murphy <Dan.Murphy@gdc.com>
Message-ID: <33A57446.680D@gdc.com>
Source record: 172791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mike Volz wrote:
>
> Grady Russell wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone know of a 10 meter to 6 meter and/or a 10 meter to 2 meter
> > transverter? Is there a kit available anywhere? Any recommendations on
> > brands?
> Try DOWNEAST MICROWAVE They have a web page. There was a product review in
QST a few months back (abt Feb)
GL Dan KA1SZP
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Dan Murphy GeneralData Comm 203-574-1811
Internet: murphy@gdc.com (work)
Internet: dmurphy@ct1.nai.net (personal)
===========(Standard disclaimers apply)==========

6166. Reduced output on Kenwood TS-570D HF tranceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bjarke <bjmko@tdk.dk>
Message-ID: <33A58EA0.62519B49@gatekeeeper.teledanmark.dk>
Source record: 172792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital

Hello radio amateur freak

I have a Kenwood TS-570D HF tranceiver and like to use it in combination with a transverter for going SSB on 144MHz.

My home build transverter want an input signal of max. 100mW for transmitting but my TS-570D deliver min. 5000 mW (5W).

Do you know if it is possible to reduce the output signal of the TS-570D transceiver to 100mW - by push any buttons on startup or something like that?

What else can I do - 34 dB attenuation is quite a lot.

Yours faithfully

OZ2BKK /Bjarke

6167. *NEW* Kenwood Reflector!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ShortCkt <ShortCkt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33A5F846.3C9C@primenet.com>
Source record: 172793

NEW Kenwood Reflector!!!

Kenwood is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to equipment manufactured by the Kenwood Communications
Corporation (Amateur Radio Products Group).

* equipment, accessories
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* buy, sell, trade, swap

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe kenwood

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe kenwood

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: kenwood@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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HomeBrew is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to amateur radio
and electronics experimentation and construction:

* building kits
* scratch construction
* radios, antennas, widgets
* design
* accessories
* station construction
* digital, analog, uP
* repair, modification, surplus

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Ham-Books is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to the literature
and periodicals of amateur radio:

* publishers
* magazines
* newsletters
* books
* old and "collector" books
* new book announcements

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Ham-Software is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to software
of all types used for amateur radio:

* logging
* propagation prediction
* digital modes
* award tracking
* commercial, shareware, freeware
* electronic design and simulation
* amateur software development

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BODY: subscribe ham-software

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SUBJECT:

BODY: unsubscribe ham-software

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Fox_Tango is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to "vintage" and "classic" equipment manufactured by the
Yaesu Musen Co., Ltd. of Tokyo Japan.

* equipment, accessories
* collecting, restoring, refurbishing
* buy, sell, trade, swap
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* just plain operating old Yaesu stuff

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe fox_tango

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe fox_tango

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: fox_tango@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Mobile-Portable is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to mobile
and portable operation of amateur radio (QRP and QRO, HF and VHF+):

* rigs, antennas, tuners
* installation
* batteries
* generators
* solar and alternative energy
* camping/RVs/backpacking
* laptop/palmtop computers
* portable packet
* roving and mountain-topping
* GPS, APRS

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:

BODY: subscribe mobile-portable

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe mobile-portable

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: mobile-portable@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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BitBucket is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to
specialized amateur radio communication techniques.

-SSTV, ATV, FAX, APT, DSP, QRP, APRS
-Packet, Pactor, GTOR, Clover, AMTOR, RTTY
-R/C, Telemetry, Balloons, Rockets, Robotics
-homebrew, modifications, interfacing, widgets, etc

To subscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: SUBSCRIBE bitbucket

To unsubscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: UNSUBSCRIBE bitbucket

As we encourage the free exchange of ideas, if you pay for
email service by the byte you may want to consider carefully
before subscribing.

To submit materials:
TO: bitbucket@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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bit bucket /n./

1. The universal data sink (originally, the mythical receptacle
used to catch bits when they fall off the end of a register
during a shift instruction). Discarded, lost, or destroyed data
is said to have `gone to the bit bucket'. On Unix, often used
for /dev/null. Sometimes amplified as `the Great Bit Bucket in
the Sky'.

2. The place where all lost mail and news messages eventually go.
The selection is performed according to Finagle's Law;
important mail is much more likely to end up in the bit bucket

than junk mail, which has an almost 100% probability of getting delivered. Routing to the bit bucket is automatically performed by mail-transfer agents, news systems, and the lower layers of the network.

3. The ideal location for all unwanted mail responses: "Flames about this article to the bit bucket." Such a request is guaranteed to overflow one's mailbox with flames.

4. Excuse for all mail that has not been sent. "I mailed you those figures last week; they must have landed in the bitbucket." Compare black hole.

This term is used purely in jest. It is based on the fanciful notion that bits are objects that are not destroyed but only misplaced. This appears to have been a mutation of an earlier term `bit box', about which the same legend was current; old-time hackers also report that trainees used to be told that when the CPU stored bits into memory it was actually pulling them `out of the bit box'. See also chad box.

Another variant of this legend has it that, as a consequence of the `parity preservation law', the number of 1 bits that go to the bit bucket must equal the number of 0 bits. Any imbalance results in bits filling up the bit bucket. A qualified computer technician can empty a full bit bucket as part of scheduled maintenance.

-Brian
shortckt@primenet.com

6168. FS; KENWOOD AT-230 HF TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: burro@panama.gulf.net
Message-ID: <33A55867.952@panama.gulf.net>
Source record: 172794

Kenwood AT-230 Antenna Tuner, mint condition. Original box, essentially unused.

1.8 - 28 MHz
TWO COZX INPUTS
ONE DUMMY LOAD INPUT
ONE WIRE INPUT
20/200 WATTMETER
SWR METER
SELL FOR $125.00 PLUS SHIPPING, POSTAL MONEY ORDER.

E-MAIL OR (904)722-0231
Barry WB6LDL
73's and thanks.

6169. EMERGENCY Mode - ICOM 706Mk2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: philus <philus@usa.net>
Message-ID: <33A542B6.B38@usa.net>
Source record: 172795

Hello OMs,

did already someone notice, what happens when you hold the
Funktion F3-Key pressed while power on?
In my Version, the word EMERGENCY appears on the display and the
radio switches to the Frequency 4.630MHz.
What is this good for? For which kind of User is this supported?
Thanks in advance,

73 Marcus

6170. Re: For Trade HF YEASU FT 840 Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lawrence Chen <lawrence@combdyn.com>
Message-ID: <33A5C889.89F@combdyn.com>
Source record: 172796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,alt.forsale,alt.cracks,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.cd-rom,alt.cdworld.marketplace,comp.publish.cdrom.hardware,comp.publish.cdrom.software,misc.forsale.computers.storage,comp.periphs.scsi,comp.publish.cdrom.multimedia,comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.cd-rom,it.comp.win95,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.d,alt.binaries.warez.ibm-pc.old

Tommie Taylor wrote:
>
> FOR TRADE
>
> I have a new YEASU FT 840 Base HF Radio,SP-6 Ext. Speaker,
> MD-1 Desk Mic, Hand Mic, User Manual.
>
> FT 840 has the optional FM Board added and has all
> the repeater offset and tone.
>
> Will trade for Icom IC-706 Mobile Radio in Same condition.
> Mint Condition
>
> 512.556.4691 ask for Tommie
>

Since this is comp.sys.ibm.pc.hardware.cd-rom

How about trading it from a CDROM drive?

--
Lawrence "The Dreamer" Chen, P.Eng. Computer/Research
Engineer
Combustion Dynamics Ltd., #203, 132 4th Ave. S.E., Medicine Hat, AB
T1A 8B5
Phone: +1 403 529 2162 Fax: +1 403 529 2162 Email:
lawrence@combdyn.com
URL: http://www.combdyn.com
VE6LKC/VE6PAQ

6171. Re: CAUTION: On Metal Hydrate Batery's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: lraymond@sisna.com
Message-ID: <winWeb16Jun97211004@DIALUP6395.SISNA.COM>
Source record: 172797

In article <5o2fdi$1j8@snews1.zippo.com>,
Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com> writes:
> "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
> >lraymond@sisna.com wrote in article
> ><winWeb14Jun97141715@DIALUP6388.SISNA.COM>...
> >>
> >> The appropriate way to end a sentence is with a period. Overuse
> >> of the exclamation point becomes weary to readers and reduces
> >> the credibility of the writer.
>
> STRICTLY the opinion of a single person, who appears to be a grade school
> english/spelling teacher. You have my full pity, if you judge the basic
> intent and value of written material primarily on it's purity of
> presentation. It is NOT the credibility of the person you have criticized
> that is suspect, but your own... (yes, 3 ....'s)
>

Oh, and what would you think of the folks at a magazine
or other publication who put out something like that? You
wouldn't give them much credibility, I think. Why wouldn't
you expect folks to try to communicate effectively? Do you
really think anyone is taught in school to use exclamation points at
the end of every sentence? I don't pity anyone who merely excuses
poor communication skills without another thought. Considering the
illiteracy in the world, we can do better, and should encourage it. I
encouraged improvement with a suggestion, though I admit it had a
negative feel to it. Think what you want of my credibility. But don't
give me any pity. Besides, most folks who use exclamation points
so profusely know better. They only do so to try to add unnecessary
emphasis or to cover up weak writing. My apologies to the person
who wrote the original post, but you don't need to stick up for him.
He's a big boy, and I'm sure he can take care of himself.

Mike

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: lraymond@sisna.com
Message-ID: <winWeb16Jun97205754@DIALUP6395.SISNA.COM>
Source record: 172798

In article <01bc79f6$6d40a4c0$16112399@peter->,
"Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> writes:
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>
> But what about his comments on NiMH batteries?
>

What about them? I couldn't wade through the exclamation points
in order to find out what he was so blasted excited about. I thought
the entire world was on fire with this guy.

Mike

6173. Radio Shack HTX-212/242 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary E. Euler" <downeast@ij.net>
Message-ID: <33A4FB3E.289A@ij.net>
Source record: 172799

Hello to all

Has anyone out there had any problems with their RS htx-212/242
mobile radios. We had a few with the PIN switching circuit burning
a hole through the circuit board. Also the final breaks into
oscillation on the HTX-212 in high power (45 watts). We also have found
the HTX-242 radios are having a problem with the CTCSS and DTMF not
having the right frequency and or low deviation. If you have seen these
problems with these two radios please e-mail me with the details of your
problems and what Tandy did to resolve the problem. A few of us have
been burned by Tandy with these products. I myself went through six (6)
radios starting with the HTX-212. I now have the HTX-242 and I still
have problems with the radio, the deviation is too low on the DTMF
output from the radio. There is no DTMF/CTCSS level control. All
signals go to a single deviation control (RV1) per the schematic.
Please e-mail me if you had problems. We need all the support we
can get on this matter since Tandy states that the radio has no known
problems. If you are going to purchase any of the amateur line from
Radio Shack, do yourself a favor and get the extended service (TSP).
Thank You
Gary
downeast@ij.net

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary E. Euler" <downeast@ij.net>
Message-ID: <33A4FD3B.466E@ij.net>
Source record: 172800

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Thank You
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downeast@ij.net

6175. FT-50 Antenna News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <ssable@tdi.net>
Message-ID: <33A5751C.210589B8@tdi.net>
Source record: 172801

I just called to order another antenna for my FT-50 and chose the
Diamond SRH-519 based on favorable messages on the USENET.
Much to my surprise the dealer told me they wont sell them for the
FT-50, as Diamond has notified them that those antennas and not
reliable. It seems there is a problem that the center pin makes
intermittent contact so Diamond has halted sales/manfuactuing on that
antenna.
I called Diamond and they confirmed.

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It doesn't get any better than this!
ssable@tdi.net
http://www.tdi.net/ssable
N8NYU

6176. WTB: H-P 5245L Plug-ins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1ksz@juno.com
Message-ID: <5o223v$d3g@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 172860

Looking for plug-ins for my H-P 5245L Counter. Want to extend the range up to 12.4 GHz. Any out there ?? Tnx, Dick, W1KSZ.

6177. Re: CAUTION: On Metal Hydrate Batery's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc79f6$6d40a4c0$16112399@peter->
Source record: 172861

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But what about his comments on NiMH batteries?

6178. Fire and Brimstone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1zat@dsport.com
Message-ID: <5o26qc$6vp@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 172862

I've acquired a Brimstone(r) 144 Mhz transceiver.
Front panel says it was made in Salinas KS and
appears to be about 25 years old. About the
size of a big cigar box.

Anyone have any documentation on this critter ?

jd
(k1zat@dsport.com)

6179. >>Wanted / For Sale << Motorola equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970616021601.WAA22338@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172863

Wanted:

Saber III programing cable and Interface Box
Syntorx 9000 with B5-B7 head.
Spectra 9000 with B5-B7 head.

For Sale:

MVA (convert-a-com) for MT1000, HT600, 600E, 800, MTX 800, 900, rapid charger, 25w powered speaker, backlit dtmf mic, external antenea. $300.00 negotiable.

Desk top rapid charger for the same as above. $100.00 negotiable.

Interested parties E-mail me at JDC3021@aol.com

6180. Re: Help - Kenwood TH-79A or ICOM - Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: viper@visi.net
Message-ID: <5o2a1q$6j5$1@madrid.visi.net>
Source record: 172864

In article <5nv3n4$t1k$1@news9.gte.net>, dgsholar@gte.net says...
'>
'>I'm looking for some information on the differences between a Kenwood
'>Th-79A and an Icom Ic-Z1A. I realy like the stats and looks of
'>Kenwoods but my dad has two Z1As and really enjoys them. So I am
'>debating on wich hand-held I should purchase. I will welcome any
'>advice or comments you may have.
'>
'>
'>Joel Sholar
'>KE4ZXQ
I have a z1a & love it! My next ht will , probably, be a kenwood th79a,
since the z1a has been discontinued (w32a is successor). The th79a is
the MOST comfortable & slim ht I've ever held . A good choice in lieu of
a z1a (no longer available). N4ZGT David.

6181. Re: WTB Cheap Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Scott Van Aartsen, KB0ULA" <kb0ula@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7a03$d6df9a00$341392ce@kb0ula>
Source record: 172865

Whoops folks! Forgot to give my location.

Northwest Iowa...so we're probably looking for responses from SD, IA, MN,
NE and maybe WI and ND if it's a good enough offer. Sorry about the
confusion, and thanks.

I wrote in article <01bc7960$7f5aa700$401392ce@kb0ula>...
> A couple friends and I are trying to put together a cheap repeater.
We're
> looking for a good tower, for a repeater antenna, and maybe some 440-link
> yagis. It doesn't have to be ROHN 25-G or anything, just cheap, and
fairly
> durable.
>
> Hey, if you've GOT cheap ROHN 25-G, that's cool too! =)
>
> If you've got a tower and want to get rid of it, send me a quick note.
>
> 73 de KB0ULA
>
>

6182. ic45a info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hacker@flash.net
Message-ID: <33a7b43f.32424883@news.flash.net>
Source record: 172866

I recently aquired one of these radios for a very modest sum.
However, it had no manuals. If anyone could supply me with
a photostatic copy, I would be happy to provide them with
the money required for the copying and the postage. Please
respond via email if you can assist me in this matter.
kd5amz
kevin

6183. MFJ keyer/paddle f/s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Farkas <jfarkas@fyi.net>
Message-ID: <33A4B841.28FD@fyi.net>
Source record: 172867

MFJ-422C keyer / Bencher paddle combo on page 91 of the AES winter 96/97 catalog. A basic keyer and great Bencher black base paddle with gold contacts. Like new, in original box with manual. Used one time, now no longer needed. Excellent physical condition, works perfectly. Purchased last week from Amateur Electronic Supply for $124.95. Now $80. Jim, KA3CYW.

6184. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A5686E.23BF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172868

Love my new Icom 706 Mark II, its a real dream machine,
now was that a dream I had about the DSP module??

Bet Yaesu ans Alinco hope I was, anyway I buy one if
they get the bugs out. DSP in the new 706 Mark II would
be super neat!!!!

73

Mike

hershman wrote:
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> Gary Coffman wrote:
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> > On Sat, 14 Jun 1997 09:57:44 GMT, john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney) wrote:
> > >It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
> > >designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.
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> > Like an S100 box? Is big, bulky, and clunky what we really want?
> > What sells would seem to contradict that idea. If that's what
> > hams wanted, most would own big, clunky Ten-Tec boxes filled
> > mostly with air and an assortment of modules wired together with
> > connectors that suffer chronic oxidation problems leading to
> > infuriating intermittant behavior. But most hams seem to like
> > nice compact little radios which are highly integrated.
> >
> > >As consumers, we should INSIST upon it and help these manufacturers
> > >design what we REALLY WANT.
> > >
> > >Who wants to be hosed every year as new models come out and
> > >transcend the features that they just invested in...are we supposed
> > >to buy new radios every year?
> >
> > Well, apparently amateurs do, since they seem willing to chunk the
> > radio that they "just had to have" last year in the garbage and buy this
> > year's model. The manufacturers and ham stores like that, of course,
> > since it keeps them in business. Amateurs seem to like it too, why
> > else would they scrap radios that made them delirious with joy only
> > a year ago?
> >
> > >The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
> > >upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!
> >
> > Modular hardware will add cost and bulk (and likely reduce reliability). Is that

> > what amateurs really want? It appears to me that the demand is for more compact
> > and inexpensive radios instead. It can cost less, and take less bulk, to produce
> > highly integrated radios than it would to produce highly modular and configurable
> > radios. How many people bought an IC900 in preference to a compact dual bander
> > they can hold in their hand?
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> > important reason as well. And that is that the US amateur market is a relatively
> > small percentage of the world amateur market. The radios we buy aren't designed
> > exclusively for us (unless they are 222 MHz radios). They are designed for a world
> > market which may have other priorities (regulatory as well as operational) than we
> > do in how they think a radio should work.
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> > Note that I tend to agree with you that there are some really brain dead decisions
> > made in the amateur market from time to time. But I don't think that's exclusively
> > the fault of the manufacturers. They're in the business to sell radios, and as long
> > as we buy them, they're happy campers.
> >
> > And I think that they *do* listen to what we want. I'd say the IC706 Mk II is an
> > example of that. They fixed almost everything we didn't like about the original
> > radio while retaining everything we did like about the older radio. If they weren't
> > listening, then why the Mk II? Now I know you want them to "upgrade" your old
> > radio, but is that realistic? They've apparently made changes to every board in
> > the radio to fix the things we didn't like, and wrote some new firmware to drive
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> > me.
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> > I've modified my 706 to solve the problems it had which annoyed me. And I throughly
> > enjoyed doing so. It challenged me to examine where the (IMHO) mistakes were made
> > and to develop fixes for them. There are a few things the Mk II offers which would be
nice
> > to have, but I can live with the old radio as modified by me. So I'm not going to be a
lemming
> > and toss it in the trash and spend $1200 to get those few features. I hang onto my
IC735 for
> > the same reason. It does what I need in a sufficiently competent way. Sure, I like some
of the
> > features of the new IC756, but I don't like them $2,000 worth. If you do, fine, go buy
one. I'll
> > wait until I can buy it from you for half price because you just have to have next
year's model.

> > Then I'll modify it if it does things that annoy me. I don't expect to be able to upgrade my
> > IC735 to an IC756 in any other way.
> >
> > Gary
> > Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
> > Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> > 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
> > Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org
>
> Gary, I am not complaining that Icom should have put DSP in the RADIO.
> They at least attempted to do it but for some reason did not follow
> through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters
> DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused
> connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin
> connector. There is a 3X4 spavr for a DSP shielded module to sit.
> I heard Icom scrapped the DSP for reasons: they were in a rush to get
> the radio out for Dayton '97 and had some bugs in the DSP module.
> All we want is for Icom to try to get the bugs out and offer it as an
> option.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

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Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A566F0.FAD@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172869

Hey Mr. Icom,
Get the DSP module to work and I would love
to put it in my new Icom 706 MarK II dream machine

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> > features of the new IC756, but I don't like them $2,000 worth. If you do, fine, go buy
one. I'll
> > wait until I can buy it from you for half price because you just have to have next
year's model.
> > Then I'll modify it if it does things that annoy me. I don't expect to be able to
upgrade my
> > IC735 to an IC756 in any other way.

> >
> > Gary
> > Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
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> > 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
> > Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org
>
> Gary, I am not complaining that Icom should have put DSP in the RADIO.
> They at least attempted to do it but for some reason did not follow
> through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters
> DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused
> connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin
> connector. There is a 3X4 spavr for a DSP shielded module to sit.
> I heard Icom scrapped the DSP for reasons: they were in a rush to get
> the radio out for Dayton '97 and had some bugs in the DSP module.
> All we want is for Icom to try to get the bugs out and offer it as an
> option.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6186. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A56628.6545@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172870

Love my new Icom 706 Mark II, its a rig a ham dreams
about, now maybe that DSP board for the Mark II, is that
a dream or what??

73

Mike

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sat, 14 Jun 1997 09:57:44 GMT, john@wd1v.mv.com (John D. Seney) wrote:
> >It would be a great day when the radios that are offered are
> >designed to be UPGRADEABLE PLATFORMS.
>
> Like an S100 box? Is big, bulky, and clunky what we really want?
> What sells would seem to contradict that idea. If that's what
> hams wanted, most would own big, clunky Ten-Tec boxes filled
> mostly with air and an assortment of modules wired together with
> connectors that suffer chronic oxidation problems leading to
> infuriating intermittant behavior. But most hams seem to like
> nice compact little radios which are highly integrated.
>
> >As consumers, we should INSIST upon it and help these manufacturers
> >design what we REALLY WANT.
> >
> >Who wants to be hosed every year as new models come out and
> >transcend the features that they just invested in...are we supposed
> >to buy new radios every year?
>
> Well, apparently amateurs do, since they seem willing to chunk the
> radio that they "just had to have" last year in the garbage and buy this
> year's model. The manufacturers and ham stores like that, of course,
> since it keeps them in business. Amateurs seem to like it too, why
> else would they scrap radios that made them delirious with joy only
> a year ago?
>
> >The HARDWARE should be modular and the SOFTWARE should be
> >upgradeable and the feature sets should come from US!
>
> Modular hardware will add cost and bulk (and likely reduce reliability). Is that
> what amateurs really want? It appears to me that the demand is for more compact
> and inexpensive radios instead. It can cost less, and take less bulk, to produce
> highly integrated radios than it would to produce highly modular and configurable
> radios. How many people bought an IC900 in preference to a compact dual bander
> they can hold in their hand?

>
> I agree that firmware should be upgradable. But how much of that really exists?
> It appears that upgraded firmware only appears when upgraded hardware requires
> it. That won't retrofit into a radio without the upgraded hardware (see hardware
> above). Bugfixes should be issued when needed, but that appears to be relatively
> seldom.
>
> As to why the radios aren't designed in the US, there are two answers to that.
> The first is the obvious one that they aren't built here. But there is a more
> important reason as well. And that is that the US amateur market is a relatively
> small percentage of the world amateur market. The radios we buy aren't designed
> exclusively for us (unless they are 222 MHz radios). They are designed for a world
> market which may have other priorities (regulatory as well as operational) than we
> do in how they think a radio should work.
>
> Note that I tend to agree with you that there are some really brain dead decisions
> made in the amateur market from time to time. But I don't think that's exclusively
> the fault of the manufacturers. They're in the business to sell radios, and as long
> as we buy them, they're happy campers.
>
> And I think that they *do* listen to what we want. I'd say the IC706 Mk II is an
> example of that. They fixed almost everything we didn't like about the original
> radio while retaining everything we did like about the older radio. If they weren't
> listening, then why the Mk II? Now I know you want them to "upgrade" your old
> radio, but is that realistic? They've apparently made changes to every board in
> the radio to fix the things we didn't like, and wrote some new firmware to drive
> it. If they offered an upgrade, the only thing left from the older radio would be
> the case. It is likely that the labor to do the upgrade would make the upgrade
> cost more than a new radio. Does that make any sense to you? It doesn't to
> me.
>
> I've modified my 706 to solve the problems it had which annoyed me. And I throughly
> enjoyed doing so. It challenged me to examine where the (IMHO) mistakes were made
> and to develop fixes for them. There are a few things the Mk II offers which would be
nice
> to have, but I can live with the old radio as modified by me. So I'm not going to be a
lemming
> and toss it in the trash and spend $1200 to get those few features. I hang onto my IC735
for
> the same reason. It does what I need in a sufficiently competent way. Sure, I like some
of the
> features of the new IC756, but I don't like them $2,000 worth. If you do, fine, go buy
one. I'll
> wait until I can buy it from you for half price because you just have to have next year's
model.
> Then I'll modify it if it does things that annoy me. I don't expect to be able to upgrade
my
> IC735 to an IC756 in any other way.
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> Gary

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> Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6187. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5o2lhe$ig@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172871

In <33A3E97F.236C@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:

>
>Excuse me . Most of my posts are correct or very close. Many hams have
>sent me positive E-Mail saying they enjoy my posts (entertainment
value)
>plus great info on new equipment. Perhaps I was incorrect on the 440
MHZ
>being included. I will keep all hams informed of any worthwhile news
>in the future even if you don't want to hear about it.
> Jerry if you hate my posts simply don't read them.
>
> 73's NS1R

Greetings Steve,

The 70cm band business was a big goof which you tried to brush of as
trivial. I guess correct is in the eye of the beholder.

I don't hate your posts I just get a little uncomfortable when you try
and pass off speculation as fact. It kind of reminds me of a guy I used
to work with, he would pass on every rumor he came across. If he got
lucky he said, "See I told you guys." if it didn't pan out; silence.
Sound familar Steve.

Thank you for not cursing me in my email.

Jerry

6188. Re: CAUTION: On Metal Hydrate Batery's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5o2fdi$1j8@snews1.zippo.com>
Source record: 172872

"Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>lraymond@sisna.com wrote in article
><winWeb14Jun97141715@DIALUP6388.SISNA.COM>...
>>
>> The appropriate way to end a sentence is with a period. Overuse
>> of the exclamation point becomes weary to readers and reduces
>> the credibility of the writer.

STRICTLY the opinion of a single person, who appears to be a grade school
english/spelling teacher. You have my full pity, if you judge the basic
intent and value of written material primarily on it's purity of
presentation. It is NOT the credibility of the person you have criticized
that is suspect, but your own... (yes, 3 ....'s)

>>
>
>
>But what about his comments on NiMH batteries?
>
He doesn't know, he was too busy counting !!!!!!!!!!!'s

--
Gary..KJ6Q... "It's lonely at the top, but you eat better!
==========
He who laughs last, thinks slowest...
==========
Time is the best teacher... unfortunately, it KILLS
all it's students!
==========
I didn't fight my way to the top of the food chain to
become a VEGETARIAN!
=======AND, finally,==========
Be nice to your kids, they'll choose your nursing home...
==========

6189. Re: Fire and Brimstone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5o2fij$1j8@snews1.zippo.com>
Source record: 172873

k1zat@dsport.com (JD Delancy) wrote:
>I've acquired a Brimstone(r) 144 Mhz transceiver.
>Front panel says it was made in Salinas KS and
>appears to be about 25 years old. About the
>size of a big cigar box.
>
>Anyone have any documentation on this critter ?
>
> jd
>(k1zat@dsport.com)
>

It's an A.M. transciever that was on the market very briefly some years
back - worth far more as a curiosity than anything else. The company
folded very quickly.

--
Gary..KJ6Q... "It's lonely at the top, but you eat better!
==========
He who laughs last, thinks slowest...
==========
Time is the best teacher... unfortunately, it KILLS
all it's students!
==========
I didn't fight my way to the top of the food chain to
become a VEGETARIAN!
=======AND, finally,==========
Be nice to your kids, they'll choose your nursing home...
==========

6190. Comments on Alinco DJ-G5T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Meissner <amateur@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.970616010028.9025B-100000@linda.teleport.com>
Source record: 172874

Thanks for reading, Does anyone have any comments on the DJ-G5T ???
if so I would appreciate it...

73 and please reply by email

****
* Michael Meissner <amateur@teleport.com> *
* Portland, Oregon *
* Ham Radio: K7NE, ex: KB7NGN *
****

6191. Image of Kenwood TS-930

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Hjorth <daniel.hjorth@swipnet.se>
Message-ID: <01bc7a4a$e8a00120$7a5bf482@danne>
Source record: 172875

I would be extreamley glad if someone could send me a picture
of a KENWOOD TS-930s.

Happy for answers

6192. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP INFO !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33A52C8D.33A3@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 172876

hershman wrote:
> (snip)
> I suggest we put pressure on Icom to finish the DSP PCB and offer it as
> an option (say $150)seems fair since it is audio DSP.
>
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

I suggest that both original 706 and MkII owners put pressure on Icom to buy back the pieces of crap they are trying to pass off as state-of-the-art amateur radios. I realize that a jack-of-all-trades type of radio will not be a master of anything in particular, but my 706 is virtually useless. No more Icoms for me. They burned twice in the last five years. Fool me once...

Ed, NM2K

6193. Re: Comments on Alinco DJ-G5T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark & Sher Castiglione <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A54913.551A@flash.net>
Source record: 172877

Meissner wrote:
>
> Thanks for reading, Does anyone have any comments on the DJ-G5T ???
> if so I would appreciate it...
>
> 73 and please reply by email
>
> **********
> * Michael Meissner <amateur@teleport.com> *
> * Portland, Oregon *
> * Ham Radio: K7NE, ex: KB7NGN *
> **********
Hello, I just bought one in Dayton and am pleased with it...I got it with the drycell pack and no Nicad or charger. It realy sucks the alkalines down (1.5amps) on transmit, but that is to be expected(Watt's Law).
I'm still finding new functions. I think it the best value for the money, for the features. I am looking for a Mod to open the transmit up to get to the Family service freqs. Some HT's recieve other bands,eg 100,300 and 800 mhz but how often do you need that. I'll by a walkman to listed to 100mhz fm, and there is nothing on 300...maybe 800 to listen to cell phones.
They realy improved the operation of the radio over the old DJ-560 which was difficult to operate with one hand. Thats it!
I did get a nicad pack yesterday...73 Mark N8REZ

6194. CSI CS800 AutoPatch & TM733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tommie Taylor <tomcmugs@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33A54C92.4A8E@n-link.com>
Source record: 172878

I am trying to build a Private Patch using a CS-800 and TM733 Radio.
I havnt had much Sucess.. Can anyone help me to explain how to set it up
for either Cross Band Duplex or Single Band Simplex operation..
Thanks
Tommie
--
A1 Custom Mugs, 13 Dana Dr Lampasas Tx 76550-1113 512.556.4691
Digital Photo Greeting Cards and Digital Photo Coffee Mugs
Come Visit our Web Site at: http://www.n-link.com/~tomcmugs
Send a Photo Card to anyone in the USA or Give them a
Custom Coffee Mug to someone Special. Tomcmugs@n-link.com

6195. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: VKHD16A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5o71r9$krs@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172629

I have heard that reasoning before and I just do not buy it. Take the Kenwood 331. It uses the same case, mic, etc as their 2M rig. What research and development costs could there be? They have the same features except the 222 rig has only 25 watts.

They charge $200 more for the 222 rig compared to the 2M rig. They look identical except for the model number on the outside. Why $480 versus $280?????

If the manufactures had them for a decent price, they could probably sell a lot of them. Here in Southern California, there are 118 open repeaters on 222 versus 41 on 440. IN my neighborhood I can reach four open 440 repeaters and 18 open 222 repeaters. Almost all of the 222 repeaters are open (about 86%) versus about 9% open on 440.

It seems to me that 222 is more of a true Ham band instead of a private phone patch system that 440 has become.

Steve

6196. Re: Reduced output on Kenwood TS-570D HF tranceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark&Sher N8REZ <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A75599.1101@flash.net>
Source record: 172630
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital

Bjarke wrote:
>
> Hello radio amateur freak
>
> I have a Kenwood TS-570D HF tranceiver and like to use it in combination
> with a transverter for going SSB on 144MHz.
>
> My home build transverter want an input signal of max. 100mW for
> transmitting but my TS-570D deliver min. 5000 mW (5W).
>
> Do you know if it is possible to reduce the output signal of the TS-570D
> transceiver to 100mW - by push any buttons on startup or something like
> that?
>
> What else can I do - 34 dB attenuation is quite a lot.
>
> Yours faithfully
>
> OZ2BKK /Bjarke
It seems that I heard of a way of using a 9 volt battery and pot to put
a negative voltage on a pin on the back of a Kenwood 140 to reduce the
voltage all the way down to zero, to use a tranverter. I'll look for the
notes on it. 73 Mark

6197. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Hyman <ahyman@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33A758E6.4E11@erols.com>
Source record: 172631

Gary

Maby the plug and display etching are to connect it to the 708
(2,220,440,6m, hf rig) that will have DSP. They could be connected to
use as a satelite rig or Cross band repeat!

HI HI.

Alan
KA2PVR

PS: couldnt let this thread going with out a comment!!!

Fiber wrote:
>
> On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 07:49:07 -0700, Michael Aust
> <maust21401@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
> >Gary,
> >
> > Will they sell the prototype DSP for $500, still
> >be willing to get it if it works!!
>
> ICOM does not sell prototypes. I do not think there is a DSP unit for
> the 706 MK II at all. As for the display saying DSP who knows what
> ICOM, Inc is thinking there. We can all speculate about that. Say
> did you know the 735 has RTTY in its display but no FSK mode was ever
> implemented or the 751A and 761 has an extra digit for 10 Hz readout
> which was never enabled. Factories can place most anything into a
> display with out meaning.
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6198. CRT identification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Bullock <daveb@ihr.mrc.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <33A635F5.45DB@ihr.mrc.ac.uk>
Source record: 172632

Is there anyone out there that has the pinout and working voltages for
3" CRT type 3M108P43M.
The tube is made by an American company called Thomas Electronics who
make top secret military equipment, (they must as they dont reply to my
enquiries). If you can help with this it would be much appreciated.
Thanks Dave Bullock G6UWO.
daveb@ihr.mrc.ac.uk

6199. Re: Reduced output on Kenwood TS-570D HF tranceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Cecil A. Moore" <cecilmoore@delphi.com>
Message-ID: <33A6887A.2E9E@delphi.com>
Source record: 172633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital

Bjarke wrote:
> What else can I do - 34 dB attenuation is quite a lot.

Hi Bjarke, you can build an attenuator. My ARRL Handbook has 50 ohm pi and 'T' attenuators ranging from 1 to 60dB. Also, your dB calculation seems to be for voltage yet you gave the requirements in watts. 10*log 5000/100 gives me 17dB. For 5w in and 0.1w out, the two parallel resistors in a pi attenuator should be 66.4 ohms and the series one should be 173.4 ohms, non-inductive. The first parallel one needs to have a 5w rating. Five 330 ohm 2w carbon resistors should do the trick.

73, Cecil, W6RCA, OOTC

6200. TS-870

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adrian Malaguti <malaguti@ba.net>
Message-ID: <33A74E7A.A84BFA64@ba.net>
Source record: 172634

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
--------------D5D890F12358EBBEAD0B68AF
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Hi, I have a Kenwood TS-870 All Band/Mode Transceiver for HF.

I'm searching some accesorie for give it 50 Mhz capability; is there
some??

And I'm selling an Icom 730 in perfect conditions ....you say the price

Adrian LU6AWX

--------------D5D890F12358EBBEAD0B68AF
Content-Type: text/x-vcard; charset=us-ascii; name="vcard.vcf"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Description: Card for Adrian Malaguti
Content-Disposition: attachment; filename="vcard.vcf"

begin: vcard
fn: Adrian Malaguti
n: Malaguti;Adrian
email;internet: malaguti@ba.net
x-mozilla-cpt: ;0
x-mozilla-html: FALSE
end: vcard

--------------D5D890F12358EBBEAD0B68AF--
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6201. Kenwood tw-4000a help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Rogers <tobyr@www.prairieweb.com>
Message-ID: <33A77831.6022@www.prairieweb.com>
Source record: 172635

I have a Kenwood TW-4000A dual band mobile. I wold like to us is as a cros band repater/remote base. If you have info on how to make work in crosband pleas send. Also wold like a copy of the owners manual. will pay for copies and shipping. thanks.

Thanks for reading this post
--
_// T-Bear
(*.*) Toby Rogers KB0SME
()~*~()
(_)-(_) tobyr@prairieweb.com

6202. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A75CB6.178F8529@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172636
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

Web Williams wrote:

> I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500
> watts)
> on many different frequencies. My television set is not being
> interfered
> with, only when my wife wants to watch a video tape does my hobby
> begin
> to cause problems. No neighbors complain, so the problem is extremely
> local. The VCR is a Fisher, and I've been to thier website looking for
> an
> e-mail address to write to a technician, but there are none published.
> I
> know that many electronic manufacturers try to get by with the least
> amount of parts, but have available modification kits just for my
> problem. Any idea how to get 'hold of a Fisher factory tech on the
> internet? Anybody ever have this problem and fix it? Thanks -Web
> kr4wm@sccoast.net

Try some round torriods around the line running between the vcr and the television. Most rfi sees a length of wire as an antenna and the signal will enter at that point. Some times it can come in through the ac line as well. A solid ground for the rig ,amp,and tuner is a must. A good low pass filter will help also. You can usually get torroids at a hamfest for a buck. If one does'nt do it try 2. Hope this helps. Jim

6203. Re: ADI AT-201 comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: poppasmurf <frankstl@iamerica.net>
Message-ID: <33A61F59.562D@iamerica.net>
Source record: 172637

Jerry Riechert wrote:
>
> I'm getting ready to buy my first 2M HT and would like to keep it
> around $200. One of the radios I'm considering is the ADI AT-201
> and I'm interested in any positive or negative comments on the radio.
> Specifically,
> is it Easy to program
> is display easy to read
> freedom from interference
> missing features you wish it had
> battery life
> output with standard battery
>
> ----------------- Insert standard disclaimer here. --------------
> Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com
i just purchased a adi at-200 ht and found it to be quite hard to
program but managed to do it .since i don't have to program it often it
was a small problem other than that i like radio and am keeping it good
luck frank still frankstl@iamerica.net kd5aky

6204. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru
Message-ID: <33a6f199.3532283@news.e-burg.ru>
Source record: 172638

"R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com
>My server says no such thing as rec.radio.amateur.swap.
>
>73's Bob
Your server is correct. It is rec.radio.swap
Best regards,
Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
Phone/Fax: 3432 229621

6205. Re: Free Band Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5o5if5$p9p$1@news02.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 172639

The Resistor is a 0 Ohm Resistror (practicly a Jumper)

Try the Software Modification, Band F3.

Indi.

6206. RE: Rotot plate that fits in the middle of a section of Rohn 25G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter D. Richeson" <peter.d.richeson@boeing.com>
Message-ID: <33A688F3.25C1@boeing.com>
Source record: 172640

And the answer is "Accessory Shelf for 25G tower section" part number
AS-25G.

Thanks to all who responded.

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Peter D. Richeson/KA5COI| Email: peter.d.richeson@boeing.com |
499 boeing Blv. | Inside http://matrix.hv.boeing.com/~richesop|
Huntsvlle, Al 35824 | Outside http://www.traveller.com/~richesop |
M/S JR-10 | Phone (205)461-2603 |

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"I don't believe in a no-win scenario." - Admiral James T. Kirk |
I do not speak for any one but me, and some times not even for me. |
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6207. need IC202E SCHEMATICS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Itis Fermi <itis.fermi@lunet.it>
Message-ID: <022c9874$d0cf4e80$3705fac3@internet>
Source record: 172641

Hello , thank you for reading this message.
I am in need of the ICOM IC 202E schematics diagrams to repair it,
(it does not transmit in ssb mode).
Can anyone scannerize them and send me by email ?
very gratefully Andrea Ghilardi IK5QLO

6208. FS: Yaesu FT-650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <33A68A12.3512@nwlink.com>
Source record: 172679

I have a mint (like new) Yaesu FT-650 all mode transceiver for sale.
This radio covers from 24.5 MHz through 56 MHz with 100 watts out. This
radio has many features including and internal removable AC power so you
can run 13 vdc. comes with the original box, hand mic and manual.

I will take $900.00 + shipping

Mark, KB7OID Washington State 206- 581-9907 mchaous@nwlink.com

6209. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: greg@snoopy.gwr.com
Message-ID: <5o63au$h4p$1@news.en.com>
Source record: 172680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Gary Coffman (ke4zv@bellsouth.net) wrote:

> BNC connectors should be considered assembly connectors. Repeatedly
> connecting and disconnecting them will cause rapid wear. But the SMA
> is actually little better in this regard. The threaded coupling won't wear out
> quickly, but the female center contact will quickly deform and become
> intermittant from repeated connection and disconnection. Because it
> is so small, it'll fail this way quicker than the center contact of a BNC.
> If you're going to use a connector for repeated connecting and disconnecting,
> you need to use one designed for that service, such as the QC connector.

I work at NASA and talked to one of the sattelite rf engineers regarding the SMA on my yeasu. He says they use them almost exclusively for the microwave work they do -- but he told me something that I found really interesting. He says they're only designed to be used once! Essentially, when an SMA is connected and tightened to the specified torque, the connector is SUPPOSED to deform to insure a solid, reliable connection, and any subsequent use suffers. Now, that hasn't stopped me from occasionally connecting and siconnecting the antenna on my yeasu (for foxhunts, for instance), but it definately reminds me to be careful with it.

Greg

6210. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5o63ch$fvc@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>On Thu, 12 Jun 1997 17:14:06 GMT, aruder@pipeline.com (Lou or Annette Hinshaw) wrote:
>>ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>>
>>>On 9 Jun 1997 02:09:17 GMT, "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
>>>>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
>>>><339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>>>>>
>>>>> I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled
>>>>> to the vehicle electrical system with diode steering (RV kit).
>>>>
>>>>The only thing to watch for is that most UPSs are designed for full power
>>>>only as long as their batteries last. The transformer and/or power bridge
>>>>may overheat if run on external DC power.
>>>>
>>>>You will have to derate the max continuous output power.
>>
>>>This isn't usually true. A UPS which can sustain 200 watts for 10 minutes
>>>can generally sustain it indefinitely. That's because 10 minutes is more than
>>>long enough to reach thermal equilibrium. You do have to be careful when
>>>looking at the ratings for the UPS, however. There is a peak surge rating,
>>>and a sustained rating. The former is only valid for momentary starting
>>>demands.
>>
>>>Gary

>>I hope I missed something.
>>The UPS is an Unirruptable Power Supply, having in or arond it
>>a battery. It is to be rated at its ability to run the power for so
>>long at some stated power consumption.
>>
>>If it can run at that rated amount, it does NOT follow that it will
>>run continuously at that rate. The battery will run down.

>Yeah, you missed something. We're talking about using a UPS in a
>vehicle where it has vehicle power to draw upon. Hence the battery
>won't run down as long as the engine is running.

>>Sheesh.

>Sheesh yourself. :-)

>Gary

Yah. I missed something. I missed you thinking UPS stands for
invertor, instead of Uninterruptible Power Supply.

Sheesh again.

Lou Hinshaw

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

6211. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: VKHD16A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5o4ou0$5e6o@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172682

On our FT-50, we use the SMA to BNC connectors. This solves the wearing-out problem, and it allows the use of many other antennas that can be changed quickly. We mostly use the MFJ 1717 dual-band long skinny ducky. It works great.

I also use the MFJ 1712 collapsable dual-band, and a 2-meter half wave (very carefully). When the BNC part of the connector wears out, it can be easily replaced.

So what if the conector looks ugly. It pushes the antenna and RF a little higher out of your face. 10 months so far and no problems.

Steve

6212. Tektronics TYPE 547 Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Buron <aramis@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <33A68DFF.599@pop1.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 172683
Cross-posted to: ott.forsale,ott.forsale.other,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello and thanks for reading,

I have a Tektronics Type 547 Dual-trace Oscilloscope
for sale, the unit is in excellent condition, have every knob
and buttons, I have cleaned it up like new, the lamps inside are
all ok, works like a charm, I would be including one 10x probe from
tektronics with it...

Price is 300$ (in canadian funds)

Buyer has to pick up in Ottawa area

Thanks

Marc Buron
Please reply via e-mail,

6213. IC-720A Pricing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rogerb@egginc.COM
Message-ID: <s3a66646.064@wasc.egginc.com>
Source record: 172684

I cannot get into the amateur equipment listings where this question probably belongs, so I thought I'd ask this question here.
I am looking into purchasing an Icom IC-720A all band incl. WARC HF transceiver with matching Icom power supply and hand mic. There are some scratches on it, but it appears to work well. The electrical band switch still works and it has the original rated power output. The seller is asking $375. What is this old beauty worth today?
Thanks for any replies (please send replies to me personally at rogerb@wasc.egginc.com, not to the group) de Bob KB1LN in Rhode Island.

6214. Sell Six meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4nul@mail.brightok.net
Message-ID: <5o66o2pkq1@sooner.birghtok.net>
Source record: 172685

For sale Mirage A-1015-G 6 meter amplifier. 10 watts in 150 out. Never been turned on as I went into the hospital after I got it. I also have the mobile mount and manual. S/n 682-795. As the new price just went down I am lowering my price to $275.00 This includes shipping.

Bob

Call 405-266-3382
e-mail w4nul@brightok.net

6215. HELP: KAM (FSK) to Kenwood TS-450S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gtk@mis.haselow.com
Message-ID: <gtk-1706971001160001@gkopp.haselow.com>
Source record: 172686
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio.hf

I am trying to get my KAM all mode to do FSK on my Kenwood TS-450S. I wired the plug as directed to the back of the radio (the big 13 pin plug), but I have no luck getting FSK to work. PLUS, when the plug is in the radio, SSB goes to crap. There is so much garbage on my signal, you can't make out any voice, even though kenwood claims that the two are isolated.

Any help you can be in getting these two devices connected would be appreciated.

Greg N8JMS
gtk@mis.haselow.com
n8jms@cars.org
n8jms@n8itp.#neoh.oh.usa.na

6216. MARS Mod for IC-730?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Message-ID: <33A69D95.6CD3@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Source record: 172687

If there a MARS Mod for the IC-730, could someone point me to the site? Thanks for any info.

Butch KF5DE

6217. Flexweave or Superflex Manufacturer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: z0223 <bmyers@mailhost.primenet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7b2f$ca987640$3916a5ce@primenet.primenet.com>
Source record: 172688

I need some engineering info on Flexweave or Superflex antenna wire (not coax). Does anyone know who manufactures this 168 strand copper wire? I know where to buy it -- I need to know who actually manufactures it.

Please reply to directly to bmyers@primenet.com

Thank you.

6218. Re: ? Crossband Repeater with DJ-560 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark&Sher N8REZ <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A6ABF1.E44@flash.net>
Source record: 172689

James O'Brien wrote:
>
> Boer Armin wrote:
>
> > Hello,
> >
> > does anybody know if it is possible to operate the Alinco DJ-560
> > transceiver as a crossband repeater and if possible, how can i awake
> > this funktion?
> >
> > Thanks,
> > Armin.
> > --
> > ____
> > Armin Boeer, Fundamentalstation Wettzell
> > e-mail: boer@wettzell.ifag.de; packet: DJ4CK@DB0AAB
> > ---
>
> Here you go Armin,have fun. 73 Jim
>
> ---
> From: steuer@clam.rutgers.edu (robert Steuer)
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
> Subject: UPDATE: MOD for 800MHz RX on DJ-560!
> Message-ID: <Feb.16.15.01.03.1993.26776@clam.rutgers.edu>
> Date: 16 Feb 93 20:01:03 GMT
> Organization: Rutgers Univ., New Brunswick, N.J.
> Lines: 28
>
> Here is the mod for the DJ-560. I haven't had my friend try it yet,
> but thanks anyway to Kevin Jessup for supplying the information!!
>
> There is NO mod required to do crossband repeat. It is a standard
> feature. If crossband repeat operates on the 800 MHz band (after
> the modification), that is another matter!
>
> Performing the aircraft mod (as described in the back of the owners
> manual, also gets you 800 Mhz).
>
> BTW, cutting the RED jumper provides AIRCRAFT and 800 MHz.
> Cutting the BLUE wire provides out of band transmit (but NO
> guarantess that performance will be within amateur band specs).
>
> To enable 800 MHz, press the UHF key 3 times (to guarantee that your

> are in UHF VFO mode). Then press the function key (keep it held
> down) and then press UHF.
>
> Have fun!
>
> --
> Kevin Jessup, kevin.jessup@mixcom.mixcom.com
>
> "Friends don't let friends run DOS."
> -- Microware
>
> Thanks Again Kevin! Rob KF2EK
>
>
> Copied from the QRZ! Windows Ham Radio CDROM
>
Short and to the point...The DJ-560 will NOT receive AM aircraft or
cross band repeat,period! Had one for years..and sold it last swap.
Maybe you are refering to the DJ-580..Mark N8REZ

6219. FS: ICOM 735 and AH2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchalais@ns.net
Message-ID: <33A6AA75.11F0@ns.net>
Source record: 172690

Like new in box with docs.......

ICOM 735(used but not abused)

AH2 (still in box never installed)

$1250 for the set..... not interested in seperating.

Jack
1-916-487-1481

mailto:jchalais@ns.net

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jchalais@ns.net,HAM/KD6UOT,SSB/WAO-9946
SV:"Hind Sight",Doc# 691808,Port of San Francisco, Ca.
"Isn't is amazing that when you lay a tool down
it's exactly one inch beyond your reach when you need it next."

6220. Re: Standard C156A comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Wilson <jackw@travsoft.com>
Message-ID: <5o696cteh1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 172691

I bought one about 2 months ago and so far have been quite happy with it.
I'm fairly new to amateur radio, so I don't have much to compare it too.

The output is a little low with the alkaline batteries (1.8W) but I've been
able to hit just about every repeater in the Seattle area. Its very easy
to program, although a computer interface would have been nice.

I opted to replace the little rubber ducky antenna with a telescoping one
(cheap Radio Shack model) and have much better reception. I mounted a
simple homebrew antenna on the roof that works exceptionally well.
The abilility to tune in almost anything from about 130 - 200 Mhz is also a
nice little features. I programmed in the local weather stations as well
as some ES and police stations.

One annoying little item, as the alkaline batteries get low, when you go to
transmit, the unit basically recycles power. I guess that could be a good
thing, since you know exactly when to replace the batteries.

So far a very happy customer....

Jack Wilson (jackw@travsoft.com) KC7VLO
Traveling Software Inc
Bothell, WA

Jerry Riechert wrote in article <33A5C607.CDC817B6@agcs.com>...
>I'm getting ready to buy my first 2M HT and would like to keep it
>around $200. One of the radios I'm considering is the Standard C156A
>and I'm interested in any positive or negative comments on the radio.
>Specifically,
> is it Easy to program
> is display easy to read
> freedom from interference
> missing features you wish it had
> battery life
> output with standard battery----------------- Insert standard disclaimer
here. --------------
> Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com
>
>
>
>

6221. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7b36$501783a0$c00f2399@peter->
Source record: 172692

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<33a3f07a.12690002@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
> Often any problem will be in the reverse direction, IE RF getting into
the inverter
> can disrupt its operation. This can happen regardless of the waveshape
the
> inverter outputs. Good shielding and suppression is needed to prevent
this.
>
> For amateur radio purposes, the major difference between various brands
of
> inverters is not the waveshape that they produce. It is the degree of RF
proofing,
> both in and out, that they employ. Unfortunately, the manufacturers
don't often
> give us any test data on this. We have to find out by inspection and
experiment
> whether the inverter we are considering is adequately shielded and
suppressed
> for our purposes.

The better manufacturers test to 10 and sometimes 100 V/m; however, these
levels
can easily be exceeded by even an HT.

Some UPSs lose regulation (going up and down in output voltage), some shut
down,
and some BLOW UP !

I once went into a room full of different brand UPSs with my UHF HT to see
"what
would happen."

The Best, APC and really cheapo square wave inverters were only minimally
affected
(the real cheap units were just a few power transistors and a transformer,
essentially).
The worst was some voltage sagging when the HT was real close.

There was a large Best unit (5 kVA) that would shut off completely whenever
the HT
was keyed anywhere in the room, though.

Other units, off brands, were sometimes pretty sensitive.

But the most sensitive was this Exide unit that EXPLODED! Sparks and flames
came out of every vent hole violently. The design was an inverter section that
produced + and - aprox 200 VDC and some MOSFETs or IGFETs (or someother)
arranged from these rails to the output. The FETs were directly driven by a
microprocessor (no hardware interlock) which was quite far away on the PC
board. The long traces must have picked up the RF and turned both the high
and low side FETs on at the same time. Ooops.

That unit is no longer in production, but there are plenty of them around that will
find there way into the surplus markets...

I don't remember the model but it had a vertical style case and was about 14"
high and about 5" wide.

6222. Need help using HP Logic Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <5o6cd0$ssq@news.jump.net>
Source record: 172693
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

Help please.

I have two HP 1631D logic analyzers. I don't know how to use
these instruments and don't have an operators manual, just
the service manual. In attemping to confirm operation in all
modes I run across the same problem in both machines.

When I select Timing and/or Analog operation only everything
seems to work just fine. When I select State channels I get an
error message "WARNING Slow Clock" and it won't run
in any trace mode.

Am I doing something wrong or do both machines have an
identical malfuntion?? Does anyone know about this or
have a operator's manual where they can look up the meaning
of this error message??

Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver joe@widind.com

6223. Zenith Transoceanic at the Auction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Williams <jmichal@libertynet.org>
Message-ID: <33A66FA7.21E8@libertynet.org>
Source record: 172694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment

Here is a great Zenith Transoceanic at the ebay auction:

http://www2.ebay.com/aw/itemfast.cgi?item=jjd787521

Mike

6224. Need AC plug: TS-520S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hal Rosser W4PMJ <hmrosser@csranet.com>
Message-ID: <33A6BE6B.5F58@csranet.com>
Source record: 172695

Looking for the plug that plugs onto the back of the Kenwood TS-520-s.
I purchased the radio from an estate and the widow did not know where
it was. If this is a standard CONNECTOR I would appreciate someone
posting the brand and part number. (amphenol??)
thanks
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HAL W4PMJ
hmrosser@csranet.com

6225. sale icom ic736

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brent Lemons <n5tml@texhoma.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7c0d$4b8a38a0$5b7ccccf@default>
Source record: 172696

i have a mint 736 icom for sale . all manuals and box. non smoker. 100 watt hf and 6mtr all mode with automatic ant tuner nice rig , but gotta sell . n5tml@texhoma.net

6226. FS: ICOM 2m Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kelly <kwalsh@vkool.com>
Message-ID: <33A65F75.9DB@vkool.com>
Source record: 172697

With battery pack, ac charging adapter, original rubber duck.
$250obo. Please call 604-517-8716 or reply to this e-mail.

6227. IC-706 MKii

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: compuad@netinc.ca
Message-ID: <866545180.31138@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172698

I would like to hear from anyone who has performed the out of band mods on the IC-706 MKii. Can anyone advise what is involved in getting to the circuit board where the diodes are located...i.e. what is involved in taking the face plate apart...there are 2 screws..is that it?? Any replies would be appreciated.

I am very pleased with the performance of this new rig....perfect for all aspects of the hobby. The AM Aircraft rececption SINAD is great!

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6228. FOX/TANGO?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Alan J. Price" <alan1@ultraent.com>
Message-ID: <33A6C792.7E82@ultraent.com>
Source record: 172699

I have a Kenwood 850S/AT with the Kenwood SSB filter. Is it worth the money to add the Fox Tango filter and if so, which one?

Alan
W1HYV

6229. Re: Help - Kenwood TH-79A,TMV7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Achilleas Theodoridis sv2bbm <sv2bbm@prometheus.hol.gr>
Message-ID: <33A6C993.6B19@prometheus.hol.gr>
Source record: 172700

David Whitehurst wrote:
>
> In article <5nv3n4$t1k$1@news9.gte.net>, dgsholar@gte.net says...
> '>
> '>I'm looking for some information on the differences between a Kenwood
> '>Th-79A and an Icom Ic-Z1A. I realy like the stats and looks of
> '>Kenwoods but my dad has two Z1As and really enjoys them. So I am
> '>debating on wich hand-held I should purchase. I will welcome any
> '>advice or comments you may have.
> '>
> '>
> '>Joel Sholar
> '>KE4ZXQ
> I have a z1a & love it! My next ht will , probably, be a kenwood th79a,
> since the z1a has been discontinued (w32a is successor). The th79a is
> the MOST comfortable & slim ht I've ever held . A good choice in lieu of
> a z1a (no longer available). N4ZGT David.

Dear David
It Is Possible to write the correct procedure of the Kenwood TMV7A
remote control ?
73 SV2BBM
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Achilleas Theodoridis
Electronics & Control Systems
19 Salaminos str,Panorama,Thessaloniki,Greece
Post Code:GR 552 36
Tel / Fax ++30 -31 -344651(Auto-answering),
e-mail: sv2bbm@hol.gr

6230. Re: Help - Kenwood TH-79A or ICOM - Z1A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Achilleas Theodoridis sv2bbm <sv2bbm@prometheus.hol.gr>
Message-ID: <33A6C96A.7B06@prometheus.hol.gr>
Source record: 172701

David Whitehurst wrote:
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> In article <5nv3n4$t1k$1@news9.gte.net>, dgsholar@gte.net says...
> '>
> '>I'm looking for some information on the differences between a Kenwood
> '>Th-79A and an Icom Ic-Z1A. I realy like the stats and looks of
> '>Kenwoods but my dad has two Z1As and really enjoys them. So I am
> '>debating on wich hand-held I should purchase. I will welcome any
> '>advice or comments you may have.
> '>
> '>
> '>Joel Sholar
> '>KE4ZXQ
> I have a z1a & love it! My next ht will , probably, be a kenwood th79a,
> since the z1a has been discontinued (w32a is successor). The th79a is
> the MOST comfortable & slim ht I've ever held . A good choice in lieu of
> a z1a (no longer available). N4ZGT David.

Dear David
It Is Possible to write the correct procedure of the Kenwood TMV7A
remote control ?
73 SV2BBM
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Achilleas Theodoridis
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Post Code:GR 552 36
Tel / Fax ++30 -31 -344651(Auto-answering),
e-mail: sv2bbm@hol.gr

6231. TMV7A help Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Achilleas Theodoridis sv2bbm <sv2bbm@prometheus.hol.gr>
Message-ID: <33A6CC34.7639@prometheus.hol.gr>
Source record: 172702

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Achilleas Theodoridis
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Post Code:GR 552 36
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e-mail: sv2bbm@hol.gr

Hi there !
If any knows , please write the correct procedure to remote control the
Kenwood TMV7A mobile tranceiver,via an other HT.
73 SV2BBM

6232. Re: Need help using HP Logic Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sam@stdavids.picker.com
Message-ID: <SAM.97Jun17141122@colossus.stdavids.picker.com>
Source record: 172703
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

State analyzers require an explicit clock to latch the data - this is
usually one or a logical combination of some dedicated signals on one
or more pods. That is precisely the message you get if these arenot
connected to anything.

--- sam : Sci.Electronics.Repair FAQ: http://www.paranoia.com/~filipg/REPAIR/
Coming soon to a computer screen near you: http://www.repairfaq.org/

In article <5o6cd0$ssq@news.jump.net> joe@widind.com (Joe) writes:

I have two HP 1631D logic analyzers. I don't know how to use
these instruments and don't have an operators manual, just
the service manual. In attemping to confirm operation in all
modes I run across the same problem in both machines.

When I select Timing and/or Analog operation only everything
seems to work just fine. When I select State channels I get an
error message "WARNING Slow Clock" and it won't run
in any trace mode.

Am I doing something wrong or do both machines have an
identical malfuntion?? Does anyone know about this or
have a operator's manual where they can look up the meaning
of this error message??

Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver joe@widind.com

6233. Re: Need help using HP Logic Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Carney <carneyke@us.ibm.com>
Message-ID: <33A6BD61.5C25@us.ibm.com>
Source record: 172704
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

Joe wrote:
>
> Help please.
>
> I have two HP 1631D logic analyzers. I don't know how to use
> these instruments and don't have an operators manual, just
> the service manual. In attemping to confirm operation in all
> modes I run across the same problem in both machines.
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> When I select Timing and/or Analog operation only everything
> seems to work just fine. When I select State channels I get an
> error message "WARNING Slow Clock" and it won't run
> in any trace mode.
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> Am I doing something wrong or do both machines have an
> identical malfuntion?? Does anyone know about this or
> have a operator's manual where they can look up the meaning
> of this error message??
>
> Thanks and Best Regards
> Joe Westenhaver joe@widind.com
I believe you need to supply a clock pulse to the Pod
with a CK (clock) input. Set the treshold to TTL and
apply some kind of TTL pulse (1 KHZ) to the clock probe.
Regards, Kevin..

6234. typical price for used but decent handheld?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce G. Bostwick" <lihan@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
Message-ID: <33A6CF63.264B@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 172705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

greetings all,

I'm finally heading down to take my Tech exam after years of putting it off and would like to know what a good deal would be for a used 2-meter handheld, preferably with DTMF. I don't mind older stuff that might not be quite as small as what's out there today, and unless the Austin ARC's repeater requires CTCSS I don't need it. If it can do 70-cm that's even better but I'm mainly after 2m.

If you're in Central Texas and have an old clunker, and want to upgrade to something more fancy, let me know so I can get in touch with you and talk price, shipping, etc. ;-)

73 de <callsign here soon>..

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Socialism is the radical notion that all people have rights. ;-)
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Home page http://ccwf.cc.utexas.edu/~lihan/
Email http://ccwf.cc.utexas.edu/~lihan/forms/comments.html
(CGI mail gateway -- mailer not required!)
or mailto:lihan@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu

6235. Corsair II connections as compared with Omni or Paragon question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@sccoast!.net
Message-ID: <MPG.e109fae4c4c61cd98969f@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 172706

I just purchased a Ten Tec Centurion amplifier to go with my Corsair II.
The Centurion book shows connections to the Paragon and Omni, but not the
Corsair. I'm wondering if the connections on the back of the Corsair are:
QSK is the same as TX EN
EXT.T/R is the same as TX OUT

I would have written Ten Tec about it, but thier web site is down :-(

Thanks, and please remove the ! from my e-mail address to reply. 73, Web

6236. HAM RADIO VACATIONS IN CRETE GREECE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "NERANTZULIS MANOS(SV9ANJ)" <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc7aee$7dcfb260$f5915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 172707

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS.OPEN FROM 14/April/97 TO
31/October/97. FOR INFORMATIONS CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA
EMAIL OR FAX AT ++30 81 761382.

6237. WACOM HUF duplexer for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kleong@jps.net
Message-ID: <33a6d4d8.2910944@news.jps.net>
Source record: 172708

For sale:

Wacom Products, Inc. UHF BpBr Duplexer, model WP-678-R2, 4 cavity,
factory tuned to 444.450 Tx / 449.450 Rx. Purchased new for $790
asking $500

Reply /queries to WA6QQF@juno.com or (510) 799-4175

6238. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Morton L. Denison" <mdenison@blazenet.net>
Message-ID: <33A6E33A.583F@blazenet.net>
Source record: 172709

Although I don't mind reading the ads (I simply skip clicking on the
subject line if I choose not to read them) there's the following
newsgroups for this sort of activity:

rec.ham-radio.swap
rec.radio.amateur.swap
rec.radio.swap

Ed & Brenda Cregger wrote:
>
> Gary Pearce wrote:
> >
> > Hi, rec.radio.amateur.equipment readers,
> >
> > Please pardon my attempt to become a newsgroup cop, but the newsgroup
> > rec.radio.amateur.equipment is attracting more and more "for sale" and
> > "wanted to buy" posts, and I hope I can make an improvement by politely
> > letting everyone know that this newsgroup is designed for the discussion of
> > equipment. (snip)
> >
> > 73,
> > Gary KN4AQ
>
> Actually, Gary, there IS a rec.radio.amateur.swap newsgroup! But, no one
> is using it except for a few diehards. I can't blame anyone for not
> wanting to post on rec.radio.swap because of all of the scanners, CB and
> commercial listings. You do have a point about this newsgroup and I will
> be sure to post my for sale items elsewhere.
>
> Ed Cregger, NM2K
> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

6239. Re: Need HTX-202 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdr@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EBxoo9.AFs@world.std.com>
Source record: 172710

Your local RadShack can order one to be shipped direct to your home
via RSUnlimited service. Unless you've got a particularly bright /and/
experienced clerk at your local rad-shack (why is s/he still there?)
you can get the part # quicker yourself lookin the the RSU catalogs hung
like phonebooks on the wall unit than they'll
be able to find it, and save yourself hassles.

All of the user manual and Some but not all of the service info is
online at http://support.tandy.com/ (clue: Ham radio is under 2-way
under Communications). I think it SHOULD give the RSU # for the service
manual here, but they don't.

Note, full user manuals on the 212, 242, and 404 are there too (but not
the ill-fated 204).

73 de N1VUX BPL with Tech-No-Code
Still certified code free, but not much longer? passed 3B and 4A!
QST TO ALL NO-CODERS: Subscribe to QST and let your ARRL elected officials
know you'll be voting in the next division and section elections.
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Bill Ricker N1VUX wdr@world.std.com "The freedom of the press belongs
http://world.std.com/~wdr to those who own one."--A.J.Liebling

6240. re: JEDI Series Radios MT2000, VISAR Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiojoe1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970617194600.PAA17480@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172711

Has anyone experienced poor radiating characteristics with the JEDI series VHF radios? These radios have good sensitivity and power out when tested with the proper cables on the bench, but exhibit less than expected performance in real service. When a Motorola HT-600 or a GE MPD is placed side-by-side with a MT-2000, the older units seem superior. A field strength meter test (rather unscientific admittedly) shows much greater readings with the older radios also. Any suggestions?

6241. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dussault@vipxlnet.com
Message-ID: <33a6e3bc.29839372@news.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 172712

There is a group: rec.radio.amateur.swap.
Very few posts there though.
VE2ATD

6242. Morse Code!!!!! Read about the fight to save it!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: MorseMan@idt.net
Message-ID: <33a6ef1a.1050213@news.soundcom.net>
Source record: 172713

Please come and visit the site at

http://www.geocities.com/SoHo/Lofts/9208

Read about WWII vet Ray Redwood and his fight to save morse!

http://www.waxfiles.com

6243. FS Old Motorola, GE, Regency plus Yaesu's and Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveb@quando.COM
Message-ID: <v0300781dafccaf2ffc95@[143.227.36.165]>
Source record: 172714

Lots of old junk, but a few gems. Beef up your parts pile?

Buyer pays shipping/handling via UPS or USPS from Portland, OR.
Please respond email only, no phone calls.

- David, N7UUK

Is it CLASSIC or an ANTIQUE or ... ?

Qty 1:
Hammarlund VHF-FM Base Station - Model FM50A.
110VAC, w/Desk Mic. Tubes, on 155.100 MHz now and working.
Price: MAKE OFFER

Qty 2:
Repco '60 -era VHF walkies. The original brick.
6 ch, 5w, w/antenna & dead batt. One on various 144-8 Mhz; the other
on various 155.xxx MHz. They were working before taken apart.
Use for parts or restore or ?
Price: MAKE OFFER

REGENCY LMR ------------------------------------

Regency VHF mobile. Works great.
16 ch, 60w, field programmable.
w/ bracket & spkr.
Price: $125

MOTOROLA LMR ------------------------------------

Qty: 9
Motorola Mocom-70. VHF. some tuned & working, some not tuned
but all rock solid.
4 ch, 60w. No channel elements included.
No accessories; just the radio.
Price: $10 ea

Qty: 2
Motorola Micor. UHF. Model 734RTA3903AA
12 channel. 1 channel element included. I'm told these PAs are great.
w/ accessories: control head, cable harness - but no mic or spkr.
Price: $50 ea

Qty: 1
Motorola MT-500 Rapid Gang Charger. 12 slots.
Some rust but works fine.
Price: Make Offer

Qty: approx 40
Motorola MT-500 Channel Elements. All in the 155-158 Mhz
range on various freqs. Buy'm and I'll throw in beat up used leather cases,
these are the original cases for the mt500 from Mot.
Price: Make Offer

Qty: approx 20
Motorola Tone-Voice Pagers. UHF.
Model A04JVC2468A. Includes tone (various) but no batt
or batt cover. On 450 MHz now, but tune up fine on 440 MHz.
Price: $5ea

Qty: approx 20
Drop in chargers for above Pagers.
1.3VDC at 18mA
Price: $5ea

GE LMR ----------

Qty: 6
GE Portable. VHF. Working.
8 channel. 3 to 5 channels crystaled various 153-158 MHz.
Used high pwr nicad included, Antenna included. No spkr/mic.
Price: $10ea

Qty: 12
GE Portable. UHF. Working.
8 channel. 5 to 8 channels crystaled either police 460.xxx or
medical 463.xxx rpter splits.
Used high pwr nicad included, Antenna included. No spkr/mic.
Price: $15ea

Qty: approx 20
GE mobile "convertacom" for above portables.
No power amplifier, but INCLUDES mobile mic & mobile spkr.
Price: $15ea

Qty: 2
GE Rapid Gang Charger for above portables. One is 30 slots and
the other 10 slots.
Price: Make Offer

Qty: 1
GE 4ch mobile, unknown model and condition. Solid state.
Integrated unit, not a trunk mount. Model RG-56FFS66. w/mic.
Price: Make Offer

HAM ----------

Yaesu FT411 2m portable.
dead nicad batt pack, but includes intact alkaline AA batt pack.
w/ accessories: trickle charger, 2 sprk/mics: standard spkr/
mic plus "spy"style mic-in-earbud, soft case, manual, orig box.
Well-used but works great.

Price: $150

Yaesu 5200 mobile. vhf/uhf dual band.
MISSING the control head & Mic from auto break-in,
but all else included (bracket, manual, orig box). Worked great.
Price: $200 OBO

Bearcat BC 950XLT Scanner.
Mobile. 800MHz, cellular and aircraft. 100 ch.
w/ ac adapter and mobile mounting bracket. Maybe the orig box.
V.good condition, works great.
Price: $100

Our Motto: "Si Laborae Pretium, Nimium Laborae Pretium Est"

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check out my day job: http://www.quando.com

6244. Help: My HTX-202 is acting strange

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darwin Thom <darwin@nortel.com>
Message-ID: <33A7051F.1F59@nortel.com>
Source record: 172715

Can anyone tell me why my HTX-202 is having problems transmitting.
I was testing my SWR when I noticed that by placing my hand around the coax (RG174) I could increase the SWR to about 3.5. Needless to say I did stay there very long. I replaced the coax and the SWR is now about 1.5.

Ever since this time, the HTX-202 seems to be very SWR sensitive. If I use the radio on an antenna with an SWR of less than 1.5, the transmitter puts out the full 5W Tx power. If the SWR is just over 1.5, the output power is greatly reduced to less than 1 watt.

I realize that the HTX-202 has built in protection to reduce the Tx power in the event of high SWR, but it was never so sensitive before.

Any help would be appreciated.

73,
VE3DXR

6245. Re: Reduced output on Kenwood TS-570D HF tranceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: thompson@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5o72nc$3s0@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital

Bjarke <bjmko@tdk.dk> wrote:

>Hello radio amateur freak

>I have a Kenwood TS-570D HF tranceiver and like to use it in combination
>with a transverter for going SSB on 144MHz.

>My home build transverter want an input signal of max. 100mW for
>transmitting but my TS-570D deliver min. 5000 mW (5W).

>Do you know if it is possible to reduce the output signal of the TS-570D
>transceiver to 100mW - by push any buttons on startup or something like
>that?

>What else can I do - 34 dB attenuation is quite a lot.

Years ago with AB1 amps and 100W exciters we used swamping networks.
Use a chassis box putting Coax connectors on each side and a large
group of resistors to cut the power. We went from 100W to less than 1
watt (reduction of 100). Description was in the W6SAI ands RSGB
handbooks.

Dave K4JRB

6246. Drake TR-7 Mars Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: brady@wilmington.net
Message-ID: <5o72qq$jlu@news.wilmington.net>
Source record: 172717

Need instructions to make mod for Mars freq for the Drake TR-7
transciever

6247. HTX 242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick <rick@blackhole.xg.com>
Message-ID: <33A7148D.43BD@blackhole.xg.com>
Source record: 172718

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NEW RADIO SHACK 2 M MOBILE RADIO
NEED TX MOD FOR THIS,,.
PLEASE REPLY HERE ASAP
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6248. HTX 242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick <rick@blackhole.xg.com>
Message-ID: <33A71520.35A8@blackhole.xg.com>
Source record: 172719

NEED TXT MOD FOR THIS RADIO ASAP

6249. HTX 242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: htx242 <rick@blackhole.xg.com>
Message-ID: <33A7154D.FF0@blackhole.xg.com>
Source record: 172720

NEED TX MOD FOR THIS RADIO ASAP

6250. Re: FS: ICOM 2m Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kelly <kwalsh@vkool.com>
Message-ID: <33A6B83D.62D8@vkool.com>
Source record: 172721

IC-2SAT model. 5W output power, power saving function, auto power off, power on timer, built in clock, 48 channel memory, 10 DTMF memory channels, priority watch, scan functions, etc.

Please call 604-517-8716 or reply to this message.

6251. Re: HTX 242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: masa@writeme.NOSPAMcom
Message-ID: <33a71c0d.3616565@news.bctel.ca>
Source record: 172722

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 18:53:01 -0400, htx242 <rick@blackhole.xg.com>
wrote:

>NEED TX MOD FOR THIS RADIO ASAP

and I hope you don't transmit.

Masa
Masa@WriteMe.NOSPAMcom
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/ (General Interest)
http://www.geocities.com/Yosemite/1325/main.htm
(Ham Freqs + BC Freqs, 10 codes & Q codes, Morse Codes, R.S. scanners, Cellular Bands Info,
AT-600 Dual Bander, Int'l Freqs Info, Modifications,
CB General Info, Space Station MIR, Propagation Info)

Spam Security is ON:
Remove "NOSPAM" from noted e-mail address to contact me.
I will NOT buy any products or visit web sites from the SPAM.

6252. Radio Shack HTX-242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: htx242 <rick@blackhole.xg.com>
Message-ID: <33A733F2.262B@blackhole.xg.com>
Source record: 172723

This is the new 2m mobile radio. I need a mod for tx
looks like a kenwood tm-241 but it isn't ..
it may be made by Midland

Asap...
thanks..

6253. my radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: htx242 <rick@blackhole.xg.com>
Message-ID: <33A7344D.2F6D@blackhole.xg.com>
Source record: 172724

this is my radio.

6254. HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@sccoast.net
Message-ID: <MPG.e11000fd8fb44fe9896a0@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 172725
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500 watts) on many different frequencies. My television set is not being interfered with, only when my wife wants to watch a video tape does my hobby begin to cause problems. No neighbors complain, so the problem is extremely local. The VCR is a Fisher, and I've been to thier website looking for an e-mail address to write to a technician, but there are none published. I know that many electronic manufacturers try to get by with the least amount of parts, but have available modification kits just for my problem. Any idea how to get 'hold of a Fisher factory tech on the internet? Anybody ever have this problem and fix it? Thanks -Web
kr4wm@sccoast.net

6255. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33A73C92.7EC9@erols.com>
Source record: 172726
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

Web Williams wrote:
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> I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500 watts)
> on many different frequencies. My television set is not being interfered
> with, only when my wife wants to watch a video tape does my hobby begin
> to cause problems. No neighbors complain, so the problem is extremely
> local. The VCR is a Fisher, and I've been to thier website looking for an
> e-mail address to write to a technician, but there are none published. I
> know that many electronic manufacturers try to get by with the least
> amount of parts, but have available modification kits just for my
> problem. Any idea how to get 'hold of a Fisher factory tech on the
> internet? Anybody ever have this problem and fix it? Thanks -Web
> kr4wm@sccoast.net

I had that problem on 40 meters only. I found that with the antenna
disconnected from the VCR the problem went away. As soon as I connected
the shield of the antenna to the VCR, the problem came back. I ended up
coiling about 20 turns of the VCR antenna cable (RG59) to make a choke
about 10 inches in diameter. This fixed the problem.

I suggest you first determine how the RF is getting into the VCR
(antenna, power leads, or direct through the VCR case). Stop the RF from
entering the VCR with chokes and/or shielding.

6256. FS: AOR AR-2002 25-1300MHz Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A7325A.C3A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: AOR AR-2002 25-1300MHz Scanner, predecessor of all subsequent AOR 2500-style and Yupitero scanning receiver. 20 channels, AM, WFM, NFM, SCAN, SEARCH, DELAY, LOCKOUT, PRIORITY keys, sidelit LCD display, LED bargraph S-meter, headset jack, VFO, standard AOR chiclet keyboard on front, ext. speaker jack, S-meter jack, BNC antenna jack, and built-in switchable attentuator on rear, next to PC interface. Full 800MHz coverage stock from factory, with 2 mobile mounting brackets, 2 12VDC power cords, 1 AOR AC power cube, original telescoping whip BNC antenna, manual. Also including an external analog meter (used as convenient needle S-meter for transmitter hunting), with gain control. This radio chassis can be factory-upgraded to 100+ channel AOR2500 or higher (available from AOR / Ace).

Asking $250 firm, plus shipping. Condition is 7+ (10 being mint). If you are interested, reply via e-mail.

TNX es 73,

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

6257. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: VKHD16A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5o71on$4dd6@newssvr02-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172728

I have heard that reasoning before and I just do not buy it. Take the Kenwood 331. It uses the same case, mic, etc as their 2M rig. What research and development costs could there be? They have the same features except the 222 rig has only 25 watts.

They charge $200 more for the 222 rig compared to the 2M rig. They look identical except for the model number on the outside. Why $480 versus $280?????

If the manufactures had them for a decent price, they could probably sell a lot of them. Here in Southern California, there are 118 open repeaters on 222 versus 41 on 440. IN my neighborhood I can reach four open 440 repeaters and 18 open 222 repeaters. Almost all of the 222 repeaters are open (about 86%) versus about 9% open on 440.

It seems to me that 222 is more of a true Ham band instead of a private phone patch system that 440 has become.

Steve

6258. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: desmith@telalink.net
Message-ID: <5o4h0l$6cd@apple.telalink.net>
Source record: 172802

Mark Brown <kb0pyo@starpoint.net> wrote:
>Why do you want to use fm down in that portion of the band? 144.000 to
>144.100 is cw only 144.100 to 144.300 is ssb.

By default the HTX-212 won't transmit in 144.5-144.6MHz either. This
band includes the inputs for repeaters whose outputs are on
145.11/13/15/17/19MHz. IMHO if RS had set the bottom end to 144.5
instead of 144.6, it would have worked a lot better...

73 DOug

6259. Replacement Antenna for a Kenwood TH-78A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotthal@neosoft.com
Message-ID: <33a5d355.4665103@fullnews.neosoft.com>
Source record: 172803

I'm looking for the best replacment antenna for my Kenwood TH-78A HT.
The factory antenna is extremlely disapointing and I really need to
replace it. Any suggestions or success stories would be greatly
appreciated.

Thanks

Scott A. Hall KC5HOO

6260. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7ab4$fbf87f80$af0f2399@peter->
Source record: 172804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
<33a3f4cb.13794775@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
> The nameplate rating of a standby
> UPS should not be taken as its sustained rating. That rating provides for
the
> surge power needed to start fans, disk drives, etc. But it isn't the
power level
> at which the UPS can run continously, even for a few minutes.

Every APC UPS is able to run until its batteries are depleted at the
nameplate rating.
The XL versions have a different thermal design and can run the nameplate
rating
continuously at highest specified ambient.

>The rating I'm
> talking about above is the one the UPS can sustain for 10 minutes or
more.
> A UPS operating at this level *will* have reached thermal equilibrium in
under
> 10 minutes.
>
> For example, the UPS I'm using has a nameplate surge rating of 800 watts,
> but you can't draw 800 watts from it continously without disasterous
thermal
> consequences. At 200 watts, however, its temperature stabilizes in well
under
> 10 minutes.

OK, I could name a few brands that can't sustain full rated load for more
than a
few minutes, but with reputable manufacturers you can pretty much believe
the
nameplate ratings, BUT NOT BEYOND (like running with an infinite DC supply
at full rated load).

6261. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5o4pdp$qq1$1@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 172805

hershman wrote:

> through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters
> DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused
> connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin
> connector.

In the early 1950's my parents bought a TV set that had an unused RCA connector on the back marked "Color". I didn't write to the manufacturer complaining that they'd clearly had trouble with that portion of the TV and left it off. Nor did I then send letters to all my friends also complaining bitterly about how unfair RCA is to its customers.

Let's face it. Today's typical ham wants a compleat [sic] station in a 4 cu in. box, containing the equivalent of a $25,000 Rhode & Schwartz receiver (cell phone ready), a 1 KW all mode transmitter covering VLF through light, a noise reduction algorithm that can reach 100 dB below the noise in real time to pull out weak signal DX, something on the order of a Cray to run the whole thing (and clone, too -- including sheep!). It should all run on 12 volts at no more that 1 ma. current drain, perhaps even pulling its total power from the approximate 100V/m electric field of the earth. Modular, of course, with connectors that are guaranteed to remain oxide free until just before our small star expands enough to consume the planet. And woe unto the manufacturer who leaves ANYTHING out, especially features key to the US market even though that market is one of hamdom's smaller markets -- simply because that's us, and the world should be America-centric anyway.

Nearly forgot -- can't cost more than $1299 list. And I should NEVER EVER have to purchase a complete new radio, just little tiny upgrade modules. For $5.99 each, the vendor should also offer "green" wires that can be cut -- not for any reason, just because that seems to be the major "homebrew" activity in ham radio today, and if we're not homebrewers then what are we?

:-)

Grant/NQ5T

nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

6262. FS MONITOR NEC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7ad7$ca572f80$6f2c74cf@default>
Source record: 172806

nec monitor for sale $450.00 or best offer call gabe
at 1-401-434-2606 .

e-mail gmelo@worldnet.att.net

MODEL # MULTISYNC XE15

6263. SBE Model 34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn6epsac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970617031700.XAA16357@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172807

Hi there all. I acquired an SBE Model 34 HF transceiver. The power plug is part of a circular 11 pin module on back of the set. What kind of attachment do I need to connect to these pins to get 110 v into this radio? (power supply is on board). Does anybody know the pin assignments? I would like to at least test out the receiver section Can't do that without power. Thanks for any help anyone can provide.

George KN6EP Sacramento

6264. WTB: Non-Working TS-520 or TS-520S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: cn1639@coastalnet.com
Message-ID: <5o528r$6hs@treasure.coastalnet.com>
Source record: 172808

I need a cosmetically perfect 520 or 520S to rob parts for my 520.

Please respond to kr4jo@coastalnet.com

6265. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A6A3E3.128E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172809

Gary,

Will they sell the prototype DSP for $500, still
be willing to get it if it works!!

73

Mike

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Sun, 15 Jun 1997 22:24:41 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Gary, I am not complaining that Icom should have put DSP in the RADIO.
> >They at least attempted to do it but for some reason did not follow
> >through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters
> >DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused
> >connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin
> >connector. There is a 3X4 spavr for a DSP shielded module to sit.
> >I heard Icom scrapped the DSP for reasons: they were in a rush to get
> >the radio out for Dayton '97 and had some bugs in the DSP module.
> > All we want is for Icom to try to get the bugs out and offer it as an
> >option.
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> Did you ever think it may NOT be profitable to produce such an item ?
>
> I do not think any amateur manufacturer would produce an item they
> could not make a profit on, ie; recently look at the Z1A, ICOM gave
> them away at $319.00. It did not sell so there was no profit being
> made
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6266. Re: Standard C156A comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e0fe413a12dfb4f98968c@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172810
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In article <33A5C607.CDC817B6@agcs.com>, riecherg@agcs.com says...
(A lot of junk cut out)
> I'm getting ready to buy my first 2M HT and would like to keep it
>
around $200. One of the radios I'm considering is the Standard C156A
>
> Message-ID: <33A58F28.50B1@agcs.com>
I played with one over the weekend,I do a lot of train watching,and if
you have an interest in any out of hamband Vhf listening,you will be
happy with it.It seemed easy to use,I have a Icom dual bander,so I don't
remember what easy to use means anymore.Without the manual,I was able to
get it to do a lot of stuff very easily.Audio was good,not extremely
loud,but you can always use a cassette adapter in the car if you need
to.Seemed to be well made.I bought a Standard dual bander(C510)on
Saturday,very tiny,not loud decent recieve to 900+MHz.Can't find a case
for it,they tell me it isn't out yet..Barry N8PVX
--
Bumologist.........What the HELL is that!!???
Barry Felstein

6267. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33A61B7C.5E59@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 172811

R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4 wrote:
>
> My server says no such thing as rec.radio.amateur.swap.
>
> 73's Bob

My last ISP did not carry rec.radio.amateur.swap, but my current ISP
does. It IS there if your ISP will get it for you.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

6268. Re: Fire and Brimstone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33a6244e.6052988@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 172812

On 16 Jun 1997 04:31:15 GMT, Gary - KJ6Q
<Reporter@sparc1.castles.com> wrote:

>k1zat@dsport.com (JD Delancy) wrote:
>>I've acquired a Brimstone(r) 144 Mhz transceiver.
>>Front panel says it was made in Salinas KS and
>>appears to be about 25 years old. About the
>>size of a big cigar box.
>>
>>Anyone have any documentation on this critter ?
>>
>> jd
>>(k1zat@dsport.com)
>>
>
>It's an A.M. transciever that was on the market very briefly some years
>back - worth far more as a curiosity than anything else. The company
>folded very quickly.
>
>--
>Gary..KJ6Q...

Actually it was an FM tranceiver, fully synthesized, 25
watts out if I remember correctly.

The company lasted about a year and then folded.

At that time, I was working at a company called
"Spectronics", in Oak Park (Chicago) IL, which was, at that
time, one of the leaders in two meter FM sales for amateur
radio use ... nostalgia time, gang - how many of you built
HT220's from "Spec boards"?

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

6269. HTX-212 store non-ham freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwestfal@silicon.csci.csusb.edu
Message-ID: <5o5c2r$er2@news.csus.edu>
Source record: 172813

Anybody know how to make the HTX-212 store non-ham freqs
in the memories?

If it's not possible, I think that really sucks. What's the
point of having expanded receive coverage if you can't save
your favorite channels?

-- Mike n6kuy

6270. Re: Unwanted attachments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A631E8.87AADBB5@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172814

Charles Stampf wrote:

> HAMS should take notice that it is considered rude and inconsiderate
> to send unrequested binary attachments to a listserv that is
> broadcast to large audiences. Please consider those of us who pay
> for connect time and aren't interested in your binaries.
>
> _____________________________________
> Charles Stampf, SPHS
> cstampf@health.co.dutchess.ny.us
> Dutchess County Department of Health
> 387 Main Mall
> Poughkeepsie NY 12601
> (914) 486-3404
> _____________________________________

First off,I don't see your callsign anywhere. And obviously you surf the net while at work for the health department because a cheap skinflint like yourself would'nt have a computer at home. Now,since your so worried about money concerns get off the computer at work and do your damn job. Geek.

6271. Re: How to set crossband repeat with Kenwood TH77A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A639CB.5BCF83DD@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172815

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John Rhodes wrote:

> I friend (K0COI) asked me to post this.
>
> How do you set up the Kenwood TH77A ht for crossband repeat? Thanks.

Here ya go. 73 Jim

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="Th77a.txt"

From: gwalsh@kilroy.jpl.nasa.gov (Gerald J. Walsh)
Newsgroups: rec.ham-radio
Subject: Here are the Kenwood TH-77A mods!

Here is the complete list of mods that are know to date for the
Kenwood TH-77A Dual Band hand held:

>From the factory, it can receive 138-174MHz and seems to do it quite
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well with the supplied rubber duck antenna can receive
438-450MHz and, likewise, does this quite well too! One very interesting
feature of the TH77A is that it can do *DUAL* UHF receive! To do this
it uses the VHF receive section and you have less sensitivity, but I
really haven't noticed much signal degredation at all.

NOW! On to the *EXTRA* capabilities (there are other BASIC functions
that I didn't mention, those were just the highlights).

After making a few modifications to this radio, you can get it to
do the regular stuff that the IC24AT will do, such as AM aircraft,
expanded UHF (400-512 depending on PLL lock) and 800-950 (again,
depending on PLL lock) in addition to cross band repeat.

HOW DO YOU DO THIS!?

Easy (if you've got a steady had for removing a chip resistor!).

Open it up. There are 3 screws visible on the outside and 4 more
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underneath the battery pack. Unlike most radios, this one doesn't

have a spring for the battery release switch. It gets spring
action from the metal plate that you will remove when you take
out the four screws.

Anyway, the area you will be working in is on the control board
which is fixed to the front section of the radio. In particular,
look for the yellow electrolytic capacitor (its yellow in mine) that
is at the dead center of the board (there are two IC's, one above
this and 1 below this). You will have to remove the electrolytic
capacitor (C124) and set it aside for a few minutes. You will be
putting it back afterward. The reason for removing this is so that
you can remove a chip resistor that is underneath it. To avoid tearing
the flex board foil traces, do not bend the leads of the capacitor.
There is a green wire that is connected to one side of this capacitor.
If you disconnect one side of this green wire, you will get RX from
400-512 (PLL lock depends on the radio, but you can DIAL from 400 to
512). Orient the radio so that the volume controls and BNC are at
12 O'Clock on your table (farthest from you) and the bottom (where the
battery connects) is at 6 o'clock area where you
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removed the capacitor, you will see a blank space where there could have
been a chip resistor followed by two chip resistors side-by-side and in
the next row below that, you will see 3 more that are side-by-side.
There is one to the left of these two rows that is kind of off center.
Now, there are three ways to configure this radio at this point:

1 - With one side of the green wire pulled, you will have
136-174 RX, 400-512 RX. If that's all you want, you are done.
2 - By removing the rightmost chip resistor (R129), in
addition to keeping one side of the green wire disconnected,
you will have 136-174 RX, 400-512 RX, 118-136 AM RX, 800-950 RX.
3 - By removing both of the chip resistors, in addition
to putting the green wire BACK where it belongs, you
will have 136-174 RX/TX, 400-512 RX/TX, 118-136 AM RX
and 800-950 RX.

All three of these options include, of course, putting the electrolytic
capacitor back in place afterwards.

NOTE! ONCE YOU START DOING THIS STUFF, YOUR MEMORIES AND POWER ON SWITCH
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CONFIGURATIONS WILL ALL BE LOST! MAKE A NOTE OF HOW YOU ARE SETUP BEFORE
YOU BEGIN!

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! ! ! !
! !__! !
! !
! =rr <------- remove the right one for AM/800-950 RX
! r ! remove both to also get extended TX
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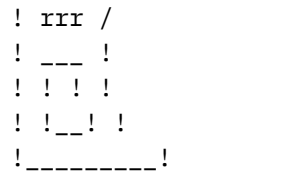

Layout shown with electrolytic capacitor C124 removed

The best way to do this is to heat up both sides of the resistor and
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push it out of the way with something small. At least this was the
best way for me! Once it's out, put the capacitor back in place and
close it up. (Put the green wire back also, if you are making the
out of band TX mod too!)

TO OPERATE THE NEW FEATURES

To receive AM aircraft, get the VHF side in the main band and hit the
ENT key twice to go to the VFO. Once you are in the VFO, hit the
UxU key twice. Once for dual UHF receive and the 2nd time for AM
(118-136).

To receive 800-950, get the UHF side in the main band and hit the
ENT key twice to go to the VFO. Once you are in the VFO, hit the
UxU key once.

To enable crossband repeat, hold down the SUB BAND UP ARROW key while
turning on power. To disable, do the same thing again. Kenwood says
that both bands can contain shift information but only one band can include
an encode/decode tone.
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One more thing. The POWER ON + 8 KEY that allows you to select the
kind of memory recall will be a bit different. Now, you will have an
extra option in the right side of the display. E1 or E2 which may
be selected with the VFO control on the top of the radio. E1 mode will allow
you to automatically make the radio switch to AM or switch to the 800MHz
stuff as you use the VFO knob to move through your memory channels. E2 mode
will skip over any memories that are AM or 800-950MHz. In E2, the only way
to recall one of the *special* memories is to go to the VFO, hit the UxU
key to go to AM or 800MHz and then recall one of these memories. Personally,
I have mine in E1 and don't know any reason why anyone would want to be in E2,
but its there if you need it!

The Kenwood modification sheet says the following about AM sensitivity:

While the receiver sensitivity is neither specified nor guaranteed
for the AM range, the sensitivity is typically less than 1uV for
10dB signal plus noise to noise ratio between 123-131MHz. The
band edges, however, measure between 8-20uV for 1dB S+N/N ratio.

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SOME PERSONAL OBSERVATIONS

My radio seems to have a hole in it in the 800MHz band. I get this beeping sound when I try tuning between 864-875MHz (I believe the TH77A beeps when it can't lock). Also, the sensitivity could be better around 483MHz (local Sheriff). I did notice that using the dual UHF receive and tuning to 483MHz was better than using the straight UHF receive. (Remember, the dual UHF RX uses the VHF section with reduced sensitivity. Well, its reduced in the amateur portion, but seems to be enhanced out of the band!) At around 506MHz (Los Angeles PD) its VERY weak. I could barely hear anything WITH an outside antenna. Maybe some tweaking inside could improve this (I haven't really looked for the VCO yet).

By the way, Pontus did mention that checking the input frequency was a bit annoying. You have to hit FUNCTION SHIFT to get the radio to REVERSE and listen to the input. I agree!

Anyway, hope this information helps you get more from you new toy!
Its a *REALLY* nice radio!!

Gerald J. Walsh
Jet Propulsion Laboratory

Note: I haven't tried or verified this, proceed at your own risk. WA2ISE
And don't transmit out of band!

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6272. Re: ? Crossband Repeater with DJ-560 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A63EC2.CF78BF6C@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172816

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Boer Armin wrote:

> Hello,
>
> does anybody know if it is possible to operate the Alinco DJ-560
> transceiver as a crossband repeater and if possible, how can i awake
> this funktion?
>
> Thanks,
> Armin.
> --
> _____________________________________________________
> Armin Boeer, Fundamentalstation Wettzell
> e-mail: boer@wettzell.ifag.de; packet: DJ4CK@DB0AAB
> -----------------------------------------------------

Here you go Armin,have fun. 73 Jim

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Content-Disposition: inline; filename="Dj560.txt"

From: steuer@clam.rutgers.edu (robert Steuer)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: UPDATE: MOD for 800MHz RX on DJ-560!
Message-ID: <Feb.16.15.01.03.1993.26776@clam.rutgers.edu>
Date: 16 Feb 93 20:01:03 GMT
Organization: Rutgers Univ., New Brunswick, N.J.
Lines: 28

Here is the mod for the DJ-560. I haven't had my friend try it yet,
but thanks anyway to Kevin Jessup for supplying the information!!

There is NO mod required to do crossband repeat. It is a standard
feature. If crossband repeat operates on the 800 MHz band (after
the modification), that is another matter!

Performing the aircraft mod (as described in the back of the owners
manual, also gets you 800 Mhz).
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BTW, cutting the RED jumper provides AIRCRAFT and 800 MHz.
Cutting the BLUE wire provides out of band transmit (but NO
guarantess that performance will be within amateur band specs).

To enable 800 MHz, press the UHF key 3 times (to guarantee that your
are in UHF VFO mode). Then press the function key (keep it held
down) and then press UHF.

Have fun!

--
Kevin Jessup, kevin.jessup@mixcom.mixcom.com

"Friends don't let friends run DOS."
-- Microware

Thanks Again Kevin! Rob KF2EK

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6273. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A63CA0.3A72C087@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172817

Gerald Schmitt wrote:

> In <33A35178.2EF5@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> filled with himself and multiple dilusions writes:
> >
> >Yes the Icom 706 MK II had DSP built in but then Icom decided to
> scrap
> >it. If you own a IC-706 you will see on the LCD the words "DSP" and
> >"NR"(noise reduction).
> >If you look at the bottom PCB of the radio you will see a 10 pin
> >Phenolic connector. there is also a 2x3 space for the DSP shilded PCB
>
> >I just got another confirmation from a Icom (outside the USA)
> informent.
> >I had to use my special "INTERIGATION" methods on him. He is
> >recuperating nicely at a nearby hospital.
> > What I got from him before he passed out was that Icom was going
> to
> >offer this DSP as an option for $??? and You would simply plug in
> the
> >PCB just like the other options on the IC-706 MK II (CTCSS
> decode,voice
> >synthesizer etc. You set the IC-706 MK II setup so the radio knows
> the
> >DSP is installed in the radio. I wish ICOM would try to get the DSP
> unit
> >to work and offer it to the Ham customers. I would buy it if it were
> >under $200 (you can buy a timewave DSP 9+ for $200.
> >
> >Gary Fiber from Icom may tell you guys that what I am saying is not
> >true. Remember who told you guys about the Icom 706 Mk II long before
>
> it
> >was announced ! Also I clearly remember Gary Fiber saying that Icom
> had
> >no plans on making the IC-706 Mark II. Hee Hee. You guys know who to
> >believe.
>
> Actually Steve we do remember your "Mark II" story and are still
> waiting for the 70cm coverage you promised. Does making this stuff up
> make you feel important? Remember EVERYTHING you post to the news
> groups is available on Dejanews so you can't change the story later.
>
> As the sign down at the feed store says, "I'm a bit of a BSer myself

> but I really appreciate watching a professional at work."
>
> BTW please no more romantic stuff to my email I don't appreciate the
> threats or the profanity, thank you.
>
> Jerry
> >
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

DIE THREAD DIE!!!

6274. Re: ICOM IC-120 acessory plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
Message-ID: <33A64483.A7E@ndti.net>
Source record: 172818

Bill Harwood wrote:
>
> I have an old IC-120 1.2 GHz radio that I got in a trade. I want to do
> some fancy playing on 1.2. The manual (and the back of the radio) have
> a 9 pin plug on the back of the radio with discriminator, s level, PTT
> and some other connections on it.
>
> The socket (female side on the radio) has what appears to be a center
> plug (like a vaccuum tube) and 9 pins around a circle. I do not know if
> other ICOM radios of this vinatage had this plug or just the IC-120.
>
> I need to find a source for these plugs (or a plug) and a proper
> discription of them.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Bill Harwood
> W5WH

6275. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP BUILT IN !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A63D9F.CBFF04B2@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172819

Gerald Schmitt wrote:

> In <33A4B3A6.6015@earthlink.net> Michael Aust
> <maust21401@earthlink.net> writes:
> >
> >Jerry,
> > Steve is not making this up, look at the 706 Mark II
> >display, when the backlight is set low , you can see
> >the outlined Letters of the unactivated in thee Upper Left
> >say DSP, ANF, and NR. Does not take a genius to figure that
> >out, and that 10 pin connector and space for the module!!
> >73
> >
> >Mike
> >
> Mike,
>
> I don't doubt the letters are there. It is what Steve speculates that
> I
> have a problem with. Perhaps Steve is right or perhaps they are just
> there for future use, the point is Steve doesn't really know, he is
> doing just what you are doing, speculating and drawing conclusions
> based on flimsy evidence. The difference is that Steve CLAIMS to have
> some sort of inside knowledge I believe this claim to be meadow
> muffins. As you can see following this thread he already has people
> believing DSP will be offered soon. This just leads to heartburn for
> Gary Fibre and /gary is a really nice guy. The whole thing is about
> Steve's ego and need for attention not equipment.
>
> 73 Jerry
> DIE THREAD DIE!!!

6276. Re: FT50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Pettigrew <m.w.pettigrew@shu.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <33A66846.4D06@shu.ac.uk>
Source record: 172820

wf3h@enter.netxx wrote:
>
> On 6 Jun 1997 10:11:32 GMT, Ingra-Beton@t-online.de (Ingra-Beton)
> wrote:
> >
> >Take a look at http://members.aol.com/aeimn/ft50/index.htm
> >
> tried this, as well as members.aol.com/aeimm. got a list of spirtual
> books. is the ft50 programmable only with divine guidance? aol sez no
> page like this
>
> delete the xx from my email address to reply

Ha - amazing what a simple spelling error can do. The last character of the aeimn is November, not Mike. I just tried it and got the In Spirit Books site using aeimm (Mike) and got the FT50 page using aeimn (November).

Good luck!

Best wishes

Mark
G0WLR

6277. MONITOR FOR SALE NEC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7b29$e5d5c940$a82b74cf@default>
Source record: 172821

Monitor for sale like new .Have original box asking
$450.00 or best offer call gabe at 1-401-434-2606
or e-mail. gmelo@worldnet.att.net

Model # Nec Multisync XE15

6278. FT-900 & FT-8100 Mods Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barbara Page <n1fte@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7b15$3b0f0120$cc2c74cf@n1fte2>
Source record: 172822

If anyone has these mods, please e-mail them to me at:

n1fte@hotmail.com

73 es TNX!
de Keith (N1FTE)

6279. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph M Zawodny <J.M.Zawodny@LaRC.NASA.gov>
Message-ID: <33A6794E.3A@LaRC.NASA.gov>
Source record: 172823

Ed & Brenda Cregger wrote:
>
> Gary Pearce wrote:
> >
> > Hi, rec.radio.amateur.equipment readers,
> >
> > Please pardon my attempt to become a newsgroup cop, but the newsgroup
> > rec.radio.amateur.equipment is attracting more and more "for sale" and
> > "wanted to buy" posts, and I hope I can make an improvement by politely
> > letting everyone know that this newsgroup is designed for the discussion of
> > equipment. (snip)
> >
> > 73,
> > Gary KN4AQ
>
> Actually, Gary, there IS a rec.radio.amateur.swap newsgroup! But, no one
> is using it except for a few diehards. I can't blame anyone for not
> wanting to post on rec.radio.swap because of all of the scanners, CB and
> commercial listings. You do have a point about this newsgroup and I will
> be sure to post my for sale items elsewhere.
>
> Ed Cregger, NM2K
> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

Sounds like a plan, but would you please post here where you are
selling your stuff along with a description of the item(s) and
price(s) each time you post something for sale ? ;)

73, KO4LW

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Work: Dr. Joseph M. Zawodny Play: Joe Zawodny
NASA Langley Research Center KO4LW@amsat.org
E-mail: J.M.Zawodny@LaRC.NASA.gov zawodny@exis.net
(757) 864-2681 (757) 864-2671 FAX http://wwwp.exis.net/~zawodny

6280. Re: Antenna for Kenwood Th 79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: _meneer@poboxes.com_
Message-ID: <33a673e5.3945294@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 172824

"Roger Chao" <rc168@msn.com> wrote:

>I just pruchased a TH 79. I would like to know what kind of handheld
>antenna is good for this model. THANKS!

This weekend I bought a Diamond RH10, works noticable better than the
original antenne, although not much. It also has wideband receive and
can be used to transmit on 23cm, although the TH79 can't do that.

BTW, did you know that the TH79 can receive from 130-174, 400-470 and
800-999 MHz? For that reason, this wideband receive funtionality is
very nice.

Regards, Rob B.

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I have put underscores in my e-mail address.
Remove them before sending your message.

6281. Best radio for backcountry to base?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: alaska98@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <33a7582d.66889185@news.flash.net>
Source record: 172825

I am planning an expedition to Alaska with a group of twelve people and six trucks. I am going to invite some lucky Ham radio operator to become a member of the team, but before I do that, I really need to know what kind of rig I need that person to run.

So, here are my requirements, and hopefully many of you will give me your thoughts on what is needed...

Our first requirement for the radio is emergency communications for evacuation or medical help. We will be up to 200 miles away from the nearest large town like Fairbanks or Anchorage.

The second requirement is that we will need the capability of sending web page updates, on a daily basis, to a server that will be in either Fairbanks or Anchorage... again, about 200 miles away. I assume this means we will need packet radio.

We can easily setup a communications tent at our campsites, along with a generator for power. We are travelling with SUV trucks, so we can take a fairly substantial breakdown antenna. It would need to be moved about once every 4 days on average.

We will have laptops on the expedition, and this is where we will create the daily web page updates. The updated files need to get from the laptop to the internet server in Anchorage or Fairbanks. At this time, these servers are dialup access type accounts. So I need to make the bridge from laptop to packet to phone line at some point. Maybe this means I need to become friends with a Ham operator in one of these towns and that also has a computer, modem, and phone line?

My questions are:
What is the best frequency range for this scenario? 10 meters?
How about breakdown antennas?
How big will the generator need to be?
What other equipment will I need? Wiring? Packet Modems? Microphone?
What if I want to increase my range substantially, and communicate from Alaska directly to Texas? Is there a big difference in equipment?
What are some ballpark costs for this equipment?

Finally, as licensed Hams, do you think it is appropriate that I get a Ham operator to join my team. I want this person to be more than a Ham. I need someone who can keep all the CB's in the six trucks working, get daily weather reports and weather faxes, communicate with ranger stations, tune antennas, PLUS do all the stuff I described above.

I have checked into the use of cell phones, and there is no service in the area I am travelling. Maybe satellite phone is the way to go, but I have heard that this costs about $8,000 for the box.

Thanks
John

Offroad Alaska '98 Expedition
alaska98@hotmail.com

6282. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a6827a.865907@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172826

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 07:49:07 -0700, Michael Aust
<maust21401@earthlink.net> wrote:

>Gary,
>
> Will they sell the prototype DSP for $500, still
>be willing to get it if it works!!

ICOM does not sell prototypes. I do not think there is a DSP unit for the 706 MK II at all. As for the display saying DSP who knows what ICOM, Inc is thinking there. We can all speculate about that. Say did you know the 735 has RTTY in its display but no FSK mode was ever implemented or the 751A and 761 has an extra digit for 10 Hz readout which was never enabled. Factories can place most anything into a display with out meaning.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6283. Re: ICOM IC-120 acessory plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a7848d.1396138@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172827

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 01:02:11 -0700, Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
wrote:

>Bill Harwood wrote:
>>
>> I have an old IC-120 1.2 GHz radio that I got in a trade. I want to do
>> some fancy playing on 1.2. The manual (and the back of the radio) have
>> a 9 pin plug on the back of the radio with discriminator, s level, PTT
>> and some other connections on it.
>>
>> The socket (female side on the radio) has what appears to be a center
>> plug (like a vaccuum tube) and 9 pins around a circle. I do not know if
>> other ICOM radios of this vinatage had this plug or just the IC-120.
>>
>> I need to find a source for these plugs (or a plug) and a proper
>> discription of them.
>>
>> Thanks in advance,
>>
>> Bill Harwood
>> W5WH
ICOM has the plugs. Call their parts dept at 424-454-7619 and press '
3 ' when the automated system answers.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6284. Re: Antenna for Kenwood Th 79

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7b19$c36e0ee0$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 172828

Hi Rob,

Not to forget 118-174 and 300-399 Mhz. There's even a mod to receive
starting from 68 Mhz.

About the antenna, I use a Commet 1/2wave (about 40cm) which allows me to
open a repeater from about 55 km which is really great.

Paul

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Rob B. <_meneer@poboxes.com_> wrote in article
<33a673e5.3945294@news.demon.nl>...
> "Roger Chao" <rc168@msn.com> wrote:
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> >I just pruchased a TH 79. I would like to know what kind of handheld
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>
> This weekend I bought a Diamond RH10, works noticable better than the
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> can be used to transmit on 23cm, although the TH79 can't do that.
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> BTW, did you know that the TH79 can receive from 130-174, 400-470 and
> 800-999 MHz? For that reason, this wideband receive funtionality is
> very nice.
>
> Regards, Rob B.
>
> --
> I have put underscores in my e-mail address.
> Remove them before sending your message.
>
>

The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

6285. Re: Using SoundBlaster as DSP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7c11$cdeed180$242a25a6@Scooter.cs.mci.com>
Source record: 172580

When you do the search, select DOS in the pull down first.

Bob Snyder <Bob.Snyder@mci.com> wrote in article
<01bc7a8b$3e29c960$242a25a6@Scooter.cs.mci.com>...
> There is some FREEWARE out there that does exactly that. It is pretty
> amazing stuff. I use it all the time.
>
> The zipped file is called SBFFT12. Search for it at
> http://www.shareware.com or I can email to anyone.
>
> Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net> wrote in article
> <339A7920.58F0@pacbell.net>...
> > Paul Berthel Schou wrote:
> > >
> > > It seems to me that I've seen some discussion about using a
> > > SoundBlaster to manipulate received audio. Is/has anyone had any
> > > success doing this? It sure would be convenient for me if I could use
> > > my SoundBlaster for controlling the audio bandwidth and maybe even
> > > cutting out some hetrodynes.
> > >
> > > Any information will be appreciated.
> > >
> > > Paul B. Schou - pauls@clark.net - ke6et@ke6et.ampr.org -
> ke6et@amsat.org
> > > Annapolis, MD USA Sailing Capital of the World -
> ke6et@ke6et.md.usa.noam
> >
> > Paul:
> > Check out Pioneer Hill Software at
> > http://www.telebyte.com/pioneer/index.html. I'm using their Spectra
Plus
> > software of a Media Vision card. Very interesting to play with, maybe I
> > might even learn something here!
> >
> > Ed
> >
>

6286. Kenwood TS-850 Keying Information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: eparish@nospam.com
Message-ID: <eparishEBzIF3.4rC@netcom.com>
Source record: 172581

I am looking for information about the Kenwood TS-850. I don't have a manual or a TS-850, which makes it hard for me to figure out the answer, which may be simple. Is there an input on one of the accessory connectors that would inhibit transmit? The situation is that I am running VOX with a two transmitter station (not mine) and would like to lock out one of the transmitters with a simple signal to the radio. Does the TS-850 have such a signal or means of inhibiting the transmitter?

Thanks for any information
Ed K1EP
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Ed Parish
eparish@nospam.com
do not reply direct without changing the address
substitute "netcom" for "nospam" for my correct address

6287. For Sale: Yaesu FT 890 AT + accessories for home and mobile use.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Conner <mconner2@utk.edu>
Message-ID: <33A831DF.66FF@utk.edu>
Source record: 172582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FOR SALE:

Yaesu FT-890AT in very good condition.
Has built-in antenna tuner (useful for mobile), 100 watts transmit,
built-in keyer, general coverage receiver and all-mode transmit. I
always found this 890 to have a great receiver.

Also for sale:

Yausu YS-60 SWR + Power meter (matching color to 890)
Astron RS-50M (with meters) (barely used)
Bencher Keyer BY-1 (barely used)
Hustler Mobile resonators for:
80, 75, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15 and 10 meters (low power models)
and two masts - one stainless steel and other is fiberglass.
(all in good condition)

and I'll throw in a 40' length of 9913 coax.

Prices dependent on who pays shipping, but figuring:

FT-890 $750
YS-60 $70
RS-50M $175
BY-1 $ 50
Hustler $140 for all.

Would prefer to sell entire package. Am selling because work hours are
too long and I don't travel much any more and the cash would be useful.

Please e-mail me for further details, or call in afternoons at work:
(423) 974-0123.

Michael Conner
KQ3P
Knoxville, TN

TO E-MAIL: remove the * from my address - this keeps unwanted messages
away.

6288. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #673

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: evanh@mail.opencominc.COM
Message-ID: <199706181740.KAA12841@mailbox1.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 172583

I am looking for a Cushcraft 13B2 and a rotor.

6289. WTB Drake 2-C Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: c321349@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <5o9a01$moa@bolivia.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172584

I'd like to buy a Drake 2-C reciever in good condition. This was my novice reciever and would like to reconstruct the old station. Thanks, Jim.

6290. WTB: 2 Meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gt0060b <*gt0060b*@*prism.gatech.edu*>
Message-ID: <5o9efm$1ok@smash.gatech.edu>
Source record: 172585

I'm looking for a simple no frills 2 Meter HT. Need not be digital.. A
kenwood TH21 or something of the like would be fine.
Thanks
N2JBE
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Eric Hidle
Georgia Institute of Technology
Atlanta GA 30332
==========
Micro$oft: What do you want to crash with today?
Powered by Linux

6291. Forsale....QRP rig and MFJ tuner.....LOOK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: George <george@sky.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7c25$197d2f80$a8a5e6ce@george.sky.net>
Source record: 172586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello

Heatkit model HW-7 with macthing power supply.
covers 40m 20m15m of the cw band.
1 vfo and 1 place to but crystals
In good order but power supply needs new filters
$100

Mfj 949e Antenna tuner
New
covers 160m to 10m
handles 200 watts
built in dummy load
much more too it just look in MFJ catalog
$120

Add $15 for shipping Add other $15 if you would like C.O.D

kb0mai george@sky.net

6292. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Amos <jamos@aironet.com>
Message-ID: <33A842EE.164B@aironet.com>
Source record: 172587
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

Web Williams wrote:
>
> I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500 watts)
> on many different frequencies. My television set is not being interfered
> with, only when my wife wants to watch a video tape does my hobby begin
> to cause problems. No neighbors complain, so the problem is extremely
> local. The VCR is a Fisher, and I've been to thier website looking for an
> e-mail address to write to a technician, but there are none published. I
> know that many electronic manufacturers try to get by with the least
> amount of parts, but have available modification kits just for my
> problem. Any idea how to get 'hold of a Fisher factory tech on the
> internet? Anybody ever have this problem and fix it? Thanks -Web
> kr4wm@sccoast.net

I have the same problem with a $500 Sony 4 Head Stereo VCR.

I run a Drake C-Line barefoot into a Vertical, not a high powered
station. When it happened to the VCR, it was actually playing a tape
(IE, not the tuner). This surprised me greatly and I'm not sure that
there is a magic fix for you.

A couple of thoughts though, remove the Antenna connection to the VCR an
check. RF could be be getting in through here and coupling in a odd
places. Put ferrite beads on all the connections going into and out of
the VCR. If neither of these things help then it could be coupling
directly into the VCR head.

Good Luck!
Jim N8CAH

6293. WANTED: Tempo One SSB HF Tranciever Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kerls@swbell.net
Message-ID: <33A860D3.1D12@swbell.net>
Source record: 172588

I am looking for a power supply for a Tempo One SSB HF Tranciever. If anyone has one and is willing to sell or trade it, or if anyone knows where I could get ahold of one please e-mail me at kerls@swbell.net.

Thanks

Brian.

6294. Piles of NOS and Used Tubes For Sale!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: locoprom@adan.kingston.net
Message-ID: <5o8ijt$pa9$1@gollum.kingston.net>
Source record: 172589
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

We're attempting to sell off an extensive stockpile of NOS and used vacuum tubes which has been accumulating since the mid-1930's.

The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all at VERY fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio Equipment, etc. please email:

locoprom@adan.kingston.net

Please DO NOT quote this article in your reply.

Thanks for your interest!

6295. Re: WANTED 516F-2 HELP COLLINS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiomatt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618204600.QAA29063@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172590

Fair Radio Sales (Lima, OHIO) sells S-Line power supplies from time to time. They currently have the 516E2 (24 volts) for $ 50.00

419 223 2196

http://alpha.wcoil.com/~fairadio/

6296. Help-- Need Battery & part number for Yaesu TM_2400 2M xceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: lacvjohn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618210301.RAA27360@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172591

I can get a Yaesu TM-2400 2M Xceiver but it needs a backup battery.Does anyone have or know where there is one I can purchase. Even a part number might be useful. What is your opinion of this unit?

6297. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark&Sher N8REZ <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33A869E6.214@flash.net>
Source record: 172592

Igor S Sokolov wrote:
>
> "R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> >> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com
> >My server says no such thing as rec.radio.amateur.swap.
> >
> >73's Bob
> Your server is correct. It is rec.radio.swap
> Best regards,
> Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
> E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
> Phone/Fax: 3432 229621
Flashnet recognizes "rec.radio.amateur.swap".....and it looks fairly
active

6298. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5o9le9$g4m$1@news13.gte.net>
Source record: 172593

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 20:21:53 GMT, ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru (Igor S Sokolov) wrote:

>"R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>>> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com
>>My server says no such thing as rec.radio.amateur.swap.
>>
>>73's Bob
>Your server is correct. It is rec.radio.swap
>Best regards,
>Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
>E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
>Phone/Fax: 3432 229621

I get both on my server !!

Dave

6299. Re: Help-- Need Battery & part number for Yaesu TM_2400 2M xceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Aughenbaugh II <Stan.Aughenbaugh@MCI$.COM>
Message-ID: <5o9lf0$b1g$1@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 172594

LACV JOHN wrote:
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> I can get a Yaesu TM-2400 2M Xceiver but it needs a backup battery.Does
> anyone have or know where there is one I can purchase. Even a part number
> might be useful. What is your opinion of this unit?
some phone numbers:
Technical Support Services, YAESU U.S.A.

Amateur Technical Support (8 am - 5 pm PST):
(562) 404-2700
(562) 404-4828 FAX

Parts Department (Manuals, Parts 8 am - 4 pm PST):
(562) 404-2700
(562) 404-4828 FAX

Sales Department (8 am - 4 pm PST):
(562) 404-2700
(562) 404-1210 FAX

YAESU has a web page www.yaesu.com also

HTH,
73,
Stan KF0NC
To email me directly, take the '$' out of the address
"90% of all statistics are made up"

6300. *ICOM* Mailing List (and others)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "k7on@qsl.net" <ShortCkt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33A85E77.20BF@primenet.com>
Source record: 172595

ICOM Mailing List (and others)...

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to equipment manufactured and distributed by Icom
America, Inc. of Bellevue, WA.

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SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe icom

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe icom

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: icom@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Kenwood is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to equipment manufactured by the Kenwood Communications
Corporation (Amateur Radio Products Group).

* equipment, accessories
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* buy, sell, trade, swap

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe kenwood

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe kenwood

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: kenwood@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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HomeBrew is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to amateur radio
and electronics experimentation and construction:

* building kits
* scratch construction
* radios, antennas, widgets
* design
* accessories
* station construction
* digital, analog, uP
* repair, modification, surplus

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe homebrew

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe homebrew

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: homebrew@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Ham-Books is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to the literature
and periodicals of amateur radio:

* publishers
* magazines
* newsletters
* books
* old and "collector" books
* new book announcements

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe ham-books

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe ham-books

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: ham-books@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Ham-Software is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to software
of all types used for amateur radio:

* logging
* propagation prediction
* digital modes
* award tracking
* commercial, shareware, freeware
* electronic design and simulation
* amateur software development

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe ham-software

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe ham-software

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: ham-software@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Fox_Tango is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to "vintage" and "classic" equipment manufactured by the
Yaesu Musen Co., Ltd. of Tokyo Japan.

* equipment, accessories
* collecting, restoring, refurbishing
* buy, sell, trade, swap
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* just plain operating old Yaesu stuff

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe fox_tango

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe fox_tango

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: fox_tango@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Mobile-Portable is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to mobile
and portable operation of amateur radio (QRP and QRO, HF and VHF+):

* rigs, antennas, tuners
* installation
* batteries
* generators
* solar and alternative energy
* camping/RVs/backpacking
* laptop/palmtop computers
* portable packet
* roving and mountain-topping
* GPS, APRS

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe mobile-portable

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe mobile-portable

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: mobile-portable@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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BitBucket is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to
specialized amateur radio communication techniques.

-SSTV, ATV, FAX, APT, DSP, QRP, APRS
-Packet, Pactor, GTOR, Clover, AMTOR, RTTY
-R/C, Telemetry, Balloons, Rockets, Robotics
-homebrew, modifications, interfacing, widgets, etc

To subscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: SUBSCRIBE bitbucket

To unsubscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: UNSUBSCRIBE bitbucket

As we encourage the free exchange of ideas, if you pay for email service by the byte you may want to consider carefully before subscribing.

To submit materials:
TO: bitbucket@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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bit bucket /n./

1. The universal data sink (originally, the mythical receptacle used to catch bits when they fall off the end of a register during a shift instruction). Discarded, lost, or destroyed data is said to have `gone to the bit bucket'. On Unix, often used for /dev/null. Sometimes amplified as `the Great Bit Bucket in the Sky'.

2. The place where all lost mail and news messages eventually go. The selection is performed according to Finagle's Law; important mail is much more likely to end up in the bit bucket than junk mail, which has an almost 100% probability of getting delivered. Routing to the bit bucket is automatically performed by mail-transfer agents, news systems, and the lower layers of the network.

3. The ideal location for all unwanted mail responses: "Flames about this article to the bit bucket." Such a request is guaranteed to overflow one's mailbox with flames.

4. Excuse for all mail that has not been sent. "I mailed you those figures last week; they must have landed in the bitbucket." Compare black hole.

This term is used purely in jest. It is based on the fanciful notion that bits are objects that are not destroyed but only misplaced. This appears to have been a mutation of an earlier term `bit box', about which the same legend was current; old-time hackers also report that trainees used to be told that when the CPU stored bits into memory it was actually pulling them `out of the bit box'. See also chad box.

Another variant of this legend has it that, as a consequence of the `parity preservation law', the number of 1 bits that go to the bit bucket must equal the number of 0 bits. Any imbalance results in bits filling up the bit bucket. A qualified computer technician can empty a full bit bucket as part of scheduled maintenance.

-Brian
shortckt@primenet.com

6301. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey H. Hill" <GTE/hipiket@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5o9osi$6hh$1@news12.gte.net>
Source record: 172596
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

I've a few suggestions, I used to service video equipment.

1) Try first the steps mentioned in the ARRL handbook in the interference chapter. Apply rf chokes to the power cords of both the TV and VCR and a trap (high-pass filter) to the RF cable to the TV set.

2) Check the resistor/capacitor network which grounds the chassis of the VCR for RF. Alternatively, you may want to remove these and strap the VCR chassis to a good RF ground. Also, make sure there are no missing screws from the VCR cabinet, some of these provide a ground contact.

3) If the problem is in playback only, the trouble may be that RF is getting into the rotary head preamp. This is particularly acute as its bandpass overlaps 80 M and comes close to 160 M. If your machine is an older, more expensive model (such as the FVH-575) there is a shield over the drum assy but if yours is one of those newer, lightweight models shielding of the drum is helpful. Check under the drum too. If there is a flexible PWB (a "ribbon cable") for connecting the rotary transformer to the preamp IC you may wish to install a shielded cable. Also, you may wish to install bypass caps on all DC leads going to the preamplifier, especially Vcc and Rec/PB switching lines. Shielding the little preamp PWB worked for me once.

4) If your machine is one of the new lightweight all-plastic sets a radical cure may be indicated. You may try removing the top cabinet, front panel, tape transport, and PWB's and line the pastic base you have left with aluminum foil, providing for a ground connection. Reassemble and your modern VCR will be RF tight.

-Jeff/ac4aq

6302. SCHLUMBERGER/STABILOCK SERVICE MONITOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Garabedian <westernmobiletel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A8691C.3C79@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.repair,sci.environment

I need, a service manual, operators manual for:

Schlumberger/Stabilock 4040 service monitior and
4922 Radio code analyzer, I also ame looking for a
Wide Band module: #229039
Service Manual for 4040: #291025
Operators Manual for 4922: #290031
Operators manual for 4040: #290025

I am in Anaheim, CA. 714 978 9999. Best Regards, ARTHUR . . .

6303. FS: Cushcraft A3S Tribander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeffrey Withers <jeffrey@wln.com>
Message-ID: <33A7EFAB.6C49@wln.com>
Source record: 172598

Hello, I am posting this for KD7N,
Dan in Olympia, Wa. who has a 5 year old
3 element HF beam in good shape on the
ground, and wants $165 plus shipping.
His phone number is 360 438 3396 or
reply to me, Jeffrey@WLN.com Tnx/73

6304. Re: Best radio for backcountry to base?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a7eb03.5536020@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172599

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 09:27:04 GMT, alaska98@hotmail.com (John) wrote:
>I am planning an expedition to Alaska with a group of twelve people
>and six trucks. I am going to invite some lucky Ham radio operator
>to become a member of the team, but before I do that, I really need to
>know what kind of rig I need that person to run.
>
>So, here are my requirements, and hopefully many of you will give me
>your thoughts on what is needed...
>
>Our first requirement for the radio is emergency communications for
>evacuation or medical help. We will be up to 200 miles away from the
>nearest large town like Fairbanks or Anchorage.

Ok, that's a valid use for amateur radio. An HF rig is the ticket here.
Operating on lower HF will give you groundwave coverage, or near
vertical incidence skywave coverage, for that distance.

>The second requirement is that we will need the capability of sending
>web page updates, on a daily basis, to a server that will be in either
>Fairbanks or Anchorage... again, about 200 miles away. I assume this
>means we will need packet radio.

Is this in any way a commercial venture? We can't use amateur radio for
commercial purposes. If this is just hobbyist activity, then PACTOR or
Clover will work on HF. Throughput is strictly limited, however, so the
uploads need to be kept small.

>We can easily setup a communications tent at our campsites, along with
>a generator for power. We are travelling with SUV trucks, so we can
>take a fairly substantial breakdown antenna. It would need to be moved
>about once every 4 days on average.
>
>We will have laptops on the expedition, and this is where we will
>create the daily web page updates. The updated files need to get from
>the laptop to the internet server in Anchorage or Fairbanks. At this
>time, these servers are dialup access type accounts. So I need to
>make the bridge from laptop to packet to phone line at some point.
>Maybe this means I need to become friends with a Ham operator in one
>of these towns and that also has a computer, modem, and phone line?

Yes, that will be absolutely essential.

>My questions are:
>What is the best frequency range for this scenario? 10 meters?

No. The lower end of HF is what you need. 160m, 80m, 40m, or perhaps
30m will be the preferred bands. Groundwave coverage is greatest at
the lowest frequencies, and NVIS works only up to the critical frequency
of the ionosphere. Given current solar conditions, that's going to be fairly
low too, though 30m might just squeak in under the wire.

>How about breakdown antennas?

Wire dipoles will suffice, strung between trees. You won't need much
height because you'll be depending on groundwave and NVIS propagation.

>How big will the generator need to be?

A 5 kW generator should comfortably handle the station, even if an
amplifier is used. You can probably get away with less.

>What other equipment will I need? Wiring? Packet Modems? Microphone?

Yeah, all of the above, plus a good antenna tuner. An electrical toolkit and
some spare parts are a very good idea as well.

>What if I want to increase my range substantially, and communicate
>from Alaska directly to Texas? Is there a big difference in
>equipment?

That's actually easier. You'll want to operate as close to the MUF as you
can, and that lets you run less power. Any HF radio you choose will be able
to cover the frequencies you'll want to use. You need different wire antennas,
but that's trivial since what you'll need will be shorter. You'll want to get them
higher in the air, though, so a set of tree climbing gear, or a bow and arrow,
are a good idea.

>What are some ballpark costs for this equipment?

About $5,000 will do it up in style. You can probably do it for much less.

>Finally, as licensed Hams, do you think it is appropriate that I get a
>Ham operator to join my team. I want this person to be more than a
>Ham. I need someone who can keep all the CB's in the six trucks
>working, get daily weather reports and weather faxes, communicate with
>ranger stations, tune antennas, PLUS do all the stuff I described
>above.

Well remember that amateurs aren't allowed to be paid for amateur radio
activities. Amateur radio must not carry traffic in support of the routine operations
of any non-amateur organization, only traffic which serves to support the health
and welfare of the public or participants. In other words, amateur radio can not
be used for routine logistic support of what could be considered the ordinary
functions of the organization.

And amateurs cannot handle messages for non-amateurs which could reasonably
be expected to be handled by other telecommunications services. It's Ok to have
amateur radio along as an emergency backup, and it can be used for hobby type
messages. If your venture is anything but a lark by off-road enthusiasts, you probably
need to make arrangements to use non-amateur communications for your routine

operational communications.

>I have checked into the use of cell phones, and there is no service in
>the area I am travelling. Maybe satellite phone is the way to go, but
>I have heard that this costs about $8,000 for the box.

Prices have recently dropped sharply for these terminals. You can probably find one for about $3,500. You can also rent or lease them. The per minute charge is a bit steep, though, about $2 a minute. This may be your best option for routine operational communications.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6305. WTB Manual for SB230 Heathkit amp/or amp FOR SALE w/o Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wertztire@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618235801.TAA07095@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172600

I have a good working SB230 Heathkit amp that I need a manual for so I
can sell it! Was using it until I bought an amp for 160 meters. If
interested, make me
a reasonable offer thru e-mail or call me at 520-526-0556 day time or
call me at
520-527-0993 after 6pm. Located in Flagstaff. Az.

73.
Bob, NF7E

6306. Hali S-120 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: peitsch@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5o9ubd$5gk@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 172601

Help! I need a manual or photocopy of one for my
Hallicrafters S-120 reciever.

Thanks

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6307. pse HELP on TH22AT intermod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970618172528.95256C-100000@homer36.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 172602

I've got a Kenwood TH 22AT 2 meter HT which is seriously effected by pager intermod interference here in N. Seattle (nr. U.W.). I called Kenwood and they said there are no internal filter adjustments to be made and they also don't sell shorter antennas than the 4" ant. that comes with the unit. Anyone else out there have this problem with this radio and had success solving it? Anyone try the Par Electronics HT intermod filter with success? Any advice would be much appreciated. TNX and 73, John, K7JY.

6308. WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Volz <mvolz@avci.net>
Message-ID: <33A88151.2733@avci.net>
Source record: 172603

Hello,
Do the modifications for expanded frequencies that are for the 706 work
on the MKII? If not, what are the mods for the MKII?

When responding, please CC: to my email as well as to the group.

Thanks,
Mike
KG8UK
ICQ 1262284

6309. Atlanta Hamfest this weekend! (6/21 - 6/22)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Penn McClatchey <pmm@saf.com>
Message-ID: <33A88776.281B@saf.com>
Source record: 172604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Don't miss this year's Atlanta HamFestival & Computer Expo!

FUN! FUN! FUN!

The Atlanta HamFestival, now in its 69th consecutive year, is sponsored by the Atlanta Radio Club (ARC) in cooperation with numerous radio amateur clubs and related organizations.

Dates: June 21 & 22, 1997. Designated as the ARRL State Convention. Air condition fleamarket and commercial exhibit areas.

Location: City Hall East Exhibition Center, 640 North Ave., Atlanta, GA.

Hours: 9 - 4 on Saturday, 9 - 3 on Sunday

Forums on Saturday only! : 9:30AM QRP - A forum presented by the enthusiastic
North Georgia QRP Group on building and operating rigs with under 5 watts
output power. Group members will share their experiences of building lightweight full transceivers in kit form.

10:30AM APRS - Ralph Fowler, N4NEQ - (Automatic Position Reporting System) This is a graphical software program that sends, receives, and displays
realtime position information. Learn how APRS was used for vehicle tracking
for the March of Dimes Walk America, Ham Radio and TV equipped weather balloons, camera equipped helicopters and motorcycles during the Summer Olympics.

11:30AM CONTESTING - Neal Sulmeyer, AE6E "The Joys of Contesting" A compendium
of contesting experiences that will motivate any amateur.

12:30PM BASIC ANTENNAS - Tom Rauch, W8JI, Consulting Engineer for Commercial and Amateur Radio Manufacturers - Learn why some antennas work. Learn why some antennas don't work. Let Tom answer your antenna questions.

1:30PM Frank Butler, W4RH, ARRL Southeastern Division Director
Bill Moore, NC1L, DXCC/VUCC An informative League and DXCC Question and Answer Forum.

2:30PM HEARD ISLAND - Wes Lamboley, W3WL
The BIGGEST & BESTEST DXPedition ever! 20 guys spent 17 days in

this uninhabited antarctic paradise for Ham Radio. A dirty job but somebody had to do it.
New world records were set. 1983 was the last time Hams were on Heard Island.

For more information, see http://www.saf.com/arc
Talk-In: Primary 146.82(-), secondary 145.35(-); Continuous information on 147.555 Mhz.

For further information contact Bill Bass, W4LFC, at BillW4LFC@juno.com
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Penn McClatchey penn.m@internetmci.com K4PE
"Everything that should go right can go right, on time and within budget."

6310. FS: Kenwood TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Biscuits Internet Marketing <cmalabs@ccia.com>
Message-ID: <33A88EDC.4ED9@rocketmail.com>
Source record: 172605

Like new Kenwood TR-7950 2 meter FM transceiver. Hi 45 watts Low 5 watts. 21 channel memory, automatic offset, extended freq coverage 142.000-148.995 MHz in 5-kHz steps, front keyboard panel. great radio but i need to pay college tuition for the fall.

asking: $125 or best offer. i'll pay shipping in USA. please email me at: nrsimhadeva@rocketmail.com

6311. Re: WTB WINRADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Mohammed <ve3bkq@niagara.com>
Message-ID: <5oa3nn$7ck@cabernet.niagara.com>
Source record: 172606

ROBERT C JOHNSON wrote in article <3393425A.12D@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
>...
>WANT TO BUY WINRADIO
>
>BOB
> I have the winradioradio package for sale
It's about 9 months old and cover all frequencies
from 500khzto 1.3ghz without any breaks.
The receiver is PLL synthesized,tripple conversion
superhetrodyne and operates in the Am,FM-W,FM-N,SSB
mode and requires a computer 486 or better
If interested you can reach me via email
ve3bkq@niagara.com.
All the best Ed

6312. Re: Mounting Bkt. Metron Amp.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P. (Rocky) Davis" <ac5io@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33A8B34B.28E6@n-link.com>
Source record: 172607

P. (Rocky) Davis wrote:
>
> WTB:Mobile Mounting Bracket for Metron MA1000B Amplifier.
> ADDRESS: ac5io@n-link.com
> Rocky
I used a Bracket from a Graph Fishfinder and it fit perfect. The old
ones were quite large. Bracket for METRON Amp no longer needed. I hope
this helps some one else..
Rocky
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What do we live for if not to make life less difficult
for each other. --George Elliott

6313. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Peter D. Richeson" <peter.d.richeson@boeing.com>
Message-ID: <33A7D683.5FCA@boeing.com>
Source record: 172608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lou or Annette Hinshaw wrote:
>
> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
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> >On Thu, 12 Jun 1997 17:14:06 GMT, aruder@pipeline.com (Lou or Annette Hinshaw) wrote:
> >>ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
> >>
> >>>On 9 Jun 1997 02:09:17 GMT, "Peter Gottlieb" <peter_gottlieb@msn.com> wrote:
> >>>>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in article
> >>>><339092e2.120133774@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
> >>>>
> >>>> I use a 200 watt UPS in the car, with the internal UPS battery paralleled

<big snip>

some "UPS" are realy fast switching. The run off the power mains untill
they drop and then they switch to the inverter section. I have an older
APC 1200 VA "UPS" that does this. So the statment that you may overheat
somthing is valid.

> Lou Hinshaw
>
> Prolific inventor,
> Lousy Salesman,
> Incompetent businessman.
> (Typical)

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499 boeing Blv. | Inside http://matrix.hv.boeing.com/~richesop|
Huntsvlle, Al 35824 | Outside http://www.traveller.com/~richesop |
M/S JR-10 | Phone (205)461-2603 |

"I don't believe in a no-win scenaro." - Admiral James T. Kirk |
I do not speak for any one but me, and some times not even for me. |

6314. ICOM *fast* auto-tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb <hb@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33A89D0D.20DC414A@hevanet.com>
Source record: 172609

Matches IC-735, but works with most any ICOM hf rig (with proper cable)

Multi-coax outputs; 1 random wire out
Pre-sets for each band make auto-tuning very quick and precise

Requires no external power; small and lightweight

Has never been fed with more than 150 watts

Absolutely showroom condition, inside and out...
Packed in original carton, complete with instructions

$300, including shipping at my cost ($529 in latest HRO catalogue)

6315. FT-920?? or 1000MP??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: JCCR <jccr@jccr.com>
Message-ID: <5oa7bsifr1@news.netusa.net>
Source record: 172610

Would really appreciate some feedback on this. I want to buy either the new FT-920 or the FT-1000MP. Is the MP the better radio?

Jim Mulvey, KS1A

6316. FS: Standard C168A deluxe 2 meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Siegelaub <stevensms@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A89F23.A9@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172611

For sale: a Standard C168A deluxe 2 meter HT. This HT has virtually every feature packed into a very small unit. It has been used very little and is in absolute mint condition (both as to operation and cosmetic appearance). Includes the following:

700 milliamp Ni-Cad battery
AA alkaline battery case
soft case
DC power cord
cigarette lighter power cord
200 memory chip installed (plus original 40 memory chip)
original box and manual

Need to raise cash to buy dual bander. Entire package offered for $275 plus shipping. Call Steve at 203-222-3107 or e-mail to stevensms@worldnet.att.net.

Thanks and 73.

6317. free Posting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Khaltex International <khaltexav@khaltex.net>
Message-ID: <33A8A7B9.2A20@khaltex.net>
Source record: 172612

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6318. What after TS-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Jacobson <n6ng@sj.bigger.net>
Message-ID: <33A80A4C.7A36@sj.bigger.net>
Source record: 172613

What 12 volt radio did Kenwood make following the TS-450S?
Did they stop making the 12 volt versions. Been very happy with the
Kenwood line but I have a feeling they stopped making mobile HF radios.
The next one I know about is the TS-50 (great numbering scheme) and it
is not a cw tranciever.

Any ideas?

p.s. I sent them mail and asked Kenwood direct.. with no response.
Maybe that is my answer...
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73... Dennis N6NG Retired:
INTERNET: N6NG@sj.bigger.net Just another road kill on
AX25: N6NG@KJ6FY.#NORCAL.CA.USA.NOAM the Information Highway.

6319. WTB antenna rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <robert@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <33A8C869.667@ucr.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 172614

I'm looking for a one of the following antenna rotors:

Ham IV or CD-45-II or Yaesu G450XL

Please let me know if you have any one of these for sale.... Thanks...

Bob.... KN6GA

(909) 862-0357 eve
(909) 384-5237 day

6320. FS: Kenwood Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: burro@panama.gulf.net
Message-ID: <33A8AA7B.B2F@panama.gulf.net>
Source record: 172615

Kenwood AT-230 Tuner, original box, manual, non-smoking owner.
Essentially unused. $100 plus shipping

Barry WB6LDL

6321. Re: ! FREE PSYCHIC READINGS! FREE!! 1-800-677-8048

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Smith <larry@g4oxy.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <FqYkbFAZuEqzEwmF@g4oxy.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 172616

In article <5o8cbm$9dt$4612@broadway.interport.net>, lov@interport.net
writes
>
>Hear a gifted psychic speak your fortune and future
>on 1-800-677-8048 our special samples line where you
>can try a psychic reading free. Don't take the word
>of others - see for yourself just how accurate they are.
> Adults over 18 only.
>
>Dial 1-800-677-8048
>
how about bombing this idiot
I hate off subject junk in serious news groups
--
Larry Smith

6322. Help FT-990 Drift

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Walthall <n3qom@netusa1.net>
Message-ID: <33A8C1B4.8FAB6B1A@netusa1.net>
Source record: 172617

Hi Everyone

I have a FT-990 that drifts, the freq. display aways displays the right frequence, but when listening to CW or RTTY the tone changes a couple of KC's. I have also been told that on transmit i change frequence. Has anyone out there had the same problem and what was required to fix it ?

Thanks very much

Carl N3QOM

6323. f.s. yaesu ft-23r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7c33$d7dea400$01794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 172618

yaesu ft-23r handheld for sale. large battery,ctcss board.works
well.$100.00 plus shipping thanks jack n9iif

6324. f.s. 286 laptrop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7c34$10892be0$01794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 172619

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i have for sale a texas instruments travel mate 2000 286 laptop for
sale.great for packet
$140.00 thanks jack cmb@mc.net
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6325. f.s. radio shack dx-302

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7c34$5c5be080$01794fcf@cmb>
Source record: 172620

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i have for sale a radio shack dx-302 general coverage reciever for sale.
works well.asking $80.00 plus shipping thanks jack cmb@mc.net
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6326. WANTED: 220 Mhz HT or Mobile for Project

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgk5@cornell.edu
Message-ID: <jgk5-1706972230550001@cu-dialup-1309.cit.cornell.edu>
Source record: 172621

I'm going to be doing a village electrification project in the Dominican Republic this summer. The project won't have a vehicle, and the only way to communicate out for help or materials is by a local 220 Mhz repeater.

I'm looking for a 220 Mhz HT or mobile transceiver. This could be a tax-deductible donation, a reasonable sale, a trade for some 2-meter gear I have, or even a loan for the summer.

Thanks for your assistance,

Jon Katz N6XLN
EcoPartners Project, Cornell University
607-273-2611 or jgk5@cornell.edu

6327. Realistic DX440 SW RX as new, PRO 62 scanner, FS/swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5o76hr$26io$2@node2.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 172642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb

Absolutely as new DX440 solid state portable. BFO, digital, memories, clock/timer, in box w/all documents, never outside the house, non smoker, with New ac adapter
$100

Pro 62, good condition, 200 ch, 800 mhz. (no cell), with AC adapter/charger, no box, little used but shows very minor handling.
$100

Will swap one or both for 2M stuff, or towards 10M mobile (no HTX100s please), or "export" CB, email replies please

6328. Re: My Maha NiMH battery experience

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mwaldron@ohio.net
Message-ID: <5o793k$8kq$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 172643

In article <33a41a6c.1771916@news-server>, wagner@neo.lrun.com.anti-spam says...
>
>I bought the 7.2V 650maH MaHa NiMH for my FT-50 at Dayton and like it
>so far. I stopped at the MaHa booth at Dayton and asked their techies
>about charging the battery in my Yaesu NC-50 quick charger.

My biggest complaint about AL generic yaesu ft-50 batteries is that if you apply pressure to the top of the beltclip downward, the clip will fly off. The yaesu ones do not do this. Other than that, I've used my MaHa for a while now and it's great..

6329. ! FREE MASTER PSYCHIC READINGS 1-800-682-8057

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: lov@interport.net
Message-ID: <5o79e0$m8t$4612@broadway.interport.net>
Source record: 172644

Dial in for the live psychics you want. No credit card
charges ever! Try it now on 1- 800-682-8057; an
astounding prediction is guaranteed.
Adults over 18 only.

Dial 1-800-682-8057

6330. FS: TS-50 hf xcvr + Access (reduced price)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbohner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618002901.UAA14456@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172645

Kenwood TS-50, New price @ AES=$849 -- Asking $600
Kenwood AT-50 Antenna tuner, New Price @ AES=$329 -- Asking $245
Kenwood YK107C CW Filter, New price=$129 -- Asking $90

All in excellent condition, no scratches or marks. Original boxes and manuals. Purchased new 3/94. The AT-50 was used only about 30 minutes, I ended up using an SGC tuner instead, because of the type of antenna. It has
served me well, but I don't need a small radio now.

I'll pay COD shipping.
Send email to GBohner@aol.com
Guy, W6LJL
St. Petersburg, FL

6331. Beare of Joe Manduke, AB7GR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk4tl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618031600.XAA02711@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172646

Posting the following for Bruce. Any info on the whereabouts of Mr. Manduke, please reply via direct e-mail to BruFel@AOL.COM. Following is a copy of Bruce's post from rec.radio.swap:

He sold me an Omni VI, PS/SPKR, Mike and Hercules II that he stole from TenTec through credit card fraud. He lives in Glendale, AZ. TenTec has their gear back and I'm out the $2500 I paid him. I plan to make the guy famous. A regular "household word". Any input on Joseph E. Manduke III, AB7GR (formerly N3NCW) would be greatly appreciated. The FBI is looking for him too.

Bruce Felder, K3BF
brufel@aol.com

6332. Re: Motorola Maxtrac 300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: lame@limp.com
Message-ID: <33a75401.3756319@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 172647

Thanks we got them going...
Put in the proper hex codes in the file
and tuned them up..work great!

Greg Sue <polrbear@direct.ca> wrote:

>For out-of-band pgmming, enter an in-band freq, save the file, and use a
>sector editor to change the freq to ham. You will also require a method
>of converting hex to dec and back again, such as an HP calculator. Once
>you have edited said sector, you can re-run your RSS and program the
>radio. You will also have to re-align the radio using the "warp"
>feature in the RSS to bring it back on freq, as it will be out a few
>kHz.
>VE7WAR

6333. For Sale: Icom 735 for $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618034700.XAA05790@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172648

I have for sale an Icom 735 for $575.00 firm. I will cover the shipping
to you.
It is in good working condition and has the box & manual. It is just the
standard radio, no added extras like filters. I am willing to meet up
with someone on the air if they would like to hear the radio.

For more info you can e-mail me at:

t95194@aol.com

Please send inquires to my e-mail address instead of posting them here,
since I am not sure when I will return again.

73's & Thanks

Dave (N9NMD)

6334. For Sale: Icom 735 for $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618034900.XAA06021@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172649

I have for sale an Icom 735 for $575.00 firm. I will cover the shipping
to you.
It is in good working condition and has the box & manual. It is just the
standard radio, no added extras like filters. I am willing to meet up
with someone on the air if they would like to hear the radio.

For more info you can e-mail me at:

t95194@aol.com

Please send inquires to my e-mail address instead of posting them here,
since I am not sure when I will return again.

73's & Thanks

Dave (N9NMD)

6335. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb0nzv@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618000000.UAA11375@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172650

hershman wrote:

> through. Icom is keeping quiet on this. It is obvious that the letters
> DSP and NR are on the LCD. I and several other hams found a unused
> connector on the bottom of the PCB that is an audio out 15 pin
> connector.

In the early 1950's my parents bought a TV set that had an unused RCA connector on the back marked "Color". I didn't write to the manufacturer complaining that they'd clearly had trouble with that portion of the TV and left it off. Nor did I then send letters to all my friends also complaining bitterly about how unfair RCA is to its customers.

Let's face it. Today's typical ham wants a compleat [sic] station in a 4 cu in. box, containing the equivalent of a $25,000 Rhode & Schwartz receiver (cell phone ready), a 1 KW all mode transmitter covering VLF through light, a noise reduction algorithm that can reach 100 dB below the noise in real time to pull out weak signal DX, something on the order of a Cray to run the whole thing (and clone, too -- including sheep!). It should all run on 12 volts at no more that 1 ma. current drain, perhaps even pulling its total power from the approximate 100V/m electric field of the earth. Modular, of course, with connectors that are guaranteed to remain oxide free until just before our small star expands enough to consume the planet. And woe unto the manufacturer who leaves ANYTHING out, especially features key to the US market even though that market is one of hamdom's smaller markets -- simply because that's us, and the world should be America-centric anyway.

Nearly forgot -- can't cost more than $1299 list. And I should NEVER EVER have to purchase a complete new radio, just little tiny upgrade modules. For $5.99 each, the vendor should also offer "green" wires that can be cut -- not for any reason, just because that seems to be the major "homebrew" activity in ham radio today, and if we're not homebrewers then what are we?

:-)

Grant/NQ5T

nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

I Love It!!!

6336. WTB or Trade for:Dual-band portable...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ff53@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <33a77526.1451327@news.apex.net>
Source record: 172651

Would like to buy a good dual-band portable,
will consider trade for scanner equipment.

any one with a good dual-band that wants a good scanner please e-mail
me with your offer!!

thanks
ff53@hotmail.com

firefighters find it hot
and leave it wet!!!

6337. Re: IC706MKII fan runs too much?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: _meneer@poboxes.com_
Message-ID: <33a68e5c.1635554@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 172652

F. Feeney <*spamsaver*_fkf1@cornell.edu> wrote:

>fan on mine runs a lot. It comes on naturally enough when I do any
>transmitting, and in that small a package I expect that to get rid of the
>heat. But then it keeps on cycling on and off while all I'm doing is
>receiving. An hour after the last transmission, the fan is running about
>50 percent of the time. Is this normal? In the mobile, I'd probably never

I experienced the same, so I placed a 8 x 8 cm fan right behind the
heatsink, sucking air out of the 706. This fan runs at 5 volts so I
hardly hear it (it's a 12V-type).

Now, the built-in fan only runs while transmitting or after a long
transmitting time.

>I don't have too many hours on the rig yet, but I found it pretty easy to
>use and it does pretty much everything I expected.

Once you know the structure in the menu's, it's easy to control the
radio, although the dual-VFO could be improved.

Mr. Icom, how about a toggle switch Memory/VFO-A/VFO-B?

>Thanks

>Kevin, WB2EMS

Rob B.

--
I have put underscores in my e-mail address.
Remove them before sending your message.

6338. WTB: Icom SM 6 microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wbclark@mail.gte.net
Message-ID: <5o7v66aem1@news10.gte.net>
Source record: 172653

Please only pristine like new or in the box and reasonable
73 de KD6UN

6339. help MVP repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Rogers <tobyr@www.prairieweb.com>
Message-ID: <33A77AC2.59A2@www.prairieweb.com>
Source record: 172654

I am looking for info on coverting GE UHF MVP to duplex for repeater operation.

Thanks for reading this post.

please reply E-mail
--
_// T-Bear
(*.*) Toby Rogers KB0SME
()~*~()
(_)-(_) tobyr@prairieweb.com

6340. News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0618023507 GSK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: 218@RoverHome.com
Message-ID: <5o8310$vh2@news.triton.net>
Source record: 172655

Automate your collecting research!

News Rover is the ideal tool for searching through Usenet newsgroups for messages about items that you collect. Once you tell it what to look for, News Rover will scan a set of newsgroups and collect all messages that contain what you are searching for. For example, if you are interested in messages related to slide rules or calculators, you could specify a search expression such as:

slide rule or calculator

News Rover will then scan a set of newsgroups you select and collect any messages that match the search expression. This searching is completely automatic, so it works while you sleep, work, or play. The search expressions can be as simple as a single word, or they can be complex expressions with AND, OR, NEAR, and NOT operators.

You can download a free demonstration copy of News Rover from:

http://www.NewsRover.com

But News Rover is good for more than just searching collectables newsgroups. You can use it to search for family names in genealogy newsgroups, or for any other type of information in any newsgroups you choose. And News Rover is ideal for picture newsgroups. It decodes both UUencoded and MIME base64 images, and it combines and reconstructs binary files that are split into multiple messages.

Here are some of the key features of News Rover:

o Scans newsgroups you specify while you sleep, work, and play.

o Automatically downloads messages and attached files so that they are available for instant access when you are ready to review them.

o Decodes attached files of all types (UUencoded and MIME base64).

o Displays a picture gallery of collected thumbnail size images.

o Selects messages based on include and/or exclude criteria to help you find a needle in a haystack and eliminate spam. You can even use complex selection expressions with AND, OR, NEAR and NOT.

o Supports multiple "interest groups," each with sets of newsgroups, selection expressions, message database, and picture gallery.

o Remembers files already extracted and eliminates duplicates automatically.

o Saves parts of multi-part files, searches for the missing parts, and rebuilds the entire file when the last part arrives. It even combines parts found on different days and in different newsgroups.

o Allows you to post Usenet messages and send e-mail messages.

o Operates on a schedule you set up to use your phone line only when you don't need it.

o Automatically dials the provider and hangs up the phone when it is finished.

o Works with almost all Internet providers and news servers.

o News Rover is multi-threaded so you can read messages and view pictures while it downloads and decodes more messages.

News Rover was designed and written by real-life Usnet newsgroup junkies! With News Rover the news is ready when you are!

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News Rover is getting rave reviews...

D.G. says: I downloaded News Rover last night... I ordered this morning. I don't know how much time I saved. I give your product two thumbs up!!!

T.B. says: "Great Job!!! I tried your software for the first time today, and it beats Plukit-32 hands down!!

-- 218: rec.radio.amateur.equipment 0618023507 --

6341. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: larsm@lin.foa.se
Message-ID: <33a79b6b.4118331@news.lin.foa.se>
Source record: 172656
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

VCR sucks!
If your problems are when transmitting on 1.8 or 3.5 MHz, it is very
likely your RF goes straight into the video amp. This amp has 100 dB
of gain on these frequecies.

Solution could be to put the vcr in a well-screened box, or just dump
the vcr and tell the yf to start clean up the house instead.

James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Web Williams wrote:
>
>> I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500
>> watts)
>> on many different frequencies. My television set is not being
>> interfered
>> with, only when my wife wants to watch a video tape does my hobby
>> begin
>> to cause problems. No neighbors complain, so the problem is extremely
>> local. The VCR is a Fisher, and I've been to thier website looking for
>> an
>> e-mail address to write to a technician, but there are none published.
>> I
>> know that many electronic manufacturers try to get by with the least
>> amount of parts, but have available modification kits just for my
>> problem. Any idea how to get 'hold of a Fisher factory tech on the
>> internet? Anybody ever have this problem and fix it? Thanks -Web
>> kr4wm@sccoast.net
>
>Try some round torriods around the line running between the vcr and the
>television. Most rfi sees a length of wire as an antenna and the signal
>will enter at that point. Some times it can come in through the ac line
>as well. A solid ground for the rig ,amp,and tuner is a must. A good low
>pass filter will help also. You can usually get torroids at a hamfest
>for a buck. If one does'nt do it try 2. Hope this helps. Jim
>
>

6342. Re: Realistic DX440 SW RX as new, PRO 62 scanner, FS/swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joel Gamble <unit77@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33A7A768.6083@concentric.net>
Source record: 172657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb

robbin decker wrote:
>
> Absolutely as new DX440 solid state portable. BFO, digital, memories,
> clock/timer, in box w/all documents, never outside the house, non
> smoker, with New ac adapter
> $100
>
> Pro 62, good condition, 200 ch, 800 mhz. (no cell), with AC
> adapter/charger, no box, little used but shows very minor handling.
> $100
>
> Will swap one or both for 2M stuff, or towards 10M mobile (no HTX100s
> please), or "export" CB, email replies please
Why no HTX-100s?If all you plan to use it for is 10 mtr SSB,they will
perform above and beyond the RCI,2510,Emperor type rigs.Of corse,they
have neither AM or FM.....

6343. New Yaesu rotator www page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: twoway@scoden.comNOSPAM
Message-ID: <5o8am2$rk2$2@decius.ultra.net>
Source record: 172658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Check out our new Yaesu Rotator page, with some of the best
prices in the market.

URL: http://www.scoden.com/rotors.htm

Thanks,
Scott
KA1CLX

6344. ! FREE PSYCHIC READINGS! FREE!! 1-800-677-8048

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: lov@interport.net
Message-ID: <5o8cbm$9dt$4612@broadway.interport.net>
Source record: 172659

Hear a gifted psychic speak your fortune and future
on 1-800-677-8048 our special samples line where you
can try a psychic reading free. Don't take the word
of others - see for yourself just how accurate they are.
Adults over 18 only.

Dial 1-800-677-8048

6345. Kenwood TS520/TS700A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Andrews <Mauser2@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33A7E495.3C54@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172660

To All,
I am looking for the modification to the Kenwood TS520 to enable use on MARS frequencies, if such are available.
Also, anyone have experience with installing the apprporiate crystal in a Kenwood TS700A and tuning to operate on MARS frequencies?
My thanks in advance to those who respond.

George N1YAE

6346. 48 foot tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dick468359@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618113901.HAA01114@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172661

I have a rohn 48 foot HBX free standing tower for sale.It's down and ready
to go
asking $250.00
My name is Dick Ka1kla in New Bedford,Ma

6347. Collins 651S-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: email@domain.com
Message-ID: <email-1806971324340001@stazyr.lin.foa.se>
Source record: 172662

I have bought a Collins 651S-1, unfortunately without the schematics.
The main circuit of this receiver has a rather complicated socket-outlet.
The connection of the different pins is not known to me and I would
appreciate if someone with access to the schematic would enlighten me on
this point.
73 de Stan (SM7EIR)
stazyr@lin.foa.se

6348. NEED XTALS FOR FT101EX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Jankowski <russja@stratos.net>
Message-ID: <33A7DC20.5ACB1758@stratos.net>
Source record: 172663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello All !!!

I am in need of the following xtals for a YAESU FT101EX:
24.02 -mhz
34.02 - mhz
35.02 - mhz
35.52 - mhz

If you have any or know of a source for these, please let me know. I
really need the 34.02 for 10 meters.
Tnx es 73,

WA8DXK --- Russ

6349. IC-W32A info; programming & cloning cable wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg7fu <kg7fu@clipper.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7bed$297c2a40$1d6730cf@gateway>
Source record: 172664

Greetings!

I'd like to know if anyone has to share the programming specs and cable details for the new Icom W32A 2m/440 HT.

Mods would be nice too, but not necessary.

Thanks for any info.

REPLY TO: kg7fu@clipper.net

"YOU kill what YOU fear and YOU fear what YOU don't understand"

6350. FS: Kamplus w/ver. 8 Firmware

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-1806970947230001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 172665

It's mint, used less than 5 hrs 200.00.

6351. FS/Trade: Fluke C141B Advanced Harmonics Power Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-1806970957040001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 172666

This unit is new, unused comes w/carrying case, software and RS232
interface. I paid 1800.00 for it looking for offers of cash or ham gear.

6352. Re: HTX-212 store non-ham freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc7be8$2d950020$540d23cf@michel.csgoeland.qc.ca>
Source record: 172667

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Because you don't have a HTX-242, this one stores out of band freqs.
73 de VE2CJW.
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Michael Westfall <mwestfal@silicon.csci.csusb.edu> a crit dans l'article
<5o5c2r$er2@news.csus.edu>...
> Anybody know how to make the HTX-212 store non-ham freqs
> in the memories?
>
> If it's not possible, I think that really sucks. What's the
> point of having expanded receive coverage if you can't save
> your favorite channels?
>
>
> -- Mike n6kuy
>
>

6353. FS: Weller DS-100 solder/desolder station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1bqt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618143401.KAA06164@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172668

I have a Weller DS-100 Solder/De-solder station for sale. The DS-100 is a production-style bench vacuum-suction unit that runs on compressed air. In addition to desoldering, it also has a Weller temperature-regulated iron built in. The unit is in very good condition and recently fully-reconditioned by Genesee Electronics. Perfect for a high-volume repair shop or small-scale production--but more solder station than I need for my prototype bench. New price is currently $1100 (check the catalogs). Selling for $285 shipped UPS. Contact Rick Littlefield (K1BQT) at 603 664-2515.

6354. HELP TK-760H Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandk@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33b0f2f7.4112810@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172669

Need programing software for Kenwood TK-760H! Radio used for volunteer search and rescue operations in Washington State USA. Have cable. Thanks. Karen. PS Hope I did this right, first time!

6355. F.S. Yaesu FT-530

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7bee$f2cd3960$c9872299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 172670

Yaesu FT-530 for sale. Mint condition no scratches in the front of radio
but some on the rear case from the belt clip. Radio has been modified and
receives full 800Mhz. Comes with box, manual, antennas (stock and a
Diamond 77) charger,and battery.

Asking $280.00 Including shipping

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

6356. Yaesu TM-2400 2m Transceiver --memory backup battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: lacvjohn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618152101.LAA11363@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172671

I can get a tm_2400 Yaesu transceiver locally (Daytona Beach) but it needs a memory backup battery. So I need a replacement battery--also some idea where it goes in the unit.I understand it has to be soldered in--but where?

6357. WTB - 50mhz amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: giguere@epix.net
Message-ID: <MPG.e11ca4139dbdb6a98968a@newsserver.epix.net>
Source record: 172672

I need a 50mhz power amp in the range of
10-20 watts.

Thanks,

John Giguere

717-348-2103

email: giguere@epix.net

6358. ::For Sale:: Icom W2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33A80117.2723@whidbey.net>
Source record: 172673

I am selling my W2A with all it accessories. The radio is seldom used
and is in like new condition. There are some minor scratched on the
batteries from insertion and removal from the rapid charger.

The Radio:
Icom W2A
Icom BP-84 Battery
Icom FA-1443B Antenna

The Accessories:
Peraphex 12 Volt Battery
Icom BP-77A Battery Charger
USA Radio Chest Holster
Icom BC-80 Desttop (Rapid)Charger
Diamond RH77B Antenna
Antenna West Roll Up Dual Band J-Pole
Icom HM-65 Speaker Mic

Original Boxes and Manuals

John W7JCS
jstilson@whidbey.net

6359. HELP:Component needed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ANDRE ANTUNES <aantunes@individual.eunet.pt>
Message-ID: <01bc7c01$1f94fac0$6a057ec1@cha-o>
Source record: 172674
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.repair,uk.radio.amateur

Hi!
My name is Andre, and I'm a radio amateur. My call is CT2GEU. I live in Lisbon, Portugal.
I need the help of all you guys. I have a transceiver (Yaesu FT-707), which has an external VFO (FV-707DM), with twelve memory channels. But these memories don't work, because one component went dead. The name of this component is:

MPD5101LC or UPD5101LC

I am really desperate on this, because the factory that produced these parts, burned a few years ago, on a big earthquake in Japan. Then, they didn't produced any more.
I would really apreciate your help on this. I'll pay really well for the component.

My E-mail is: ANDRE.ANTUNES@INDIVIDUAL.EUNET.PT

Thanks, everybody!!!

6360. collins net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k7obb@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618162401.MAA11881@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172675

Hi Jim,
The Collins net meets on Sun at 14.263 at I believe 1300 MST (2000Z).
73,
Dana K7OBB

6361. F.S. Tektronics 2225 50Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Pjeter <pjetermi@pilot.msu.edu>
Message-ID: <33A80E39.E5F@pilot.msu.edu>
Source record: 172676

I have a Tektronics 2225 Oscilloscope for sale
It's 50 Mhz, dual trace, digital
Hardly used
asking $420 plus shipping and COD charges or best offer
If interested email at pjetermi@pilot.msu.edu
flpjeter@wwnet.com

6362. Re: help MVP repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Homa <ehoma@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33A819B1.3DC6@pacbell.net>
Source record: 172677

Toby Rogers wrote:
>
> I am looking for info on coverting GE UHF MVP to duplex for repeater
> operation.
>
> Thanks for reading this post.
>
> please reply E-mail
> --
> _// T-Bear
> (*.*) Toby Rogers KB0SME
> ()~*~()
> (_)-(_) tobyr@prairieweb.com

Try www.cdi2.com/build_it/

6363. Kenwood TS450S Mars mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970618173401.NAA15789@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172678

Have just acquired a TS450S and wish to modify it for Mars operation.
Would appreciate any information on the subject. Thanks.

Chris Jespersen K2OG/AAR2JE

6364. ICOM 737 HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: shnews@laser.net
Message-ID: <33a9415d.1682997@news1.laser.net>
Source record: 172481

Is there a 'sensitivity' control for the Icom 737's auto tuner? My tuner seems to not want to tune for less than 3:1 swr. I now have a manual tuner in-line to get the AT to work properly. Maybe it's just the antenna? Thanks for any info.

73/sean hall
W1SWH

6365. Hamradio at the University

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: carlos.mascarenas@uca.es
Message-ID: <5obea5$5dd$1@erika.cica.es>
Source record: 172482

Hello:

I need help to recolect a list of Amateur Radioclubs at the Universities of
the world in order to comunicate with them via radioamateur frecuencies.

If you know any Radioclub of Universities and Colleges. Please could you send
to me any information (call sign, state, Universitiy, address, E-mail, etc).

Thank you for your cooperation. 73 QRV

carlos.mascarenas@uca.es

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Call Sign: EA7GWJ

6366. Hallicrafters Ha 1 TO keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: peitsch@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5oc4hf$fv7@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 172483

Help! I need a knob for my Halli HA-1 TO keyer .
Gery in color and the same one used on the Ht-40 xmtr (I think)

reasonable price paid.

Thanks
Butch

6367. WTB HT1000's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Manley <bman@webmart.net>
Message-ID: <33A99C1B.4284@webmart.net>
Source record: 172484

Looking to buy up to three HT 1000's. Wanting 16 channel units.
Please email with info and price.
Thanks
Ben

6368. For Sale: ICOM 735 for only $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619210301.RAA04692@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172485

I have for sale an Icom 735 for $575.00 firm. I will cover the shipping to you.
It is in good working condition and has the box & manual. I purchased the radio in 1992, and I am the second owner, so I am not exactly sure on the age,but believe it is 8 to 9 years old. It is just the standard radio, no added extras like filters. I am willing to meet up with someone on the air if they would like to hear the radio.

For more info you can e-mail me at:

t95194@aol.com

Please send inquires to my e-mail address instead of posting them here, since I am not sure when I will return again.

73's & Thanks

Dave (N9NMD)

6369. FS ICOM 735 for only $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619210900.RAA08830@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172486

I have for sale an Icom 735 for $575.00 firm. I will cover the shipping to you.
It is in good working condition and has the box & manual. I purchased the radio in 1992, and I am the second owner, so I am not exactly sure on the age,but believe it is 8 to 9 years old. It is just the standard radio, no added extras like filters. I am willing to meet up with someone on the air if they would like to hear the radio.

For more info you can e-mail me at:

t95194@aol.com

Please send inquires to my e-mail address instead of posting them here, since I am not sure when I will return again.

73's & Thanks

Dave (N9NMD)

6370. FS ICOM 735 for only $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619211100.RAA05217@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172487

I have for sale an Icom 735 for $575.00 firm. I will cover the shipping to you.
It is in good working condition and has the box & manual. I purchased the radio in 1992, and I am the second owner, so I am not exactly sure on the age,but believe it is 8 to 9 years old. It is just the standard radio, no added extras like filters. I am willing to meet up with someone on the air if they would like to hear the radio.

For more info you can e-mail me at:

t95194@aol.com

Please send inquires to my e-mail address instead of posting them here, since I am not sure when I will return again.

73's & Thanks

Dave (N9NMD)

6371. FS: ITC Cart, Reel to Reel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jasensteve@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619211500.RAA09155@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172488

For Sale: one of the the most reliable pieces of equipment
ever made for radio...

ITC MONO CART player/recorder

mono machine, with service records
new heads were installed during pre-storage overhaul
outstanding condition

only one machine left...

$200 + UPS COD shipping. firm. US Funds.

Also available: tapecaster 150 player/recorder
reel to reel circa late 50's early 60's

e-mail serious inquiries to: JasenSteve@aol.com

6372. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33a8e419.4056282@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172489
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 21:12:34 -0400, kr4wm@sccoast.net (Web Williams) wrote:
>I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500 watts)
>on many different frequencies. My television set is not being interfered
>with, only when my wife wants to watch a video tape does my hobby begin
>to cause problems. No neighbors complain, so the problem is extremely
>local. The VCR is a Fisher, and I've been to thier website looking for an
>e-mail address to write to a technician, but there are none published. I
>know that many electronic manufacturers try to get by with the least
>amount of parts, but have available modification kits just for my
>problem. Any idea how to get 'hold of a Fisher factory tech on the
>internet? Anybody ever have this problem and fix it? Thanks -Web
>kr4wm@sccoast.net

Well, the first step is to quit using illegal power. The second step is to
get your antenna as far away from the VCR as possible. The third step
would be to improve the shielding of the VCR. VCRs use frequencies
in the range of 2.5 to 8 MHz to record video on tape (the recording is
FM). The heads will respond to the H field of any RF source in this
frequency range. The head preamps are very high gain, and intended
to amplify the weak signal recovered from the tape. You have to keep
the field strength from your transmissions low enough at the video heads
so that they don't override the signal off the tape. The demodulated FM
signal off the tape goes to video amplifiers with response from DC to 4 MHz,
so 75m signals can be directly amplified by these amps too. The only way
to prevent this is to make sure there is enough shielding to stop signal ingress.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6373. unlock ic-t32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kailis Andreas <kailis@compulink.gr>
Message-ID: <33A971A8.270B@compulink.gr>
Source record: 172490

hello from greece
please tell me how to unlock ic-t32

thanks

(please sent mail)

6374. ! FREE PSYCHIC ADVICE/SPECIAL SAMPLES LINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jann@intercall.net
Message-ID: <5occ0q$rtn@news.intercall.com>
Source record: 172491

Dial in for the live psychics you want. No credit card
charges ever! Try it now on 1- 800-682-8057; an
astounding prediction is guaranteed.
Adults over 18 only.

Dial 1-800-682-8057

6375. Kantronics KPC-4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <jsantmir@ohio.tds.net>
Message-ID: <33A9B86F.5840@ohio.tds.net>
Source record: 172492

I have a Kantronics KPC-4 4 sale in good shape and works good!
sold my radio's so I dont need the TNC any more..
Have all the manuals and cables...
Well Sell for $180 Plus $5.00 to ship in lower 48
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mailto:jsantmir@ohio.tds.net
http://wwp.mirabilis.com/656054
http://www.geocities.com/Area51/9174/

6376. Re: typical price for used but decent handheld?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A9A1ED.4471@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Brian Riordan wrote:
>
> On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 12:54:43 -0500, "Bruce G. Bostwick"
> <lihan@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu> wrote:
>
> >greetings all,
> >
> >I'm finally heading down to take my Tech exam after years of putting it
> >off and would like to know what a good deal would be for a used 2-meter
> >handheld, preferably with DTMF.
>
> I got a used Alinco DJ-180H 5W, DTMF and CTSS encode/decode for $120
> about a year ago. I've been very happy with it.
> Good luck
> Brian
> KJ7VN

Hi Brian -- Go to http://www.dejanews.com/
Type in HT
Get 20 or 30 HT's notices for sale.

73
Rod in San Diego

--
AC6V's Guide To DX and Ham Radio
1277 Links and 60 Pages
Home Page http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Master Index http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

6377. HP 1631D $650 Complete with warranty. Auction update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@widind.com
Message-ID: <5ocfkt$t3c@news.jump.net>
Source record: 172494
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

Auction update.

HP 1631D 43 Channel Logic Analyzer with dual channel 50 MHz DSO.
This unit is being auctioned to the highest bidder. Perfect cosmetic and
electrical condition. Present high bid is $650.

Also HP 1630D same unit as HP 1631D without the DSO. Present high
bid is $225.

See: http://www.widind.com/auctions/hpgear.htm

for details and photo.

Thanks and Best Regards
Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com
http://www.widind.com/
http://www.widind.com/auctions/

6378. For Sale: Icom 735 for $575.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: t95194@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619211600.RAA09221@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172495

I have for sale an Icom 735 for $575.00 firm. I will cover the shipping to you.
It is in good working condition and has the box & manual. I purchased the radio in 1992, and I am the second owner, so I am not exactly sure on the age,but believe it is 8 to 9 years old. It is just the standard radio, no added extras like filters. I am willing to meet up with someone on the air if they would like to hear the radio.

For more info you can e-mail me at:

t95194@aol.com

Please send inquires to my e-mail address instead of posting them here, since I am not sure when I will return again.

73's & Thanks

Dave (N9NMD)

6379. 100% Duty cycle HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Arnold" <D.Arnold@primocomputers.com>
Message-ID: <33A9E579.4855@primocomputers.com>
Source record: 172496

need recomendations on a 100% duty cycle hf rig to be used as a rebroadcast engine 24 hours a day 7 days a week

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6380. New DRAKE FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ocm6o$54$1@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 172497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:
New/Old Stock in original boxes, never soldered into a radio.
For Drake TR7 and R7 Radios
Network Sciences SL500, 500hz CW filter
Network Sciences SL300, 300hz CW filter
85 bucks shipped cont. u.s.

Thanks,
Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

6381. YAESU FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ocmav$jl4$1@news1.voicenet.com>
Source record: 172498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Yaesu filters for a few models

XF8.9GA AM filter forFT980, 901, 902, 107, 707, 101ZD
never installed in a radio, $40

XF10GS used $25

XF32A FT101 ssb filter, used $25

XF30C FT101 cw filter, new, never installed, $60

XF8.2GA FT102 am filter, new, never installed $60

XF8.2HCN FT102 cw narrow filter, new, never installed $60

All filter prices include shipping to the cont. u.s.

Thanks,
Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

6382. Re: News Rover -- Searches newsgroups for what you want - 218 0618023507 GSK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jstrohm@taxes.net>
Message-ID: <33A91217.6F0B@taxes.net>
Source record: 172499

If you used as your search criteria

inappropriate velveeta spammage

would it return the article you just posted?

6383. ICOM FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ocmk2$jl4$2@news1.voicenet.com>
Source record: 172500
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For sale;
ICOM Filters
FL52a, new, never installed in a radio $100
FL83 , new, never installed in a radio $40
FL103, new, never installed in a radio, $60
All prices include shipping cont. u.s.
Thanks,
Jim bigjim@voicenet.com
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6384. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: lraymond@sisna.com
Message-ID: <winWeb19Jun97192038@DIALUP6405.SISNA.COM>
Source record: 172501

In article <5o4h0l$6cd@apple.telalink.net>,
desmith@telalink.net (Doug Smith) writes:
> Mark Brown <kb0pyo@starpoint.net> wrote:
> >Why do you want to use fm down in that portion of the band? 144.000 to
> >144.100 is cw only 144.100 to 144.300 is ssb.
>
> By default the HTX-212 won't transmit in 144.5-144.6MHz either. This
> band includes the inputs for repeaters whose outputs are on
> 145.11/13/15/17/19MHz. IMHO if RS had set the bottom end to 144.5
> instead of 144.6, it would have worked a lot better...
>
> 73 DOug
>

I tried transmitting in the above "unavailable" frequency ranges with
my HTX-202 and didn't have a problem (I transmitted my voice
to my scanner and could hear myself clearly from the scanner).

Mike

6385. KENWOOD FILTERS for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ocmth$jl4$3@news1.voicenet.com>
Source record: 172502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For sale;
Kenwood filters
YK88s, used, $25
YK88s, new, never soldered into a radio $35
YK88cn, new, never soldered into a radio $80
all prices include shipping cont. u.s.
Thanks,
Jim bigjim@voicenet.com
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6386. New BIRD SLUGS 4sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjim@voicenet.com
Message-ID: <5ocn64$jl4$4@news1.voicenet.com>
Source record: 172503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

For sale, Bird slugs, still sealed in plastic,

1000C, 1000watt 100-250mhz $50
1000D, 1000watt 200-500mhz $50
10D, 10watt, 200-500mhz $50
500D, 500 watt, 200-500mhz $50
50D, 50watt, 200-500mhz, used, $40
all prices include shipping cont. u.s.
Thanks,
Jim bigjim@voicenet.com

6387. Re: What after TS-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33AA0ACC.5630@erols.com>
Source record: 172504

Dennis Jacobson wrote:
>
> What 12 volt radio did Kenwood make following the TS-450S?
> Did they stop making the 12 volt versions. Been very happy with the
> Kenwood line but I have a feeling they stopped making mobile HF radios.
> The next one I know about is the TS-50 (great numbering scheme) and it
> is not a cw tranciever.
>
> Any ideas?
>
> p.s. I sent them mail and asked Kenwood direct.. with no response.
> Maybe that is my answer...
> --
> 73... Dennis N6NG Retired:
> INTERNET: N6NG@sj.bigger.net Just another road kill on
> AX25: N6NG@KJ6FY.#NORCAL.CA.USA.NOAM the Information Highway.

****** TS-570D ******

6388. Re: NEED XTALS FOR FT101EX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: poppasmurf <frankstl@iamerica.net>
Message-ID: <33A91E77.24BB@iamerica.net>
Source record: 172505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Russ Jankowski wrote:
>
> Hello All !!!
>
> I am in need of the following xtals for a YAESU FT101EX:
> 24.02 -mhz
> 34.02 - mhz
> 35.02 - mhz
> 35.52 - mhz
>
> If you have any or know of a source for these, please let me know. I
> really need the 34.02 for 10 meters.
> Tnx es 73,
>
> WA8DXK --- Russ
try jan crystals florida might have a web page by now .were working on
one last contact i had

6389. Ham Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Fleenor <johnf@mailhost.cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <33AA0413.45B8@mailhost.cyberramp.net>
Source record: 172506

http://www.cyberramp.net/~johnf

6390. Re: handheld GPS system - any recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <33A9EB24.DE7@radia1.com>
Source record: 172507

Gary McDuffie, Sr. wrote:
>
> On 19 Feb 1997 14:15:37 GMT, "BH" <BHildebrand@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
> > While the 45 is a good GPS receiver, check out the Garmin-12XL. Far
> > superior receiver (12 ch. parallel) and only $25.00 more that the $199
> > stated below. And no speed restriction like the 45, twice as many
> > waypoints, more track points, proximity waypoints. I will lock when the 45
> > does not have any signal.
>
> Better yet, try the II+ with its newest firmware (2.04). It has most
> everything the 12XL has, including position averaging, plus a BNC connector
> that is much easier to use than the MCX on the 12XL, an external antenna
> that you can optimize the position of for a given mount, and almost twice
> the battery life of the 12XL.
>
> Gary
Does it have NEMA output and Maidenhead display?

6391. 2m Yaesu handheld FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AfterDark <ab403@sfn.saskatoon.sk.ca>
Message-ID: <5ocofn$t64@tribune.usask.ca>
Source record: 172508

For sale following:
Yaesu FTH-2005 handheld transceiver
battery, leather case, charger, speaker-mic, antenna
unlocked band
E-mail offers. VE5BGZ

6392. >1500 watts bothered the newsgroup police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kr4wm@sccoast.net
Message-ID: <MPG.e13b6251e7426979896a4@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 172509

OK, here it is: I do not, nor have I ever, run greater than the legal limit of 1500 watts. My station is not capable of generating that much RF. It never has been, and probably never will be. I operate QRP CW, and voice in the 50-75 watt range, which is all I've been able to get out of my Ten Tec Corsair II. I have an amp which I have put maybe 15 minutes on in the two years I've had it- I just don't use it. Occasionally I will go on the air with an Oak Hills Research QRP Classic I built. It only does 2-7 watts depending on which band is used.

The reason I used the figure of >1500 watts was that I was trying to get assistance for a WORST CASE SCENARIO. I NEVER want to hear my wife complain about TVI again. EVER. PERIOD. I am aware of some manufacturers producing "RFI" kits, but I cannot get a lead on the Fisher company. I need to know if they produce such a kit for thier VCRs. In the event that they don't, I'd like to know what steps I can take to keep my puny 50-75 watt signal from tearing up the VCR. I would REALLY like to RF proof it for over 1Kw or more, so that I never have to worry about the problem EVER again. My way of thinking is that if a 1 watt resistor is good, then a 5 watt must be better. That was why I specified >1500 watts. I want to give it the BEST RFI protection possible.

To the persons who mentioned OO's:
A. I only wish they were more prevalent.
B. I wish the position was NOT ARRL affiliated, because in my locale and at headquarters in Newington, CT, the ARRL leadership is a bunch of spineless, theft-permitting idiots, who refuse to see justice done. I can back that statement up with paper if anyone wishes to provide postage. I will -not- discuss this particular topic further in the newsgroups.

To the newsgroup police:
What I wrote was incorrect, but it was my assumption that anyone who read my posting would have had enough sense to interpret my message as I had intended. I now see the error of my ways, and in the future, I will word my posts as if intended for 6 year olds so that you might better understand them.

6393. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33A9ECC8.3D3A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172510

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 23:41:26 -0400, Alan Hyman <ahyman@erols.com>
> wrote:
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> >Gary
> >
> >Maby the plug and display etching are to connect it to the 708
> >(2,220,440,6m, hf rig) that will have DSP. They could be connected to
> >use as a satelite rig or Cross band repeat!
> >
> >HI HI.
> >
> >Alan
> >KA2PVR
> >
> >PS: couldnt let this thread going with out a comment!!!
>
> Hey Alan,
>
> How have you been ?
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

After "Interigating" an Icom Employee I found the true story.
Icom wanted to put the DSP(white noise, Heterodynes ONLY) in the radio
but the engineers had alot of "BIRDIES" on two meters. They could have
disabled the DSP on two meters but the Hams whould have complained.
Finally the DSP project was scraped. This info came after 4 hours of
questioning the Employee. SHE/HE recovered from the "interigation".
Don't beleive Gary Fiber if he denies this. He is either uninformed or
not telling the truth.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman
P.S. my source of Icom info is outside of North America

6394. WTB: Manual for DEO QSK-1500 T/R Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG8EY <mhaunschild@fwb.gulf.net>
Message-ID: <33A96542.3AF@fwb.gulf.net>
Source record: 172511

Hello, everyone.

I need a copy of the owners' manual, schematic, etc. for my Design Electronics Ohio (DEO) model QSK-1500 PIN Diode T/R Switch. This switch was made approx. 10 to 15 years ago and is a high-power PIN diode switch, used with a conventional HF linear amplifier to give full-breakin operation.

I will cover any reasonable copying/mailing costs.

Thanks for reading this, 73

Mahlon Haunschild - KG8EY

please reply to me at:
mahlon.r.haunschild @ ac.com

6395. TH-77a spkr/mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: BGA2%RdgrFlt%NAH@bangate.pge.COM
Message-ID: <vines.bbe5+Tj8enb@go50.comp.pge.com>
Source record: 172512

I would to get a speaker/mike for my th 77-a by kenwood. Anyone have sucess with some of the other brands of mikes ?? Please reply to bga2@pge.com
Thanks Alex KR6G

6396. ! PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS/ TRY IT FREE 1-800-676-3733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jln@tnp.com
Message-ID: <5obnpr$9d3@news-in.tnp.com>
Source record: 172513

You've heard how psychics have predicted the future
for others and you want to see for yourself. Let
a master psychic advise you now - try it free on
1-800-676-3733. You will be astounded at the
accuracy of their predictions. Adults over 18 only.

1-800-676-3733

6397. ! PROVEN PSYCHICS / FREE PREDICTIONS 800-677-8039

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jln@tnp.com
Message-ID: <5obu9d$fbc@news-in.tnp.com>
Source record: 172514

Curious about psychics? Now you can try a psychic
reading free, just dial 1-800-677-8039 - our free
samples line where master psychics will amaze you
with their knowledge and forsight. Try it now -
see for yourself. adults over 18 only

Dial 1-800-677-8039

6398. Modifications for IC-706 MkII??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Harwood <harwood@sirius.chinalake.navy.mil>
Message-ID: <33A97E07.4F67@sirius.chinalake.navy.mil>
Source record: 172515

Anybody know the MARS/CAP/foreign operation modifications (remove the diodes) for the new IC-706 MkII. Are they on one of the modification locations.

Has anyone found any other mods worth doing????

I know its new but I presume someone has found them by now.

Thanks,

Bill Harwood
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\-----------------------------------------------------/
\ Bill Harwood U play it, I'll dance it /
\ W5WH or /
\ I'll play it, U dance it /
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6399. WTB: Yeasu FT-301S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince Kumagai <vincent_kumagai@uswest.com>
Message-ID: <33A9516E.331A@uswest.com>
Source record: 172516

Looking to buy used Yeasu FT-301S. Please respond to Vince with info at
E-mail:
sonofullr@idocmm.com - Denver ,CO

Thanks...

6400. WTB: Yeasu FT-301S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vince Kumagai <vincent_kumagai@uswest.com>
Message-ID: <33A95180.7E34@uswest.com>
Source record: 172517
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking to buy used Yeasu FT-301S. Please respond to Vince with info at
E-mail:
sonofullr@idocmm.com - Denver ,CO

Thanks...

6401. Audio of Mars Landing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Webb <102670.1206@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5oab72$o0a$3@mhadf.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 172518

Does anyone know of any 2-meter, 220 MHz, or 440 MHz repeaters in southern California that will be rebroadcasting NASA Select audio during the July 4th Mars landing?

I'm a columnist for a large circulation newspaper in the region; right now I'm trying to put together an article on the Mars landing and where to find information the mission.

73

Brian Webb, KD6NRP

6402. Re: What after TS-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mullan <jmullan@sr.hp.com>
Message-ID: <33A972A6.6344@sr.hp.com>
Source record: 172519

Dennis Jacobson wrote:
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> What 12 volt radio did Kenwood make following the TS-450S?
> Did they stop making the 12 volt versions. Been very happy with the
> Kenwood line but I have a feeling they stopped making mobile HF radios.
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> Maybe that is my answer...
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> 73... Dennis N6NG Retired:
> INTERNET: N6NG@sj.bigger.net Just another road kill on
> AX25: N6NG@KJ6FY.#NORCAL.CA.USA.NOAM the Information Highway.

Look at the TS-570D for HF or TS-570S for HF/6M. These appear to be the
logical successor to the TS-450/TS-690 products.

6403. Re: Drake TR-7 Mars Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S. J. Swanson" <swanson@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7c58$a2dba080$bf45cfa9@default>
Source record: 172530

Contact Drake -- they fully support, with parts and service all their
amateur equipment.
73, Sherm KB9Q

brady@wilmington.net wrote in article <5o72qq$jlu@news.wilmington.net>...
> Need instructions to make mod for Mars freq for the Drake TR-7
> transciever
>
>

6404. WTB: KLM 661 xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ni6l@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5oa766$4qt@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172531

Hi, I Am STILL looking for a clean KLM 661 6M xcvr. Anyone have a unit or ever seen a unit or even heard of the model? Finding any leads is becoming real tough!!!
Thanks,
Tim

6405. FS = CHEROKEE 6 Meter HT (NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: schieman@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5oa7ta$4mj$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 172532

For Sale (NEW) CHEROKEE 6 Meter FM Hand Helds. 50-54 MHz Coverage, 1&5 Watts Output, 500KHz&1 Mhz Offset, 5 Memories, Scan, CTCSS. $255.00 Includes shipping in the U.S.

6406. CrossBand IC2350 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William F. Erhardt" <erhardt@mt.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7c62$0af50400$5e427fce@default>
Source record: 172533

Hello from Helena, Montana - Is it possible to crossband the IC2350 dual bander for 440 input as control and then used the 2 meter side to access several repeaters. What I would like to do is put the IC2350 up at 8000 feet, link in with 440, and then access some of our distant repeaters here in Montana that I am unable to get clearly direct. Any help would be very helpful. Thanks in advance Bill (KA7YAO)

6407. HW2036 to HW2036A Mod??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: martyt@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <33a8a962.431684591@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 172534

I have a friend with a Heathkit HW2036 2M rig who is interested in the modification that will essentially turn that rig into the HW2036A. Apparently the HW2036 only covers 2 MHz of the 2 meter spectrum and the desired modification will allow it to cover the entire band from 144 - 148 MHz.

If any one has this information or knows where I might find it on the net, please reply via e-mail. Thanks!

-Marty Tippin KC0AKA
martyt@sprintmail.com

6408. ADI AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Lockhart <dkl@maine.rr.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7c64$ecca8380$6a4ad2cc@p590.maine.rr.com>
Source record: 172535

I've been looking at the ADI AT-600 for price and options. It looks great on paper. Are there any AT-600 owners out there who could share their experiences?

Also looking at Kenwood, Icom, Yeasu dual banders too.

Thanks... 73

Don Lockhart
Cumberland, Maine
mailto:dlock@nlis.net

6409. FS ICOM IC-T7A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Davis <ultratec@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5oaapr$n3f$1@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 172536
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

For sale Icom IC-T7A with BP-180 battery Software & cable. Like new only 4 months old. Nothing wrong with it just want to upgrade to the IC-W32. Asking $275.00 OBO. you can e-mail or call the number below. Do not post a reply on the newsgroups please. Thank you
Sean
KC5JJK
915-947-7929
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Sean Davis
2459 Greenwood
San Angelo, TX 76901
ultratec@gte.net

6410. FS TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Davis <ultratec@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5oabbn$k3v$1@news13.gte.net>
Source record: 172537
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

FS TM-V7A Only 2 months old has not had any mods. It comes with software cable and the remote kit. Asking $621.85 that is what I paid for it. I have the receipts and all of the boxes and packing material. Reply by e-mail or you can call the number below. Please don't post back to the newsgroups.

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San Angelo, TX 76901
ultratec@gte.net

6411. FS TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sean Davis <ultratec@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5oabb7$n3f$2@news7.gte.net>
Source record: 172538
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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2459 Greenwood
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ultratec@gte.net

6412. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33a9b2af.1565221@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172539

On 17 Jun 1997 22:06:15 GMT, VKHD16A@prodigy.com (Stephen Mandich)
wrote:

>I have heard that reasoning before and I just do not buy it. Take the
>Kenwood 331. It uses the same case, mic, etc as their 2M rig. What
>research and development costs could there be? They have the same
>features except the 222 rig has only 25 watts.
>
>They charge $200 more for the 222 rig compared to the 2M rig. They look
>identical except for the model number on the outside. Why $480 versus
>$280?????
>
>If the manufactures had them for a decent price, they could probably sell
>a lot of them. Here in Southern California, there are 118 open repeaters
>on 222 versus 41 on 440. IN my neighborhood I can reach four open 440
>repeaters and 18 open 222 repeaters. Almost all of the 222 repeaters
>are open (about 86%) versus about 9% open on 440.
>
>It seems to me that 222 is more of a true Ham band instead of a private
>phone patch system that 440 has become.
>
>Steve
>
Likely the problem is sales of 220 MHz equipment. Lots of places in
the U.S. hardly know the 220 Mhz amateur band exists let alone utilize
it. Generally manufacturing of 220 Mhz equipment is not real
profitable sales are real slow many times down to 4 to 5 radios a
month various prices for equipment seems to have no effect on this
band.. With slow sales, even low prices do not speed up an under
utilized band. The U.S. has " hot beds " of 220 Mhz activity, so
sales are not as driven as a 2 meter radio.
Many places do not have any activity on 220 Mhz.

Another slow mover is the 440 HT, many will purchase a 2 meter HT but
not a 440 HT. When the operator considers a 440 radio generally they
go for the " dual band radio " and forget about the 440 HT. Sales for
strictly 440 Mhz gear are not there.

Gary

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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6413. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33aab4cf.2109807@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172540

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 23:41:26 -0400, Alan Hyman <ahyman@erols.com>
wrote:

>Gary
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>Maby the plug and display etching are to connect it to the 708
>(2,220,440,6m, hf rig) that will have DSP. They could be connected to
>use as a satelite rig or Cross band repeat!
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>HI HI.
>
>Alan
>KA2PVR
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>PS: couldnt let this thread going with out a comment!!!

Hey Alan,

How have you been ?

Gary
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6414. Re: HELP:Component needed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: clydeo@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33a8b3d4.4638965@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172541
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.repair,uk.radio.amateur

"ANDRE ANTUNES" <aantunes@individual.eunet.pt> wrote:

>Hi!
>My name is Andre, and I'm a radio amateur. My call is CT2GEU. I live in
>Lisbon, Portugal.
>I need the help of all you guys. I have a transceiver (Yaesu FT-707), which
>has an external VFO (FV-707DM), with twelve memory channels. But these
>memories don't work, because one component went dead. The name of this
>component is:
>
> MPD5101LC or UPD5101LC
>
>I am really desperate on this, because the factory that produced these
>parts, burned a few years ago, on a big earthquake in Japan. Then, they
>didn't produced any more.
>I would really apreciate your help on this. I'll pay really well for the
>component.
>
>My E-mail is: ANDRE.ANTUNES@INDIVIDUAL.EUNET.PT
>
>Thanks, everybody!!!

Hi, Andre,

If this IC is a 22-lead DIP, NMOS, 1K Static RAM (SRAM),
450ns, NTE offers NTE65101 which may be the IC you are looking for.
Their web address is: http://www.nteinc.com.

I hope this helps.

L8R,

Clyde

6415. Re: MARS Mod for IC-730?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33adb69b.2568957@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172542

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 09:22:13 -0500, Butch Magee
<butch@apollo.wes.army.mil> wrote:

>If there a MARS Mod for the IC-730, could someone point me to the
>site? Thanks for any info.
>
>Butch KF5DE
The 730 is controlled by several crystals and MARS out of band
operation was not possible without changing one or more crystal.

Gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6416. Re: IC-W32A info; programming & cloning cable wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33aeb73d.2731630@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172543

On 18 Jun 1997 12:42:12 GMT, "kg7fu" <kg7fu@clipper.net> wrote:

>Greetings!
>
>I'd like to know if anyone has to share the programming specs and cable
>details for the new Icom W32A 2m/440 HT.
>
>Mods would be nice too, but not necessary.
>
>Thanks for any info.
>
>REPLY TO: kg7fu@clipper.net
>
>"YOU kill what YOU fear and YOU fear what YOU don't understand"
>
Programming specifications is being kept by ICOM, Inc however if you
contact 75540.525@compuserve.com and ask for a cable schematic they
will send you one.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6417. Re: Best radio for backcountry to base?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: alaska98@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <33a8b4fb.13494533@news.flash.net>
Source record: 172544

Thanks to the many people who responded to this post, both here and via email.

It appears that satellite phone will be the communication method of choice for this project. It is slightly higher in overall cost, but far exceeds the capabilities of amateur radio for transmitting data.

Thanks again.

Offroad Alaska '98 Expedition
alaska98@hotmail.com

6418. Cherokee AH-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: folaughlin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619043500.AAA24610@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172545

Does anyone know of a mod for the Cherokee AH-50 to transmit near
47MHZ.
I help with amateur comms. for Red Cross and would like to be able to
comm.
with their 47 mhz gear in time of severe disaster(earthquake,Hurricane)
only. this is the only time it would be used out of band,since its not
type accepted for commercial low band. TNX .....Frank

6419. Improved Lens for Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33a8ba1d.1263876@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 172546

The following information was received by fax by all Kenwood Authorized Amateur Radio Dealers Tuesday morning, June 17, 1997:

=-=

Kenwood Communications Corporation
2201 E. Dominguez St.
Long Beach CA 90810
(etc)

Sales Bulletin
TM-V7a, Improved Front Panel
June 16, 1997
S-97-44-A

Improved Lens
For TM-V7A

There have been some TM-V7A owners that have sometimes noticed decreased visibility when the display is in direct cunlight. To improve daylight visibility of the front panel display of the TM-V7A, Kenwood has developed a new front panel assembly. As mobile radio installations differ the actual improvement may vary.

Owners of the TM-V7A that want to have the front panel assembly upgraded should follow these steps. This upgrade is free for te customer within one year of their purchase.

1. Customers may ship the front panel only (radio not required) to either of the following Kenwood Service Centers.
Kenwood Service Center East
829 Lynnhaven Parkway Suite 130
Virginia Beach VA 23452

Kenwood Service Center West
13030 Alondra Blvd Suite 104
Cerritos CA 90703-2257.

2. Customer must include a note requesting the panel upgrade and the serial number of his radio.

3. This upgrade is free for the customer within one year of their purchase.

KENWOOD COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION

/signed/

Loren Pleet
Sales Manager
Amateur Radio Products Group
-=-=-=

6420. Improved Lens for Kenwood TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33a8bbd1.1700324@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 172547

The following information was received by fax by all Kenwood Authorized Amateur Radio Dealers Tuesday morning, June 17, 1997:

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/signed/

Loren Pleet
Sales Manager
Amateur Radio Products Group
-=-=-=

6421. Re: FS TM-V7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33A8C147.4FED@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172548
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Sean Davis wrote:
>
> FS TM-V7A Only 2 months old has not had any mods. It comes with software
> cable and the remote kit. Asking $621.85 that is what I paid for it. I
> have the receipts and all of the boxes and packing material. Reply by
> e-mail or you can call the number below. Please don't post back to the
> newsgroups.
>
> Thanks
> Sean
> KC5JJK
> 915-947-7929
>
> --
> Sean Davis
> 2459 Greenwood
> San Angelo, TX 76901
> ultratec@gte.net

clueless????

6422. Re: FS: ICOM 2m Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbtarn@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5oagb4$57b@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172549

Ooops! Saw your followup posting. Thanks for the info! I'll take
this to our troop meeting to see if I can get them to buy it.

Bob
Bob Tarn
Agoura Hills, CA

6423. Re: HELP TK-760H Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ff53@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <33a8d5b4.91718664@news.apex.net>
Source record: 172550

On Wed, 18 Jun 1997 14:39:11 GMT, sandk@worldnet.att.net wrote:

>Need programing software for Kenwood TK-760H! Radio used for volunteer
>search and rescue operations in Washington State USA. Have cable.
>Thanks. Karen. PS Hope I did this right, first time!
>

check with your local Kenwood dealer,this radio can be made self
programable very easily (one solder joint) I have two myself!!

6424. FS: HP 95LX Palmtop PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33A8DA25.45DD@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops

Subject: FS: H-P 95LX Palmtop PC for Portable Packet
From: Douglas Gavilanes <gavilan1@earthlink.net>
Date: 1997/04/14
Message-Id: <33531F9F.4ADB@earthlink.net>
Newsgroups:
[More Headers]

Greetings. I have a H-P 95LX palmtop PC (IBM-compatible), great for use as a portable packet terminal, identical in size to unit seen on cover of March 1997 QST. With built-in ROM software, flash RAM card, manual, AC adapter, and serial cable, Connectivity kit software for laplinking to desktop or notebook PCs. Palmtop PC also has infrared port for download/upload with H-P Omnibook PCs, etc. Price $150 + COD. In xlnt cond.

If interested, E-Mail me at your convenience.

Doug Gavilanes, N6XQY
Garden Grove, California

6425. WTB HEATHKIT HW 8 QRP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gordy Gale <ggale@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33A8F465.6D50@pacbell.net>
Source record: 172552

WTB Heathkit HW 8 QRP rig with pwr supply. Will pay fair price and shipping to Los Angeles, Ca area. Thanx. KA6CVE

Gordy Gale

6426. EARN MONEY EASILY !!! (For Smart Guy/Gal)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: james@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <james-1906971701470001@ip-52-41.dialup.hkstar.com>
Source record: 172553
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Please spend a minute to read this, you may get a few thousands US dollars at least. It really works to anyone who follow those simple instructions. The guy who set up this is a smart guy, but who believe this and follow all is the smartest.

If you are a very smart guy or gal, please spend 5 more minutes to read the rest. Think very carefully and excute. My friend, a lot of money will flow into your pocket very soon.

- James

The original news I have received :

This is the fairest, most honest way I have seen to share in the wealth of the world!

Take five minutes to read this and it WILL change your life. If you want to know how to make thousands of dollars quickly, legally and with NO CATCH, then keep reading.

The Internet has grown tremendously. It doubles in size every 4 months. Think about it. You see those 'Make Money Fast' post more and more. That's ... because it WORKS! So I thought, all those users might make it work. And I decided to try it out a few months ago. Besides, what's $5.00, I spend more than that in the morning on my way to work on coffee and cigarettes for the day. So I sent in my money and posted.

A lot of users will join in and make it work for you.

Well, two weeks later, I began receiving money in the mail! I couldn't believe it! At first only a few hundred dollars, then a week later, a couple of thousand, then BOOM! By the end of the fourth week, I had received nearly $47,000.00. It came from all over the world. Every bit of it perfectly legal and on the up and up. I've been able to pay off all my bills and still have enough left over for a nice vacation for me and my family.

Not only does it work for me, it works for other folks as well. Markus Valppu says he made $57,883 in four weeks. Dave Manning claims he made $53,664 in the same amount of time. Dan Shepstone says it was only $17,000 for him. Do I know these folks? No, but when I read how they say they did it, it made sense to me. Enough sense that I'm taking a similar chance with $5 of my own. Not a big chance, I admit--but one with incredible potential, because $5

is all anyone ever invests in this system. Period. That's all Markus, Dave, or Dan invested, yet their $5 netted them tens of thousands of dollars each, in a safe, legal, completely legitimate way. Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

STEP (1)
Invest your $5 by writing your name and address on five separate pieces of paper along with the words: "Please add me to your mailing list." (In this way, you're not just sending a dollar to someone; you're paying for a legitimate service.) Fold a $1 bill inside each paper, and mail them to the following five addresses:

1) S. Hogan
36 Prenton Lane
Prenton, Wirral
Merseyside, L42 8LB
England, Europe

2) J. Larsen
Grinnekaerrsvaegen 50
436 56 Hovas
Sweden, Europe

3) C. Mason
473 44th Ct. NW
Rochester
MN 55901-6666

4) H. Reichel
Hahnenstrasse 8
30167 Hannover
Germany, Europe

5) J. Yung
Flat C, 6/F., Tower 2,
Kornville, 38 Yau Man St.,
Quarry Bay,
Hong Kong.

STEP (2)
Now remove the #1 name from the list, and move the other names up. This way, #5 becomes #4 and so on. Put your name in as the fifth one on the list.

STEP (3)
Post the article to at least 200 news groups. There are at least 20000 news groups at any give moment in time. The more groups you post to, the more people will see your article and send you cash! It's recommended that you do AT LEAST 200 news groups for a lot of people to read it!

STEP (4)
You are now in business for yourself, and should start seeing

returns within 7 to 14 days. Remember, the Internet is new and
huge. There's no way you can lose.

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Now here is how and why this system works:

Out of every block of 250 posts I made, I got back 5 responses.
Yes, that's right, only 5. You make $5.00 in cash, not checks or
money orders, but real cash with your name at #5.

Each additional person who sent you $1.00 now also makes 250
additional postings with your name at #4, 1000 postings.
On average then, 50 people will send you $1.00 with your name
at #4 ... $50.00 in your pocket!

Now these 50 new people will make 250 postings each with your
name at #3 or 10,000 postings. Average return, 500 people =$500.

They make 250 postings each with your name at #2 =100,000
postings =5000 returns at $1 each =$5000.00 in cash!

Finally, 5,000 people make 250 postings each with your name at
#1 and you get a return of $50,000 before your name drops off
the list. And that's only if everyone down the line makes only
250 postings each! Your total income for this one cycle is
about $55,000.

From time to time when you see your name is no longer on the list,
you take the latest posting you can find and start all over again.

The end result depends on YOU. You must follow through and re-post
this article everywhere you can think of. The more postings you
make, the more cash ends up in your mailbox. It's too easy and too
cheap to pass up!!!

If you're really not sure or still think this can't be for real,
then don't do it. But please print this article and pass it along
to someone you know who needs the money and see what happens.

GENERAL STEPS ON AUTOMATING THE PROCESS:

Make any necessary changes to this article as explained in step
(2) and when you're satisfied, save it as a .txt file and import
it into the body of your email or news reader program. This way
you only have to change the name of the news group or email address
for each redistribution.

Valuable tip: And very important for those not too familiar with
email: By all means use a word processor to ensure the article is
composed well, but to ensure people that first read it via their
news reader program see it clearly laid out. Re-format it with a
simple text editor such as "notepad," or "WordPad" if you're using
"Windows 95." Providing the text is clearly visible and does not

scroll into the right margin, it should be okay! Using this procedure essentially means the article will be correctly displayed when viewed through other people's news reader. You can of course check this out for yourself before going on line, by viewing it in your own news reader program.

Next, begin by locating the news groups you intend posting to, Netscape 3.0 or a similar news reader is terrific for this, because you can highlight dozens of news groups all at once, enabling you to distribute your article to 1000's of locations in less than an hour or two. Highlight all news groups you want to mail your letter to (which as you know is done by holding down CTRL while left clicking.) This way you can select multiple news groups in one go, choose perhaps a dozen each time. You will then see all news groups you highlighted displayed in the News groups Field.

Next: select/highlight your news groups, then click "To News" place a sensible title in the "Subject" location, click on "Attachments" where upon another box appears. Locate the file you are going to distribute, click on the file and then click "Open" again click OK; provided you followed these instructions, you should see your file greyed out in the "Attachments" box.
Hit send . . . and that's it.

Repeat the process over and over again by selecting further news groups in multiples of 10's but try to be selective with the groups by posting to high volume locations, and don't choose a subject that appears too flashy, this will only put people off. This is an honest and legitimate way of making a reasonable amount of money, and making it on a regular basis. But only if your message is sincere and clearly understood by others will you succeed.

PLEASE NOTE: This system is based on everyone being honest, but it's all too tempting not to bother mailing out envelopes with dollar bills inside. The success for all participating is dependent upon this taking place and if carried out will mean a 500% increase on your article being redistributed! The system won't work to yours or indeed other people's advantage if you don't follow the procedure. You can however, if you wish to remain anonymous use a pseudonym - but please ensure that your address is correct.

AS A FINAL NOTE: Many business ideas for making money, no matter how well thought out and implemented, simply don't get off the ground. And in most cases is due to advertising costs, but the exposure obtained through the Internet is quite honestly -- pretty awesome, so please study this article carefully taking all the time you want, because the moment you begin participating you will be on track for some serious financial rewards.

By the very nature of the way the system works you may not see the benefits the first week. BUT COMMENCING THE SECOND WEEK, YOUR INTAKE OF MAIL FROM AROUND THE WORLD WILL TRULY ASTONISH YOU!
Please give this some serious thought, because this is one of the few money making ideas that really does work.
The one that sends this file take no responsebility of the contents or substance of this text. The mailer of this text-file are not the author.

6427. !WANTED 2m AMP WANTED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bart Dolega <jaba@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <33A911EC.6C6E@interaccess.com>
Source record: 172554

I'm looking for 2m amp...
10w -> 150W+ ALL MODE
with preamp...

Bart.
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_ _ _
Vy 73 ! de |_/ |_) (_| |\/| | |_| also SQ8AQV
| \ |_) ._| | | |__ | |
Bart Dolega Harwood Hts,IL USA
-AmprNet:kb9mla@db0fho.ampr.org-Ax25:kb9mla@db0fho.#nds.deu.eu-
-Internet:jaba@interaccess.com-
WWW Page: Europe: http://www.poznan.ampr.org/kb9mla
USA: http://www.qsl.net/kb9mla

6428. Re: Alpha et ETO amplifier ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <866718183snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 172555

In article <336dbc8a.2719315@news.hol.fr>
f5tcn@mail.dotcom.fr "Yannick CAILLIAU" writes:

> You could say me if he exists a seller of amplifier ALPHA or ETO in
> Europe.

You can buy Alpha/Power ETO amplifiers in Europe from Vine Antenna
Products in Wales, UK. Contact by email: ron@gw3ydx.demon.co.uk,
phone: +44 1691 831111 or fax: +44 1691 831386.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

6429. Wanted: info on HP 302A & Marconi Instr. TF995A/3/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: NOSPAM.wessel@via.nl
Message-ID: <866719497.336631@news.via.nl>
Source record: 172556
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,nl.radio.amateur

Hi all,

I recently picked these up at a flee market and a surplus dealer, but without the manuals.

The HP 302A is a 'wave analyzer' from DC to 50 kHz, mostly solid state although I spotted some tubes (maybe stabilisers?). It has a Volt/decibel-meter, a max-input switch and a meter-fullscale switch for measuring input voltage. Also a tuning scale up to 50 kHz. Then there is this mysterious switch 'AFC/NORMAL/BFO'.
I played with it and it measures AC input accurately. In 'AFC' mode it seems to tune in on the input frequency if it is not too far off. I have not figured out the 'BFO' position though.
Does anybody know these this instrument? What was it used for?

The Marconi is a tube RF oscillator that works well, but its fine-tuning needs recalibrating. I'd like a manual (or at least schematics) before attempting this! From Marconi I learned that there are two manuals (probably user- and service-manual) with partnumbers HB TF995A/2M and HB TF995A/3S.

Any hints, tips, stories, advice etc is welcome. And ofcourse I would be very pleased with schematics or even manuals. Please contact me for costs involved.

Bart.

There may be a NOSPAM. in front of my E-mail address.
It is there to fool machines, not people.

6430. All NEW Service for your "PAGER"!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: lj@sdfsdfwuylitmwywg.com
Message-ID: <5ob6lb$dm@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172557

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6431. Yaesu FT-76

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Sue <polrbear@direct.ca>
Message-ID: <33A92E0C.745A@direct.ca>
Source record: 172558

My neighbor has handed me the following, with the hope that I might be interested in purchasing:

Two Yaesu FT-76 UHF handhelds with beltclips and FNB-27 batteries (12V 600mAh), an NC-42 quick-charger, and two MH-19A2B sub-mini spkr mics. They tune 430-450 MHz, and do not have DTMF keypads. They are in nice shape, and even have the original warranty cards ("must be mailed within 10 days"). Apparently, the company he works for had purchased them years ago for 2-way comms (!), but found them too complicated to use, and they've been sitting on the shelf for a while (they are now using legal Motorolas). The radios can be switched from freq display (with VFO) to channel display (no VFO - looks like a commercial radio this way). Can't seem to change to tone from 88.5 to something else; the instructions don't work.

I am wondering if anyone knows how old these might be, and what they are worth. I don't really need them, although it might be nice to have a frequency-agile handheld.

VE7WAR

6432. Maine Amateur Radio/Computer Store

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mgrace@server.nlis.net
Message-ID: <EC0x5L.o8y@server.nlbbs.com>
Source record: 172559

Pro Computers has just been opened in West Bath, Maine by Brian, N1KSZ and Mandee. They are selling amateur radio gear on consignment at the moment, and have applied for dealership licenses for ADI equipment and others. Additionally, Brian is the best PC guy I know of, and I recommend him without reservation. You can call them at (207) 443-2120, or e-mail Bryder@javanet.com or visit them at 359A Bath Road, West Bath, Maine 04530.
Mike/KA1RTW

6433. Re: TH-79AD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Nicolay <paul_nicolay@merck.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7cb2$3ecbd560$6e036536@merck.com>
Source record: 172560

Hi David,

I'm now using this handheld since about 3 months and I like it very much.
About the aircraft reception; I can hear the approach from about 40
kilometers with the rubber-duck antenna so that shouldn't give any
problems.

73s Paul

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David Wallace <djmd@one.net> wrote in article
<33a226cb.871917671@news.one.net>...
> I wanna get one of these, and want to know if anyone out there can
> comment on the AM Aircraft receive quality. I work near a Delta hub
> and would like to listen to air traffic control during my lunch hour.
> :-)
>
> Any comments are appreciated, even other general comments about this
> HT.
>
> THANKS!
>
> KB8IFZ
>

The contents of this message express only the sender's opinion.
This message does not necessarily reflect the policy or views of
my employer, Merck & Co., Inc. All responsibility for the statements
made in this Usenet posting resides solely and completely with the
sender.

6434. Re: SCHLUMBERGER/STABILOCK SERVICE MONITOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn Watkins <blueribb@mail.comcat.com>
Message-ID: <33A93A42.1F709DC7@mail.comcat.com>
Source record: 172561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.repair,sci.environment

Arthur Garabedian wrote:

> I need, a service manual, operators manual for:
>
> Schlumberger/Stabilock 4040 service monitior and
> 4922 Radio code analyzer, I also ame looking for a
> Wide Band module: #229039
> Service Manual for 4040: #291025
> Operators Manual for 4922: #290031
> Operators manual for 4040: #290025
>
> I am in Anaheim, CA. 714 978 9999. Best Regards, ARTHUR . . .

Try one of these two places:

http://www.wavetek.com/wtcomm.html
http://www.global.com.my/cnn/4040.htm

Good Luck,
Glenn
Blue Ribbon TV Service

6435. Re: pse HELP on TH22AT intermod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Chad Johnston, KI8CU" <webmaster@nuwaysupply.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7cbb$df205d20$564e99ce@chadj>
Source record: 172562

The first radio I had when I was licensed was the TH-22AT. I didn't realize how much I disliked the receiver on it until I started realizing how quiet some of the other radios were that my ham buddies had. I got rid of it and went to an Icom IC-Z1A.

I bought an IC-T7A for my wife and it's got a new pulse mode squelch. It's all done digitally. That's the quietest radio I've seen, but the only drawback is that you can't manually adjust the squelch if you want to. Great audio, and it does have dual-band capability. If I had my choice, I'd go with the W32A from Icom.

I know a couple other hams who just bought TH-22AT and they are starting to realize they don't like the receivers either.

73,

Chad Johnston, KI8CU
webmaster@nuwaysupply.com

J. Young <jtyoung@u.washington.edu> wrote in article
<Pine.A41.3.95b.970618172528.95256C-100000@homer36.u.washington.edu>...
> I've got a Kenwood TH 22AT 2 meter HT which is seriously effected by
pager
> intermod interference here in N. Seattle (nr. U.W.). I called Kenwood and
> they said there are no internal filter adjustments to be made and they
> also don't sell shorter antennas than the 4" ant. that comes with the
> unit. Anyone else out there have this problem with this radio and had
> success solving it? Anyone try the Par Electronics HT intermod filter
with
> success? Any advice would be much appreciated. TNX and 73, John, K7JY.
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6436. Re: typical price for used but decent handheld?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: briordan@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <33a79220.2627214@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 12:54:43 -0500, "Bruce G. Bostwick"
<lihan@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu> wrote:

>greetings all,
>
>I'm finally heading down to take my Tech exam after years of putting it
>off and would like to know what a good deal would be for a used 2-meter
>handheld, preferably with DTMF.

I got a used Alinco DJ-180H 5W, DTMF and CTSS encode/decode for $120
about a year ago. I've been very happy with it.
Good luck
Brian
KJ7VN

6437. RS-2004 Computer Control - Can it be done?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7cbf$a1560c20$19f277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 172564
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Hello -

Can the Radio Shack -2004 scanner be controlled
by a computer as can other models?

Have you done it, or have any experience with
'2004's that have been modified for computer
control?

What hardware is required?

Any commercially available boards/mod kits
that you'd either recommend, or suggest that I
should stay away from?

What software is available for the venerable PeeCee
can be used/ is good/ is rotten?

Any reference material you'd recommend?

Thanks for your time.

de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net

"Politically Correct Incentive licensing for the 'nineties -
the new no-code, no-theory Amateur Extra class ticket"
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6438. WTB: 6M Yagi or Quad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bhackett <bhackett@ic.net>
Message-ID: <33A94602.63D5@ic.net>
Source record: 172565

I am looking for a 6M yagi or quad for Field Day. If you have one
forsale, please send me email at bhackett@ic.net or call me at work at
(313) 996-5750. Thanks...Brian, WV1R (Ann Arbor, MI)

6439. Attn: Mark Mc, HELP TK-760H Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandk@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33a94702.784056@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172566

Thanks for your reply to my message about the Kenwood TK-760H. Could
you please send me detailed instructions on how to modify this radio?
Thanks in advance. Karen

6440. Help: First Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: _prg22@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33a94985.482748@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172567

This will be my first radio and I am looking at a 2m/440 HT, and
wondering which is the best one? I am looking at the Yaesu FT-51R.
Also, need some advice on a good 2m/440 mobile antenna.

Thanks
remove the "_" in my e-mail to reply
prg22@ix.netcom.com

6441. Re: Piles of NOS and Used Tubes For Sale!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: scottp@genalex.asd.sgi.com
Message-ID: <5obipb$8hp$1@murrow.corp.sgi.com>
Source record: 172568
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Ya not problems, got through OK.

6442. Need 3SK97 mosfet help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: paul@pachena.ca
Message-ID: <866733710.7929@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello,
I have an ICOM VHF radio that is in need of a 3SK97 dual gate MOSFET.
Does anybody know who makes this part, where I might find one, or have
specs on it so I might find an alternate. Your help would be appreciated.
Thanks
Paul Wende
VE7KHZ

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6443. RE: WTB YAESU FT-890AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <33a84deb.222665@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 172570

We want to buy a clean Yaesu FT-890at.
If u have one to sell, pse call
215/673-0485 any eve, or e-mail
aldel@ibm.net. Albert, Wa3fib.

6444. WTB: Filters for FT-1000MP or D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7cc9$8893f580$ad50b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 172571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for the following filters for the FT1000MP:

A) YF-110CN or XF-110CN - 250Hz 3rd IF filter (455kc)
or
XF-455k-501-01 (XF-F) from the FT1000D

B) YF-115C 500Hz collins filter.

e-mail to nu6x@sedona.net or call 520-284-6848

Thanks Mark NU6X

6445. WTB Ht1000 Program cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Savage <dsavage@greenapple.com>
Message-ID: <33A954B6.52E1@greenapple.com>
Source record: 172572

Can anyone tell me where I can buy the program cable for the HT1000
radio. Thanks!!
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Knowledge may be power, but communications is the key

David Savage E-mail dsavage@greenapple.com

6446. ***HELP*** ***HELP*** ***HELP***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tommy98466@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619160800.MAA21933@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172573

A friend of mine has some radio gear that was left to him by his father. He wants to sell it. I've always wanted to get into Ham radio and I might want to buy it. The problem is I don't know what to pay for it. Can someone help me??? Below is a list of the major items. All of the manuals are there. Most of it is hooked up and running:

MODEL #

KENWOOD REMOTE VFO VFO
820
KENWOOD TRANSCEIVER
TS-520SE
KENWOOD TRANSCEIVER
TS-520
YAESU TRANSCEIVER FM VHF MOBIL FT-227RA
YAESU TRANSCEIVER FM VHF MOBIL FT-227R
ICOM MOBIL TRANSCEIVER 144MHZ FM
IC-25A
ICOM MOBIL TRANSCEIVER VHF FM IC-230
HEATHKIT ANTENNA TUNER
SA-2040
HEATHKIT SWR METER ?
HM-2140
ADVANCED ELECT. APP. PAKRAT 232 PK232
HEATHKIT ?
HW-202
KENWOOD MICROPHONE
MC-50
ELECTROVOICE MICROPHONE 638
EICO VOLT/OHM METER
HEATHKIT RF SIGNAL GENERATOR IG-102
EICO RESISTANCE-CAPACITANCE-COMPARATOR 950
ALLIANCE AZMUTH INDICATOR
JACKSON WIDE BAND OSCILLOSCOPE CRO-2

6447. swap 9600 baud TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian and Sam Bradshaw <bradshaw@theonramp.net>
Message-ID: <33A949CE.25E0@theonramp.net>
Source record: 172574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello. I have a PacComm Micropower 2 9600 baud, packet only TNC in good shape. It is in pretty good shape, aside from the serial# tag on the bottom has been ripped off, but it's written on the board. some of the features it's got are the optional DCD unit, a printer I/O card(I think that's for a dumb terminal, but not sure), and a TTL port for a C-64 in addition to the RS-232C port. only thing I don't like, is the mailbox. it only has 6863 bytes. It can also be used @ 1200 baud, with the changing of two DIP switches. It has served me well for a first packet station, but they'res no activity at 9600 in my area, and I didn't enjoy packet too well. I'll also throw in a serial cable for it.

I'de like to get it swapped for an HT like the ADI-200, an older mobile, or an HT amplifier. I'de like to get it swapped, but might consider selling it. e-mail me w/an offer. Anybody interested please get ahold of me before the 26th, as I am leaving for Florida for two weeks.

e-mail me at kb8zzs@hotmail.com, or call 216-577-1269, and ask for Sam.

Sam Bradshaw,
KB8ZZS.

6448. Mods and 800mhz for TM-V7?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: glm@mtco.com
Message-ID: <866613139.22991@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172575

Does anybody have the unpublished
features of the TM-V7? The extend rx\tx
works, but I know there are unpublished
features. Also is there a way to get
800 mhz receive?
Joe
glm@mtco.com

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6449. Re: News on Kachina 505DSP new transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kachina@sedona.net
Message-ID: <866736827.10901@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172576

In article <33a3f840.14679549@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>
> On Fri, 13 Jun 1997 12:37:35 -0600, kachina@sedona.net wrote:
> >In some article ,
> >k9zat wrote:
> >>
> >> Did you mention DSP I.F. passband chart showing ideal passband curve but ultim-
> >> ate rejection of 100 db at the bottom with a series of close-by secondary lobes
> >> bouncing up to -80db? This will sound good as long as your neighbor is not on
> >> your adjacent channel. K9ZAT
> >>
> >If your neighbor were on your adjacent channel, I think you'd be hearing
> >one helluva lotta noise, and little else, no matter what receiver you
> >were using! The filter in the brochure is 1.7 kHz wide at the 6 dB
> >points, and so these little lobes occupy a few hundred Hz of BW, no more.
> >What effect they could possibly have on any performance measure is beyond
> >me.... de Doug, KF6DX/7
>
> Well, what the ripples tell us is that the ultimate rejection of the filter is
> not 100 db. It is in fact 80 db. There are radios using filters with better
> ultimate rejection than that. Radios used in multi-multi contest stations have
> to be better than that for example. They accomplish that with cascaded filters,
> however. Kachina uses cascaded filters too, but as far as I can tell, only two of
> them, an analog first IF filter and the DSP filter. I'm not clear whether the
> displayed passband curve is representative of the radio or just of the DSP
> second IF filter response. If it is only the latter, then it probably isn't a concern
> if the first IF filter is similarly sharp. If it is the former, then the radio probably
> won't be a good candidate for use at a multi-multi station.
>
> Gary
>
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
> Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
> Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

The picture in the brochure is definitely that of the DSP filter only.
The characteristic stopband ripple of a Blackman-windowed filter is the
dead giveaway. The Kachina brochure and web site info tells us that the
receiver has not only the roofing filters at the 1st IF of 75 MHz, but
also L/C filtering at the 2nd IF of 40 kHz. What the ultimate
attenuation is, isn't given. We can only look at the specs to see how
the thing performs in the presence of strong QRM.

Other than the 3rd order IP, there isn't much to go on. Rumor has it the specs will be upgraded and more detail added in the near future. Let's reaffirm to ourselves that quite often, it's the IMD performance that really matters. The question is: how much of the other guy's receiver-generated IMD is falling in my passband? Kachina's unit has a high-level mixer front end, and since there isn't much of any filtering ahead of the mixer, the IMD performance is set by the mixer.

Let's also acknowledge that I'm not gonna be operating with my neighbor 5 kHz away. And I'm also not gonna expect +40 dBm IP from a receiver costing less than $10,000!

73 de Doug, KF6DX/7

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6450. [=== Looking for OLD HP & TEK CATALOGS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rasmusst@geocities.com
Message-ID: <866738868.12828@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.audio.tech,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.video,rec.video.production, rec.video.marketplace,sci.electronics.misc

I am looking for the following old catalogs:
- HP early 1970's, mid 1960's and earlier
- Tektronix televison and test instruments before 1970.

I will gladly pay for shipping and handeling.

-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
rasmusst@geocities.com

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6451. Re: pse HELP on TH22AT intermod problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy <"no spamrandyZ"@ainsworth.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc7cdd$b03dfb80$c9f13cc7@alc-pc01>
Source record: 172578

John:

If you want to make your TH 22AT deafer than a stone to intermod and just about anything else, try the Comet CH-32 Miracle Baby antenna. I use one on mine when I am in downtown Vancouver and it works quite well. If the problem persists and the repeater you are listening to is using CTCSS tones, you might also want to invest in the TSU-8 decoder for the TH 22AT.

Randy - VE7ERZ
randyZ@ainsworth.ca

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> success solving it? Anyone try the Par Electronics HT intermod filter
with
> success? Any advice would be much appreciated. TNX and 73, John, K7JY.
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6452. QRO, QRM, and legal power Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wdr@world.std.com
Message-ID: <EC1ABK.BJw@world.std.com>
Source record: 172579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <MPG.e11000fd8fb44fe9896a0@news.infoave.net>,
someon identifying as
Web Williams <kr4wm@sccoast.net> wrote:
> I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500 watts)
> on many different frequencies. [%< snip ...]

I don't know if KR4WM actually sent this message, or if it's a forgery.
The reason I stop to question the authenticity is that it seems to be
admitting to operating illegal power. (I say seems, since it doesn't say
that the >1500W isn't in some other band where it's lawful, and it doesn't
say that everything over 1500W isn't absorbed in feedline loss, and it
doesn't say that it's >1500W ERP, all of which are ok.) Why would anyone
publish in a public forum a confession that their local OOC should pounce
on? I don't know. The fact that it was spammed to every group EXCEPT
.policy (to which this message and followups are directed) suggest forgery
to me also. Web, I hope you didn't post this and find the dirty bum who
framed you.

Addressing the question indirectly:

What license do you hold that authorizes >1.5kW? As my dentist didn't
tell me this morning,
"if it hurts when you do that, don't do that."

If running max legal 1.5kW causes problems, drop back to the power
neccessary to maintain communications, as provided for in Part 97. We
do not have authorization to run 1.5kW willy-nilly, that's just the MAX
we're allowed _when_necessary_ to _maintain_ communications, not when
necessary to plow through the pile up, that's called QRM as intentional
interference, which back when the FCC wasn't busy with politicians and
down-sizing was at least a pink-card offense.

I suppose it's my fault for reading the ARRL Operating Manual and Handbook
and studying for exams by learning the material rather than memorizing the
answers and assuming the real world works according to the rules as writ
HI HI only not very.

73 de N1VUX BPL with Tech-No-Code
Still certified code free, but not much longer? passed 3B and 4A!
QST TO ALL NO-CODERS: Subscribe to QST and let your ARRL elected officials
know you'll be voting in the next division and section elections.
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Bill Ricker N1VUX wdr@world.std.com "The freedom of the press belongs
http://world.std.com/~wdr to those who own one."--A.J.Liebling

6453. SB230 Heathkit Amp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wertztire@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619001700.UAA11126@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172622

Have amp - will sell. No manual but works good. I bought another amp that will
work on 160 meters. Sb 230 is 10 thru 80. e-mail offer or call me at
520-526-0556 during day or 520-527-0993 after 6pm.

73.

Bob, NF7E
Flagstaff, Az

6454. Have SB230 Amp - will sell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wertztire@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619002300.UAA11470@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172623

Have SB230 amp - 10-thru 80 - no manual - need a manual to sell this or make
offer without manual. Works good. Have replaced it because it would not operate on 160 meters.
e-mail me an offer or call me at 520-526-0556 during day or 520-527-0993 after
6pm.

73,

Bob , NF7E
Flagstaff, Az

6455. Re: Piles of NOS and Used Tubes For Sale!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: arnoldg@vestdata.no
Message-ID: <arnoldg.110.00004688@vestdata.no>
Source record: 172624
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

In article (Matt Woodward) writes:

>We're attempting to sell off an extensive stockpile of NOS and used
>vacuum tubes which has been accumulating since the mid-1930's.

>The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received
>certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar
>tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop
>during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

>This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all
>at VERY fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes
>Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio
>Equipment, etc. please email:

>locoprom@adan.kingston.net

I have tried to e-mail this man several times now, but it always bounces back.
Have anyone e-mailed him successfully?

Regards,

Arnold Goks&#65533;yr
DEMOSTENES A. Goks&#65533;yr
N5850 Balestrand
NORWAY

Phone +47 5769 1340
Fax +47 5769 1267
e-mail arnoldg@axp1.vestdata.no

Tubes, sockets, transformers and books.
Many nice things to find at my homepage:
http://www.vestdata.no/~arnoldg/valves.htm

6456. Need input on Outbacker Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <varpenns@usaor.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7c4f$60154ac0$452ac7cd@usaor.net>
Source record: 172625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Thanks for reading this inquiry. I am looking for input on the Outbacker antennas including their new tripod/ground coupler ground mount. I am searching for an antenna system that is portable yet works well.

If you have any comments or experiences, please e-mail me with your input. It will be appreciated. My e-mail address is: varpenns@usaor.net

Thanks,

Don (WB3CEH)

6457. Re: HTX-212 store non-ham freqs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd2pm@ricochet.net
Message-ID: <33aa9654.4863275@news.ricochet.net>
Source record: 172626

"Michel Morin" <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca> wrote:

>Because you don't have a HTX-242, this one stores out of band freqs.
>73 de VE2CJW.
>
>Michael Westfall <mwestfal@silicon.csci.csusb.edu> a crit dans l'article
><5o5c2r$er2@news.csus.edu>...
>> Anybody know how to make the HTX-212 store non-ham freqs
>> in the memories?
>>
>> If it's not possible, I think that really sucks. What's the
>> point of having expanded receive coverage if you can't save
>> your favorite channels?
>>
>>
>> -- Mike n6kuy
>>
>>
Go back to when Kenwood came out with the first run TH79A models.
Those idiots didn't out a lockout on their handheld and when you
wanted to scan memory, you had to scan all of them...How
ingenious...They then came out with the TH79AD and called the lockout
feature a "deluxe" version.
Ed Velez
kd2pm@ricochet.net
<http://www.qsl.net/kd2pm>
Virago Owners Club #6034
AMA #584133

6458. Value of DRAKE MC-4?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970619022201.WAA16013@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172627

Hi All;
I would appreachiate if some one can let me knoiw the fair market value of the MC-4 Drake moblie console, It is kinda rare and contains an oval speaker and watt meter w/reverse and forward positions! Its in exc. condx but the previous owner decided to bend the mounting tabs from vertical to horizontal so to mount under something. It can be reversed, though!
Thanks es 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@aol.com

6459. Re: ::For Sale:: Icom W2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawnerz@xSprintmail.com
Message-ID: <33a89599.2387205@nntp.a001.sprintmail.com>
Source record: 172628

WHAT IS YOUR PRICE?!? HAS IT BEEN MODIFIED!?!?
Sorry to yell, but I've sent you two messages (with the asterisk
removed) and have seen at least one response asking the same
questions.
-Shawn

6460. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Tucker <sts@ac.net>
Message-ID: <33AB412C.6ACE@ac.net>
Source record: 172382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Marty,

As I remember the 757 battery is about 1" long and 3/8" diameter that is soldered in. The only source I've found is Yaesu and they are reasonable on price. The entire board has to be removed to get to solder pads. While you are in the rig it would be a good idea to spray the controls with contact cleaner, tighten PCB mounting screws and do a general cleaning if needed. Oh yes, there are zillions of connectors to remove before you can lift the board so make a diagram first. Watch those rear top cover mounting tabs too - they are easily broken off.

Good luck. If we can help just EMail. Have a nice day and enjoy the 757 as it's a great little rig!

73

--
Larry Tucker, N4KVP
Lead Service Technician
Sandhills Technical Service, Inc.
910-974-7867
http://www.janrix.com/sts/

6461. HAM SITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry <jnewland@rapidramp.com>
Message-ID: <33AB41B1.50ED3353@rapidramp.com>
Source record: 172383
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/7859/

http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/7859/

6462. Re: Alinco DJ-G5T Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aboritz@cybernex.net
Message-ID: <KYzqzgBhDSiA092yn@cybernex.net>
Source record: 172384

In article <866827409.5169@dejanews.com>, n2ah@sprynet.com wrote:
>I received E-mail from Alinco stating that the DJ-G5T will RECEIVE 108 -
>174 MHz and 420 - 511 MHz after the "MARS /CAP modification." However,
>they say "We cannot discuss the modifications unless you are a valid
>MARS/CAP member."
>
>Give me a break! They won't tell me how to expand the *RECEIVE* range?
>They took the same position on the DJ-F1T aircraft receive mods a few
>years ago, even though their ads boasted that the radio would receive AM
>aircraft transmissions.
>
>Does any have the mods to achieve the above receive coverage? Any info
>will be much appreciated.

There are two mods for extended receive, one is a jumper cut in the rear upper right corner, or simply enter the unlock code #212 with the keyboard locked. The LCD display should show "open" or "closed," depending on the switch toggle.

6463. Looking for used ham radio equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb6siv@telis.org
Message-ID: <wb6siv-2006972250370001@host79.clr.cyberg8t.com>
Source record: 172385

A large, FREE, and searchable Ham Radio Classified page. All posts only concern the buying and selling of Ham Radio equipment.Posts are put online within the hour, and stay on-line for 30 days. How well does this classified ads page work?
Read what one Ham said about the service.

"I had some ham radio stuff for sale on your web page, got several responses and sold my HAM-M rotor...I have also tried to sell my rotor before, on and off for a few years, and it only took a week to sell it through your page thanks for your service."

Bob, WM1X
Bob Scott
bobscott@clandjop.com
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The Raymond Sarrio Co. a full feature Ham Radio Storefront and web site developer. Located at http://www.sarrio.com.

In association with Brillar Enterprises http://win-win.com/brillar provider of discount CD-Roms!

6464. ICOM IC-820H 9600 Baud PacSat Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG8EY <mhaunschild@fwb.gulf.net>
Message-ID: <33AAE5C0.76D5@fwb.gulf.net>
Source record: 172386

ICOM IC-820H 9600 Baud PacSat Mod

This mod is taken from ICOM factory service documents.

Some users of the IC-820H have experienced some difficulties (!) in operation of the IC-820H with the 9600 baud PacSats. This is due to the unavailability of the Sub-band audio at the accessory connector.

The Sub-band detector output is at pin 9 of IC20. Connection to this point through a 4.7K resistor will give you sub band receive audio for 9600 baud PacSat operation.

LOCATION:

You should be comfortable with working with surface-mount components before attempting this modification.

CAREFULLY remove the MAIN circuit board from its swing-out frame on the bottom of the radio. IC20 is a 16-pin MC3372 IC and is located on the bottom of the main board, on the sub-band receiver side (the side with only an SSB filter space). Don't confuse IC20 with IC11, which is the MC3372 for the main band and is located on the main-band side of the board (the side with both SSB and CW filter spaces).

I have not actually performed this mod, but the information is ICOM's, and appears to corroborate the comments in the QST review of the IC-820H. As always, you mileage may vary.

6465. ICOM IC-820H Extended Receive Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG8EY <mhaunschild@fwb.gulf.net>
Message-ID: <33AAE646.3A8D@fwb.gulf.net>
Source record: 172387

Extended Receive for the IC-820H

This mod is taken from ICOM factory service documents.

VHF Band: 136 - 174 MHz Rx
UHF Band: 420 - 460 MHz Rx

No extended transmit.

These frequencies are not guaranteed for accuracy or sensitivity.

1. Remove diode D25 on logic board for VHF Rx expansion
2. Remove diode D26 on logic board for UHF Rx expansion

You should be comfortable with working with surface-mount components
before attempting this modification.

Location: This is easier to do than to describe, but here goes:

The logic board is located on the back of the IC-820 front panel.
These diodes are located in a string of 8 surface-mount diode
pads placed between the cutout for the main tuning encoder and the
lithium battery on the logic board. Some of these pads will actually
have diodes installed in them; some will not. The designations for
these diode pads are, from left to right (left being the encoder,
right being the battery):

D22 (not installed), D25, D23, D26, D24, D27, (not installed), D28

Non-US radios may have a diode installed at D22.

CAUTION: There are NUMEROUS wires, ribbon cables, etc. in this area;
be careful that you don't melt anything with your soldering iron when
you do this. Also, don't confuse these diodes with the string of
9 surface-mount resistors, located nearby.

This mod worked perfectly for me when I did it; just make sure that
you remove the right parts. I saved one of these diodes for use in
the cross-band repeat mod. As always, your mileage may vary.

6466. ICOM IC-820H Cross-Band Repeat Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG8EY <mhaunschild@fwb.gulf.net>
Message-ID: <33AAE6E4.5BEF@fwb.gulf.net>
Source record: 172388

ICOM IC-820H Cross-Band Repeat Mod

This mod is taken from ICOM factory service documents.

1. Add diode (part no. 1SS353, ICOM p/n 1750000390) at the empty position between D27 and D28 on the logic board. The diode band goes towards the bottom of the board (same as the other diodes).

AFTER HARDWARE MODIFICATION:

1. Set lock mode (push LOCK button)
2. Turn power OFF
3. Hold (M/S) key and turn radio ON.

You now have a cross-band repeater!

4. To cancel: press (LOCK)

You should be comfortable with working with surface-mount components before attempting this mod.

Location: This is easier to do than to describe, but here goes:

The logic board is located on the back of the IC-820 front panel. The location for this diode is in a string of 8 surface-mount diode pads placed between the cutout for the main tuning encoder and the lithium battery on the logic board. Some of these pads will actually have diodes installed in them; some will not. The designations for these diode pads are, from left to right (left being the encoder, right being the battery):

D22 (not installed), D25, D23, D26, D24, D27, (not installed), D28

Non-US radios may have a diode installed at D22.

CAUTION: There are NUMEROUS wires, ribbon cables, etc. in this area; be careful that you don't melt anything with your soldering iron when you do this. Also, don't confuse these diodes with the string of 9 surface-mount resistors, located nearby.

This mod worked perfectly for me when I did it; just make sure that you have the right part (I used one of the diodes removed during the receiver expansion mod) installed in the right location. As always, your mileage may vary.

6467. Re: FOX/TANGO?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG8EY <mhaunschild@fwb.gulf.net>
Message-ID: <33AB2528.3A38@fwb.gulf.net>
Source record: 172389

Alan J. Price wrote:
>
> I have a Kenwood 850S/AT with the Kenwood SSB filter. Is it worth the
> money to add the Fox Tango filter and if so, which one?
>
> Alan
> W1HYV

I guess it depends on what you want to do, Alan.

Generally speaking, the International Radio filters (I assume that's who you mean; they bought out Fox Tango many years ago) have slightly better shape factors, and also are available in a wider selection of bandwidths than the manufacturers' filters. They are discrete crystal filters, not monolithic, and therefore tend to be slightly larger than the manufacturers' filters. Because of the better shape factors, you might get better rejection beyond the -6 dB points, but that depends on the design of the radio as well.

If you are looking for a dramatic performance improvement of some sort, I don't think you'll find it here. This is a subtle sort of thing.

In my case, I own an ICOM 751A, which has two crystal filters for each mode. I purchased IRC's 2.1 kHz filters for the second and third IFs, replacing the stock ICOM 2.4 kHz filters. The second IF filter had to be mounted remotely and cabled to the circuit board because it was larger than the stock filter; the third IF filter was a drop-in. The result? A little less of the "squeakies" and "rumblies" caused by nearby signals. It's a good contest setup (which is why I bought them) but for casual chit-chat it's not worth the money.

I noticed that recently IRC moved completely across the country from Florida to somewhere in the northwest. I have no idea if this makes a difference in their quality.

Hope this helps. 73

Mahlon - KG8EY

6468. Re: Rohn HBX tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com>
Message-ID: <33AA79AF.5E2@mcipnet.com>
Source record: 172390

Hi Jim,

I have been using a Rohn tower for years but I have been using it as a guyed tower. Rohn still sells the tower so you should have no problem getting all the specs on it. I have three beams on a 48 foot tower. One of the beams is a 5 el 20m KLM 42 foot boom. One is 3 el 10/15 and a 4 el 6 m. This is how I get this tower to take this kind of load first as I said I guy it about 6 foot from the top and about 24 foot from the top. Next I did not us the very top section of this tower it was originally a 56 footer so I made a new tower mast support for the next section which now is my top section. Next I do not but the big beam more then 2 inches above the top of the tower and the other two beam are closed spaced all within 3 foot of the top of the tower. Next I place the rotator in the second section from the top and made a new rotoator support plate. By the way the tower is sitting right of the ground with no concrete and has been up or almost 20 years. The Rohn towers in the self-supporting mode are only suppose to be good for a big TV antenna. Well that is my story.

WA0KDS/7 PHX Ron

6469. Re: Collins 30L-1 ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA0KDS <WA0KDS@mcipnet.com>
Message-ID: <33AB20F7.342F@mcipnet.com>
Source record: 172391

You need to get a manual for the 30L-1 and your questions will be
answered.

WA0KDS/7 RON

Dennis Spiess wrote:
>
> I've inherited a 30L-1 amp. I have two questions that perhaps someone
> could help me with:
>
> 1) Are there any published mods to put the 30L-1 on 10 Mhz, my favorite
> band? Yes, I would be willing to give up a band if needed, say 80M.
>
> 2) Can the ALC be hooked directly to the alc of a Kenwood TS-440? The
> 440's alc requirements are -8 to -1 VDC. The 440 sure drives the rig OK
> but I have not connected the alc yet.
>
> Hey, thanks I really appreciate this and look forward to using my 'new'
> amp.
>
> Den
> WA2JHN

6470. Re: Need input on Outbacker Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Ehlers <jerryn0nlu@mail.mwci.net>
Message-ID: <33AACF8B.5593@mail.mwci.net>
Source record: 172392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Don wrote:
>
> Thanks for reading this inquiry. I am looking for input on the Outbacker
> antennas including their new tripod/ground coupler ground mount. I am
> searching for an antenna system that is portable yet works well.
>
> If you have any comments or experiences, please e-mail me with your input.
> It will be appreciated. My e-mail address is: varpenns@usaor.net
>
> Thanks,
>
> Don (WB3CEH)

Don; The Outbacker I own works excellent. I also can compare it to
hamstick whip antennas because I have mounts for both antennas on my
van. The outbacker can be used without a tuner.73s Jerry n0nlu

6471. New Yaesu mini-HT - VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobw@col.hp.com
Message-ID: <5ocv8f$qb3$1@nonews.col.hp.com>
Source record: 172393

Yaesu has a new dual-band HT, claimed to be the world's smallest
dual-band handheld with wide-band receiver coverage.

500 mW power (1 W with external power adapter)
290 memories
6 char Alphanumeric display
Built-in CTCSS and DCS encode/decode
AM /air band

http://www.yaesu.com/vx1.html

Has anyone seen one of these yet? Like at Dayton?

Ham Radio Outlet's web site shows a price of $299.

Bob
--
Bob Witte bobw@col.hp.com
Electronic Measurements Division (719) 590-3230
Hewlett-Packard Company KB0CY 7J1AUE

6472. Cerco valvole GU43B - Wanted tubes GU43B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick & Mike <wj6pku@xnet.it>
Message-ID: <01bc7d8d$9ec36ec0$10b9b8c2@wj6pku>
Source record: 172394

Ciao,
sto cercando valvole per amplificatore mod. GU43B.
Se hai qualche informazione per me (dove posso trovarle, il costo, ecc.),
per favore lasciamo un e-mail a questo indirizzo:
litostil@xnet.it.
Grazie, a presto
Nick

I am looking for tubes GU43B.
Please, you have the informations, send me the mail to:
litostil@xnet.it
Thank you very much, best regards
Nick

6473. I buy the following radioes ITALY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Claodio <cpatuelli@racine.ra.it>
Message-ID: <01bc7d91$1297cf00$1f44b7c2@MIOPC.TUOPC>
Source record: 172395

I buy the following radioes in perfect conditions.

DRAKE R 4245/RR-3 R7/R7A
JRC NRD 505/515/72/73/92/93/OPTIONAL NCM 515 KEYPAD/NDH515/518/MEMORI UNIT
MCKAY DYMEK DR 333
SONY CRF-V21
COLLINS 451S1

Thank you.

Claudio Patuelli
Via Piave N.36 48022 Lugo (RA)
ITALY
e-mail cpatueli@racine.ra.it
cpatuelli@linknet.it

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cpatuelli@racine.ra.it

6474. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
Message-ID: <33AA3614.393B@ndti.net>
Source record: 172432

Stephen Mandich wrote:
>
> I have heard that reasoning before and I just do not buy it. Take the
> Kenwood 331. It uses the same case, mic, etc as their 2M rig. What
> research and development costs could there be? They have the same
> features except the 222 rig has only 25 watts.
>
> They charge $200 more for the 222 rig compared to the 2M rig. They look
> identical except for the model number on the outside. Why $480 versus
> $280?????
>
> If the manufactures had them for a decent price, they could probably sell
> a lot of them. Here in Southern California, there are 118 open repeaters
> on 222 versus 41 on 440. IN my neighborhood I can reach four open 440
> repeaters and 18 open 222 repeaters. Almost all of the 222 repeaters
> are open (about 86%) versus about 9% open on 440.
>
> It seems to me that 222 is more of a true Ham band instead of a private
> phone patch system that 440 has become.
>
> Steve

The problem here is that Japan wants the 222 MHz band to die. It is a police band in Japan and they do not allow any equipment which can even recieve 222 to be sold in Japan and would prefer that non be manufactured.

They make the 222 gear high priced and hope no one will buy it. If you notice there is almost no 222 gear sold and no new models. This is a Japanese Government policy and remeber they play as a big team so the manufacturers all fall into line.

I fyou talk to HRO and AES guys on the coasts you will find that Japanese tourists are always buying the 222 radios and smuggaling them back to Japan. One common practice is to bring or ask for a 2 meter equivelent models box to carry it back home.

Kind of like our cell phone thing :)

Bill Harwood
W5WH

P.S. It is the way it is.. do not expect it to make a lot os sense

6475. ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
Message-ID: <33AA3A81.6274@ndti.net>
Source record: 172433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anybody have the CAP/MARS mods for the ICOM IC-706 MkII?? HF full range transmit mod? Are there any other mods or improvements.

Is there a web site for such yet???

It is new but it rarely takes hams long to find this stuff out..

Thanks,

Bill Harwood
W5WH

6476. Need 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hharsh@mpowernet.com
Message-ID: <33ba28e3.58146955@news.mpowernet.com>
Source record: 172434
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

if anyone has a 2M HT in working condition with DTMF, please email
hharsh@mpowernet.com
thx

6477. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Serge Scorset <efa@infoboard.be>
Message-ID: <33AA4B0F.6641@infoboard.be>
Source record: 172435

Mike Volz wrote:
>
> Hello,
> Do the modifications for expanded frequencies that are for the 706 work
> on the MKII? If not, what are the mods for the MKII?
>
> When responding, please CC: to my email as well as to the group.
>
> Thanks,
> Mike
> KG8UK
> ICQ 1262284
73's Mike,

The mods for the MKII are not the same, the main board is not the same, components are arranged in a different manner.

I'm searching for 2 months now this modification, someone told me that I have to cut (remove) three diode d116, d118, d119 on the main board near the 9mhz ssb filter. But I can't even localize these diodes... and the mod is not guaranteed ! So be carefull. If u have the solution or hear about something on this u can email me at efa@euronet.be

Thank u 4 your time Mike,

best 73's,
Erik
OT7EPL

6478. WTB: Alinco EBP-10N battery (for DJ-162/160/560)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <33ad5e0b.764720@news.eunet.yu>
Source record: 172436

Hi!

Anybody has (or knows where I can get) EBP-10NA (7,2V/700 mAh) battery for old but still operating Alinco DJ-162TD, for sale? It doesn't have to be EBP-10NA, just any matching to above mentioned handheld which is 'compatible' with even older model DJ-160.

It could be new, or used but in good shape, or used with dead cells inside or even just plastic case of that battery (w/o cells inside). Also, I am interested for other accessories You might have for it. Please feel free to offer anything related to DJ-162.

Thank You very much in advance!

Slobodan, YT1RVS
<ljubisic@EUnet.yu.>

P.S. to avoid receiving those bulk junk mail messages, I've added one extra point at the end of e-mail address. Please have it in mind when replying. Thank You!

6479. FS FT50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeepguy@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33aaec16.8411565@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172437

Bought the new ft50rh High power for use at the Indianapolis 500 .
used it for 3hrs. $300 firm
Tom

6480. ICOM 207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt <Matthias.Weyersbach@Dresdner-Bank.de>
Message-ID: <01bc7d5e$39523d20$cc150a82@busdemo>
Source record: 172438

Hi,

any hints for the ICOM 207H

Greetings Matt

6481. IC 737 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: 73 de Chuck <csimms@dave-world.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7d6c$95e3b740$2a998acd@csimms>
Source record: 172439

Hello was wondering if any mods are out for Icom 737
thanks 73 de Chuck

6482. TS130 => Transvert?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Kuck <Kuck@axpmgr.physik.rwth-aachen.de>
Message-ID: <33AA674C.41C6@axpmgr.physik.rwth-aachen.de>
Source record: 172440

Hi there,
does someone use the ts130s with an 10=>2m transv. (like
the older ones from Yaesu or the newer from down east microwave / SSB
electronics) and can tell me his experience?
and how to reduce the power <5watts (I get only 0W or >5w) ?

TNX in advance
73 de Peter DL2KK

Kuck@axpmgr.physik.rwth-aachen.de

6483. ICOM IC-R10 NO 800MHZ GAPS $395

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DR Electronics <drele@hol.gr>
Message-ID: <01bc7d6b$c13240c0$13d01ec2@drele.hol.gr>
Source record: 172441

We ship worldwide. The IC-R10 now only $395 with no gaps at 800 Mhz!!
For more details visit http://www.drele.com

6484. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: me@home
Message-ID: <5odplh$eh4@a3bsrv.nai.net>
Source record: 172442

VKHD16A@prodigy.com (Stephen Mandich) wrote:

>It seems to me that 222 is more of a true Ham band instead of a private
>phone patch system that 440 has become.

When I was on 220 back in the late 80's in KC, I prefered that band
over 2m and 440. The coverage was much better and the people were
more friendly.

6485. WTB:Icom accessories.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: flickx@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5odsb2$vhm@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172443

I'm looking to purchase a few accessories for an Icom IC2-SRA radio.
They are the BC-72 desktop battery charger or AD-20 charge adapter.
I'll also like to secure an HS-60 headset. If you have any of the
above items, pleasee-mail me with your offers.

6486. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AA7381.7098@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172444

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Thu, 19 Jun 1997 22:36:56 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> wrote:
> >
> >> Gary
> >> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
> >> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.
> >
> >After "Interigating" an Icom Employee I found the true story.
> >Icom wanted to put the DSP(white noise, Heterodynes ONLY) in the radio
> >but the engineers had alot of "BIRDIES" on two meters. They could have
> >disabled the DSP on two meters but the Hams whould have complained.
> >Finally the DSP project was scraped. This info came after 4 hours of
> >questioning the Employee. SHE/HE recovered from the "interigation".
> >Don't beleive Gary Fiber if he denies this. He is either uninformed or
> >not telling the truth.
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
> > P.S. my source of Icom info is outside of North America
>
> Hey Steve, I'll bet I am more informed than you are.
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

After getting the run aroumd from the USA branch of Icom/Kenwood/Yaesu
I have found it easier to go direct to Japan for answers. I work for a
large Japanese manufacture (similar to Canon, Sharp,Sony etc).
Many of the Engineers I deal with are Japanese and have friends and
coworkers in Japan. It is easy for me to find out the WHOLE Truth about
things such as the Icom 706 MK II DSP etc. As I come into more info
about any new radios out on the Horizen etc. I will share it with this
Newsgroup. Sometimes I am not 100 % correct but usually 95% I am right
on the money. For instance, Kenwood came out with the TS-570D and
TS-570S without my contacts at kenwood tipping me off. I have since
incorperated "interigation tactics" used by Sadam Hussain.(Very
Effective).
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6487. Re: typical price for used but decent handheld?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8ydx@geocities.com
Message-ID: <33aa773a.40996496@news.bright.net>
Source record: 172445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 19 Jun 1997 14:04:30 GMT, briordan@earthlink.net (Brian
Riordan) wrote:

>On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 12:54:43 -0500, "Bruce G. Bostwick"
><lihan@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu> wrote:
>
>>greetings all,
>>
>>I'm finally heading down to take my Tech exam after years of putting it
>>off and would like to know what a good deal would be for a used 2-meter
>>handheld, preferably with DTMF.

You can usually get an HTX-202 for $150 or a DJ-580 for $200.
Adam
kb8ydx@geocities.com

6488. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: landisj@nad.com
Message-ID: <1997Jun20.090003.710@main03>
Source record: 172446

In article <5o9le9$g4m$1@news13.gte.net>, dgsholar@gte.net (dgsholar@gte.net - KE4YDY)
writes:
> On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 20:21:53 GMT, ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru (Igor S
> Sokolov) wrote:
>
>>"R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>>
>>>> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com
>>>My server says no such thing as rec.radio.amateur.swap.
>>>
>>>73's Bob
>>Your server is correct. It is rec.radio.swap
>>Best regards,
>>Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
>>E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
>>Phone/Fax: 3432 229621
>
> I get both on my server !!
>
> Dave
>

rec.radio.swap is legitimate, r.r.a.s is bogus.
Some sites carry it anyway.

From the usenet "How to find the right place to post" FAQ
>For widely-distributed newsgroups, you can also find the one-line
>descriptions in the following news.lists postings (also archived at
>rtfm.mit.edu:/pub/usenet/news.lists)
>
> List_of_Active_Newsgroups,_Part_I
> List_of_Active_Newsgroups,_Part_II
> Alternative_Newsgroup_Hierarchies,_Part_I
> Alternative_Newsgroup_Hierarchies,_Part_II

Joe - AA3GN

6489. Re: typical price for used but decent handheld?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AA65CF.6BD1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bruce G. Bostwick wrote:
> greetings all,
> I'm finally heading down to take my Tech exam after years of putting it
> off and would like to know what a good deal would be for a used 2-meter
> handheld, preferably with DTMF. I don't mind older stuff that might not
> be quite as small as what's out there today, and unless the Austin ARC's
> repeater requires CTCSS I don't need it. If it can do 70-cm that's even
> better but I'm mainly after 2m.
>
> 73 de <callsign here soon>..
--
Hi Bruce -- Go to http://www.dejanews.com/
Type in HT
Get 20 or 30 HT's notices for sale.

73
Rod in San Diego
--
AC6V's Guide To DX and Ham Radio
1277 Links and 60 Pages
Home Page http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Master Index http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html

6490. WANT: Mods for TH-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: dss@cnwl.igs.net
Message-ID: <5odus1$8s$1@news.igs.net>
Source record: 172448

Hi, If you know of any successful mods for the Kenwood TH-79A would
please send me details? Thanks es 73 Stan VA3DS

6491. Modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Churchray <churchrr@nni.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7d83$52650070$0364a8c0@nt_cowboy>
Source record: 172449

i am looking for 440 receive mod for the alinco dr-1200t
any help would be appreciated
TIA

6492. Re: Uniden CB to 10mtrs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Valdes <jvaldes@whoi.edu>
Message-ID: <33AA9401.FA33709C@whoi.edu>
Source record: 172450

Mike Volz wrote:
>
> You can convert the PC 122 to 10 meters by replacing the master ref.
> oscillator crystal and realigning. Of course, you would only get 40
> frequencies.
>
> I have _not_ specifically heard this model radio on 10, but I have
> heard
> the MB8719 chassis on 10-i.e. Pres. Grant XL, Washington, Cobra 148,
> 142, by changing the crystal.
>
> The MB8719 has a much greater frequency selection capability, since
> you
> can expand them to go from 26.815 to 28.085 with the stock crystal.
> The 858 will go even wider, but they don't use that chassis anymore
> that
> I know of.
> --
> Mike
> KG8UK
> 2 WH 103
> ICQ 1262284

Is there a source of detailed CB to 10 (or just CB channel expansion)
mods on the WEB? It would make a nice club project to convert CBs to 10
but you have to know which radio's are the 'easy' ones to convert.
Jim

6493. WTB: Accessories for HP 8405 vector voltmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart <stuart@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <33AA971A.935@ricochet.net>
Source record: 172451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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-- I am looking for accessory probe tees and feedthru probe adapters for
the HP8405 vector voltmeter. I am also looking for good HP 8405s and HP
4815 vector impedance meters.
********************************************************************** Stuart Rumley
Phone: 415/369-0575 *
* 308 Nevada Street Fax: 415/369-0575 *
* Redwood City CA 94062 e-mail: stuart@ricochet.net *
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6494. WTB Mutoh IP 210 Pen Plotter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Perkins <adam.perkins@unh.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc7d88$43969ea0$f081b184@pc1k250a.unh.edu>
Source record: 172452

Wanted to buy:
Mutoh IP 210 Pen Plotter

Also interested in any flat-bed pen plotter :
Single pen is OK, but it must be a pen type. A size is OK.
I need to draw on thick flat stock and can not bend or curl it.

If you have a plotter for sale or information on what models fit these
specifications;
Please E-Mail adam.perkins@unh.edu (Durham, NH USA)

6495. FS: Yaesu FT-650 Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <33AA7AAF.4C0F@nwlink.com>
Source record: 172453

I have a mint (like new) Yaesu FT-650 all mode transceiver for sale.
This radio covers from 24.5 MHz through 56 MHz with 100 watts out. This
radio has many features including and internal removable AC power so you
can run 13 vdc. comes with the original box, hand mic and manual.

I will take $900.00 + shipping

Mark, KB7OID Washington State 206- 581-9907 mchaous@nwlink.com

6496. Re: Need mod for HTX202 to cover all of 2m

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gsparks@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33aaa7dd.8143000@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172454

On Thu, 12 Jun 1997 08:26:19 -0700, Mark Brown <kb0pyo@starpoint.net>
wrote:

>Ed E Jensen wrote:
>>
>> I found out it is a HTX212, the mobile rig, not the HT. And the manual
>> states it only transmits down to 144.6 and no, we do not want to transmit
>> out of band.
>>
>> Ed E Jensen (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu) wrote:
>> > I am posting this for a friend of mine. His RS 2m mobile rig (I think the
>> > number is HTX202) only goes down to 144.6MHz. If anyone knows how to
>> > modify it to go down to 144.0, please reply to ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu.
>> > 73, Ed
>>
>> > --
>> > Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)
>>
>> --
>> Ed Jensen, K5ED, El Paso, TX (ae110@rgfn.epcc.edu)
>
>Why do you want to use fm down in that portion of the band? 144.000 to
>144.100 is cw only 144.100 to 144.300 is ssb.
> Mark

The mod is just a keyboard entry, no opening the box. The
instructions are in the manual, I don't remember them, I haven't
needed to do it, but recall reading them.

E-mail me if you don't have the manual and I will try to look it up
for you, or better yet call RS and order a new manual

KI5GY

6497. WTB HW12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: erkmon@nwlink.com
Message-ID: <33aaa5d3.2635576@news.nwlink.com>
Source record: 172455

Looking for a good working heathkit hw12, PS and manual. will buy or
trade.
Gerd

6498. Help! TK-760H mod - front panel programing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: db@db.com
Message-ID: <33b1abfd.2110762@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172456

Can anyone tell me how to modify a Kenwood TK-760H so it can be programed from the front panel? Thanks DB

6499. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: raoul@olympus.net
Message-ID: <raoul-2006970930070001@news.olympus.net>
Source record: 172457

In article <5odplh$eh4@a3bsrv.nai.net>, me@home wrote:

> VKHD16A@prodigy.com (Stephen Mandich) wrote:
>
>
> >It seems to me that 222 is more of a true Ham band instead of a private
> >phone patch system that 440 has become.
>
> When I was on 220 back in the late 80's in KC, I prefered that band
> over 2m and 440. The coverage was much better and the people were
> more friendly.

My thoughts, too. I bought a 220 HT when Novice Enhancement gave us 220 and was really welcomed by the 220 crowd in the Seattle area. The antennas are smaller than 2 meter and cover better than 440- I liked it. I moved out of town and couldn't reach the repeaters any more and I sure miss it.

RE: phone patches- I think cell phones are an overall better deal than phone patches. Better coverage, better sound, better features.

Jeff

Jeff Benedict - raoul@olympus.net --- "Me? Whee!" - Muhammad Ali
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6500. Re: WTB: VHF PWR Transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael Masterson"
Message-ID: <5oed8h$7al@mtinsc05.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Woody:
I don't have anything in that power class, but was just
wondering if you know of any Price/Availability of the
Motorola LDMOS series? They should be reasonably priced and
very VSWR tolerant if I read the Preliminary Releases correctly.

73's de Mike, WN2A>>>

6501. Alinco DJ-G5T Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ah@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <866827409.5169@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172459

I received E-mail from Alinco stating that the DJ-G5T will RECEIVE 108 - 174 MHz and 420 - 511 MHz after the "MARS /CAP modification." However, they say "We cannot discuss the modifications unless you are a valid MARS/CAP member."

Give me a break! They won't tell me how to expand the *RECEIVE* range? They took the same position on the DJ-F1T aircraft receive mods a few years ago, even though their ads boasted that the radio would receive AM aircraft transmissions.

Does any have the mods to achieve the above receive coverage? Any info will be much appreciated.

Thanks,
Art (N2AH)

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6502. Re: IC-706 MK II DSP INFO !!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33AAB84C.5CC3@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 172460

Jim N8XYN wrote:
>
> Ed & Brenda Cregger wrote:
> > I suggest that both original 706 and MkII owners put pressure on Icom to
> > buy back the pieces of crap they are trying to pass off as
> > state-of-the-art amateur radios. (snip)
> (snip)

> now, now, now! I just baught an IC-820 and love the damned thing!
> Although it has went back for warrenty repair today. Hey, you dont
> think this is a pattern do you?

Yep, I do get wound up once in a while, Jim. It seems as though Icom is always pulling some boneheaded trick that ruins their close-to-perfect radios. They come so close and then just can't seem to handle the idea of success. For example:

The Icom 751A is a superb radio, BUT, when the lithium battery fails, and it will, it forgets it's an amateur radio and has to be sent back to Icom for reprogramming of the basic operating system. Close, but no cigar. Or what about the HF rigs with tuning knob bearings that seize? Duh! This is not a high tech area, people. No excuse justifies having to replace bearings in a tuning knob. I'm sure we humans had that technology perfected in the forties, for crying out loud.

Now I guess I'll have to fess up. I probably WILL buy another Icom radio someday. There, now are you happy?

73,

Ed, NM2K

ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

6503. Re: HELP:Component needed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: laurence@iapetus.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <866821018snz@iapetus.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 172461
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.repair,uk.radio.amateur

In article <01bc7c01$1f94fac0$6a057ec1@cha-o>
andre.antunes@individual.eunet.pt "ANDRE ANTUNES" writes:

-> My name is Andre, and I'm a radio amateur. My call is CT2GEU. I live in
-> Lisbon, Portugal.
-> I need the help of all you guys. I have a transceiver (Yaesu FT-707), which
-> has an external VFO (FV-707DM), with twelve memory channels. But these
-> memories don't work, because one component went dead. The name of this
-> component is:
->
-> MPD5101LC or UPD5101LC
->

SMC (Yaesu agents) in Eastleigh, England have these in stock, cost £7.25
plus carriage and VAT. Their phone no is 44-1703-255111.

rgds
LAurence
G7MZH

6504. Re: What after TS-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Wood <david@wood2.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <$rgiIAAYUsqzEwg$@wood2.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 172462

In article <33A80A4C.7A36@sj.bigger.net>, Dennis Jacobson
<n6ng@sj.bigger.net> writes
>What 12 volt radio did Kenwood make following the TS-450S?
>Did they stop making the 12 volt versions. Been very happy with the
>Kenwood line but I have a feeling they stopped making mobile HF radios.
>The next one I know about is the TS-50 (great numbering scheme) and it
>is not a cw tranciever.

The TS-570D (and S) came out to replace the TS-450S last year. AFAIR,
all the current Kenwood rigs are 13.8V, with the exception of the TS-
950SDX, which has an internal PSU.

The moot point is "What is a mobile radio". Do you include the midi
sized radios (like the TS-450S), or only the real babies (IC-706, Alinco
DX-70 and TS-50)?

The TS-50 will do CW, but I've never used one. There is an optional CW
500Hz filter listed - not sure how good it is, though. Personally, I'm
quite happy with my TS-450SAT.

David
--
David Wood, G0WZA
david@wood2.demon.co.uk

6505. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrh@cbemg.cb.lucent.com
Message-ID: <5oefce$ghs@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 172463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <338F8EEC.526D@haertig.com>,
Gray Frierson Haertig <gfh@haertig.com> wrote:
>Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
>>
>> I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
>> alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
>> it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
>> "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
>> morning.
>>
><snipity snip>.
>>
>> 73 and thanks!
>>
>> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
>> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
>
>Auto batteries hate to be deep discharged. If during the alternator
>problem your battery got really flat a few times, or has gotten really
>flat few times since, your battery is probably shot.
>
>Try charging the battery up fully (nice long road trip), and measure the
<SNIP>

i had this trouble without a radio in a gm product.

the problem for me was the regulator? (inside the alternator)
apparently there is a "switch" that allows current to be directed
here or there. that "switch" (probably a diode???) was bad and allowed
the alternator not to charge much more than a "surface charge" and
remained open so that the battery drained EVERY night, even AFTER i
bought a new battery.

i'm sure there is a more accurate way to describe these events, but
i ain't that smart. nonetheless, ask around, there are folks who
understand the in's and out's of the automotive charging system.

->bh

my $$ is on that cause

6506. ------> CANT FIND PARTS/RADIOS....CALL.....>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970620185901.OAA04644@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172464

Larry Miller, largest used radio dealer in the southwest located in Phoenix. Attends all state and major public safety auctions auction. Has everything you need! mobiles, portables, accessories, etc..... call today 602-973-3111

6507. meteosat downconverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ronny Verminck <Sectie-OST@unicall.be>
Message-ID: <33AAC2C2.E7334013@unicall.be>
Source record: 172465

Hello all,

Can anyone help me to get or to find a good schematic and printboard
lay-out for a meteosat downconverter to use with a 137Mc NOAA receiver.

Thx.
Ronny V.

Ronny Verminck
U.B.A. Sectie-Ost
Visit our homepage at http://www.ping.be/ost

6508. Knwd TM-241 mike wiring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Volz <mvolz@avci.net>
Message-ID: <33AAD653.7C4C@avci.net>
Source record: 172466

I am looking for the microphone wiring for the Kenwood TM-241A. Like
which pins are ground, TX, and audio.
Thank you,
--
Mike
KG8UK
2 WH 103
ICQ 1262284

6509. Ic-756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AADA9A.52C2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172467

Does the Icom 756 have Dual receive simulaneously?
I know the Yaesu has Duel watch in/out of band. The yaesu will go to the second frequency every predetermined time to check for activity. However you can't listen to two frequencies simultaneously.
The Icom calls its version also Dual Watch but say you can listen to two stations in the same ham band simultaneously.

Do I have my facts correct??
73's Steven Hershman NS1R

6510. Newbie question about mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Tomas <tomasr@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33AAE399.1D62@agcs.com>
Source record: 172468

I'm currently studying to become a ham and have just started
following this newsgroup. I've seen a lot of posts about mods
for different radio models and have some questions:

(1) Is there a FAQ for this newsgroup? If so, where can I
get it?

(2) Do people typically modify the receiver, the transmitter,
or both?

(3) What are the reasons for doing this?

(4) Is it legal?

(5) Does it affect the reliability or life of the radio?

Any info would be greatly appreciated. If my questions don't
make sense (and I wouldn't be surprised if they don't), please
just help me understand "mods". I may buy a used HT and may
be confronted with the decision to buy one that's been modified.

Thanks in advance.

Roger Tomas
AG Communication Systems

6511. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33AAE757.6D46@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 172469

Grant Youngman wrote:
: (snip)
: Nearly forgot -- can't cost more than $1299 list. And I should NEVER
: EVER have to purchase a complete new radio, just little tiny upgrade
: modules. For $5.99 each, the vendor should also offer "green" wires
: that can be cut -- (snip)
:
: Grant/NQ5T

I agree with everything you've said, Grant. So what's your point? <G>

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

6512. Re: ICOM 737 HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5oeqff$r03$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 172470

The 738 (very similar?) has three different settings just for this purpose. Of course, that may mean nothing if one of the differences in the radios was the tuner. I believe they are accessible from the top of the radio (no access door).

sean hall (shnews@laser.net) wrote:
: Is there a 'sensitivity' control for the Icom 737's auto tuner? My
<snip>

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Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

6513. Re: Power Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5oeqfc$ehc@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 172471

Hi Ben:

ICOM America will sell you the power connectors from Bellevue.
Kenwood won't. I got a bunch of them along with the center
solder pins for really very little money. Call them.

Clark
WA3JPG

6514. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: urolab@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5oer4p$qth@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172472

In <33AA7381.7098@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:
>
>Gary Fiber wrote:
>>
>> On Thu, 19 Jun 1997 22:36:56 -0400, hershman
<hershman@ix.netcom.com>
>> wrote:
>> >
>> >> Gary
>> >> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
>> >> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.
>> >
>> >After "Interigating" an Icom Employee I found the true story.
>> >Icom wanted to put the DSP(white noise, Heterodynes ONLY) in the
radio
>> >but the engineers had alot of "BIRDIES" on two meters. They could
have
>> >disabled the DSP on two meters but the Hams whould have complained.
>> >Finally the DSP project was scraped. This info came after 4 hours
of
>> >questioning the Employee. SHE/HE recovered from the "interigation".
>> >Don't beleive Gary Fiber if he denies this. He is either uninformed
or
>> >not telling the truth.
>> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>> > P.S. my source of Icom info is outside of North America
>>
>> Hey Steve, I'll bet I am more informed than you are.
>>
>> Gary
>> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
>> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.
>
>After getting the run aroumd from the USA branch of Icom/Kenwood/Yaesu
>I have found it easier to go direct to Japan for answers. I work for a
>large Japanese manufacture (similar to Canon, Sharp,Sony etc).
>Many of the Engineers I deal with are Japanese and have friends and
>coworkers in Japan. It is easy for me to find out the WHOLE Truth
about
>things such as the Icom 706 MK II DSP etc. As I come into more info
>about any new radios out on the Horizen etc. I will share it with this

>Newsgroup. Sometimes I am not 100 % correct but usually 95% I am
right
>on the money. For instance, Kenwood came out with the TS-570D and
>TS-570S without my contacts at kenwood tipping me off. I have since
>incorperated "interigation tactics" used by Sadam Hussain.(Very
>Effective).
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Anyone who operates 40 phone would have appreciated heterodyne reject
on 40 alone...forget the rest.

WB4DTC

6515. FT-50 Comments, Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Connie Hulst <chulst@polar.polarcomm.com>
Message-ID: <33AAE3B3.3B48@polar.polarcomm.com>
Source record: 172473

I recently purchased a Yaesu FT-50 with the FTT-12 keypad standard and I love it. In response to a few bugs that have been reported,

* CTCSS falsing--This has happened occasionally when another station on frequency sends a DTMF tone. Otherwise, not a problem.

* Crackling sound in transmit, low transmit deviation--Not occurring on my unit

* Voice Mail doesn't work--I haven't tried the digital voice recorder yet, so I can't say

* Wide FM bug--Still a problem, but I never use it anyway

When doing the modifications, I strongly recommend buying the ADMS and using the software mods described by ingra-beton@t-online.de (thanks for the info!)

I know this question has been covered before, but... would someone please recommend a good antenna with a built-in SMA connector (I don't want to use an adapter.)

73 de Nick Hulst, AA0VY
chulst@polar.polarcomm.com

6516. Original HF Radio Power Connectors Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: toms@inconnect.inconnect.com
Message-ID: <5oese3$s3u$1@news.inconnect.com>
Source record: 172474
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

These connectors are now available from ICOM America. The cist of the connector is $1.22 each + $2.00 handling & about $2.00 US Mail. I ordered 10 so this comes out to 1.62 per connector. The connectors come with the pins and will work with Yaesu, Kenwood, or Icom. These are the REAL thing. No longer do we have to buy look-alike connectors from the Hudson River Valley that do not really fit. You can get these from Icom America Parts Division by calling (425) 454-7619. At the prompt, press 3 for parts.

Note that since the handling charge goes down as the order goes up, this may be a good item to ask how many at a club want one. The club could add a dollar for each connector to buy code tapes, etc for new hams.

BTW, I am using Anderson power poles for all my radios but it is still great to have the original soldered to the wire from the power supply. With the power pole, we could forget the power pole to JST (HF Radio) connector.

-- Best Regards,

Tom Schaefer
Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

6517. Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: moreth@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5oeseh$qfg@sjx-ixn7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172475

rec.radio.amateur.equipment test.

This is only a test. Had this been an actual post, you would have seen
an item for sale.

This concludes this test of rec.radio.amateur.equipment.

73

6518. PL tones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will40 <Will40@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AB01E9.6916@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172476

Hi All - Had a question about 2 way radios. I was curious if it was possible to recieve/decode the pl tone freq. using a scanner and some sort of device to interpret the tone on TX on a certain frequency? Any help?

Thanks...Bill

6519. Re: Power Connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33AB079E.6540@onramp.net>
Source record: 172477

Clark Savage Turner wrote:
>
> Hi Ben:
>
> ICOM America will sell you the power connectors from Bellevue.
> Kenwood won't. I got a bunch of them along with the center
> solder pins for really very little money. Call them.
>
> Clark
> WA3JPG

Kenwood will if you know the part number..

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

6520. FS: Yaesu FT-470

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kelch <kelchr@bright.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7dcd$bb4721a0$1f78d4cd@kelch>
Source record: 172478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello and thanks for reading this. I have the following items available for sale.

Yaesu FT470 dualband handheld
antenna
PA-6 DC car adaptor/charger

All items available for $225 shipped. If you are interested I can be reached at kelchr@bright.net

6521. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AB1021.78@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172479

Serge Scorset wrote:
>
> Mike Volz wrote:
> >
> > Hello,
> > Do the modifications for expanded frequencies that are for the 706 work
> > on the MKII? If not, what are the mods for the MKII?
> >
> > When responding, please CC: to my email as well as to the group.
> >
> > Thanks,
> > Mike
> > KG8UK
> > ICQ 1262284
> 73's Mike,
>
> The mods for the MKII are not the same, the main board is not the same,
> components are arranged in a different manner.
>
> I'm searching for 2 months now this modification, someone told me that I
> have to cut (remove) three diode d116, d118, d119 on the main board near
> the 9mhz ssb filter. But I can't even localize these diodes... and the
> mod is not guaranteed ! So be carefull. If u have the solution or hear
> about something on this u can email me at efa@euronet.be
>
> Thank u 4 your time Mike,
>
> best 73's,
> Erik
> OT7EPL
STOP !!!! This is NOT the correct MOD!!!
DO NOT DO IT! I will POst the Correct Mod in two days!!!
The New mod is 3 DIODES but they are different than the ones you posted!
The mod is easy. You need a VERY small tipped soldering Iron.
I have to do some editing of the Post I have from one of my informants!
If I just repost it he will be discovered and possibly terminated from
his Job. In fact I will rewrite it all over for monday. I got two
confirmation the mod works! COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ
UNinterupted!!!!

I will keep you posted. NS1R Steven Hershman

6522. Subject: *ALINCO* Mailing List (and others)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "k7on@qsl.net" <ShortCkt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33AB1C71.33F0@primenet.com>
Source record: 172480

Subject: *ALINCO* Mailing List (and others)...

Alinco is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to equipment manufactured and distributed by Alinco, Inc.
of Torrance, Ca 90501.

* equipment, accessories
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* buy, sell, trade, swap

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe alinco

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe alinco

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: alinco@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Icom is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to equipment manufactured and distributed by Icom
America, Inc. of Bellevue, WA.

* equipment, accessories
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* buy, sell, trade, swap

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe icom

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TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe icom

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: icom@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Kenwood is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to equipment manufactured by the Kenwood Communications
Corporation (Amateur Radio Products Group).

* equipment, accessories
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* buy, sell, trade, swap

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe kenwood

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe kenwood

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: kenwood@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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HomeBrew is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to amateur radio
and electronics experimentation and construction:

* building kits
* scratch construction
* radios, antennas, widgets
* design
* accessories
* station construction
* digital, analog, uP
* repair, modification, surplus

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SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe homebrew

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TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe homebrew

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TO: homebrew@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Ham-Books is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to the literature
and periodicals of amateur radio:

* publishers
* magazines
* newsletters
* books
* old and "collector" books
* new book announcements

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe ham-books

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe ham-books

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: ham-books@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Ham-Software is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to software
of all types used for amateur radio:

* logging
* propagation prediction
* digital modes
* award tracking
* commercial, shareware, freeware
* electronic design and simulation
* amateur software development

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe ham-software

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe ham-software

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: ham-software@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Fox_Tango is a mailing list (reflector) devoted entirely
to "vintage" and "classic" equipment manufactured by the
Yaesu Musen Co., Ltd. of Tokyo Japan.

* equipment, accessories
* collecting, restoring, refurbishing
* buy, sell, trade, swap
* repairs, modifications, enhancements
* questions, discussions, etc
* just plain operating old Yaesu stuff

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe fox_tango

To be deleted from the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe fox_tango

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: fox_tango@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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Mobile-Portable is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to mobile
and portable operation of amateur radio (QRP and QRO, HF and VHF+):

* rigs, antennas, tuners
* installation
* batteries
* generators
* solar and alternative energy
* camping/RVs/backpacking
* laptop/palmtop computers
* portable packet
* roving and mountain-topping
* GPS, APRS

To be added to the mailing list, send email as follows:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe mobile-portable

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TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: unsubscribe mobile-portable

To post items to the reflector, send email as follows:
TO: mobile-portable@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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BitBucket is a mailing list (reflector) devoted to
specialized amateur radio communication techniques.

-SSTV, ATV, FAX, APT, DSP, QRP, APRS
-Packet, Pactor, GTOR, Clover, AMTOR, RTTY
-R/C, Telemetry, Balloons, Rockets, Robotics
-homebrew, modifications, interfacing, widgets, etc

To subscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: SUBSCRIBE bitbucket

To unsubscribe:
TO: majordomo@qsl.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: UNSUBSCRIBE bitbucket

As we encourage the free exchange of ideas, if you pay for
email service by the byte you may want to consider carefully
before subscribing.

To submit materials:
TO: bitbucket@qsl.net

If you have questions or need assistance contact: k7on@qsl.net

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6523. WTB - Manuals For Kenwood TS-130S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: als1051@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970620004401.UAA18240@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172520

I need both manuals, Owners & Service Mauals, for the Kenwood TS - 130S,
Copies will be fine just NEED THEM !

Can be reached at :

ALS1051@aol.com

Tnx's & 73's

Al - KD2KY
Great Valley, N.Y. 14741

6524. ! SPECIAL OFFER! FREE PSYCHIC READINGS!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jann@intercall.net
Message-ID: <5ocp2v$47b@news.intercall.com>
Source record: 172521

Get a personal psychic reading from one of our hand-picked
professionals and see if we aren't everything we claim to
be and more! Try it Free on 1-800-682-4736 - there are
no credit cards, checks or appointments
required. Adults over 18 only.
Call now 1-800-682-4736

6525. MONITOR FOR SALE NEC MULTISYNC XE15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gabriel melo <gmelo1@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7d3d$6933a2c0$6c6c2581@default>
Source record: 172522

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Monitor for sale NEC Multisync xe15 like new have
box $450.00 or best offer call gabe at.
1-401-434-2606
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6526. ! SAMPLE OUR PSYCHICS TOLL FREE!! 1-800-683-3733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jann@intercall.net
Message-ID: <5octc2$8ip@news.intercall.com>
Source record: 172523

Dial 1-800-683-3733 and sample amazing psychic advice -
it's free. You will be startled and amazed!
Adults over 18 only

Dial now 1-800-683-3733

6527. Re: Motorola service manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: rtcurtis <rtcurtis@fcg.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7d34$d7fbb520$e64f85d0@default>
Source record: 172524

jff <jff@imaginet.fr> wrote in article <01bc762b$6e558160$321a44c3@jff>...
> Does anybody know where we can get Motorola service manuals for VHF/UHF
> commercial transceivers ?
>
> thank you
>
> jeff
>

Yea, call Motorola Aftermarket Parts Division at 800-422-4210 to order your manuals and all other radio parts and acc. for their radios

6528. ------> CANT FIND RADIO'S/ PARTS.....CALL....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970620050000.BAA04635@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172525

Larry Miller, largest used radio dealer in the southwest located in Phoenix. Attends all state and major public safety auctions auction. Has everything you need! mobiles, portables, accessories, etc..... call today 602-973-3111

6529. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33aa0f64.6607747@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172526

On Thu, 19 Jun 1997 22:36:56 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:
>
>> Gary
>> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
>> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.
>
>After "Interigating" an Icom Employee I found the true story.
>Icom wanted to put the DSP(white noise, Heterodynes ONLY) in the radio
>but the engineers had alot of "BIRDIES" on two meters. They could have
>disabled the DSP on two meters but the Hams whould have complained.
>Finally the DSP project was scraped. This info came after 4 hours of
>questioning the Employee. SHE/HE recovered from the "interigation".
>Don't beleive Gary Fiber if he denies this. He is either uninformed or
>not telling the truth.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
> P.S. my source of Icom info is outside of North America

Hey Steve, I'll bet I am more informed than you are.

Gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6530. Re: ICOM 737 HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33ac0fed.6744936@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172527

On Thu, 19 Jun 1997 14:27:25 GMT, shnews@laser.net (sean hall) wrote:

>Is there a 'sensitivity' control for the Icom 737's auto tuner? My
>tuner seems to not want to tune for less than 3:1 swr. I now have a
>manual tuner in-line to get the AT to work properly. Maybe it's just
>the antenna? Thanks for any info.
>
>73/sean hall
>W1SWH
Likely either the SWR detection diodes or some of the caps for the
various band are in trouble. Which band does this happen on ?
Does it also happen into a dummy load ?

Gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6531. ! TROUBLE WITH LOVE? TRY A PSYCHIC FOR FREE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jann@intercall.net
Message-ID: <5od88n$h3f@news.intercall.com>
Source record: 172528

What does Cupid have in store for you? Find out now -
try a psychic, it's free right now on 1-800-677-8052.
You'll hear about your romantic future and fate, so
take control. Try it free and see for yourself.
Adults over 18 only.

Dial 1-800-677-8052

6532. WTD: INFO ON HAMFESTS FOR THE WEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil <pgrund@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7d43$b38eeae0$a7a348a6@default>
Source record: 172529

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Phil... Spokane, WA
pgrund@ibm.net
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6533. Yaesu FT690 Backpack radio: Is performance OK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjg@powernet.com
Message-ID: <5ohefujbv1@kayrad.ziplink.net>
Source record: 172333

I'm thinking of getting on 6 with a Yaesu 690 backpack radio. This unit is the one that disconnects from the final amplifier, giving you a small, portable, 2 watt unit.

Does this radio offer sufficient performance for decent 6 M work (whether AM, SSB, CW or FM), or did they compromise a lot of things to make the unit portable?

Thanks
Chris

Direct all email to N1AUP@amsat.org.
Header address is fake to confuse spam droids.

6534. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjg@powernet.com
Message-ID: <5ohf77jbv2@kayrad.ziplink.net>
Source record: 172334

In article <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com>, hershman@ix.netcom.com says...
>
>Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to the
>newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
>threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered"
>the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy).
>The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the
>radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people
>who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if
>done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Don't trust Steve "I never met a Yaesu I didn't like" Hershman. I have it on good authority that Hershman is a saboteur hired by an unnamed ham radio manufacturer to badmouth Icom. He does this because his wife was electrocuted by a Icom 730 that someone converted to 1 KW output. Hershman hasn't been the same since.

He gets his instructions over secret HF equipment given to him by his employer, and he spreads misinformation via the internet. He's wanted by Interpol, the FBI, and the HRP (Ham Radio Police).

Take whatever Steve "the Kenwood kid" Hershman says, and turn it around 180 degrees. This will produce the truth. Then run for the hills. Hershman's out to get ya!!!

6535. Refurbished Electronic Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: smcone@ma.ultranet.com
Message-ID: <729195.64810@news.ma.ultranet.com>
Source record: 172335

X-Newsreader: Binary Newsreader for OS/2 - Version 1.25 - UNREGISTERED

New and refurbished electronics at very low prices.
Merchandise includes...

Computer monitors
Computer motherboards
Computer add-in cards
SIMMS
Computer controlled MIDI keyboards
Pocket computers and accessories
PDA (electronic diaries) and accessories
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..and much more, new merchandise added weekly.

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http://www.ultranet.com/~smcone/

or E-Mail us at:

smcone@ma.ultranet.com

for an E-Mail catalog.

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Quality Sales and Service since 1975.

6536. Icom 735 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jose@cariodes.com
Message-ID: <866874182.4344@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172336

For sale

Icom 735 mint condition. Works perfect. Includes cable for power supply
and Icom hand held mike.
$500.00 you pay shipping, firm.
Also have new Shure model 444D mike. Hardly used, firm. $50.
Would like to sell as a pair but will split if I find separate buyers for
both.
e-mail to:
jose@cariodes.com

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6537. Wilson II HT Needs Service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: karlhs@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <33ac6002.11210547@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172337

I operate a Wilson II HT that is crystal controlled and is in need of alignment etc. Since I do not have the equipment to do so I'm looking for help. I was told by another local ham that a company in Florida still offers service for this type of older equipment.
I would appreciate learning from anyone here who has knowledge of any service organization that could be of assistance.

Your help will be appreciated.

73's, Karl W8DRG

6538. Help: Heathkit Tube Checker (old)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: karl@olympus.net
Message-ID: <karl-2106971505050001@papm044.olympus.net>
Source record: 172338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Got it at a garage sale.
But no chart.
It is a Model IT-17.
Does anybody have a chart???
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Best of Luck
Jim Nichols
"Now is the accepted time"

6539. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <5ohm48abj1@news.wco.com>
Source record: 172339
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> I have an FT757-GXII which I bought new in 91 and havnt had to
>replace the batt yet!!!(knocking on simulated wood)

I've had my FT 757GX since they first came out, 1985?? Still holds its memories, too . Of course the radio has spent 99.99% of its life looking at 12V input from solar powered battery.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

6540. HEATHKIT AMP FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wertztire@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970621225500.SAA25541@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172340

SB230 Heathkit 10 thru 80 amp for sale 1.2KW Works good but no manual.
Manuals are available for this unit for approx $16.00 plus a few bucks
freight
from some of the manual suppliers.
Uses a heat sink and not a fan which makes it real quiet.

e-mail offers

73,

Bob NF7E

6541. Anyone have the new Yaesu VX-1R? Need help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce A. Langos" <bruce.langos@daytonoh.ncr.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7e8e$009ee380$0ef77fc0@langob>
Source record: 172341

I just got this new little wonder but cant figure out how to make it scan across bands. It will scan memory in band only but can't figure out how to do it say for 150mhz and 800mhz. Any ideas.

Bruce

6542. WANTED: ALINCO DJ-582 HANDI TALKIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrusso@hoflink.comNO.JUNKMAIL
Message-ID: <5ohkqk$l59@linet06.li.net>
Source record: 172342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello to all,
I'm looking for a Alinco DJ-582 handi talkie.
It MUST be in very good condition and in good working order.
A package deal with the quick charger and a 12 volt battery would be great. Lets talk even if you don't have a quick charger.
Please e-mail me direct at: mrusso@hoflink.com
Thanks, Mark N2FLF

NOTE If you want to E-mail me, you MUST REMOVE the NO.JUNKMAIL in my address. It should read: mrusso@hoflink.com I'm trying to stop the unwanted Junk Mail. SORRY for the inconvenience but it's getting out of hand.

Always Available through Technology..... UNLESS SOMETHING BREAKS!!

6543. Re: Yaesu FT690 Backpack radio: Is performance OK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed & Brenda Cregger <ecregger@jaguarsystems.com>
Message-ID: <33AC475F.2955@jaguarsystems.com>
Source record: 172343

JJG wrote:
>
> I'm thinking of getting on 6 with a Yaesu 690 backpack radio. This unit is the
> one that disconnects from the final amplifier, giving you a small, portable, 2
> watt unit.
>
> Does this radio offer sufficient performance for decent 6 M work (whether AM,
> SSB, CW or FM), or did they compromise a lot of things to make the unit
> portable?
>
> Thanks
> Chris

While there are more sophisticated six meter rigs available, the FT-690R Mk.II is unique unto itself.

Yes, it is a usable unit and does perform well. The 690R MkII does not offer the AM mode of operation. However, FM, SSB and CW all work very well. With a decent antenna, you will be amazed at how far you can work locally with just 2.5 watts. When the band is open, 2.5 watts is enough to work the world. Naturally, for extended local communications you will want to use the 10 watt amp (supplied) and maybe even consider using a brick to bolster the rig's effectiveness.

Is it a good buy at its current price? This is a tough one, truthfully. If you value the portability of the unit, then I must say that yes, it is priced reasonably. If, however, you are only going to use it in the shack, you might consider some other rigs that were made a few years ago.

Personally, I love that little FT-690R and wouldn't part with it for less than $550.

Ed Cregger, NM2K
ecregger@jaguarsystems.com

6544. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ebb <ebb@MIT.com>
Message-ID: <33AC71CF.15AD@MIT.com>
Source record: 172344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ed G. wrote:

>
> I've had my FT 757GX since they first came out, 1985?? Still holds its
> memories, too . Of course the radio has spent 99.99% of its life looking at
> 12V input from solar powered battery.
>
> Ed W7DXZ
>

I seriously doubt the rig knows the difference between solar and
TVA:<) And if it did,it wouldnt make any difference!!
....is solar power 'cleaner'?

6545. RTTY Collector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "k7on@qsl.net" <ShortCkt@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <33AC77AC.54C5@primenet.com>
Source record: 172345

I. For Sale and Wanted To Buy

A. For Sale:

1. KAM+ w/v8 firmware (RTTY, AMTOR, Pactor, GTOR, Packet) dual port multi-mode controller with HostMaster II . $225 (shipped) as new, box, manual, etc.

2. AL-1200 3CX1200 full legal limit amplifier, original owner, low hours, as new. $1400 obo?

3. PK-900 w/PC Pakratt and FAX software (all as new in box, manuals, etc) $300 (shipped), obo? -RTTY, AMTOR, Pactor, Packet, FAX, etc.

4. Gracillis high speed packet interface board with Kantronics 9k6 modem board mounted on board. Offers?

5. FTV-107 xverter with 2m and 70 cm modules (bought several transverters
and should sell band coverage duplications). Offers?

B. Wanted to Buy:

Looking for the following items:
1. Robot 400 Scan Converter
2. FRG-9600 Optional TV Video Board (NTSC)
3. FT-480 2m All Mode Rig

II. Collector of older RTTY terminal units looking for more to add to collection, including:
IRL, Dovetron, Hal, Robot, Flesher, Frederick, etc

1994 E Laguna Dr Tempe, Az 85282 (602)839-3484
k7on@qsl.net >or< http://www.qsl.net/k7on

6546. Rohn HBX tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33AC7F52.1D04@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172346

I just picked up a 56 foot Rohn HBX tower at the local hamfeast for $100 in great shape. My question is 1 is this free standing tower? 2 Can I climb this stuff and feel safe? 3 how large should the base be poured?

Thanks
Jim

6547. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AC95E7.6A65@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gary Fiber wrote:
>
> On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 01:08:33 -0700, Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
> wrote:
>
> >Anybody have the CAP/MARS mods for the ICOM IC-706 MkII?? HF full range
> >transmit mod? Are there any other mods or improvements.
> >
> >Is there a web site for such yet???
> >
> >It is new but it rarely takes hams long to find this stuff out..
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >Bill Harwood
> >W5WH
>
> You dealer has access to this information. Also ICOM will provide it
> if you send a copy of your MARS or CAP license. Do not overlook the
> book titled " Radio / Tech Modifications " published by Artsci at
> 818-843-4080.
>
> Gary
> THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
> MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

I have all both sets of mods 1) 200HZ to 200 MHZ continuous
and 2) .5 to 60 MHZ and 135 to 175 MHz

I am waiting to here from my brother in law the Lawyer to see if I can
be sued by someone doing the Mods incorrectly even though the Mods I
post are correct. Last time I posted the Correct IC-706 MK I mods I was
threatened to be sued by an angry parent who had a teenager "butcher"
the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200MHZ TX mod (not easy).
If My brother in Law says oK I will post the mods.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6548. FS:Sony Portable Receiver/Scanner 150KHz to 223MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ERNIE TIMLIN <ERNIETIMLIN@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33AC986F.73B3@prodigy.net>
Source record: 172348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I am asking $175.00 for my Sony ICF PRO-80. It is 8 years old, but in excellent condition. Only used about 50 hours. It comes with the original box, manual, and earphone and carry case, which was never opened. It also has a BNC plug to handle an external antenna, or it operates from the included original telescoping antenna. Primary frequency coverage is 150KHz to 108MHz continuous, and 115.15MHz to 223MHz continuous with the included frequency/antenna converter. It has a PLL synthesized receiver, with FM & AM narrow and wide, and SSB detection modes. The AM modes and SSB have a fine tuning knob which gives plus or minus 3.5KHz in SSB. It has 3 scan modes, which will scan bands, or the 40 memories.
It uses 4 AA batteries which last approx. 10 hours, weighs 1lb. 7 oz. and is 3 5/8 x 7 1/4 x 2 inches.It will also run on 6VDC, but I do not have an AC-DC power adapter. (They are available at Radio Shack.) This radio has an excellent speaker and sensitivity for a portable. The fine tuning works well in selecting SW/SSB signals. It is particularly sensitive in the HF bands. So much so that I have never felt a need to connect it to an external antenna to bring in more signals. It has a vertical stance, so it is easy to hand carry. Please send me an E-Mail if you are interested.
Ernie Timlin

6549. HAM SITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Newland <rnewland@cyberramp.net>
Message-ID: <33ACA4BF.7368AC83@cyberramp.net>
Source record: 172349

http://www.cyberramp.net/~rnewland

6550. WTB: HP 4815 Vector Impedance meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart <stuart@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <33ACA767.3863@ricochet.net>
Source record: 172350

Wanted: HP 4815 vector impedance meter and probe kit if you have it. Let
me know how much and condition.

Thanks.
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** Stuart Rumley
Phone: 415/369-0575 *
* 308 Nevada Street Fax: 415/369-0575 *
* Redwood City CA 94062 e-mail: stuart@ricochet.net *
* +
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6551. Re: Need 3SK97 mosfet help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arthur Kloc <klocworx@v-wave.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7e17$edc6af20$c7016c18@k7x5r9.v-wave.com>
Source record: 172351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

paul@pachena.ca wrote in article <866733710.7929@dejanews.com>...
> Hello,
> I have an ICOM VHF radio that is in need of a 3SK97 dual gate MOSFET.

In my old ECG replacement book it equivalent to ECG222 and data are as follows:
dual gate MOSFET, N-channel, transconductance 12000, NF 6dB at 200MHz, Vgs(gate to source cut off voltage) 4V, Idss 5 to 35mA, Gate to source breakdown voltage 20V, input capacitance 6pF,transfer capacitance 0.03pF, Pd 330mW.
Package TO-72 and terminals (looking from the bottom, cw, starting at the tab): D,G2,G1,S/case.
As a replacement you can use BF981 , BF982, 3SK122L, 40673 do not have my Motorola RF Hnadbook handy, so don't know any modern devices that you can use. If you need more info, e-mail me directly,
73,
Arthur, VE6BOE
play: artkloc@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca
work: klocworx@v-wave.com

6552. Re: Realistic DX440 SW RX as new, PRO 62 scanner, FS/swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com
Message-ID: <5ogu15$178e$2@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 172352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.cb

kb2rmi@pop3.frontiernet.com (robbin decker) wrote:

DX440 is SOLD, scanner still available.

>Pro 62, good condition, 200 ch, 800 mhz. (no cell), with AC
>adapter/charger, no box, little used but shows very minor handling.
>$100

>Will swap one or both for 2M stuff, or towards 10M mobile (no HTX100s
>please), or "export" CB, email replies please

6553. Help! IC-271A & IC-471A Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Mirabal <alfa011@prtc.net>
Message-ID: <33AB4BFB.F25@prtc.net>
Source record: 172353

Hello!
I am looking for information to replace myself the lithium
battery on my Icom IC-271A and IC-471A.
Can someone help me?

Thanks
Alvin
WP4IDK

6554. F.S. ICOM 720

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3uql@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970621013800.VAA29581@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172396

Hello
I am placing this ad for Mike KF4PJO.
He has a Icom 720 HF rig for sale with the service manual in mint
condition
He is asking $400.00 plus shipping
Mike can be reached at 703-241-7970 EST

Thank you 73`s

Joe

6555. Re: ! FREE PSYCHIC READINGS! FREE!! 1-800-677-8048

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold L Snyder <haroldx@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5ofdf4$cdh@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172397

In article <FqYkbFAZuEqzEwmF@g4oxy.demon.co.uk>,
Larry Smith <larry@g4oxy.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <5o8cbm$9dt$4612@broadway.interport.net>, lov@interport.net
>writes
>>
>>Hear a gifted psychic speak your fortune and future
>>on 1-800-677-8048 our special samples line where you
>>can try a psychic reading free. Don't take the word
>>of others - see for yourself just how accurate they are.
>> Adults over 18 only.
>>
>>Dial 1-800-677-8048
>>
>how about bombing this idiot
>I hate off subject junk in serious news groups
>--
>Larry Smith

Hear a brain damaged psychotic send your fortune and future
at 35 wpm CW on 1-800-HIHIHI our special samples line where you
can try copying for free. Don't take the word of lids- hear for
yourself just how fast and accurate they can key.

Extra Class over 18 only

6556. ! SPECIAL OFFER! PERSONAL PSYCHICS FREE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: boo@cybernex.net
Message-ID: <5ofebc$g4l$5442@news.cybernex.net>
Source record: 172398

Get a personal psychic reading from one of our hand-picked
professionals and see if we aren't everything we claim to
be and more! Try it Free on 1-800-682-4736 - there are
no credit cards, checks or appointments
required. Adults over 18 only.
Call now 1-800-682-4736

6557. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33ac4ef2.1548665@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172399

On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 19:20:01 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

> The mods for the MKII are not the same, the main board is not the same,
>> components are arranged in a different manner.
>>
>> I'm searching for 2 months now this modification, someone told me that I
>> have to cut (remove) three diode d116, d118, d119 on the main board near
>> the 9mhz ssb filter. But I can't even localize these diodes... and the
>> mod is not guaranteed ! So be carefull. If u have the solution or hear
>> about something on this u can email me at efa@euronet.be
>>
>> Thank u 4 your time Mike,
>>
>> best 73's,
>> Erik
>> OT7EPL
>STOP !!!! This is NOT the correct MOD!!!
>DO NOT DO IT! I will POst the Correct Mod in two days!!!
>The New mod is 3 DIODES but they are different than the ones you posted!
>The mod is easy. You need a VERY small tipped soldering Iron.
>I have to do some editing of the Post I have from one of my informants!
>If I just repost it he will be discovered and possibly terminated from
>his Job. In fact I will rewrite it all over for monday. I got two
>confirmation the mod works! COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ
>UNinterupted!!!!
>
>I will keep you posted. NS1R Steven Hershman

Ahem... The modification is actually 2 Diodes.

gary
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MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6558. Re: ICOM 737 HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33ad4f84.1694679@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172400

On 20 Jun 1997 20:50:55 GMT, toms@inconnect.inconnect.com (Thomas Schaefer) wrote:

>The 738 (very similar?) has three different settings just for this
>purpose. Of course, that may mean nothing if one of the differences in
>the radios was the tuner. I believe they are accessible from the top
>of the radio (no access door).
>
>sean hall (shnews@laser.net) wrote:
>: Is there a 'sensitivity' control for the Icom 737's auto tuner? My
><snip>
>
>--
>Best Regards,
>
>Tom Schaefer
>Computer Consultant Unisys A Series & Windows NT: Amateur Radio NY4I

The 738 uses a different tuner than the 737 did.

Gary

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6559. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33ae4fe5.1791500@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 01:08:33 -0700, Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
wrote:

>Anybody have the CAP/MARS mods for the ICOM IC-706 MkII?? HF full range
>transmit mod? Are there any other mods or improvements.
>
>Is there a web site for such yet???
>
>It is new but it rarely takes hams long to find this stuff out..
>
>Thanks,
>
>Bill Harwood
>W5WH

You dealer has access to this information. Also ICOM will provide it
if you send a copy of your MARS or CAP license. Do not overlook the
book titled " Radio / Tech Modifications " published by Artsci at
818-843-4080.

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6560. Yaesu FT101ex xtals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Jankowski <russja@stratos.net>
Message-ID: <33AB54AB.A3AAEAE@stratos.net>
Source record: 172402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Tnx to all who replied.. I purchased the two I needed from Jan xtals.

Tnx es 73,

WA8DXK --- Russ

6561. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33ab5dca.1677045@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 172403

On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 19:20:01 -0400, hershman
<hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
---<snip>---
>COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ UNinterupted!!!!
..............now this ^^^^^ ought to be interesting ...
compete with your neighbor's stereo by blasting one hundred
Watts at 200 Hertz into your neighborhood! Boy, I'm waiting
to see how he does this one! Steve, do you have to build a
new output network to get it to put out power down in the
audio band? Let us know, please!!!
>
>I will keep you posted. NS1R Steven Hershman

6562. F.S. - Tubes, radios, books, etc...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rog42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970621051001.BAA08765@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172404

FOR SALE: Tubes, test equipment, radios including Hallicrafters, Hammarlund, and Philco. Other older tube type radios and radio related publications. Schematics for many older radios just $1. Tube Manuals, Tube Substitution books, Service Manuals, QST magazines, much more from the 30's, 40's, 50's, 60's. Now over 1600 different tube types in stock - Contact Rog42@aol.com and ask for an E-mail copy of my latest offerings on RADIO list - #620-T.

6563. Re: Need 3SK97 mosfet help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9opo@no.netusa1.net
Message-ID: <5ofnn8$3ou$1@news.netusa1.net>
Source record: 172405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

paul@pachena.ca wrote:

>Hello,
>I have an ICOM VHF radio that is in need of a 3SK97 dual gate MOSFET.
>Does anybody know who makes this part, where I might find one, or have
>specs on it so I might find an alternate. Your help would be appreciated.

Have you tried Icom? Seems to me they had that part when I needed one
last year. RF Parts (1-800-737-2787) listed it in their 95 catalog -
latest one I have.

Roger Grady k9opo@no.netusa1.net
Note: To reply by email, remove "no." from address

6564. Experiences with LMR Clamp connectors?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Lewicki <chrisl@seds.lpl.arizona.edu>
Message-ID: <5oflhp$a7e$1@news.ccit.arizona.edu>
Source record: 172406

Hi,
Has anyone out there had any experience using the LMR N-type
clamp (not crimp) connectors? I'm about to buy some bulk LMR-600
(regular and flex), and am considering just getting the prep tool and
doing the terminations myself. Will I be able to get similar results
to factory installed crimp connections?

Thanks.

--

Christopher A. Lewicki KC7NYV 520.977.0758 Maintainer of SEDS.LPL.Arizona.EDU
Chair, Students for the Exploration and Development of Space (SEDS-USA)
Program Manager, University of Arizona Student Satellite Project

6565. Re: Want FT-920 Comments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bart Hackemack <hackembl@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AB9B1B.3BF3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172407

I've had mine for around a month (FT-920). Moved up from an
FT-747 to the FT-920. The 920 is an awsome radio.

Nothing I can say bad about the radio. One very! minor annoyance
is if you turn the monitor gain up you may get a small buzzing
in the speaker depending on how much noise blanker gain has been
turned up. That's very minor. Oh, yea, one other thing, the
radio really should have the FM board already in without purchasing
an add on. Admitadly, the board was quite reasonable, less than $80.00
and was installed in less than 5 minutes.

Have not worked alot of dx but all the reports I've recieved
indicate very clean audio even with fairly weak reports such
as 5/5's. I think that is due to the digital audio processing options.

(I've worked some DX though, SaiPan, Canada, Alaska,
and Hawaii. That's not bad for me since I'm running a shortened
G5RV up about 20 feet.)

The DSP is fantastic, I like the noise blanker and noise reduction
options as well. Quick memory options and call "channels" for
each amature band are all very slick. And the abilty
for memory to remember which antenna is used with what bands is
quite nice.

6 Meters. I have a very marginal 6 meter antenna. A copper
water pipe dipole strapped under the eve's of my house, up a whopping
10 feet and never run more that 10 watts. I'm not burning up 6 meters
but have made contacts throughout southern California, Utah and Montana.
(I live in Southern California).

From my experience, the 920 is an awsome bargain!

Good luck...

73's de KN6PL...

6566. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2ss@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <33abb121.4117507@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Can someone help with this question? I will be in Japan in 2 weeks.
706MK II is $200-$300 cheaper there but the Japan version comes set up
for their 2 meter band plan: 144-146 only and no repeat mode. Can the
Japan model be modified for US 2 meter band plan? Thanks, Tony N2SS

gfiber@cmc.net (Gary Fiber) wrote:

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>wrote:
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>818-843-4080.
>
>Gary
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6567. Storno Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gatsby@dircon.co.uk
Message-ID: <5oge9f$l32$1@newsserver.dircon.co.uk>
Source record: 172409

Wanted Storno programming software for pc
Or info on how to program them from the front panel

Sean

6568. *UHF COMMUNITY REPEATER FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: icepick@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970621120401.IAA20268@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172410

90 watt,duplexer,tone panel,gasfet preamp,19in rack mount,most spare parts&manuals included.
thanks,Dennis

6569. WTB: Stone Mt. Keypad for IC-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <33abc64d.1922366@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 172411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for a Stone Mt. Keypad for an IC-735...
Please email direct
Thanks
Tim
NZ8J

6570. Re: Ic-756 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hcc24@airmail.net
Message-ID: <9C1F1E6EDD8692E7.4451F104FFDFBADD.89710554EC72AB95@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 172412

On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 15:31:38 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Does the Icom 756 have Dual receive simulaneously?
>I know the Yaesu has Duel watch in/out of band. The yaesu will go to the
>second frequency every predetermined time to check for activity. However
>you can't listen to two frequencies simultaneously.
>The Icom calls its version also Dual Watch but say you can listen to
>two stations in the same ham band simultaneously.
>
>Do I have my facts correct??
> 73's Steven Hershman NS1R

You CAN listen to two freq. simultaneously. I do it frequently on 20 &
75. The radio is overall superbly thought out & executed. You'll be
pleased if you acquire one

Bill-W5YJB

6571. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ebb <ebb@MIT.com>
Message-ID: <33ABD317.35BA@MIT.com>
Source record: 172413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Larry Tucker wrote:
>
> Marty,
>
> As I remember the 757 battery is about 1" long and 3/8" diameter that is
> soldered in. The only source I've found is Yaesu and they are
> reasonable on price. The entire board has to be removed to get to
> solder pads. While you are in the rig it would be a good idea to spray
> the controls with contact cleaner, tighten PCB mounting screws and do a
> general cleaning if needed. Oh yes, there are zillions of connectors to
> remove before you can lift the board so make a diagram first. Watch
> those rear top cover mounting tabs too - they are easily broken off.
>
> Good luck. If we can help just EMail. Have a nice day and enjoy the 757
> as it's a great little rig!
>
> 73
>
> --
> Larry Tucker, N4KVP
> Lead Service Technician
> Sandhills Technical Service, Inc.
> 910-974-7867
> http://www.janrix.com/sts/
I have an FT757-GXII which I bought new in 91 and havnt had to
replace the batt yet!!!(knocking on simulated wood)

6572. ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172414

Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to the newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered" the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy). The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6573. Re: ICOM 706 MK II DSP ?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ogkif$p21@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172415

In <33AA7381.7098@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:

6574. Desk mike MD100A8X with FT-1000D connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <01BC7E47.D174C5C0@teleport87.shani.net>
Source record: 172416

I saw that the new YAESU desktop microphone model
MD100A8X coming with FT-1000MP should be modified
to work with FT-1000D. As far I know, the mic connector
pins are similar to both rigs so, why I should modify him ?

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

6575. Re: Best radio for backcountry to base?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: 3W8PE1B <willi6@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33ABFF8E.7629@erols.com>
Source record: 172417

John wrote:
>
> Thanks to the many people who responded to this post, both here and
> via email.
>
> It appears that satellite phone will be the communication method of
> choice for this project. It is slightly higher in overall cost, but
> far exceeds the capabilities of amateur radio for transmitting data.
>
> Thanks again.
> _____________________________
> Offroad Alaska '98 Expedition
> alaska98@hotmail.com
> _____________________________
= = = = = =

John,

Late seeing your post but will throw my two-cents worth in.

Satellite phone (e.g., INMARSAT, etc) is a pretty good option.
Keep in mind that Alaska is fairly rugged with some steep terrain.
Those signals are very subject to "Granite Attenuation", they
don't pass through mountains very well if you happen to be in
a vally when you need the communications. Also, most of those
birds are down on the equator, so check the footprint.

Back to H.F. for a moment, depending upon "when" you go, there
are atmospherics unique to the far north that raise havoc with
H.F. radio reception. There are networks set up for Alaska to
provide "telephone-like" communications, that may take that into
consideration.

You might consider looking into the H.F. services of Globe Wireless,
they have a WEBSITE, who provide Maritime Comms. There may be a
grey artea in the legal aspects that would allow support to H.F.
packet type communications.

When do we leave?

Dave

6576. Re: Newbie question about mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33abc8e7.74937106@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172418

On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 13:10:01 -0700, Roger Tomas <tomasr@agcs.com> wrote:
>I'm currently studying to become a ham and have just started
>following this newsgroup. I've seen a lot of posts about mods
>for different radio models and have some questions:
>
>(1) Is there a FAQ for this newsgroup? If so, where can I
> get it?

There's no FAQ specifically for this newsgroup, but there is a
generalized FAQ for the complex of personal radio newsgroups.
It is posted periodically in rec.radio.info.

>(2) Do people typically modify the receiver, the transmitter,
> or both?

Generally both. Most radios already have out of band receive coverage,
though it may be less than the radio is capable of supporting. Out of band
transmit generally requires a mod.

>(3) What are the reasons for doing this?

Frankly, there aren't many good reasons to do this. Generally, amateur
radios are a poor substitute for a scanner, and aside from use to drive
a transverter, there are very few legitimate reasons to modify an amateur
radio for out of band transmit. Some mods enhance performance, however,
and that sort of mod is always welcome. That's a different class of mods.
For example, a mod which makes the noise blanker of a radio work better
is definitely desirable. Or a mod which reduces IMD problems is definitely
desirable. Etc.

>(4) Is it legal?

In the US at least, it is generally legal for an amateur to modify an amateur
radio in any way he sees fit as long as it doesn't violate good engineering
practice. Offering radios with certain modifications for resale can be illegal,
however. And *use* of the radio on frequencies where it isn't authorized
is illegal. In other words, it may be legal to modify your personal radio to
receive cellular phone transmissions, but it would be illegal to *use* it to
actually listen to cellular phone (that's outlawed by the ECPA). Similarly,
it may be legal to modify your radio to transmit on the frequencies of another
service, but it is generally illegal to actually transmit on those frequencies.
(MARS and CAP operation are legitimate exceptions to this.) So unless you
intend to violate the law, there's really very little legitimate reason to modify
a radio for out of amateur band operation.

>(5) Does it affect the reliability or life of the radio?

It can. That's very much dependent on the particular modification,
and the skill of the person doing it, of course.

>Any info would be greatly appreciated. If my questions don't
>make sense (and I wouldn't be surprised if they don't), please
>just help me understand "mods". I may buy a used HT and may
>be confronted with the decision to buy one that's been modified.

That's definitely caveat emptor. Unless you can determine precisely
what has been done to the radio, and the level of skill of the person
who did it, you're buying a pig in a poke. Don't expect any support
from the manufacturer if you have problems.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6577. Re: WHo makes an 1.25meter Mobile.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33ABDDE4.5A31@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172419

Dale (Squeak) Porray, AD7K wrote:
>
> On Tue, 10 Jun 1997 14:50:54 GMT, hjanssen@eskimo.com (Hank
> Janssen) wrote:
> >Here is a rookie question, who makes an 1.25 Meter mobile. I can find
> >70cm/2m mobiles everywhere but I have had a hard time finding a 1.25
> >mobile. (I know they exist I have seen them)
> >Do they exist, and do they exist in a dual band configuration. Who makes
> >them and what are the prices.
> >
> >Any and all help is appreciated.!

> There are two mobiles on the market for 222 MHz ...
> The Kenwood TM331A
> The Azden PCS7200
> Both are in the area between $400-$500.
>
> There is one dual band radio on the market, which covers 2
> meters and 222 MHz -
> The Kenwood TM642A (or, with backlit microphone,
> The Kenwood TM642AD
> This radio has a slot for one additional module (available
> for 10 meters, six meters, 440 MHz or 1200 MHz).
> This radio sells in the mid-$700 range.

You DID forget the Tm742 with the OPTIONAL 220 band module is
also available....

Plus plenty of used 220 gear on the market
73
Chris
WB5ITT
(I have more 220 gear than any other band)

> Hope this helps!
>
> "Squeak" Porray, AD7K
> Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

6578. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33abf043.3533873@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 21 Jun 1997 10:49:41 GMT, n2ss@pipeline.com (Anthony R.
Gargano) wrote:

>Can someone help with this question? I will be in Japan in 2 weeks.
>706MK II is $200-$300 cheaper there but the Japan version comes set up
>for their 2 meter band plan: 144-146 only and no repeat mode. Can the
>Japan model be modified for US 2 meter band plan? Thanks, Tony N2SS
>

Not generally. The Japan version has a different CPU than the U.S.
version and messing with the diode matrix simply does not work to
expand the radio. Japan placed limits on radios sold in their country
a few years back, so the frequency range is locked by the CPU
firmware, not the initialization diode matrix. Also there may be
other circuit changes as circuits are optimized for the frequency
coverage.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6579. FS: TEN-TEC 544 HF XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Gusky <mgusky@premier.net>
Message-ID: <33ABE34C.2AEC@premier.net>
Source record: 172421

I have for sale a Ten-Tec 544 digital HF xcvr and 262M pwr supply.
This rig is in very good condition and has the following specs:

80-10 meters (SSB, CW)
100 watts output (adjustable from 0-100 from front panel)
Digital Readout
Full Break-in Keying
VOX

I am the second owner of this rig and have the original box and manual.
Price is $450, plus shipping, for both the 544 and 262M.

Mike K5UX
mgusky@premier.net
(504) 293-8409
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6580. SB230 Heathkit Amp FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wertztire@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970621153201.LAA02345@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172422

I have a SB230 Heathkit amp for sale - works good on 10thru 80 - run it on 110 or 220 volts. I am selling it only because it does not have 160 capabilities, and have purchased an amp that does. No manual but they are available!!!!

e-mail offers or call me at 520-526-0556 day time(work) number or 520-527-0993 after 6pm or sundays.

73,

Bob , NF7E
Flagstaff, AZ

6581. WTB: HP8405 Vector Voltmeter Probe Tees

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stuart <stuart@ricochet.net>
Message-ID: <33ABF3CE.27E5@ricochet.net>
Source record: 172423

-- I need the probe tees for an HP 8405 vector voltmeter. Got any?

** Stuart Rumley
Phone: 415/369-0575 *
* 308 Nevada Street Fax: 415/369-0575 *
* Redwood City CA 94062 e-mail: stuart@ricochet.net *
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6582. FS AMPLIFIER Heathkit SB230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wertztire@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970621161400.MAA00663@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172424

Selling a 1.2kw SB230 amp - 10 thru 80 - works good but does not have
160 meter capabilities so have bought another amp that does work on 160.
No manual but they are available!!!!!
E-mail offers or call 520- 527-0993 after 6pm (home #). Flagstaff AZ

73,

Bob

6583. ! PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS/ TRY IT FREE 1-800-676-3733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jln@tnp.com
Message-ID: <5ogufg$29k@news-in.tnp.com>
Source record: 172425

You've heard how psychics have predicted the future
for others and you want to see for yourself. Let
a master psychic advise you now - try it free on
1-800-676-3733. You will be astounded at the
accuracy of their predictions. Adults over 18 only.

1-800-676-3733

6584. OPC-589 Mic Adapter Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Gordon <gsenter@m5.sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <33AC000D.31DF@m5.sprynet.com>
Source record: 172426

Does any one have the hook up information for the OPC-589 adapter cable?? Going to hook up the SM8 to the ICOM 706.

Thanks
Scott

6585. Re: Wanted Service help Cushman CE15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: crowe@foot.org
Message-ID: <33ad01ad.9425040@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 172427
Cross-posted to: misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

On 14 Jun 1997 04:02:21 GMT, joe@widind.com (Joe) wrote:

Contact:

KNS Electronics
Attn: Ron Kelly
1609 Regatta Ln., Unit A
San Jose, CA 95112
Tel: (408) 452-8100
Fax: (408) 432-8359

Good luck.

>I have a smoking Cushman CE15 Spectrum Analyzer and am trying to locate
>some source of service information/manual for it. Does anyone have a manual for
>it they could work something out on?? Does anyone know a source for such manuals?
>Does anyone know the manufacturer of these instruments and where they might
>be contacted?? Any help greatly appreciated. (It's stopped smoking since it's
>been unpluged!)
>
>Thanks and Best Regards
>Joe Westenhaver W4FEC joe@widind.com

6586. Re: Hamradio at the University

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33ABDEA8.20AF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172428

Carlos Mascare&#65533;as Perez-I&#65533;igo wrote:
>
> Hello:
>
> I need help to recolect a list of Amateur Radioclubs at the Universities of the world in order to comunicate with them via radioamateur frecuencies.
> If you know any Radioclub of Universities and Colleges. Please could you send to me any information (call sign, state, Universitiy, address, E-mail, etc).
> Thank you for your cooperation. 73 QRV
> carlos.mascarenas@uca.es. Call Sign: EA7GWJ

Hello Again Carlos
Another idea for your project is to subscribe to the Ham University
Mailing List and make your request there. The information for
subscribing is as follows:

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ham-univ: University Ham Radio Clubs Mailing List

Purpose: This mailing list is for people that are interested in Amateur
Radio Clubs at Universities. Club activities, funding sources and other
issues that come up are discussed on this list.

To subscribe: Send mail to ham-univ-request@listserver.njit.edu" with
text (not subject): subscribe ham-univ Your Name
To post: Send mail to ham-univ@listserver.njit.edu
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73
Rod in San Diego
AC6V's Guide To DX and Ham Radio
1277 Links and 60 Pages
Home Page http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/index.html
Master Index http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageas.html
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6587. Kenwood TH-79A(D) or Yaesu FT-51R?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: _prg22@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33ac0e58.712103@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172429

Well, I have narrowed my search down to the Kenwood TH-79A(D) and the
Yaesu FT-51R. Which one of these should I buy? Does one have any
cool features that the other doesn't? Please reply by e-mail.

Thanks
remove the "_" in my e-mail to reply
prg22@ix.netcom.com

6588. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter Ibelings <wave@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7e72$37eece20$b92379a8@wave.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172430

Great!!!

Where can I get an antenna for 200 Hz?

Pieter

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com>...
> Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to the
> newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
> threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered"
> the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy).
> The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the
> radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people
> who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if
> done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>

6589. FS: Four sections of ROHN 55G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: scan911@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970621184900.OAA12603@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172431

I have four 10-foot sections of Rohn 55G tower for sale. Currently in eastern Iowa, and unassembled. Also have cross arms for mounting antennas off the side (have two that will support three masts each).

Tower was up for only six years and was erected and removed by tower professionals.

Will entertain any offers. Am anxious to sell. Will NOT ship. You must pick it up.

Direct all inquiries to SCAN911@aol.com. Do not post your reply to this newsgroup (I won't see it!). Respond via e-mail only.

73,
Chuck
SCAN911@aol.com

6590. !!!TROUBLE WITH LOVE??? TRY A PSYCHIC FOR FREE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@smartec.com
Message-ID: <5ojh5t$jco@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172233

What does Cupid have in store for you? Find out now -
try a psychic, it's free right now on 1-800-677-8052.
You'll hear about your romantic future and fate, so
take control. Try it free and see for yourself.
Adults over 18 only.

Dial 1-800-677-8052

6591. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AD1119.C4D@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172234

JJG wrote:
>
> In article <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com>, hershman@ix.netcom.com says...
> >
> >Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to the
> >newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
> >threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered"
> >the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy).
> >The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the
> >radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people
> >who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if
> >done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> Don't trust Steve "I never met a Yaesu I didn't like" Hershman. I have it on
> good authority that Hershman is a saboteur hired by an unnamed ham radio
> manufacturer to badmouth Icom. He does this because his wife was electrocuted
> by a Icom 730 that someone converted to 1 KW output. Hershman hasn't been the
> same since.
>
> He gets his instructions over secret HF equipment given to him by his employer,
> and he spreads misinformation via the internet. He's wanted by Interpol, the
> FBI, and the HRP (Ham Radio Police).
>
> Take whatever Steve "the Kenwood kid" Hershman says, and turn it around 180
> degrees. This will produce the truth. Then run for the hills. Hershman's out
> to get ya!!!

I do not work in the Ham Equipment Industry. I like certain models that
each brand (Icom, Kenwood,Yaesu,TenTec) make. I don't have a ax to grind
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6592. FT-2400 Display Freaks Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: trinit69@idt.net.nospam
Message-ID: <trinit69-2206971147070001@ip17.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 172235

The wife's FT-2400 radio has a display freak out problem once every few months making a complete reset necessary.

It only does it when the rig is hooked up to the accessory circuit of her Mazda, that is, the rig momentarily goes off when the car is started, and then back on when the car starts (just like the AM/FM car radio). Sometimes the thing comes back on with all the display elements lit (freaked out).

It never does it when hooked to a hot battery circuit, even when starting.

The reason I have it on accessory is that the wife always forgets to turn the blasted thing on, and thus it is useless on a battery circuit, whereas on accessory, I can call her and she says "gee, I didn't know that thingy was turned on!"

Anyway, I think some weird transient is getting it on accessory and not on battery.

How can I combat these transients?

73 Tom N5OFF/AFA4AZ

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Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

6593. Yaesu FT-10 Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: trinit69@idt.net.nospam
Message-ID: <trinit69-2206971140470001@ip17.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 172236

Anyone got the Mars mod for the Yaesu FT-10 2 meter rig?

I've looked at a couple of databases and can't seem to find it.

73 Tom
AFA4AZ

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Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.

Thanks

Tom N5OFF

6594. FT 8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: CFFS <CFFS@uran.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7f2d$1fc21440$0d1fd9cd@n9zip.netnitco.net>
Source record: 172237

Looking for mods for the Yaesu - FT-8500

6595. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@kuentos.guam.net
Message-ID: <5ojl11$ibf@lehi.kuentos.guam.net>
Source record: 172238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Jim Kehler wrote:
>>
>> la8ak@onnline.no (J M Noeding) wrote:
>>
>> >xposting such requests to rec.radio.amateur.dx is just as bad as any
>> >spam!!!!
>>
>> >Jan-Martin N�ding, ** My email address: la8ak@online.no **
>> >LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 Kristiansand, Norway/EUROPE
>> >RSGB - NRRL - NRHF. tel: +47-380-87178 QTH (52660 QRL)
>>
>> Tubes for an amateur transmitter don't have anything to do with DX ?
>> But 10KW Collins broadcast transmitters do ?
>>
>> Go climb a hill and yodell.....
>>
>> 73, Jim KH2D

>Lord God Jim has spoken...

Jeez, Fat Boy. You're like empty beer cans - you're everywhere.....

73, Jim KH2D

6596. Re: Sell Six meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33ad55da.13006506@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172239

w4nul@mail.brightok.net (Robert L. Willsey) wrote:

:For sale Mirage A-1015-G 6 meter amplifier.

Why does it have 6 meters and what metre band does it operate on?

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

6597. Yaesu 757 Spectrum Analzyer/Rig Control URL CORRECTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dthimm@newnorth.net
Message-ID: <33ad5d47.12200325@news.newnorth.net>
Source record: 172240

For those who have been patiently waiting,
The N9IPV Spectrum Analyzer for Yaesu FT757 style
Transceivers is ready for download at the following
URL:
http://www.newnorth.net/~dthimm

The intention is to release versions of this software in the future
to include most any rig with a computer interface..

Thank you.

Dan T.
(N9IPV)
73

6598. Re: FS: IC-751A 160-10 Meter All mode/General Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33ad55a2.12950419@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172241

wega@loop.com (WE6A) wrote:

:IC-751A. General Coverage TX/RX .30-32 Mhz.
:All Modes: FM/AM/SSB/CW/RTTY.
:Quad Conversion Receiver (Like IC-781;FT-1000)
:Dual SSB & Dual CW Filters in two of the four IF's.
:RF Speech Processing; Very effective Noise Blanker.
:Dual VFO's plus 1000 memories (Wilco Memeory Board Acc)
:Icom Club Pin Diode Mods.
:Built-In AC Supply. RC-10 Freq. Controller. Mic. Manual, original
:packaging. $895.
:WE6A

Where do all those meters go?

Barry

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return address.

6599. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ojb2t$5o3@sjx-ixn3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172242

In <33AB1021.78@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:

>> OT7EPL
>STOP !!!! This is NOT the correct MOD!!!
>DO NOT DO IT! I will POst the Correct Mod in two days!!!
>The New mod is 3 DIODES but they are different than the ones you
posted!
>The mod is easy. You need a VERY small tipped soldering Iron.
>I have to do some editing of the Post I have from one of my
informants!
>If I just repost it he will be discovered and possibly terminated from
>his Job. In fact I will rewrite it all over for monday. I got two
>confirmation the mod works! COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ
>UNinterupted!!!!
>
>I will keep you posted. NS1R Steven Hershman

Frankly I would not believe anything this Hershman yahoo says. His
claims of inside knowledge are nothing more than pathetic cries of
"Look at me, look at me". What is your 'inside' source Steve, that
'business' in Boston you are always trying to find out more about on
that other newsgroup?

Jerry

6600. Re: FS = CHEROKEE 6 Meter HT (NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33ad5616.13065986@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172243

schieman@iquest.net (Dale Schieman) wrote:

:For Sale (NEW) CHEROKEE 6 Meter FM Hand Helds. 50-54 MHz Coverage, 1&5 Watts
:Output, 500KHz&1 Mhz Offset, 5 Memories, Scan, CTCSS. $255.00 Includes
:shipping in the U.S.

Why does it have so many meters?

Barry

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return address.

6601. Re: Rohn HBX tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dnorris@k7no.com
Message-ID: <33ad605f.7317515@news.syspac.com>
Source record: 172244

Jim N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I just picked up a 56 foot Rohn HBX tower at the local hamfeast for $100
>in great shape. My question is 1 is this free standing tower? 2 Can I
>climb this stuff and feel safe? 3 how large should the base be poured?
>
>Thanks
>Jim

Hi Jim,

Well I had a HBX 56 with a TH-7 on it for about 4 years with no hint
of a problem. The thing was unguyed and handled 70+ MPH winds in open
area ok.

CDN

C. Dean Norris, K7NO
e-mail to dnorris@k7no.com

6602. Radio Shack HTX-212/242 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: btakacs@cyberdrive.NET
Message-ID: <199706220238.WAA09820@nemesis.cyberdrive.net>
Source record: 172245

I also had the same problems as Gary did with the HX-212. First radio was
junk from start. I sent it back for repair and it got to the wrong place
and got sold, so they said. They replace it and that radio had the same
problems as Gary described. They fixed that radio and it has worked fine
for 1 year. They later found my first radio and wanted to know it I wanted
it. It works great now. Bill/KB8ZW
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Has anyone out there had any problems with their RS htx-212/242
mobile radios. We had a few with the PIN switching circuit burning
a hole through the circuit board. Also the final breaks into
oscillation on the HTX-212 in high power (45 watts). We also have found
the HTX-242 radios are having a problem with the CTCSS and DTMF not
having the right frequency and or low deviation. If you have seen these
problems with these two radios please e-mail me with the details of your
problems and what Tandy did to resolve the problem. A few of us have
been burned by Tandy with these products. I myself went through six (6)
radios starting with the HTX-212. I now have the HTX-242 and I still
have problems with the radio, the deviation is too low on the DTMF
output from the radio. There is no DTMF/CTCSS level control. All
signals go to a single deviation control (RV1) per the schematic.
Please e-mail me if you had problems. We need all the support we
can get on this matter since Tandy states that the radio has no known
problems. If you are going to purchase any of the amateur line from
Radio Shack, do yourself a favor and get the extended service (TSP).
Thank You
Gary
downeast@ij.net

6603. Desk mike MD100A8X with FT-1000D connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <01BC7EEC.1A953920@teleport106.shani.net>
Source record: 172246

I saw that the new YAESU desktop microphone model
MD100A8X coming with FT-1000MP should be modified
to work with FT-1000D. As far I know, the mic connector
pins are similar to both rigs so, why I should modify him ?

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

6604. Re: [Yaesu] Desk mike MD100A8X with FT-1000D connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bscott@thor.PLa-net.NET
Message-ID: <9706221044.AA03810@thor.pla-net.net>
Source record: 172247

> I saw that the new YAESU desktop microphone model
> MD100A8X coming with FT-1000MP should be modified
> to work with FT-1000D. As far I know, the mic connector
> pins are similar to both rigs so, why I should modify him ?
>
> 73 de Morel, 4X1AD

Because (Someone correct me if I'm wrong) on the FT-1000MP and the FT-920, which is what the MD100A8X is designed to work with, pin 2 is

for +5 volts. On the FT-1000D, FT-990, FT-890, FT-840, etc., pin 2 is

a ground.

Also, just the opposite has to be done to use a MD-1 on a 1000MP or 920.
Pin 2 must be opened on the MD-1 and regrounded elsewhere.

Bob

6605. Wanted: Paddles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970622180101.OAA11751@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172248

Looking for mint condition paddles(no Bencher). Tks de Gerry K1NY. Pse state condition and price.

6606. Help,Manual for Power Supply.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P. (Rocky) Davis" <ac5io@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33AD879B.1CCC@n-link.com>
Source record: 172249

I need a copy of the manual for a Power Supply PP-1104C/G. Made by Syncor Industries Corp., Mayagruez, Puerto Rico'. Max output,14 volt 100 Amp.If you can help me, E-mail me please. ac5io@n-linl.com, thanks, Rocky

6607. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33AD9CCF.7A26@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172250

I had to replace the lithium battery in my FT-757 GXII two years ago. I was able to carefully peel the metal tabs off of the old battery and I obtained a replacement cell at Radio Shack (it is a 2/3 N size I believe). Anyhow, I was able to resolder it to the old tabs and it works. What I really want to do is get a cell holder from Digi-Key and install it. But the cell holder is only $.80 and is probably more work than the number of times I will ever have to replace the cell.

Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX

6608. Need, Manual for Pwr Supply.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P. (Rocky) Davis" <ac5io@n-link.com>
Message-ID: <33AD9021.7A0F@n-link.com>
Source record: 172251

I need a copy of the manual for a Power Supply PP-1104C/G made by Syncor Industries Corp., Mayagruez, Puerto Rico. Max Output Power, 14 Volts 100 Amps. The input Block(TB-1)has 6 connection lugs and I need to know how to hook up 230 volts. It is now wired for 115 volts and I can only get 40 AMPs out of it, Someboby cut the red input AC wire. If you feel you can help me and want to take the time. E-Mail me please at ac5io@n-link.com Thanks, Rocky

6609. FS TR7 MANUAL AND MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Paul N. Katz" <w5ntq@internetmci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7f3e$61eb4600$05c1bdcc@pkatz>
Source record: 172252

TR7 service manual $60.00 ppd

TR7 microphone $75.00 ppd

Paul (713) 645-6601 w5ntq@internetmci.com

6610. SX-64 for compact standalone packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: iamaslave@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <5oju7rlru2@news.gate.net>
Source record: 172253

have a Comodore SX-64 (in one case with color screen C-64 unit).
would make a great packet computer. asking $60 plus shipping costs or
pickup in eastern central Florida.

6611. PL tone generator for an older rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: blackie@gate.net
Message-ID: <5ojvcp$231e$1@news.gate.net>
Source record: 172254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Is there such a thing in existence as a pl tone generator that can be incorporated into an older rig? I have an old Yaesu FT227R 2 meter rig that I like to use in my car. Granted it is a dinosaur, but it still puts out a signal and works great.

Here is my dilemma, one of my favorite repeaters is occasionaly pl'd therefore I am locked out at those times. I would like to be able to buy or build a pl tone generator that I could use with my older rig.

6612. Re: Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33ae8658.5201527@news.capital.net>
Source record: 172255

On 20 Jun 1997 21:24:33 GMT, moreth@ix.netcom.com(MICHAEL MORETH)
wrote:

>rec.radio.amateur.equipment test.
>
>This is only a test. Had this been an actual post, you would have seen
>an item for sale.
>
>This concludes this test of rec.radio.amateur.equipment.
>
>73

Watch out, Michael. The grumpy trolls who inhabit this newsgroup will
beat you up if you post any For Sale items here.

6613. WTB-SB-220 chokes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: djjt@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33ad8551.4068145@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello,

I have an SB-220 AMP and I am looking for 2 -1mh chokes (1 is
toasted).

If anyone out here can send me info on where to get these I would
greatly appreciate it..

Thanks a million!!

E-Mail - djjt@worldnet.att.net

QTH N.J.

73..
J.T. K2XQ

6614. Sell/Trade Matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <33ADA351.327E@frii.com>
Source record: 172257

Will trade Johnson KW Matchbox with SWR unit and manual.
It has been in storage since the mid-80's.

CONDITION:
Electrical VG
Mechanical VG
Appearance G

There is some paint wear, panel lettering fine, plastic face
on panel meter shows some hazing. No dents.

Want a Yeasu FRG-7 or FT-757 in VG condition. Other SS HF TVR
operating on 12Vdc considered. Eyeball trade preferred.

Will sell Matchbox for $250 + shipping (firm). No COD's.

Please reply by email to avatar@frii.com

73's

W0MAY
Dave

6615. FT-901 as transverter driver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mackay <smackay@epix.net>
Message-ID: <33AD933E.3EA8@epix.net>
Source record: 172258
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I would like to use my "901 as a tuneable IF for my VHF/UHF station.
Plan to use Down East Microwave modules. Does any one have experience
using the '901 this way? Also, does anyone have connection info for the
'901-FTV-xxx transverter interface produced by YAESU? I want to know
how they used the accessory plug and the switching.
73
Scott
--
G. Scott Mackay W7GSM
1973 240Z

6616. FS:HF BEAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb9j@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5oji02$se3@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172259

I HAVE A 3ELE MOSLEY TA33JR IN GOOD CONDITION LOCAL P/U SW SUBURB OF
CHGO. WB9J@IX.NETCOM.COM

6617. FS: 2meter ant.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb9j@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ojiao$e4f@sjx-ixn8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172260

I HAVE A 2 METER ISOPOLE IN GOOD CONDITION $25 LOCAL P/U SW SUBURB OF
CHGO.

6618. Kenwood mike HELP ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bill J. Moulton" <bmoulton@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5ojj1m$io@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172261

Can anyone tell me how I can disable the PTT delay on the new
Kenwood mikes ? (MC-52DM)

6619. Re: FS: IC-251a all mode 2 meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33ad544a.12606754@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172262

Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net> wrote:

:For sale:
:
:Icom IC-251a all mode 2 meter rig.

What are the meters for and what metre band does it operate on?

Barry

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6620. Re: WTB: 2 Meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33ad53d2.12486170@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172263

gt0060b <*gt0060b*@*prism.gatech.edu*> wrote:

:I'm looking for a simple no frills 2 Meter HT. Need not be digital.. A
:kenwood TH21 or something of the like would be fine.
:Thanks
:N2JBE

Tell us more. Like, what functions should the meters display and what
metre band should the HT operate on?

Barry

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return address.

6621. Re: 6 meter, 50 mhz, P.A. needed!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33ad5528.12828507@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172264

giguere@epix.net (John Giguere) wrote:

:I am in need of a power amp for 50mhz in or
:around 10-20watts.
:I would like a 20 and bring the voltage down
:to 10 watts.
:
:Thanks,

More information is needed. Why do you want the amp to have 6 meters?
A voltage can't be expressed in watts. You would like a 20 what?

Barry

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return address.

6622. Re: FS: Standard C168A deluxe 2 meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33ad5494.12680708@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172265

Steven Siegelaub <stevensms@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

:For sale: a Standard C168A deluxe 2 meter HT. This HT has virtually
:every feature packed into a very small unit. It has been used very
:little and is in absolute mint condition (both as to operation and

What functions do the meters display and what metre band does it operate
on?

Barry

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return address.

6623. FS: 35 AMP PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33ADA413.8FB3DF6D@erols.com>
Source record: 172266
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,
I have a Pyramid 35 (12vdc) amp for sale. It is excellent condition.
I am asking
$100 + shipping.

Send reply to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Thanks,
Reggie

6624. FS: KENWOOD FILTER YG-455C-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33ADA4C8.1EF76A4@erols.com>
Source record: 172267

Hi,
I have a Kenwwod filter YG-455C-1 for sale. I am asking $120 +
shipping. It goes for $160 new.

Send reply to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Thanks,
Reggie

6625. FS: Kenwwod TR-751A 2M ALL MODE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33ADA567.93C868FA@erols.com>
Source record: 172268

Hi,
I have a Kenwood TR-751A 2 meter all mode for sale. I am asking $475.00
+ shipping. It is very good condition.

Send reply to:
rcuffee@erols.com

Thanks,
Reggie

6626. Re: Wilson II HT Needs Service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: karlhs@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <33adb57b.12258429@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172269

Still hoping to get an answer!!!

73's, Karl

karlhs@pipeline.com (Karl Siegmund) wrote:

>I operate a Wilson II HT that is crystal controlled and is in need of
>alignment etc. Since I do not have the equipment to do so I'm looking
>for help. I was told by another local ham that a company in Florida
>still offers service for this type of older equipment.
> I would appreciate learning from anyone here who has knowledge of
>any service organization that could be of assistance.
>
>Your help will be appreciated.
>
>73's, Karl W8DRG

6627. Realistic CB's with dead microphones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Blome <craig.blome@a-m-d.c-o-m.removethedashes>
Message-ID: <33ADA840.1EC2@a-m-d.c-o-m.removethedashes>
Source record: 172270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a couple of Realistic handheld CB's belonging to our sports car club with dead microphones (I'm guessing--something in the tx section is kaputt on all channels). One is a TRC-222 3 channel, the other a TRC-223 40 channel. They both appear to have the same type of mic, but I don't know if it is an ordinary electret or something weird. Does anyone have a part number or know if a generic electret can be substituted? Is mic failure a common problem with these units?

TIA,
Craig Blome
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\ ___ | Craig A. Blome email: craig.blome@amd.com
/| | | DSP Design Engineer voice: (512)602-9027
| |___| | Communications Products Division FAX: (512)602-0301
|____/ \| Vocoder Products

Advanced Micro Devices
5900 E. Ben White Blvd.
Mail Stop 622
Austin, TX 78741-7599

6628. !!! SAMPLEOUR PSYCHICS TOLL FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@smartec.com
Message-ID: <5ok92n$a4k@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172271

Dial 1-800-683-3733 and sample amazing psychic advice -
it's free. You will be startled and amazed!
Adults over 18 only

Dial now 1-800-683-3733

6629. Re: Collins 30L-1 ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Doran S. Platt" <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33ADAA6A.E76@erols.com>
Source record: 172272

Dennis Spiess wrote:
>
> I've inherited a 30L-1 amp. I have two questions that perhaps someone
> could help me with:
>
> 1) Are there any published mods to put the 30L-1 on 10 Mhz, my favorite
> band? Yes, I would be willing to give up a band if needed, say 80M.
>
> 2) Can the ALC be hooked directly to the alc of a Kenwood TS-440? The
> 440's alc requirements are -8 to -1 VDC. The 440 sure drives the rig OK
> but I have not connected the alc yet.
>
> Hey, thanks I really appreciate this and look forward to using my 'new'
> amp.
>
> Den
> WA2JHN

Yes the 30-L1 will do 10 Mhz, and yes, you'll have to give up a band.
Refer to your manual and retune the appropriate inductor on the input
circuit, associated with the applicable "band". The ALC problem you'll
have to work out, vis a vis voltage amplitude and load res. 73, Jeep
K3HVG

6630. MFJ 9406 6M Rig Opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: labenz@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ojn04$g9j@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172273

If someone owns and operates this rig I would like your opinion of it..It looks like a nice little rig for the casual 6 mtr op. Let me know the good and bad please !!!!

73 Dave WA1UUD

6631. Re: PL tone generator for an older rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. (Chris) Boone" <cboone@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33ADAA2C.618@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Blackie Lawless wrote:
>
> Is there such a thing in existence as a pl tone generator that can
> be incorporated into an older rig? I have an old Yaesu FT227R 2
> meter rig that I like to use in my car. Granted it is a dinosaur,
> but it still puts out a signal and works great.
>
> Here is my dilemma, one of my favorite repeaters is occasionaly pl'd
> therefore I am locked out at those times. I would like to be able
> to buy or build a pl tone generator that I could use with my older
> rig.

Call CommSpec at 800-854-0547 and order their SS32 encoder....dip switch
programmable and they have sheets on how to install it in the FT227R..
I have such a rig and put my SS32 external in a small box with their
optional switch that lets me select ALL 32 PL tones...so I dont have
to remove the covers!....Have to rewire the ACC plug on the back of the
227R but its easy to do..

Chris
WB5ITT

6632. Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7f58$0b8d7200$dd872299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 172275

A friend just bought the new Standard 510 and loves it. Only price I found is $319.99. Anybody find it cheaper let me know!!!

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

6633. Headset intercoms with noise cancelling mic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Blome <craig.blome@a-m-d.c-o-m.removethedashes>
Message-ID: <33ADB676.366A@a-m-d.c-o-m.removethedashes>
Source record: 172276
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Forgive the newbie question, but...I belong to a local sports car club that puts on autocross events. The starter communicates with the timing van right now using a pair of Radio Shack 49MHz intercoms, which aren't ideal for this task as they don't seem to have noise cancelling microphones, and so the starter's voice is often drowned out by very loud engines. I'd like to find something with a better mic, but can't justify the expense for a David Clark pit headset or the like. Is there anything out there that doesn't require a license? Might the cellphone headsets now available work with a CB, or maybe one of the new FRS radios?

TIA,
Craig Blome
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____
\ ___ | Craig A. Blome email: craig.blome@amd.com
/| | | DSP Design Engineer voice: (512)602-9027
| |___| | Communications Products Division FAX: (512)602-0301
|____/ \| Vocoder Products

Advanced Micro Devices
5900 E. Ben White Blvd.
Mail Stop 622
Austin, TX 78741-7599

6634. FS: Kenwood TM-241a 2M Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rod Davis <kc4neq@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <33ADB948.34F64447@magicnet.net>
Source record: 172277
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Kenwood TM-241a ANIB for sale. Complete and in the factory box. Used as a 10 watt packet radio, never in mobile. I put 4 small rubber stick-on pads on for feet and it's been sitting on a shelf in the shack. Has all original docs, parts, cables, schematics, etc. Packet does not require decoding, so no option board installed. Sold the TNC last week.
$200 +shipping.

Serious inquiries, please.

Rod Davis
kc4neq@magicnet.net

6635. FS: Icom IC-2350H Dualbander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4q@naxs.com
Message-ID: <33adbad2.101062839@news.naxs.com>
Source record: 172278

Icom IC-2350H 2m/440 dualbander - 45/10/5 watts on 2m, 35/10/5 watts on 440. Wideband rx 118-174, 110 channel memory, high speed scan and pl encode. Also does crossband repeat. Comes with mic, power cable, mount, operating manual and box. Excellent condition - $360

6636. Timewave DSP-599ZX FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter Ibelings <wave@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7f67$4823dc40$3b2379a8@wave.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172279

Like new a couple of months old. $270 Shipped to anywhere in the USA.
Please e-mail if interested.

73's

Pieter Ibelings

n4ip@amsat.org

6637. FT50 With accessories for sale. CHEAP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter Ibelings <wave@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7f67$e1390220$3b2379a8@wave.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172280
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have an FT50 with high power battery and extra Medium size battery. Both batteries like new . Radio has only been used 30 hours at most. Comes with vinil case, regular charger and BOTH KEYPADS. Radio has the FREEBAND MOD and will receive and tx everywhere. e-mail for more info. Price is $275 shipped.

Pieter
N4IP@amsat.org

6638. Re: Anyone have the new Yaesu VX-1R? Need help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Desmond Crisis, #4701" <dcrisis@cnet.com>
Message-ID: <33ADBDDF.300E@cnet.com>
Source record: 172281

Bruce A. Langos wrote:
>
> I just got this new little wonder but cant figure out how to make it scan
> across bands. It will scan memory in band only but can't figure out how to
> do it say for 150mhz and 800mhz. Any ideas.
>
> Bruce

You're right, it's a neat little radio. But I can't get mine to do that either. It doesn't want to cross between bands automatically at all. The other trouble I'm having with it is that it won't open the squelch at all if you're using tone squelch in scan. oh yeah, it will only do T-Band channels in the UHF-TV band (which means it won't scan them with other commercial uhf channels) not good.

Yeasu builds some great radios but they also build our hopes up too.

I do like all the receive capabilities. I'm keeping my FT-50 but maybe this is a good 'holdout' radio.

. o O (I wonder if yaesu makes an ANKLE HOLSTER for it!)

DC
OPG 4701
KC6VHG

6639. WTB: SP-930 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: a9097 <a9097@ifx.net>
Message-ID: <33ADC328.52F7@ifx.net>
Source record: 172282

Want to buy speaker, Model SP-930 (for the Kenwood TS-930). Got one?
E-mail me.

Bob
WA4CFG

6640. MFJ 812 instructions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Nelson <johnn@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <33ADCB73.4516@pacifier.com>
Source record: 172283

Lost the manual. Can someone give me a brief rundown on operating this VHF SWR/FS meter?

Many thanks.

6641. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33ADD173.202@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172284

Dale (Squeak) Porray, AD7K wrote:
>
> On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 19:20:01 -0400, hershman
> <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> ---<snip>---
> >COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ UNinterupted!!!!
> ....now this ^^^^^ ought to be interesting ...
> compete with your neighbor's stereo by blasting one hundred
> Watts at 200 Hertz into your neighborhood! Boy, I'm waiting
> to see how he does this one! Steve, do you have to build a
> new output network to get it to put out power down in the
> audio band? Let us know, please!!!
> >
> >I will keep you posted. NS1R Steven Hershman

I have decided not to post the mods. They all work. I don't want to be
responsible for people destroying their radios. I don't have faith in
the ability of the average ham desoldering surface mout diodes.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6642. Help: VFO-230 Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russ Fitzpatrick <fitztoo@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33ADFCDF.46A2@concentric.net>
Source record: 172285

My friend Ed, K8ZL, has this tuner, but didn't get a manual. Apparently there are some memory functions, etc., and it isn't quite clear. He would like to get a copy of the manual...willing to pay costs. If you can help, please reply via E-mail.....fitztoo@concentric.net

Thanks & '73 de Russ, KI8J

6643. IC-706 below 1mHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <33ADD5BA.7503@southeast.net>
Source record: 172286

Hello,

I am impressed with my new IC-706 MK II and really like it except for one thing. It seems to be deaf below 1mHz. Is anyone else experiencing this? Is it normal and if so, is there a cure for it?

Thanks,

Jim..

--

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

6644. Custom QSLs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sebring@zebra.net
Message-ID: <33ADEB0F.1195@zebra.net>
Source record: 172287

Your idea. Colorful and affordable. Quick turn-around. View samples at:
http://www.zebra.net/~sebring/qsls.htm

6645. Re: Motorola service manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <n9hyn@ntslink.net>
Message-ID: <33AD0641.54A5@ntslink.net>
Source record: 172288

jff wrote:
>
> Does anybody know where we can get Motorola service manuals for VHF/UHF
> commercial transceivers ?
>
> thank you
>
> jeff
If you have the model numbers of the units, you can get them directly
from Motorola Parts Department in Schaumburg, IL. They will sell them
to anyone.

6646. IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33ADDE67.2194@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172289

If you go to Icom Japan Web page it list the price of the radios in Yen.
Simply divide the Yen price to get the USA dollars price. Some hot
selling radios are marked up Big $$$ in the USA like the Icom 706 MK II.
I am going to see if I can buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan.
The Ic-706 MKII costs 138,000 Yen /122 comes to $1050 !!!Most dealers
want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!
WE ARE GETTING RIPPED OFF!
However, the ICom 756 is slow moving so we get a great deal!
The japanese price is 258,000 Yen /122 comes to $2100
Most USA dealers sell the radio for $1930 . We are saaving $180 !
The Yaesu FT-920 costs 198,000 Yen /122 comes to $1650. We are paying
$1750 for the radio. We are paying $100 more because it is selling well
I thought the Mans on the Newsgroup would appreciate it if I can find a
way to buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan and save them $230 or
more on some models.
73,s NS1R Steven Hershman

6647. WTB: Yaesu FIF-232C CAT interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty-k@snet.net
Message-ID: <33AD18BC.454A@snet.net>
Source record: 172290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

If anyone has an FIF-232C in good working condition that they no longer need, please get in touch.

73, Marty K1FHR

6648. Re: !!!PSYCHIC SAMPLES LINE/ TRY IT FREE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Scarlett <scarlett@nanospace.com>
Message-ID: <33AD94A8.1D72@nanospace.com>
Source record: 172291

You're in the wrong newsgroup. Please don't waste your time, and ours.

6649. Re: !!!PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS/TRY IT FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Scarlett <scarlett@nanospace.com>
Message-ID: <33AD9502.3AD3@nanospace.com>
Source record: 172292

You're in the wrong newsgroup. Don't waste your time, and ours.

6650. Re: >1500 watts bothered the newsgroup police

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7ea1$50a423a0$65102399@peter->
Source record: 172354

Web Williams <kr4wm@sccoast.net> wrote in article
<MPG.e13b6251e7426979896a4@news.infoave.net>...
>
> The reason I used the figure of >1500 watts was that I was trying to get
> assistance for a WORST CASE SCENARIO. I NEVER want to hear my wife
> complain about TVI again. EVER. PERIOD.

Ummm. Been there.

> I am aware of some manufacturers
> producing "RFI" kits, but I cannot get a lead on the Fisher company. I
> need to know if they produce such a kit for thier VCRs. In the event that

> they don't, I'd like to know what steps I can take to keep my puny 50-75
> watt signal from tearing up the VCR. I would REALLY like to RF proof it
> for over 1Kw or more, so that I never have to worry about the problem
> EVER again. My way of thinking is that if a 1 watt resistor is good, then

> a 5 watt must be better. That was why I specified >1500 watts. I want to
> give it the BEST RFI protection possible.

It will be difficult to get a hold of anybody at Fisher - I think they were
bought out.

Try to determine by what path your signal gets into the VCR. Is it the
antenna/
cable input? (try disconnecting it...) is it some sort of ground loop in
conjunction
with the TV? (unlikely, usually these things are ungrounded) Or is it the
power line?
I doubt it is radiated interference, it is far more likely conducted-type
that is causing
the problem. Once you find the path you can search for an appropriate
filter.

6651. Re: Power Inverters?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Gottlieb <peter_gottlieb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7ea3$5745ea20$65102399@peter->
Source record: 172355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lou or Annette Hinshaw <aruder@pipeline.com> wrote in article
<5o63ch$fvc@camel3.mindspring.com>...
> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
> >>Sheesh.
>
> >Sheesh yourself. :-)
>
> >Gary
>
> Yah. I missed something. I missed you thinking UPS stands for
> invertor, instead of Uninterruptible Power Supply.
>
> Sheesh again.
>

Actually this is not such a crazy argument...

Even though an UPS is a superset of an inverter, there are different design
considerations in each case. In a very competitive market products are
designed (at least by honest firms) to JUST meet their specifications.
Any overdesign represents lost profit.

A stand-alone inverter is assumed and usually specified for a surge and
a continuous power rating, but the inverter in an UPS is specified for
short
term usage, the life of the batteries. Frequently UPSs do not have
published
"surge" ratings even though most certainly have the capability to drive
higher
loads for short periods without going into overload trip.

The semantical argument carries weight in this instance.

6652. MOD Needed for Kenwood TM-261A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: MoonDog <xtreme1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7eb5$896354e0$552892cf@setec-superuser>
Source record: 172356

Local project needs full TX mod for this rig. Please email directly.
Thanks in advance,
--
--++==::>>]] Blue Skies! - xtreme1@worldnet.att.net [[<<::==++--

6653. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: frog207lillypads@juno.com
Message-ID: <5oi4endfi1@news.wco.com>
Source record: 172357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <33AC71CF.15AD@MIT.com>, none@nowhere.net wrote:
>Ed G. wrote:
>
>>
>> I've had my FT 757GX since they first came out, 1985?? Still holds its
>> memories, too . Of course the radio has spent 99.99% of its life looking at
>> 12V input from solar powered battery.
>>
>> Ed W7DXZ
>>
>
> I seriously doubt the rig knows the difference between solar and
>TVA:<) And if it did,it wouldnt make any difference!!
> ....is solar power 'cleaner'?

Solar had nothing to do with it. I only meant to comment that the rig
usually has 12V on the power input leads.

Ed W7DXZ

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
==========

6654. Re: Rohn HBX tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5oi55klcg1@news13.gte.net>
Source record: 172358

Jim N8XYN wrote:
>
> I just picked up a 56 foot Rohn HBX tower at the local hamfeast for
> $100
> in great shape. My question is 1 is this free standing tower? 2 Can
> I
> climb this stuff and feel safe? 3 how large should the base be
> poured?

I suggest you contact Rohn for the stuctural and installation specifications for this tower rather than winging it on advice from the newsgroup. Your local jurisdiction may require the engineering specs in any case, and knowing what they are may keep you alive.

The HBX-56 is rated at 10 sq.ft. antenna load at 70 mph. A key limitation of these towers is that are designed for antennas with boom lengths LESS THAN 10'. Its designed to be free-standing.

You can reach Rohn at P.O. Box 2000, Peoria, IL 61656. Also, Texas Towers in Plano, TX and I'm sure many other ham shops carry the Rohn Ham tower catalog, which has complete specifications.

Grant/NQ5T

nq5t@gte.net
http://home1.gte.net/nq5t

6655. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33AD5227.7D3F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172359

JJG,
Thought he was a Collins Radio man, thanks,
now I know it must be Alinco!!
73
Mike

JJG wrote:
>
> In article <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com>, hershman@ix.netcom.com says...
> >
> >Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to the
> >newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
> >threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered"
> >the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy).
> >The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the
> >radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people
> >who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if
> >done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> Don't trust Steve "I never met a Yaesu I didn't like" Hershman. I have it on
> good authority that Hershman is a saboteur hired by an unnamed ham radio
> manufacturer to badmouth Icom. He does this because his wife was electrocuted
> by a Icom 730 that someone converted to 1 KW output. Hershman hasn't been the
> same since.
>
> He gets his instructions over secret HF equipment given to him by his employer,
> and he spreads misinformation via the internet. He's wanted by Interpol, the
> FBI, and the HRP (Ham Radio Police).
>
> Take whatever Steve "the Kenwood kid" Hershman says, and turn it around 180
> degrees. This will produce the truth. Then run for the hills. Hershman's out
> to get ya!!!

6656. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Aust <maust21401@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33AD51AD.10C6@earthlink.net>
Source record: 172360

Pieter Ibelings wrote:
>
> Great!!!
>
> Where can I get an antenna for 200 Hz?Pieter,
All this time I thought he was a Collins Radio man!!
73
Mike

>
> Pieter
>
> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
> <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com>...
> > Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to the
> > newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
> > threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered"
> > the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy).
> > The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the
> > radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people
> > who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if
> > done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
> >

6657. WANTED: FRG-100 or similar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Edmunds <c.edmunds@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <5oii0a$3ur@news3-gui.server.cableol.net>
Source record: 172361
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Please mail me with your price.

Thanks
Chris

6658. FS: Radio Shack PRO-2035 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: pcman@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <866962958.14735@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172362
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

For Sale: Radio Shack PRO-2035 Scanner. 1000-channels, mint condition,
box, manual, still under warranty.
Price: $200 + shipping.

-------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6659. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33ACD109.7D2@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172363
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jim Kehler wrote:
>
> la8ak@onnline.no (J M Noeding) wrote:
>
> >xposting such requests to rec.radio.amateur.dx is just as bad as any
> >spam!!!!
>
> >Jan-Martin N&#65533;ding, ** My email address: la8ak@online.no **
> >LA8AK, Voielia 39B, N-4623 Kristiansand, Norway/EUROPE
> >RSGB - NRRL - NRHF. tel: +47-380-87178 QTH (52660 QRL)
>
> Tubes for an amateur transmitter don't have anything to do with DX ?
> But 10KW Collins broadcast transmitters do ?
>
> Go climb a hill and yodell.....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D

Lord God Jim has spoken...

6660. Collins 30L-1 ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Spiess <dspiess@idt.net>
Message-ID: <33AD10F8.3019@idt.net>
Source record: 172364

I've inherited a 30L-1 amp. I have two questions that perhaps someone could help me with:

1) Are there any published mods to put the 30L-1 on 10 Mhz, my favorite band? Yes, I would be willing to give up a band if needed, say 80M.

2) Can the ALC be hooked directly to the alc of a Kenwood TS-440? The 440's alc requirements are -8 to -1 VDC. The 440 sure drives the rig OK but I have not connected the alc yet.

Hey, thanks I really appreciate this and look forward to using my 'new' amp.

Den
WA2JHN

6661. 6 Meter Radio Forsal Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David W. Vanderberg" <van4@pilot.infi.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7ee9$012f7b60$25a983d0@default>
Source record: 172365

I have a UTICA 650 6 Meter radio w/ VFO . Good Condition. Works Great.
For Sale or Trade. Items I'm interested in is: A scanner, FT-101. Reply if interested.
Thanks for your time.

Victor V.
KE4HGN

6662. Re: Yaesu 50R Transmit Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tabbyf@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970622100601.GAA20747@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172366

U have activated the BUSY CHANNEL LOCK-OUT.
This prevents the radio from transmitting on top of other stations.

To switch off:
- hold know down fo .5 seconds & turn until BCLO -23- is diplayed
- Press know momentarily to switch on or off.

73's de KF4BQE

6663. !!!PSYCHIC SAMPLES LINE/ TRY IT FREE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@smartec.com
Message-ID: <5oj2b0$9hm@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172367

Curious about your future? Try a psychic and
see for yourself. Get free advice on life and
love on 1-800-688-1584. Adults over 18 only

Call now 1-800-688-1584

6664. FS-MFJ-1270CQ-tnc/9.6KBmodem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Johnson <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7f00$c02af6e0$ef8d56cf@tee-jay>
Source record: 172368

Hello All;
I'm selling the "MFJ-1270CQ: MFJ TNC-2 Packet Controller Turbo Plus"
with the 9600bps modem installed. This tnc/modem has all the features
of the "MFJ-1270C" plus builtin 9600bps G3RUH modem for 9600bps AX.25
and 9600bps AFSK operations.
The MFJ-1270CQ is fully TAPR TNC-2 compatible with KISS interface,
MFJ Host mode * Anti-collision technology * Enhanced personal Mailbox
Plus Much more.
Included are all original docs, manuals, box and accessories. This
unit is still under MFJ's Unlimited 100% Warranty. It has less than
4 hours use. It's Basicly New Out Of The Box!..Reason 4 Sale: I just
bought the new AEA/Timewave DSP-2232 that includes all PacSat modes,
Wefax, SSTV & more.. Also I am a non-smoker
New it sells for around $229.99 +shipping. Asking $195 +shipping.
All cash offers will be considered..
Please call 1-609-386-9382 10am to 10pm Eastern Time..
Or RE: via Email to: n2rif@amsat.org
Packet: N2RIF@WM2F.SNJ.NJ.USA.NA
Thank You For Reading My Bulletin
de Thom J aka T.j.
....73

6665. !! WANTED:2m amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bart Dolega <jaba@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <33AD0AAD.2972@interaccess.com>
Source record: 172369

I'm looking for 2m 10W->>150W+ ALLMODE amp with preamp bulit-in...

Bart.
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_ _ _
Vy 73 ! de |_/ |_) (_| |\/| | |_| also SQ8AQV
| \ |_) ._| | | |__ | |
Bart Dolega Harwood Hts,IL USA
-AmprNet:kb9mla@db0fho.ampr.org-Ax25:kb9mla@db0fho.#nds.deu.eu-
-Internet:jaba@interaccess.com-
WWW Page: Europe: http://www.poznan.ampr.org/kb9mla
USA: http://www.qsl.net/kb9mla

6666. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ebb <ebb@MIT.com>
Message-ID: <33AD151D.55DF@MIT.com>
Source record: 172370
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ed G. wrote:
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> In article <33AC71CF.15AD@MIT.com>, none@nowhere.net wrote:
> >Ed G. wrote:
> >
> >>
> >> I've had my FT 757GX since they first came out, 1985?? Still holds its
> >> memories, too . Of course the radio has spent 99.99% of its life looking at
> >> 12V input from solar powered battery.
> >>
> >> Ed W7DXZ
> >>
> >
> > I seriously doubt the rig knows the difference between solar and
> >TVA:<) And if it did,it wouldnt make any difference!!
> > ....is solar power 'cleaner'?
>
> Solar had nothing to do with it. I only meant to comment that the rig
> usually has 12V on the power input leads.
>
> Ed W7DXZ
>
> REPLY INFO:
> ==
> Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
> TO REPLY: remove the "lillypads" from my return address.
> ==
Oh...O.K,you meant un-interrupted power:<)
My rig has probably seen a 20% MAXIMUM power connection.

6667. Icom 756

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hcc24@airmail.net
Message-ID: <6A1FC402F42E52EF.54B78CD2A5DFFD08.953D28A53F976DC3@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 172371

Icom 756 posts have been sparse lately so I'll attempt to correct
that with a few of my own impressions of IC 756 serial #1137.
Ostensibly one of the earlier units with no modifications to date,
that has performed flawlessly since the date of receipt 02/05/97 from
Barry Onigman, N1DNU at Ham Radio Outlet in New Hampshire.

I had a pleasant visit with Jim Newcomb N7MBA Icom National Sales Mgr
and Ron Spencer KB7ZJA Dist. Sls Mgr at Ham Com here in Dallas. It
was stated without equivocation that Icom is aware of the MINOR
problems in the rig and has thusly assigned one specific individual to
be in charge of modifications. Accordingly when a unit is transmitted
back ,a vivid notice indicating IC 756 Mods should be posted both
externally and internally to the box. The turnaround time will be
considerably less than other types of repair.

As an overview, I am extremely pleased with the radio and two of my
friends are currently pursuing purchase. The ability to monitor two
freq at once is extremely desirable as is the "lock on a blip" option
which enables one to check out who just came on and then return to
your exact operating freq. Admittedly, CW keying could be improved and
the AM filter could be changed, Other menu functions should be added
i.e. CW sidetone and compression should be metered.
Sensitivity of the LCD could be improved and additional options to
this visual aid added such as extending the 100 khz readout.

My IC 751 sits beside this 756 and there is no question that on the
higher freq. the 756 hears those the 751 will not!

I suspect Icom, always a leader , has established a new benchmark and
that other manufacturers will follow suit with the LCD visual aspect
of operation. I can no longer imagine the purchase of a radio that
does not have a front panel spectrum analyzer.

I trust these comments are helpful to the group...

Bill-W5YJB

6668. !!!PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS/TRY IT FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@smartec.com
Message-ID: <5oj7nq$d0u@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172372

You've heard how psychics have predicted the future
for others and you want to see for yourself. Let
a master psychic advise you now - try it free on
1-800-676-3733. You will be astounded at the
accuracy of their predictions. Adults over 18 only.

1-800-676-3733

6669. WTB: Cellphone/accys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Little <dalite01@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7eca$3f2341a0$32faaec7@node2>
Source record: 172373
Cross-posted to:
alt.cellular,alt.cellular-phone-tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hi,

I am looking for the following:

Connector for Motorola Ultra Classic (Attaches to back
of phone around antenna connector; 12 pin)

Connector for NEC P-300 (double row-plugs in bottom
of phone; has coax connnector integrated)

Novatel 8301 Cellular phone in working order

OKI 900 or AT&T 3730 Cellular phone in working
order.

Reply via E-Mail please.....

Thanks for reading,

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David Little - Brunswick, GA
KD4NUE dalite01@sprynet.com

6670. Yaesu FT-208R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: msgsports@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970622135501.JAA29988@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172374

Hi

Looking for a Yaesu FT-208R in mint condition. Please LMK.

Thanks MSG Sports

6671. Yaesu 757 Spectrum Analzyer/Rig Control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dthimm@unix.newnorth.net
Message-ID: <33ad2fa6.516959@news.newnorth.net>
Source record: 172375

For those who have been patiently waiting,
The N9IPV Spectrum Analyzer for Yaesu FT757 style
Transceivers is ready for download at the following
URL:
www.newnorth.net\~dthimm

The intention is to release versions of this software in the future
to include most any rig with a computer interface..

Thank you.

Dan T.
(N9IPV)
73

6672. !!!PROVEN PSYCHICS / FREE PREDICTIONS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@smartec.com
Message-ID: <5ojc7k$g8k@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172376

Curious about psychics? Now you can try a psychic
reading free, just dial 1-800-677-8039 - our free
samples line where master psychics will amaze you
with their knowledge and forsight. Try it now -
see for yourself. adults over 18 only

Dial 1-800-677-8039

6673. Re: FS:Sony Portable Receiver/Scanner 150KHz to 223MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sepool@netcom.com
Message-ID: <sepoolEC6Lxw.96z@netcom.com>
Source record: 172377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

ERNIE TIMLIN (ERNIETIMLIN@prodigy.net) wrote:
: I am asking $175.00 for my Sony ICF PRO-80. It is 8 years old, but in
: excellent condition. Only used about 50 hours. It comes with the
: original box, manual, and earphone and carry case, which was never
: opened. It also has a BNC plug to handle an external antenna, or it
: operates from the included original telescoping antenna. Primary
: frequency coverage is 150KHz to 108MHz continuous, and 115.15MHz to
: 223MHz continuous with the included frequency/antenna converter. It has
: a PLL synthesized receiver, with FM & AM narrow and wide, and SSB
: detection modes. The AM modes and SSB have a fine tuning knob which
: gives plus or minus 3.5KHz in SSB. It has 3 scan modes, which will scan
: bands, or the 40 memories.
: It uses 4 AA batteries which last approx. 10 hours, weighs 1lb. 7 oz.
: and is 3 5/8 x 7 1/4 x 2 inches.It will also run on 6VDC, but I do not
: have an AC-DC power adapter. (They are available at Radio Shack.) This
: radio has an excellent speaker and sensitivity for a portable. The fine
: tuning works well in selecting SW/SSB signals. It is particularly
: sensitive in the HF bands. So much so that I have never felt a need to
: connect it to an external antenna to bring in more signals. It has a
: vertical stance, so it is easy to hand carry. Please send me an E-Mail
: if you are interested.
: Ernie Timlin

I will speak favorably for the PRO-80 - I enjoy mine, and I think this
is a good deal - If I didn't already have one!

Sam Pool
--
sepool@netcom.com

6674. Re: *UHF COMMUNITY REPEATER FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jrhodes@iti2.net
Message-ID: <33ad2a96.36386477@news.zippo.com>
Source record: 172378

On 21 Jun 1997 12:04:15 GMT, icepick@aol.com (ICEPICK) wrote:

>90 watt,duplexer,tone panel,gasfet preamp,19in rack mount,most spare
>parts&manuals included.
>thanks,Dennis

You forgot the price!

6675. FT-990 Drift

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard B. Harel" <Richard_Harel@ccm.jer.intel.com>
Message-ID: <33ADC6F9.1FFD@ccm.jer.intel.com>
Source record: 172379

Carl Walthall wrote:
>
> Hi Everyone
>
> I have a FT-990 that drifts, the freq. display aways displays the right
> frequence, but when listening to CW or RTTY the tone changes a couple
> of KC's. I have also been told that on transmit i change frequence. Has
> anyone out there had the same problem and what was required to fix it ?
>
> Thanks very much
>
> Carl N3QOM

Hi Carl,
I had a similar problem several months ago.
I wrote into the newsgroups and the folks who responded to my mail all pointed at either the PLL or VCO master oscillator. Many suggested I go with the 2PPM TCXO option. But the problem I was having was similar to yours; no so much freq. drift, but shift and the display remained stable.
What I wound up doing was pulling out the PCB with the master VCO oscillator. On that board there is a trimmer capacitor which I sprayed with contact cleaner and wiped it back and forth, first marking where the original position was. I later checked to see how far off I was from a calibrated frequency counter and readjusted the trimmer capacitor slightly.
Since then, I had no problems with freq. shift. I also work HF packet and PACTOR and needless to say, the problem I was having before rendered the xcvr useless.
I guess it was dust in the trimmer that threw off the capacitance from time to time.
Before you send your xcvr back to Yeasu, I would try this simple procedure.
I hope it works for you.
E-mail me if you have any other questions. 73,
Rich
4X1DA

6676. WTB: Multi-mode TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwhart@gate.net
Message-ID: <33ad4374.4250778@news.gate.net>
Source record: 172380

I have a friend who has no internet access and he is looking for a
Multi-mode TNC. If you have such an animal please respond with the
make, model, condition and asking price.

Thanks,
Chet - WD4GDB

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| Chester (Chet) W. Hart cwhart@gate.net |
| http://www.gate.net/~cwhart |
| |
| Most women have a good sense of humor. The proof is that many |
| of them like men and they don't laugh when we drop our pants! |
| |
| There is nothing wrong with your computer. I allways typi abd |
| speel this badely. |
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6677. FS: 6AZ8 NOS Phillips-USA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rh3333@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970622154400.LAA01182@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172381

6AZ8 TUBES FOR SALE-NOS PHILLIPS-Made in USA
1-9 each - $7.00 each
10-24 each - $6..00each
25-49 each - $5.00 each
50-100 each - $4.00 each
+$5 per order shipping +$4.75 per order if shipped COD
For Larger Quanity Discounts Please Email me for special quotes
Richard Hale THE TUBE MAN 904/386-2729 phone 904/386-2560 FAX]
RH3333@aol.com

HOW TO ORDER TUBES

If interested in ordering please include the price of the tubes and $5
per order
to cover
shipping and handling (in continental USA) to the following:

Richard Hale
902 Lothian Dr.
Tallahassee, FL 32312

904 386-2729
904 386-2560 FAX
RH3333@aol.com

1. Payment can be either money order-I'll ship the same day
OR
2. I can ship UPS COD which will cost of the tubes + $5 shipping and
handling + and
additional $4.75 for the UPS COD fee.

Thank you for your interest.

Richard Hale
THE TUBE MAN

6678. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ay224@yfn.ysu.edu
Message-ID: <5omf6r$69s@news.ysu.edu>
Source record: 172183

In a previous article, gottria@earthlink.net ("Greg Ottria") says:

>A friend just bought the new Standard 510 and loves it. Only price I found
>is $319.99. Anybody find it cheaper let me know!!!
>
>Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
>Castro Valley California
>Gottria@Earthlink.net
>

I bought mine at the Dayton Hamvention from Burk Electronics for $284.
I don't know if that is their normal price, or a "Hamvention special".

-- Dennis Howard KC8EKR

6679. Dual Band Mobile Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Weyher(KB7RKM)" <adpdude@starnetinc.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8003$0cb866c0$c89a2389@eaweyh-ibm.monsanto.com>
Source record: 172184

I am looking for a dual band moblie. Preferably an Icom or Yaseu. Makes are negotiable if the price is right. Must have encoding and cross band repeat function is wanted.. I really do not want a detachable face plate though.

Please email me at:
adpdude@starnetinc.com

73's
KB7RKM

6680. Suggestions for Roofmount 20m antenna.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Robertson <timr@gorge.net>
Message-ID: <33AEBAC4.5BF@gorge.net>
Source record: 172185

Hello to All,
Would like suggestions for building a roof mount antenna for 20meters. Just passes my 20wpm code test and upgraded to General and now I want to talk to someone! Hi Hi. Have about 30' of 2" od aluminum tube that I would like to build something out of. Will be mounted on my roof about 40' up. I'm on 5 acres with no neighbors so no antenna restrictions apply. Shall I just build a plain old groundplane? Appreciate any and all suggestions.
73
Tim,KC7QOM

6681. New Programming Info For Motorola MCX 100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Burniston <davidgb@nortel.ca>
Message-ID: <33AEB841.454@nortel.ca>
Source record: 172186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi,

I've received a Motorola MCX 100 with 32 memory PROM. I want to change the programmed frequencies to match my local repeaters (it currently uses repeater frequencies from another area). I have the equipment to program a new PROM but need to know how to generate the appropriate data.

Anyone have this info and could e-mail it to me?

Thanks,

... Dave

6682. Re: PL tone generator for an older rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb840@scn.org
Message-ID: <EC8rqM.8H@scn.org>
Source record: 172187

Contact Communication Specialists in California. They have an 800 number
and advertise in QST. I bought two boards, one for an FT-7600 and
another for an IC-2A. 73 de KD7MK

In a previous article, blackie@gate.net (Blackie Lawless) says:

>Is there such a thing in existence as a pl tone generator that can
>be incorporated into an older rig? I have an old Yaesu FT227R 2
>meter rig that I like to use in my car. Granted it is a dinosaur,
>but it still puts out a signal and works great.
>
>Here is my dilemma, one of my favorite repeaters is occasionaly pl'd
>therefore I am locked out at those times. I would like to be able
>to buy or build a pl tone generator that I could use with my older
>rig.
>

--
Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

6683. Help - Need Programming Info...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Burniston <davidgb@nortel.ca>
Message-ID: <33AECBC5.2C3E@nortel.ca>
Source record: 172188
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,

I've received a Motorola MCX 100 with 32 memory PROM. I want to change the programmed frequencies to match my local repeaters (it currently uses repeater frequencies from another area). I have the equipment to program a new PROM but need to know how to generate the appropriate data.

Anyone have this info and could e-mail it to me?

Thanks,

... Dave
davidgb@nortel.com

6684. Anyone using an ICOM IC-T2A ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33AEE4E3.575C@agcs.com>
Source record: 172189

Is anyone out there using the Icom IC-T2A? With 4.5W out of the box, 40 channels, PL encode and decode, it sounds promising as a first 2M hand held. I'm looking for pro and con comments on it. Thanks.

---------- Insert standard disclaimer here. ----------
Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com Phone: 602-582-7332

6685. mfj986 ant tuner bugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95q.970623111409.16728E-100000@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 172190

Seems I read some articles that the roller inductor in this ant tuner had a common problem with the roler inductor developing bad spots in the coil or roller contact which caused intermitent operation. I have used my "differential T Tuner" for about 8 months now and its beginning to be intmt. I set it up for a flat reading on a freqsy, then while operating on that freqcy it sometimes changes and the swr jumps up. Turning the roller inductor a turn or two in either direction usually flattens it out again (the swr that is). Some one have a fix for this?.
jfenn@lava.net
US ARMY MARS ABM6JF

6686. Re: mfj986 ant tuner bugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5omqi2$4q5@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 172191

The roller inductor in the 986 is the same as was installed in the 989. They are not real high quality, not real bad either. The solid core inductors were not real resistant to heat either.

A shot of DeOxit spray or similar contact cleaner every couple of months should cure the problem.

I cured the problem in mine by buying the new MFJ air core roller inductor. I think it was $60 and I had to drill two small screw holes, but it mounted easily. That is a better roller and has not had problems. The 989C comes standard with the air core roller, I am not sure if the 986 does yet.

Clark
WA3JPG

6687. Re: Need help using HP Logic Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Smith <ocmls@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <33AEE8F4.7B48@lucent.com>
Source record: 172192
Cross-posted to:
misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

Joe wrote:
>
> Help please.
>
> I have two HP 1631D logic analyzers. I don't know how to use
> these instruments and don't have an operators manual, just
> the service manual. In attemping to confirm operation in all
> modes I run across the same problem in both machines.
>
> When I select Timing and/or Analog operation only everything
> seems to work just fine. When I select State channels I get an
> error message "WARNING Slow Clock" and it won't run
> in any trace mode.
>
> Am I doing something wrong or do both machines have an
> identical malfuntion?? Does anyone know about this or
> have a operator's manual where they can look up the meaning
> of this error message??
>
> Thanks and Best Regards
> Joe Westenhaver joe@widind.com

When using STATE channels a clock source from the item being tested must be used to latch the states into the logic analyzer. PODS 0 & 1 are used for timing. PODS 2,3, & 4 are used for state measurements. There is one clock input on each POD designated "J, K, or L". Select which input will be used and configure the state clock for either a "high-to-low transition", "low-to-high transition", or any edge.

Mark Smith - KI5MV
mlsmith@flash.net

6688. HF3 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adriaan <adpe1khp@pi.net>
Message-ID: <33AF6E2C.5A1C@pi.net>
Source record: 172193

Hi,

Who can tell me more about the AKD HF3 receiver? Can i use it for some
europe receiving, like the VHF-net 14.435? Or is it only good for my
kids?

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Cuagn, Adriaan
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VHF DX AmateurRadio Station PE1KHP JO22XE
Home site http://home.pi.net/~adpe1khp/home.htm
Packet Radio pe1khp@pi8apd.#gld.nld.eu

6689. Re: New Programming Info For Motorola MCX 100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lenrev@wwa.com
Message-ID: <33aef115.4529926@news.wwa.com>
Source record: 172194

I gave one away twwo years ago because the PROM's weren't available
anymore. I have a friend who was a bigM employee repairing mobiles
here at the plant and BigM didn't carry them any longer. A supposed
pin-for-pin replacement with the same nomenclature would not work
though shot with BigM's programmer. Good luck.

On Mon, 23 Jun 1997 13:52:57 -0400, Dave Burniston <davidgb@nortel.ca>
wrote:

>Hi,
>
>I've received a Motorola MCX 100 with 32 memory PROM. I want to change
>the programmed frequencies to match my local repeaters (it currently
>uses repeater frequencies from another area). I have the equipment to
>program a new PROM but need to know how to generate the appropriate
>data.
>
>Anyone have this info and could e-mail it to me?
>
>Thanks,
>
>... Dave

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| Len Revelle N9IJ |
| Illinois AMA 60055 |
| lenrev@wwa.com |
| http://www.wwa.com/~lenrev/skat.html |
****

6690. 800 Mhx Mastr II to 900 mhz conversion info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: carndt@netcom.com
Message-ID: <carndtEC92Gv.52F@netcom.com>
Source record: 172195

There's an ad in AM Radio Trader for these xceivers that states they will work on 900 mhz.

Can anyone tell me what is involved in the conversion/modification?

73,

Chris KD6DSI

6691. Heath IDW4001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4pe@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33af01a7.1335236@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172196

Looking for a Heath Weather Station IDW 4001 or parts, or a damaged unit or whatever. Need parts for repairs to my unit!!
Please Email
TNX
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.co
http://www.iloveusa.com/nuview

6692. Re: Need two 6JE6C / 6LQ6 sweep tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Nelson <djn@goodnet.com>
Message-ID: <33AF01C6.4215@goodnet.com>
Source record: 172197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anthony C. Cash wrote:
>
> Rick Lutzinger wrote:
> >
> > Walt Davidson wrote:
> > >
> > > On Sun, 08 Jun 1997 17:28:39 +0800, Joe Fitter BV/N0IAT
> > > <joentam@transend.com.tw> wrote:
> > >
> > > >Trying to repair a Yaesu FT-101 and am in need of a set of output
> > > >tubes. Either new or used/tested/guaranteed is ok. Low price is
> > > >paramount.
> > >
> > > I always thought the output tubes in the FT101 were 6146B.
> > >
> > > 73 de G3NYY
> > >
> > > --
> > > Walt Davidson Email: walt@dial.pipex.com
> >
> > None of the above! They are 6JS6C's in the FT101's
> >
> > Rick Lutzinger
>
> Right! I just called RF Gain and the matched pair is selling for $150.00
>
> 73 de Tony
> KD4K
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I believe I have (2) 6JS6C's used, tested for $10.00ea+postage.. Let me
know if I should look into my 'pile' for these!
--
Daniel Nelson
djn@goodnet.com
<:)
An Object at Rest
Cannot be Stopped

6693. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AF1984.2F58@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172198

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> In <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
> writes:
> >
> >Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to
> the
> >newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
> >threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered"
> >the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy).
> >The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the
> >radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people
> >who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if
> >done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> Prediction:
>
> Hershman's mythical Brother in Law the lawyer will not approve and
> Steve unfortunately will be unable to share the fruits of his awesome
> interrogations with us.
>
> Jerry
If you want, I will make an exception and give You the mods Gerry since
you are a pain in the &*&(*^
Steve

6694. IC-2000H power reduction ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AF1BB7.36FC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172199

Hi, I want to know the mod to reduce the power output on the Icom
IC-2000H fro 50 watts to something like 35 watts. I want the Heat sink
to stay cool and don't need the 50 watts out but can't live with the mid
range setting of 10 watts.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

6695. FS: Diamond Discone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33AF484B.5EF2@erols.com>
Source record: 172200

For Sale

Diamond D130J Discone. Only Two months old. Like new condition. With Manual.
$55.00 Firm

The discone antenna is used by government and military agencies worldwide because of its wide bandwidth characteristics and non-directional coverage. Designed for use with wide-frequency coverage VHF/UHF scanners and receivers, the Diamond D130J discone consists of 16 rugged, stainless steel elements and is capable of transmitting up to 200 watts in the amateur 50, 144, 220, 432, 900, and 1200 MHz bands. As a receiving antenna, the D130J is omni-directional for continuous 25-1000 MHz (and above) coverage. A base-loaded, vertical top element is used as a low band (30-50 MHz) frequency extender. The elements are arranged on a 24-inch support pipe equipped with two strong mounting brackets to accomodate any standard mast-pipe (1"to 2-1/8" diameter).

Brian Berkes
(609)-482-6976 H
(609)-758-3446 W
Or email me

6696. one more thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Schmidt <cschmidt@melab.me.pvamu.edu>
Message-ID: <33AF1F31.475A@melab.me.pvamu.edu>
Source record: 172201

I posted the letter about the HT-41, I also noticed another odd thing, whenever this the amplifier is inline with my transciever, I can barely hear anything, like somewhere in the amplifier there is not a good connection between the input and output, whenever I bypass the amplfier, I have normal recieve. Is there a reason for this? Perhaps a cure?

Thanks again,

Chris

6697. HELP! hallicrafters HT-41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Schmidt <cschmidt@melab.me.pvamu.edu>
Message-ID: <33AF1E1F.CAC@melab.me.pvamu.edu>
Source record: 172202

I aquired a Hallicrafters HT-41 amplifier today, it is in good shape, but I have never had an amplifier like this and do not know exactly how to hook it up.

On the back, it has two pairs of terminals, one is labeled "Drive Level" and the other "Block Bias". I have since gotten the thing to key by shorting the two screws on the "Block Bias" terminal, but it was only putting out like 5-10 watts with like 2 watts drive. Maybe I need to hook something like a variable resistor up to the terminal labeled "Drive Level" and adjust the input sensitivity, I don' know, that is why I am posting here.

If anyone has any information on this amplifier, such as how to hook it up, Specifications, Output power, required input drive power, type of tubes used, etc... I would appreciate it if you will email me at cschmidt@me.pvamu.edu.

Thanks,

Chris

6698. FS/TR Motorola GP300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Baclerzak <n9osk@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <33AF011E.318D@technologist.com>
Source record: 172203

I have forsale or trade Motorola GP300 UHF 16ch MDC capable radio. This unit is in fair condition and comes with Batt, Rapid Charger, and Antenna.

asking 275.00 or best offer or trade.

Looking for Repeater link radios (440 or 220), voter, pro-audio equip. or ????

n9osk@technologist.com

6699. Need Icom 735 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: markem@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5onb9k$66g@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 172204

I'm in the market for a small HF transceiver in the $500-750 price range for mostly (98%) fixed station use and maybe 1.99% portable, and maybe 0.01% mobile. I borrowed an Icom 735 from the club and really like it. I've about made up my mind that I want a 735 but I do have a few questions.

Were there different models of the 735? Is one, or a particular serial number range, better or more desirable?

Any common failure modes or things to look for when looking at one?

What modes are standard? SSB/CW I know, but how about FM? AM?

Standard filter complement? Are after market filters still available?

Any comments about the 735 in general?

Any suggestions for alternatives? How does it compare to, say, a Kenwood 440 or 450 or a Yaesu whatever?

Any input will be appreciated.

Thanks & 73... Mark AA7TA

6700. Heathkit CI-1080 (non-radio) info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Luck <d.luck@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <33AF03A3.1C5D@ieee.org>
Source record: 172205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I know this is not a Heathkit radio request, however there seem to be a lot of heathkit knowledgable people and someone might be able to help me with my old CI-1080 Heathkit exhaust gas analyzer.

The CI-1080 measures %CO. You stick the collector tube up the tailpipe.

calibration?
copy of manual?
use for anything else?
adjustment in front vs, balance adjustment in back?

Thanks in advance

Dale Luck

6701. Re: Headset intercoms with noise cancelling mic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Nelson <johnn@flatline.com>
Message-ID: <33AF6382.1016FB69@flatline.com>
Source record: 172206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Craig Blome wrote:

> Forgive the newbie question, but...I belong to a local sports car club
>
> that puts on autocross events. The starter communicates with the
> timing
> van right now using a pair of Radio Shack 49MHz intercoms, which
> aren't
> ideal for this task as they don't seem to have noise cancelling
> microphones, and so the starter's voice is often drowned out by very
> loud engines. I'd like to find something with a better mic, but can't
>
> justify the expense for a David Clark pit headset or the like. Is
> there

David Clark is top-shelf professional gear, and probably worth the
money, but the ARE spendy indeed.
You might look into using a less expensive aviation-type headset. The
Flightcom line is very reasonably priced (less than $90 for their entry
level model) if memory serves. Virtually all such gear aimed at general
aviation markets features noise cancelling mikes.

6702. I need schematic diagram of ATLAS 210-X Power Suply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael <rafael@globalmail.net>
Message-ID: <33aeca0f.0@news.arrakis.es>
Source record: 172207

Hello and Thanks
I need schematic diagram of console or power suply original of ATLAS 210-X
model 220CS.
Thanks
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Salu2 desde Melilla (Norte de Africa)

rafael@globalmail.net
http://www.arrakis.es/~castellano/index.htm

6703. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33ae1158.3396859@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172208

On Mon, 23 Jun 1997 03:13:26 GMT, amcgee@pathway.net (Al McGee) wrote:
>There is a group called rec.radio amateur.swap
>Icheck it almost every day, but there are very few posts.
>I suggest you ask your ISP to add it to their list.

Please be aware that rec.radio.amateur.swap is a bogus
group, IE it has not been approved as one of the official
groups in the rec.radio hierarchy. For any group in the
usenet big 8, there is a formal group creation process
which should be followed to create a new group. This
process was not followed for this group. Therefore
most usenet admins will not create it on their servers
or handle any traffic for it. The authentic group for
buying, selling, or trading radio equipment is the
rec.radio.swap newsgroup. Please use that for all
your buying and selling.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6704. IC551

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevef@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <33AF1B9A.70ED@iamerica.net>
Source record: 172209

Looking for broken IC551 or 551Ds. There may be a few out there
With a broken IC no longer aviable from Icom.
Steve WB5KGL

6705. Re: Need Icom 735 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru
Message-ID: <33aef464.16056608@news.e-burg.ru>
Source record: 172210

markem@primenet.com (M. Monninger) wrote:

>I'm in the market for a small HF transceiver in the $500-750 price range for
>
>Any comments about the 735 in general?
>
>Any suggestions for alternatives? How does it compare to, say, a Kenwood 440
>or 450 or a Yaesu whatever?
>
>Any input will be appreciated.
>
>Thanks & 73... Mark AA7TA
In my opinion the best radio in it's class.
Go for it and you will not regret.

Igor (ua9cdc,n3tod)
Best regards,
Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
Phone/Fax: 3432 229621

6706. Re: Phase noise tests in receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru
Message-ID: <33aef866.17082606@news.e-burg.ru>
Source record: 172211

res@cmprime.cis.att.com (Richard E Stealey) wrote:

>
>This report documents some tests I made with some receivers I had access
>to. My interest here involves performance of the receiver with respect
>to the phase noise of the receivers synthesizer and a comparison to
>non-synthesized receiver. In the past (ten years ago) I have tested
>receivers for strong signal performance and may once again set up to do
>that, but today I am only looking at phase noise. There are many other
>My receivers:
>Yaesu FT1000MP with one stock 500 Hz filter.
>Icom IC736 with 2 500 Hz filters
>Collins 75S3 with 250 Hz mechanical filter
>
>Comments -
>I am surprised in the difference in the Yaesu and Icom synthesizers. The
>Yaesu is clearly a much quieter synthesizer by a dramatic margin. It
>A friend has offered to bring over a Kenwood 870, and a IC706 soon,
>so we may have more data to add to the table in the near future. Anyone
>have a 756 in the NNJ area they'd like to bring over for an hour
>or so, to measure on my bench? I'm considering swapping the 736 for
>one in the "Dayton" timeframe?
>
>Rick K2XT
Was there a follow up about 870 and 706 and 756. I think i missed
that. Can somebody repost it to me please.
Best regards,
Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
Phone/Fax: 3432 229621

6707. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Rogers <tobyr@www.prairieweb.com>
Message-ID: <33AEB320.B64@www.prairieweb.com>
Source record: 172212

hershman wrote:
> snip
> JJG wrote:
> > Don't trust Steve "I never met a Yaesu I didn't like" Hershman. I have it on
> > good authority that Hershman is a saboteur hired by an unnamed ham radio
> > manufacturer to badmouth Icom. He does this because his wife was electrocuted
> > by a Icom 730 that someone converted to 1 KW output. Hershman hasn't been the
> > same since.
> >
> > He gets his instructions over secret HF equipment given to him by his employer,
> > and he spreads misinformation via the internet. He's wanted by Interpol, the
> > FBI, and the HRP (Ham Radio Police).
> >
> > Take whatever Steve "the Kenwood kid" Hershman says, and turn it around 180
> > degrees. This will produce the truth. Then run for the hills. Hershman's out
> > to get ya!!!
>
> I do not work in the Ham Equipment Industry. I like certain models that
> each brand (Icom, Kenwood,Yaesu,TenTec) make. I don't have a ax to grind
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

It's OK Steve. From the jist of the message it sounds like some one is
just funen (kiden) with you,

'73
--
_// T-Bear
(*.*) Toby Rogers KB0SME
()~*~()
(_)-(_) tobyr@prairieweb.com

6708. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Rogers <tobyr@www.prairieweb.com>
Message-ID: <33AEB0DB.5050@www.prairieweb.com>
Source record: 172213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

hershman wrote:
>
> I have all both sets of mods 1) 200HZ to 200 MHZ continuous
> and 2) .5 to 60 MHZ and 135 to 175 MHz
>
> I am waiting to here from my brother in law the Lawyer to see if I can
> be sued by someone doing the Mods incorrectly even though the Mods I
> post are correct. Last time I posted the Correct IC-706 MK I mods I was
> threatened to be sued by an angry parent who had a teenager "butcher"
> the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200MHZ TX mod (not easy).
> If My brother in Law says oK I will post the mods.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
STEVEN,
All you have to do is post a disclaimer to your mod releasing you of all
liability for its use. if You need a disclaimer you might look at some
used in the radio tech mod book or seceret CB mod books. I'm sure you
have something like that around.

"73s

PS Please send a copy of your mod post to my e-mail. As I am interested
in trying to do some different wiht my MKII.
--
_// T-Bear
(*.*) Toby Rogers KB0SME
()~*~()
(_)-(_) tobyr@prairieweb.com

6709. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <5olpgn$vu8$1@news00.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 172214

> The Ic-706 MKII costs 138,000 Yen /122 comes to $1050 !!!Most dealers
> want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!

In Germany the Ic-706 MKII costs 1.517,00 $ (2.580,00 DM / 1,70)

> WE ARE GETTING RIPPED OFF!

WE ARE GETTING FUCKED OFF

6710. ! PSYCHIC SAMPLES LINE----TRY-IT-TOLL-FREE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@ingress.com
Message-ID: <5okf84$6lu@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172293

Curious about your future? Try a psychic and
see for yourself. Get free advice on life and
love on 1-800-688-1584. Adults over 18 only

Call now 1-800-688-1584

6711. SOLD FT50 With accessories SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter Ibelings <wave@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7f70$23bec1e0$302579a8@wave.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The radio has been sold to the highest bidder..

Thanks
Pieter N4IP

6712. ! PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS TRY-IT-FREE! IT'S FREE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@ingress.com
Message-ID: <5oklns$9sm@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172295

You've heard how psychics have predicted the future
for others and you want to see for yourself. Let
a master psychic advise you now - try it free on
1-800-676-3733. You will be astounded at the
accuracy of their predictions. Adults over 18 only.

1-800-676-3733

6713. SW for PCI-3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Turini <dturini@aa.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7f7a$466d7f10$7c8dc7cd@mom>
Source record: 172296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

After 20 years or so, I've decided to try the digital modes for something new. I recently purchased a HAL PCI-3000 that did not come with the original software. Does anyone have a copy of the software or does anyone know of any other software for this board?

I am mostly interested in listening to commercial stations, not really using it on the ham bands. I use the oldest form of digital communications there, cw.

Thanks

Bill KA5GAV/7 turinib@wdni.com

6714. FS: RF Parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: brahn@ibm.net
Message-ID: <33add727.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 172297

I have a quantity of RF parts in excess of my personal needs.
Some items are available in large (>50) quantities.

Here's what I have and asking price:

ITEM PRICE
(each)

Johanson 8054 1.5 to 20 pf Capacitors $1.50
(Piston Style)

Piston Style 0.7 to 15 pf Capacitors $1.25

MCL TFM-150 Mixers $5.50
(LO/RF: 10-2000MHz, IF: DC-1000MHz, +10dBm LO)

MCL LPS-109 Power Dividers $2.50
(2 way, 0 degree, 10-500MHz)

MCL MAT-3 3dB Attenuators $1.25
(DC-1500MHz)

MCL MAT-9 9dB Attenuators $1.25
(DC-1500MHz)

AVANTEK VTO-8090 0.9 to 1.6 GHz Voltage $10.00
Controlled Oscillator, 50 ohm, +13dBm output,
TO-8 Case, with mounting hardware.

Cablewave Systems FXA 12-50 NM N Male $15.00
Coax Connector for 1/2" Hard Line
New, In the box!

Pictures and specifications (where available) on the above items may be found on my web page at:
http://members.tripod.com/~Sky_Writer

All parts are unused. Shipping is extra.

73 -- Bruce, WB9ANQ

6715. TIMEWAVE DSP 599XZ SOLD SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pieter Ibelings <wave@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01bc7f7e$e0ea7580$ba2379a8@wave.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The Timewave DSP has been sold to the highest paying bidder.

Thanks

Pieter

6716. Re: Can We Limit "For-Sales" and "WTB" In Rec.Equipment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: amcgee@pathway.net
Message-ID: <33aee8e4.36661355@news.pathway.net>
Source record: 172299

There is a group called rec.radio amateur.swap
Icheck it almost every day, but there are very few posts.
I suggest you ask your ISP to add it to their list.

Look at rec.radio.swap that is where you will find most of the posts

73,s Al
N3UGV

On Tue, 17 Jun 1997 20:21:53 GMT, ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru (Igor S
Sokolov) wrote:

>"R.E. Dodson WB5APD/4" <rdodson@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>>> ecregger@jaguarsystems.com
>>My server says no such thing as rec.radio.amateur.swap.
>>
>>73's Bob
>Your server is correct. It is rec.radio.swap
>Best regards,
>Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
>E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
>Phone/Fax: 3432 229621

6717. Re: PL tone generator for an older rig?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8blk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970623041101.AAA13532@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172300

In article <5ojvcp$231e$1@news.gate.net>, blackie@gate.net (Blackie Lawless) writes:

>Is there such a thing in existence as a pl tone generator that can
>be incorporated into an older rig? I have an old Yaesu FT227R 2
>meter rig that I like to use in my car. Granted it is a dinosaur,
>but it still puts out a signal and works great.
>
>Here is my dilemma, one of my favorite repeaters is occasionaly pl'd
>therefore I am locked out at those times. I would like to be able
>to buy or build a pl tone generator that I could use with my older
>rig.

Communications Specialists sells several that will work for you, if you know the proper locations to hook up the encoder. CS advertises in several ham magazines, and I believe some of their products are sold by AES, and probably by most of the other ham dealers still in existence. The encoder will work, although you may have to set the level several times until you get it just right. Frequency can be set with the proper setting of dispswitches.
-art clemons-

6718. Re: ! FREE PSYCHIC READINGS! FREE!! 1-800-677-8048

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33aff63a.33848157@news.capital.net>
Source record: 172301

On Wed, 18 Jun 1997 21:56:57 +0100, Larry Smith
<larry@g4oxy.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <5o8cbm$9dt$4612@broadway.interport.net>, lov@interport.net
>writes
>>
>>Hear a gifted psychic speak your fortune and future
>>on 1-800-677-8048 our special samples line where you
>>can try a psychic reading free. Don't take the word
>>of others - see for yourself just how accurate they are.
>> Adults over 18 only.
>>
>>Dial 1-800-677-8048
>>
>how about bombing this idiot
>I hate off subject junk in serious news groups
>--
>Larry Smith

It's an automatic response bot. If you send ANYTHING to the return
address, you'll most likely get a ton of junk sent to you. The people
responsible for this stuff would never see your message.

6719. ! FREE PSYCHIC READINGS! 1-800-677-8048 FREE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@smarttec.net
Message-ID: <5ol0if$g0n@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172302

Hear a gifted psychic speak your fortune and future
on 1-800-677-8048 our special samples line where you
can try a psychic reading free. Don't take the word
of others - see for yourself just how accurate they are.
Adults over 18 only.

Dial 1-800-677-8048

6720. Re: FT-2400 Display Freaks Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33ae0d8d.3227294@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 172303

On 22 Jun 1997 16:45:08 GMT, trinit69@idt.net.nospam (Tom)
wrote:

>The wife's FT-2400 radio has a display freak out problem once every few months
>making a complete reset necessary.
>
>It only does it when the rig is hooked up to the accessory circuit of her
>Mazda, that is, the rig momentarily goes off when the car is started, and
>then back on when the car starts (just like the AM/FM car radio). Sometimes the
>thing comes back on with all the display elements lit (freaked out).
>
>It never does it when hooked to a hot battery circuit, even when starting.
>
>The reason I have it on accessory is that the wife always forgets to
>turn the blasted thing on, and thus it is useless on a battery circuit,
>whereas on accessory, I can call her and she says "gee, I didn't know that
>thingy was turned on!"
>
>Anyway, I think some weird transient is getting it on accessory and not on
>battery.
>
>How can I combat these transients?
>
>73 Tom N5OFF/AFA4AZ
>
>--
>Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.
>
>Thanks
>
>Tom N5OFF

Hi Tom (and all) ...

You might consider hooking it up to the battery, thru a
relay which is energized by the "ACC" connector on the
fuseblock ... that way, the radio only receives power with
the "ACC" line is powered up, but the radio is run directly
from the battery ... the radio goes off when she shuts off
the car, and she doesn't need to remember to turn it off ...
best of both worlds! Bosch makes such a relay ... check your
local Checker Auto/Chief Auto/Pep Boys etc., and if not,
check with cellular phone installers ... they should all
have a 15-20 Amp relay, with a "flange" for mounting it to
firewall, and a (four-terminal) socket for it to make

quick-disconnect easy. All that (relay, socket and wiring harness) should not set you back more than ten bux or so.

Good luck, and very 73!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

6721. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ol3vf$ljb@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172304

In <33ab5dca.1677045@news.accessnv.com> ad7k@accessnv.com (Dale
("Squeak") Porray, AD7K) writes:
>
>On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 19:20:01 -0400, hershman
><hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>---<snip>---
>>COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ UNinterupted!!!!
>..............now this ^^^^^ ought to be interesting ...
>compete with your neighbor's stereo by blasting one hundred
>Watts at 200 Hertz into your neighborhood! Boy, I'm waiting
>to see how he does this one! Steve, do you have to build a
>new output network to get it to put out power down in the
>audio band? Let us know, please!!!
>>
>>I will keep you posted. NS1R Steven Hershman

I'm certainly glad Steve is going to keep us posted 'cause it is the
gardening season and you can always use more manure.

Jerry
>

6722. Re: [Yaesu] Desk mike MD100A8X with FT-1000D connections

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: andrew@gi0nwg.DEmon.co.UK
Message-ID: <Yq8MeAAVPirzEwss@gi0nwg.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 172305

In message <9706221044.AA03810@thor.pla-net.net>, Bob Scott
<bscott@thor.pla-net.net> writes
>
>> I saw that the new YAESU desktop microphone model
>> MD100A8X coming with FT-1000MP should be modified
>> to work with FT-1000D. As far I know, the mic connector
>> pins are similar to both rigs so, why I should modify him ?
>>
>> 73 de Morel, 4X1AD
>
>Because (Someone correct me if I'm wrong) on the FT-1000MP and the
>FT-920, which is what the MD100A8X is designed to work with, pin 2 is
>
>for +5 volts. On the FT-1000D, FT-990, FT-890, FT-840, etc., pin 2 is
>
>a ground.
>
>Also, just the opposite has to be done to use a MD-1 on a 1000MP or
>920.
>Pin 2 must be opened on the MD-1 and regrounded elsewhere.

Rewire the MD-1 for an FT1000MP..... I don't think so. I haven't
rewired my MD-1 and can switch it between my FT1000MP and FT990 without
any problems. However, the UP/DOWN buttons on the MD-1 don't work with
the FT1000MP. Mmmmmm....

Vy 73,

Andrew Williamson GI0NWG / AC6WI

6723. ! PROVEN PSYCHICS! TRY-IT-FREE!! 1-800-677-8063

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: may@smarttec.net
Message-ID: <5olf3h$n0e@newsfeed.ingress.net>
Source record: 172306

The Live Psychic Calling Center invites you to enjoy
a complete fifteen minute, live psychic reading with
no credit card charges. Try it Free on
1-800-677-8063. Adults over 18 only.

Dial now 1-800-677-8063

6724. Info on ICOM IC-S16

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: NIN TREATMENT AB <nilsson@nintreatment.se>
Message-ID: <33AE58B3.2B18@nintreatment.se>
Source record: 172307

Hello!

I�m lokking for pictures and spec. for the IC-S16.
Pse reply if You have anything.

Tnx and have a good summer. Patrik SM7URN

6725. FS COLLINS 51S-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5ntq@internetmci.com
Message-ID: <01bc7fc5$f684e280$2ac1bdcc@pkatz>
Source record: 172308

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51S-1 ROUND EXCELLENT MANUAL FOB HOUSTON $1850
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6726. FS HRO60 XTAL CAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5ntq@internetmci.com
Message-ID: <01bc7fc7$92d31de0$2ac1bdcc@pkatz>
Source record: 172309

HRO 60 CRYSTAL CALIBRATOR $50 FOB HOUSTON

6727. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e182e58da52a50b98968d@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172310

In article <01bc7f58$0b8d7200$dd872299@gottria.Earthlink>,
gottria@earthlink.net says...
> A friend just bought the new Standard 510 and loves it. Only price I found
> is $319.99. Anybody find it cheaper let me know!!!
>
>I bought mine at universal for $310+tax,so it was about the
same.Everyplace I checked had it for 310-325.The only things I don't like
are the lousy antenna and the price of the case($30).It works great...
Barry N8PVX
>
--
Bumologist.........What the HELL is that!!???
Barry Felstein

6728. FS: Icom Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Morton L. Denison" <mdenison@blazenet.net>
Message-ID: <33AE6813.254D@blazenet.net>
Source record: 172311

I've got the following Icom accessories for sale:

UX-14 CI-IV/CI-V Communication Interface Converter. $80.00 shipped.

CT-17 RS-232 Interface Unit for the UX-14. $90.00 shipped.

CR-64 High Stability Crystal Unit. $85.00 shipped.

Mort Denison

6729. Re: IC-W32A info; programming & cloning cable wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg7fu <kg7fu@clipper.net>
Message-ID: <01bc7fd7$38ebb980$2a6730cf@gateway>
Source record: 172312

I have purchased the Icom software and PC cable. I paid $45.95 from HRO,
who now
is having a special, if you buy the rig they'll thrown in a copy of the
program and cable.
The program comes with no manual and there is very little "online" help.

I'm still looking for the programming specification, ie: data structure and
communication
method between the rig and the pc.

de James KG7FU

kg7fu <kg7fu@clipper.net> wrote in article
<01bc7bed$297c2a40$1d6730cf@gateway>...
> Greetings!
>
> I'd like to know if anyone has to share the programming specs and cable
> details for the new Icom W32A 2m/440 HT.
>
> Mods would be nice too, but not necessary.
>
> Thanks for any info.
>
> REPLY TO: kg7fu@clipper.net
>
> "YOU kill what YOU fear and YOU fear what YOU don't understand"
>
>

6730. FS: Tubes and Test Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@emodus.com
Message-ID: <5oltn7$521$84@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 172313

Used Tubes, Pulled from Surplus Equipment, untested,
Priced accordingly, Substantial quantities available:

0A2 $1.00
6AH6 $0.50
6AL5 $0.50
6AN8A $1.00
6AU6A $0.50
6CL6 $1.00
6X4 $1.00
12AT7 $2.00
12AU7A $3.00
12AX7A $3.00
5651A $0.75
5963/12AU7A $3.00
6080 $3.00
6201/12AT7 $2.00
8068 $14.00
8136 $0.75
8532W $1.00

Shipping in the USA: 1 - 6 tubes $4.00, 6 or more tubes
shipping free! For shipping outside the USA Email your list
and your shipping address for shipping cost information.

TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned
and calibrated,120 day warranty,shipping free in the USA
$465.00 each!

For a complete list of ELECTRON TUBES (both new and/or used),
various ANTIQUE RADIOCOMPONENTS or ELECTRONIC TEST
EQUIPMENT, please E-mail: sales@emodus.com

Thank you!

6731. Re: ? Crossband Repeater with DJ-560 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: watnny@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970623133201.JAA02692@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172314

Short and to the point...The DJ-560 will NOT receive AM aircraft or cross band repeat,period! Had one for years..and sold it last swap. Maybe you are refering to the DJ-580..Mark N8REZ

Mark is absolutely correct !!! The DJ-560 will NOT crossband repeat, will NOT receive AM aircraft OR receive 800MHz !!! The mod IS for the DJ-580.

A buddy of mine tried this mod (from the exact same board) and cutting the red wire disabled his PTT !!! I called Alinco after this and talked to my favorite tech (the one who'll be straight up with you) and he told me that the 560 didn't have the internal compnents to do it. I then wrote to the administrator of the board and he was suppose to remove this mod from the list -- I guess he didn't !!!

Mike N2PSJ
Watertown, NY

6732. [SGC Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: larrybo@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5olta1$pco@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 172315

I am seeking feedback about the SGC auto tuner. I have heard that some are having problems with them and before I buy one I would like to hear the opinions of those who have used the tuner.

Larry
K8SRH

6733. WTB Yaesu FT50RD/FT10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33AE7CCA.794F@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172316

I want to buy a used FT 50 or FT 10. i will pay by US Postal MO. Please email. Thanks HT

6734. Questions about newer "basic" HF rigs (FT600, 840, IC707)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cdorn@gpu.srv.ualberta.ca
Message-ID: <5okqnvgte1@pulp.ucs.ualberta.ca>
Source record: 172317

Hello,
I currently own a Kenwood 830S station for base use, and am satisfied with it. I am looking into the smaller, mobile HF market for a rig suitable for camping trips, etc.. Specifically I am looking to more mobile type rigs that are solid, but not loaded with bells and whistles. I haven't seen anything posted about the new Yaesu FT600. The review in QST looked ok, but is this rig "too basic" for hobby use? Is the FT840 a better choice in this price and feature range? What about the Icom 707? Interested to see if there are any FT600 owners who could comment. Any insight appreciated.

Chris VE6RDC

6735. Re: Help! IC-271A & IC-471A Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33ae8c27.2714075@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172318

On Sat, 21 Jun 1997 00:35:23 -0300, Al Mirabal <alfa011@prtc.net>
wrote:

>Hello!
>I am looking for information to replace myself the lithium
>battery on my Icom IC-271A and IC-471A.
>Can someone help me?
>
>Thanks
>Alvin
>WP4IDK
If the battery measures 3.3 volts D.C. Leave it alone...I've seen
them go for 15 years so far on a prototype 751. Changing it yourself
runs the risk of program corruption from static on the tip of your
soldering iron. Can't say I've ever heard on one going bad with out
someone messing with the ram board. Have seen more ram chips fail
than batteries.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6736. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ol47u$2e5@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172319

In <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:
>
>Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to
the
>newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
>threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son "butchered"
>the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not easy).
>The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to the
>radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by people
>who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and if
>done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

Prediction:

Hershman's mythical Brother in Law the lawyer will not approve and
Steve unfortunately will be unable to share the fruits of his awesome
interrogations with us.

Jerry

6737. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: marty-k@snet.net
Message-ID: <33AE8E77.42C6@snet.net>
Source record: 172320

Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX wrote:
>
> I had to replace the lithium battery in my FT-757 GXII two years ago. I
> was able to carefully peel the metal tabs off of the old battery and I
> obtained a replacement cell at Radio Shack (it is a 2/3 N size I
> believe). Anyhow, I was able to resolder it to the old tabs and it
> works. What I really want to do is get a cell holder from Digi-Key and
> install it. But the cell holder is only $.80 and is probably more work
> than the number of times I will ever have to replace the cell.
>
> Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX

I'm going to replace my 757 battery also. Could you tell me if you
detached the tabs from the cell, leaving the tabs soldered to the
board,
or did you need to desolder the tabs from the board also.

The idea of of that cell holder occured to me also. I came to the same
conclusion you did.

73, Marty K1FHR

6738. Re: !!!PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS/TRY IT FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "chris dot muriel at analog dot com"
Message-ID: <33ae8e44.419242@news>
Source record: 172321

Robert Scarlett <scarlett@nanospace.com> wrote:

>You're in the wrong newsgroup. Don't waste your time, and ours.
Not much point in telling him in **THIS** newsgroup !!
The Spammer won't read it anyway.
You could try to trace his **true** email adress & that of his ISP.
Then either complain to him or complain to the relevant ISP
(via postmaster@ or abuse@ whatever the ISP domain is)...
Chris Muriel,G3ZDM

6739. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33AE895F.50B2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172322

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> In <33ab5dca.1677045@news.accessnv.com> ad7k@accessnv.com (Dale
> ("Squeak") Porray, AD7K) writes:
> >
> >On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 19:20:01 -0400, hershman
> ><hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >---<snip>---
> >>COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ UNinterupted!!!!
> >..............now this ^^^^^ ought to be interesting ...
> >compete with your neighbor's stereo by blasting one hundred
> >Watts at 200 Hertz into your neighborhood! Boy, I'm waiting
> >to see how he does this one! Steve, do you have to build a
> >new output network to get it to put out power down in the
> >audio band? Let us know, please!!!
> >>
> >>I will keep you posted. NS1R Steven Hershman
>
> I'm certainly glad Steve is going to keep us posted 'cause it is the
> gardening season and you can always use more manure.
>
> Jerry
> >
With Jerks like Jerry it is always exciting to get on this newsgroup!
You never know what crap Jerry will say!

6740. FS Icom 761 w/ AM filter $950.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5om1fr$22ou@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172323

Icom 761 in excellent condition complete with hand mike,manuel and 6khz. AM filter..$950.00 + S&H. Location San Diego, CA. fone 619-459-1553

Thank you, bob_weiss@prodigy.com

6741. FS Icom 761 w/ AM filter $950.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5om1hq$ps6@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172324

Icom 761 in excellent condition complete with hand mike,manuel and 6khz. AM filter..$950.00 + S&H. Location San Diego, CA. fone 619-459-1553

Thank you, bob_weiss@prodigy.com

6742. Re: MFJ 9406 6M Rig Opinions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Frank R. Grant" <w4ulw@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33AE9BED.CFE@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172325

David M. Arruzza wrote:
>
> If someone owns and operates this rig I would like your opinion of
> it..It looks like a nice little rig for the casual 6 mtr op. Let me
> know the good and bad please !!!!
>
> 73 Dave WA1UUD

Dear Dave,

I have used one of the rigs for six weeks and have found it to be
much more than I expected for the price. The receiver is excellent,
compared to my FT-736, and puts out approximately eight watts.
I installed the cw option and it also is very good. I have worked
seventeen states thus far with a ham stick dipole only six feet high.
This is my first responce to equipment evaluation in forty years on
the air - its great to find a good buy and moderate price.
--- 73 Frank --- W4ULW
--
MZ

6743. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: DR Electronics <drele@hol.gr>
Message-ID: <01bc7ff7$0526a680$08cf1ec2@drele.hol.gr>
Source record: 172326

Dont you think $230 will cover import duties and S/H or did you forget
about these?

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote in article
<33ADDE67.2194@ix.netcom.com>...
> If you go to Icom Japan Web page it list the price of the radios in Yen.
> Simply divide the Yen price to get the USA dollars price. Some hot
> selling radios are marked up Big $$$ in the USA like the Icom 706 MK II.
> I am going to see if I can buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan.
> The Ic-706 MKII costs 138,000 Yen /122 comes to $1050 !!!Most dealers
> want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!
> WE ARE GETTING RIPPED OFF!
> However, the ICom 756 is slow moving so we get a great deal!
> The japanese price is 258,000 Yen /122 comes to $2100
> Most USA dealers sell the radio for $1930 . We are saaving $180 !
> The Yaesu FT-920 costs 198,000 Yen /122 comes to $1650. We are paying
> $1750 for the radio. We are paying $100 more because it is selling well
> I thought the Mans on the Newsgroup would appreciate it if I can find a
> way to buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan and save them $230 or
> more on some models.
> 73,s NS1R Steven Hershman
>

6744. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grant Youngman <nq5t@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5omcq9$e3k$1@news8.gte.net>
Source record: 172327

DR Electronics wrote:
>
> Dont you think $230 will cover import duties and S/H or did you forget
> about these?

And there's also the little issue of a USA warranty. Doubt that the folks at Icom America will be able to be too helpful if something goes wrong. And its probably a not a quickie turnaround all the way from Asia ...

Grant/NQ5T

6745. Accurate RF Watt Meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5mbs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970623174901.NAA14499@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172328

Hello all! I am a new ham (2 Yrs.) and hold a no-code technician license. I have passed my General theory exam, and am working on my code. My question is in reference to rf wattmeters. I see so many different models out there. I have heard that the BIRD is the standard for hams. I used to be into CB, and a friend owns a cb shop. I have seen him measure output on a cb with his DOSY and it show nearly 10 watts, then measure the same radio on a bird and it shows 4.5. How do you know if the meter you are using is accurate? What is the method of calibration?

Rick
KC5MBS

6746. Need info. DESPERATELY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: sca00135@mail.wvnet.EDU
Message-ID: <33AE659E.72CC@mail.wvnet.edu>
Source record: 172329

Hello to all, and thanks for reading.

I desperately need ANY information whatsoever concerning a remote tuned HF Amplifier, Model CL-36, made by a company called Communications Associates Inc.. The mfg. used "CAI" as their logo and were located in Huntington Station, New York.

The amplifier is a remote tuned, single 8877 and I believe it was built for Maritime Service.

I need a manual/schematic or ANY information whatsoever about the manufacturer or the amplifier. Any lead will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks and 73, Sam--K8WVA--

6747. Re: More TS440S problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.970623105613.9807G-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 172330

On 2 May 1997, it was written:

> I have had two 440S's with the frequency problem. Sent both to AES
> repair department for repair (PLL board goo0, and have had no problems
> since. The 440S is a great radio, and there's no good reason for having
> one collect dust because of the PLL board glitch.
>
>

I have a TS-440S/AT and have had a problem with the panel light blinking. Bad Solder joint. Also, the VFO knob stiffening up with no action. A simple act of lubricating. Otherwise, I LOVE this radio. I even modified it for extended range on TX/RX and have had NO other problems.
While a lemon is possible, it shouldn't be a factor in judging all TS-440S radios by.

I would recommend the TS-440S, but I will say the AT (Antenna Tuner), wasn't really worth the money. An external antenna tuner does a better job, for equal or less money if you aren't too lazy to turn a couple knobs instead of pushing a button. It works, but not as well as an external tuner. The AT won't do 160 meters anyhow, if you plan on using that band.

Lou

6748. Wanted:Radio Repair in W.MI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: lewjb@ncats.newaygo.mi.us
Message-ID: <867089703.31003@dejanews.com>
Source record: 172331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bruce,KA8KAW,has a Robyn SSB Digital 500 transceiver that doesn't want to tune & wonders if there is someone in the west Michigan area that works on these old digital boatanchers.He has the manual.If you can help please call Bruce at 1-616-924-6530.He's a handicapped ham so any help would be appreciated.The radio covers 10-80 meters.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6749. New Programming Info For Motorola MCX 100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Burniston <davidgb@nortel.ca>
Message-ID: <33AEB7F9.7216@nortel.ca>
Source record: 172332

Hi,

I've received a Motorola MCX 100 with 32 memory PROM. I want to change the programmed frequencies to match my local repeaters (it currently uses repeater frequencies from another area). I have the equipment to program a new PROM but need to know how to generate the appropriate data.

Anyone have this info and could e-mail it to me?

Thanks,

... Dave

6750. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33B07B87.2D1C@erols.com>
Source record: 172083

Joseph Fenn wrote:
>
> I remember when first bought my IC751 years ago there was a lot of
> conjecture that if the lithium backup cell ever failed, the whole
> operating system would be lost??? That dont sound reasonable to me
> now or back at the time when I first heard it mentioned. Loss of
> all the 32 memory channels (if you have anything stored in them) yes
> I can understand. Loss of the entire program (i/e the VCO control
> etc) I doubt it. Would anybody care to comment on this. My lithium
> must be about 10 years old already so if I loose the freqcys in
> the memory channels, thats no big thing.
>
> ********************************
> * jfenn@lava.net *
> * Ham radio KH6JF *
> * MARS radio ABM6JF *
> * WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *
> ********************************

I don't know about the 751, but what you describe IS exactly the case for the Icom R71 receiver. There is no ROM. The program is stored in RAM along with the memory channels and it's all maintained by the battery. If the battery goes dead you loose the entire processor program! The only solution then is to send the receiver (or at least the memory module) back to ICOM for reprogamming. You could jumper a temporary battery into the circuit to hold the memory while you replace the battery. In the R71, the battery is soldered to the circuit board and the board is burried below another board and a shield. Replacement is not an easy task. I guess the object of this design was job security for Icom techs.

6751. Re: Dual band antenna selection for a Jeep?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark&Sher N8REZ <Mcast@flash.net>
Message-ID: <33B094FB.5305@flash.net>
Source record: 172084

Willie Peloquin wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I just purchased a Jeep Wrangler, soft top. I am trying to make a decision
> on the type of antenna to purchase. I would like a dual band, 2m & 70cm,
> that would look attractive on the jeep. I do not know too much about
> antenna theory, so I thought that I would ask the experts! I don't really
> want to go with a glass mount. I have seen CB antennas mounted to a bracket
> used as a stop for the rear tire. Possibly a rear quarter panel mounted
> whip. What would be the optimal location, better yet, is there an on-line
> resource that would help educate me on ground planes, and antennas?
>
> Thanks a bunch,
>
> --
> Willie Peloquin - N8MDY
> Senior Software Engineer
> http://www.ismi.net/~wpeloqui

I've had real good luck with a Larsen 270 dual band. You can mount it on
a bracket off the tire carrier like a buddy of mine has. Works just
fine..Optimim would be in the center of the vehicle though..that's it
73 N8REZ

6752. Re: FS:Sony Portable Receiver/Scanner 150KHz to 223MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ERNIE TIMLIN <ERNIETIMLIN@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B05021.4487@prodigy.net>
Source record: 172085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

ERNIE TIMLIN wrote:
>
> I am asking $175.00 for my Sony ICF PRO-80. It is 8 years old, but in
> excellent condition. Only used about 50 hours. It comes with the
> original box, manual, and earphone and carry case, which was never
> opened. It also has a BNC plug to handle an external antenna, or it
> operates from the included original telescoping antenna. Primary
> frequency coverage is 150KHz to 108MHz continuous, and 115.15MHz to
> 223MHz continuous with the included frequency/antenna converter. It has
> a PLL synthesized receiver, with FM & AM narrow and wide, and SSB
> detection modes. The AM modes and SSB have a fine tuning knob which
> gives plus or minus 3.5KHz in SSB. It has 3 scan modes, which will scan
> bands, or the 40 memories.
> It uses 4 AA batteries which last approx. 10 hours, weighs 1lb. 7 oz.
> and is 3 5/8 x 7 1/4 x 2 inches.It will also run on 6VDC, but I do not
> have an AC-DC power adapter. (They are available at Radio Shack.) This
> radio has an excellent speaker and sensitivity for a portable. The fine
> tuning works well in selecting SW/SSB signals. It is particularly
> sensitive in the HF bands. So much so that I have never felt a need to
> connect it to an external antenna to bring in more signals. It has a
> vertical stance, so it is easy to hand carry. Please send me an E-Mail
> if you are interested.
> Ernie Timlin
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The Pro-80 is sold. Thanks to all who replied.
Ernie Timlin

6753. FS:Sony Portable Receiver/Scanner 150KHz to 223MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ERNIE TIMLIN <ERNIETIMLIN@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B04F85.1964@prodigy.net>
Source record: 172086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Samuel E. Pool wrote:
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> ERNIE TIMLIN (ERNIETIMLIN@prodigy.net) wrote:
> : I am asking $175.00 for my Sony ICF PRO-80. It is 8 years old, but in
> : excellent condition. Only used about 50 hours. It comes with the
> : original box, manual, and earphone and carry case, which was never
> : opened. It also has a BNC plug to handle an external antenna, or it
> : operates from the included original telescoping antenna. Primary
> : frequency coverage is 150KHz to 108MHz continuous, and 115.15MHz to
> : 223MHz continuous with the included frequency/antenna converter. It has
> : a PLL synthesized receiver, with FM & AM narrow and wide, and SSB
> : detection modes. The AM modes and SSB have a fine tuning knob which
> : gives plus or minus 3.5KHz in SSB. It has 3 scan modes, which will scan
> : bands, or the 40 memories.
> : It uses 4 AA batteries which last approx. 10 hours, weighs 1lb. 7 oz.
> : and is 3 5/8 x 7 1/4 x 2 inches.It will also run on 6VDC, but I do not
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> : radio has an excellent speaker and sensitivity for a portable. The fine
> : tuning works well in selecting SW/SSB signals. It is particularly
> : sensitive in the HF bands. So much so that I have never felt a need to
> : connect it to an external antenna to bring in more signals. It has a
> : vertical stance, so it is easy to hand carry. Please send me an E-Mail
> : if you are interested.
> : Ernie Timlin
>
> I will speak favorably for the PRO-80 - I enjoy mine, and I think this
> is a good deal - If I didn't already have one!
>
> Sam Pool
> --
> sepool@netcom.com

The PRO-80 is sold. Thanks to all who replied.
Ernie Timlin

6754. Re: 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.A41.3.95b.970624191003.146476A-100000@homer36.u.washington.edu>
Source record: 172087

This is a tough one. I spent hours debating the virtues of both rigs, I've compared them side by side with my present radio (a TS 850), and I've asked my friends and some of the most avid dxers their opinions on this very question. I also spoke with the Yaesu reps at ham conventions. Here are my findings and the views of those mentioned above. I was primarily interested in comparing receivers because I wanted the BEST receiver available. In terms of basic receiver performance, I think the 1000D is quieter. By "basic" performance I mean without DSP. The 1000MP with the DSP on did appear to be quieter under some conditions, but not all condx. Some guys like DSP (its "tonality", etc.), but I'm not a huge fan of processed sound. The D offers other impressive features not included in the MP, like 200 watts output (good if your amp requires more than 100 watts drive, or if you don't want an amp), and dual band receive, which may be good if you're a contester. On the other hand, to get these features the D weighs in at considerably more pounds, making it difficult for dxpeditions or any portable use. The D is built like a tank, good solid transformer and power supply and seems like a more rugged rig (although I'm sure the MP will hold up extremely well). But if you don't need the power, maybe you don't need to pay for it either. The VK0IR team used MPs, and according to WWDXA club member N6MZ, one of the team members, they loved 'em. I also asked why John, ON4UN, one of the world's most renowned hams and author of the book "Low Band DXing", why he switched to the MP after using the D for years. He said he found the receiver to be quieter and easier to listen to on the low bands, especially after long hours of contesting. He also liked the portability of the MP compared to the rock that the D is. On the other hand, I also had the opportunity to ask Martii Laing, OH2BH, famous dxpeditioner which rig he prefers. He has both the MP and the D in his home station in Finland. He swears by the D for the reasons above and suggested that the D is better on cw, and has better blocking dynamic range. The Yaesu reps said they thought the MP was a better receiver because of its DSP versatility, but otherwise they had the same basic receiver performance. Confusing...? You betcha. What all this indicated to me was that they were both first rate and one just had to decide what features you wanted: DSP, 200 watts, portability, cross band rcv. So I was able to compare each one to the TS 850, thanks to my friends K7XS and N6NR. What I found was quite surprising. In both cases, to my ear, the TS 850 had a "hotter" receiver (more sensitive) and was able to block adjacent strong signals better (using similar filters)! Both of my buddies, who owned the other rigs, also agreed! Now remember, I was only interested in the receivers. The MP and the D both have many other features that the 850 does not have. But my amp doesn't need more than 100 watts drive and I've worked 315 countries never using dual receive or crossband receive. So I purchased an outboard DSP filter and am as happy as a clam with the 850 (and saved myself

thousands of dollars). The bottom line to your question is figure out what features you want and go with that. Both the MP and the D are superb. By the way, Rick, N6NR, added a Timewave 599 DSP to his D and he figures he's got a 1000DMP! It sounded REAL good to my ears too. Best 73s, John, K7JY.

6755. Make me an offer I cant refuse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Fitzgerald <ron@ykm.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8115$20bd3b60$14b23ace@ronzo.home>
Source record: 172088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Like new FT-757 and AT-757 tuner...original everything including service manuals. $675.00 for the pair. Never mobile.

FT-902 DM - 8/10 new finals, not used since Yaesu realigned in early 96. $450.00 in original packing with manuals and hand mike.

Hy-Gain HT-18, also like new...Pick up only in Washington state. $500.00

Dentron 3000-A Tuner with manual $200.00....yep, easily handles the legal limit.

Heath SB-1000 with spare 3-500 and all manuals. $650.00

Thanks for reading.
Ron Fitzgerald
KO6BY/7
ron@ykm.com

6756. Best Legal Limit AMP????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Javery <kjave@iserv.net>
Message-ID: <33B07867.496A@iserv.net>
Source record: 172089

I need a new HF amplifier after my Kenwood TL-922A took a hit from a lightning bolt. Need some opinions on the best FULL legal limit amp for around $3000 or under.
Keith Javery kjave@iserv.net
WD4MTV

6757. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Toby Rogers <tobyr@www.prairieweb.com>
Message-ID: <33B09E48.2F6D@www.prairieweb.com>
Source record: 172090

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Sun, 22 Jun 1997 22:24:39 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >If you go to Icom Japan Web page it list the price of the radios in Yen.
> >Simply divide the Yen price to get the USA dollars price. Some hot
> >selling radios are marked up Big $$$ in the USA like the Icom 706 MK II.
> >I am going to see if I can buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan.
> >The Ic-706 MKII costs 138,000 Yen /122 comes to $1050 !!!Most dealers
> >want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!
> > WE ARE GETTING RIPPED OFF!
>
> Icom America (the importer) and your 800 dealer have to make a profit
> to stay in business. You're looking at it.
>
> >I thought the Mans on the Newsgroup would appreciate it if I can find a
> >way to buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan and save them $230 or
> >more on some models.
>
> You should be aware that the Japanese version of the radio uses a different
> CPU. It only covers the 144-146 MHz segment of 2m, and none of the mods
> to expand coverage will work. This is due to Japanese regulations.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
> Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
> Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

I concure... "It goes to show, YOU GET WHAT YOU PAY FOR."
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_// T-Bear
(*.*) Toby Rogers KB0SME
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(_)-(_) tobyr@prairieweb.com

6758. FS: Kenwood TM261A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEdmunds <JEdmunds@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B088EB.5F65@prodigy.net>
Source record: 172091

Excess equipment:
1 - TM261A Radio - 9 months old
1 - AR 270 Cushcraft antenna
1 - Astron RS12A power supply

As a unit - $305.00, COD money order or cashier check.
I will pay shipping anywhere in continental USA.

E-mail: JEdmunds@prodigy.com

Jack Edmunds, KB0WWN.

6759. FS:Collins etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: B&R <robtram@ns.net>
Message-ID: <33B0A6DF.4A2C@ns.net>
Source record: 172092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amatuer.swap

Hi,
I just put up a new websight with vintage ham equipment,rare tubes and
more.I will be adding to it daily so visit often.

thanks
Robert Ramirez

http://www.ns.net/~robtram

6760. FS: Tubes and Test Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@emodus.com
Message-ID: <33b09895.0@news.cyberannex.com>
Source record: 172093

Used Tubes, Pulled from Surplus Equipment, untested,
Priced accordingly, Substantial quantities available:

0A2 $1.00
6AH6 $0.50
6AL5 $0.50
6AN8A $1.00
6AU6A $0.50
6CL6 $1.00
6X4 $1.00
12AT7 $2.00
12AU7A $3.00
12AX7A $3.00
5651A $0.75
5963/12AU7A $3.00
6080 $3.00
6201/12AT7 $2.00
8068 $14.00
8136 $0.75
8532W $1.00

Shipping in the USA: 1 - 6 tubes $4.00, 6 or more tubes
shipping free! For shipping outside the USA Email your list
and your shipping address for shipping cost information.

TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned
and calibrated,120 day warranty,shipping free in the USA
$465.00 each!

For a complete list of ELECTRON TUBES (both new and/or used),
various ANTIQUE RADIOCOMPONENTS or ELECTRONIC TEST
EQUIPMENT, please E-mail:

sales@emodus.com

Thank you!

6761. FS-ft-236R 6meter module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark N Dumont <mark@ciainc.com>
Message-ID: <33B08AF5.EA4C84B5@ciainc.com>
Source record: 172094

I have a 6meter module for sale Yaesu...

Purchased in March of this year...

Asking $225.00

My E-mail address is mark@ciainc.com

6762. Loom for a Clarion Car Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dblackw@waikato.ac.nz
Message-ID: <dblackw-2406971738260001@tl2-19-3.soe.waikato.ac.nz>
Source record: 172095

I'm looking for a loom for a Clarion car radio. Model rt9120f, 12volt
negative ground
Made in malaysia....

Reply via email to wnet5005@waikato.ac.nz
Thanx

6763. Spec.'s on Ic-706-MK-2?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Hawkins <bhawkins@cruzio.com>
Message-ID: <33B094D3.57F6@cruzio.com>
Source record: 172096

Hi,

I had (I sold it) a Ic-706, It sucked...
How's the new one (-706 Mk2)?
Is the Squelch work any better in FM or SSB?
Is the reciver sinativty on 10m or 6m FM, any better?
Is the filter bleed through any better (HF SSB/CW)?

Bruce
--
****
Bruce Hawkins,
bhawkins@cruzio.com bhawkins@comix.santa-cruz.ca.us
or ac6dn@comix.santa-cruz.ca.us
AC6DN@KI6EH.#CCA.CA.USA.NOAM (packet radio)
52.8-, PL 114.8 Hz; 146.79-, PL 94.8 Hz;
440.925+, PL 123 Hz; 1286.150-, PL 127.3 Hz
73,
AC6DN
Bruce Hawkins...
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6764. RACAL REC RA6790/GM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Cassarino <CCCOM@AIMNET.COM>
Message-ID: <33AFEC9E.5E99@AIMNET.COM>
Source record: 172097

HELLO FROM NICK, HAVE FOR SALE A FEW RACAL RA6790/GM RECEIVERS WITH
FILTERS IN GOOD TO FINE CONDITION ...$ 500.00 ---- $800.00 EA E-MAIL OR
CALL 408-244-4740

6765. Re: one more thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ernie Stedman <estedman@radia1.com>
Message-ID: <33B065B0.6840@radia1.com>
Source record: 172098

Chris Schmidt wrote:
>
> I posted the letter about the HT-41, I also noticed another odd thing,
> whenever this the amplifier is inline with my transciever, I can barely
> hear anything, like somewhere in the amplifier there is not a good
> connection between the input and output, whenever I bypass the amplfier,
> I have normal recieve. Is there a reason for this? Perhaps a cure?
>
> Thanks again,
>
> Chris
sounds like a bad T/R relay..

6766. Motorola-Maxar 80 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Warren <vo1ty@thezone.net>
Message-ID: <33AFA03E.511C@thezone.net>
Source record: 172099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thanks for reading this,I need a bit of help .I looking for set up information to bring the Maxar down into the packet area of vhf from 160 mhz. A copy of the manual would be nice I would pay for photo copy+ postage.Thanks.
Tom vo1ty

6767. Zenith Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barb Stanley <BarbS223@aol.com>
Message-ID: <33B092E0.1C7B@aol.com>
Source record: 172100

For Sale:

Three Zenith "TransOceanic" transistor radios and two other Zenith radios.

These come from my dad (WB0SUJ) , who passed away this spring. He was a lifelong Zenith Radio & TV dealer in Rolla, MO.

The radios are:
Model Royal 3000-1, Chassis 12KT43Z8. The audio seems to work but the reception is very weak. This unit has seen some wear and tear and needs dial lights. There is no built in AC supply, uses 9 "D" Cells.

Model Royal D7000Y. This one seems to works fine from AC or Batteries, but needs some new light bulbs. Normal wear and tear.

Model R7000. Chassis 2WKR70. This unit has a problem with the tuning mechanism so it doesn't have reception, but the audio is fine (we can hear static). AC or batteries. It was made in Taiwan and is labeled as factory reconditioned.

We also have a Royal 755 AM only unit which has a short or fault and doesn't work at all. The radio is well used, but in pretty good physical shape. The leather case is intact and in good condition

The last is a "Circle of Sound" AM/FM radio from the 60's. My husband still has it in his office and uses it often. Works perfectly but a bit dusty.

We will consider reasonable offers for any or all of these radios and will add shipping and insurance to the price. We are not dealers and the radios will be sold "as is".

The best way to respond is by email to

BarbS223@aol.com.

Thanks
Barb Stanley

6768. Part Id? MA132WK (sot23) diode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: stever@raven.cybercom.com
Message-ID: <5op0t5$j0l@crow.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 172101

Anyone know the manufacturer of the sot23 package diode
"MA132WK"and it's configuration? Also any cross reference to
Digikey/Mouser/RFparts stock? Part is used in Icoms and Icom # is
"91209097".

Thanks,
Steve, WA2NHZ
stever@cybercomm.net
****

Stephan Rashkin, WA2NHZ
E-mail: stever@cybercomm.net
****

6769. Re: [SGC Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33AFAA5A.69C@erols.com>
Source record: 172133

Erik Skovgaard wrote:
>
> Larry,
>
> Mine has worked very well in over a year. Occationally, it will not tune
> on a band. I then have to go tune on another band and go back to the band
> I really want to tune up on. It may just be a quirk of my particualr
> setup.
>
> Otherwise, it has worked perfectly well.
>
> 73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.
>
> larrybo@concentric.net wrote in article
> <5olta1$pco@chronicle.concentric.net>...
> >
> >
> > I am seeking feedback about the SGC auto tuner. I have heard that some
> are
> > having problems with them and before I buy one I would like to hear the
> > opinions of those who have used the tuner.
> >
> > Larry
> > K8SRH
>
> >
I've had one mounted outside for 5 years. Had one IC go bad during that
time. SGC repaired it for free even though the warrentee had expired.

6770. Re: FT-8000 Alternator Noise question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33AFAB7E.2698@erols.com>
Source record: 172134

Peter and Colleen McGreevy wrote:
>
> Question...
>
> I have a Yaesu FT-8000, and need a few answers:
> 1-Does the radio have any built in "alternator noise" filters, to stop
> alternator whine from getting out on transmit?
>
> 2-(this is a longer one... :) --- I have my 8000 in the car, have had it
> there for 6 months or so, no problems... Then, suddenly... alternator
> noise on transmit... Now, I think the radio got hot for a while, summer,
> poor ventilation, etc... so I was wondering if any possible alternmator
> noise reduction circuitry in it might have fried itself... Also, at
> around the time the noise began, my muffler started dangling (strap
> broke....) Now, I thought the muffler might have something to do with
> it, loss of any grounding to the muffler I thought, but then I rethought
> it and said "what grounding"... the muffler is connected to the engile,
> but then the part that broke off was only a rubber strap/support, which
> could not be offering it any additional grounding... Soooooooo..... What's
> my problem here??? Any ideas?
>
> I have another question on the radio, but that will be in another posting
>
> Thanx -- Pete -- KA2YDY
It is possible for one diode in the alternator to bad and still have
enough output to keep the battery charged under normal conditions. With
a diode out, the ripple frequency is lower and noise tends to get into
the electrical system. When I had the problem, I noticed whine in the FM
car radio as well as the ham rig receive and transmit. Turning on the
headlights (increased load) tends to cause an increase in whine.

6771. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Dual Band -NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: eswoboda@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970624131101.JAA02029@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172135

Am interested in New super small dual band transceiver by Yaesu .
Anybody any experience ? How compare with Standard C508 ?

6772. Want manual - Motorola (Measurements) Sig Gen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: A Redshirt <occupant@ns.net>
Message-ID: <01bc809f$400731e0$30f277cc@packard-bell>
Source record: 172136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Hello -

Looking for manual or copy for Motorola (manufactured
by Measurements Corp) RF Signal Generator model
S-1320. This generator is the transistorized version
which resembles the older tube model T-1034. The
sig gen would be usually used in the commercial
two way radio trade.

Will pay any and all costs for copying, or will copy
and return at your pleasure. Please check your file
cabinets, and help me get my swap meet treasure
back on the air!

Thanks for reading this.

de John WB6GHA
occupant@ns.net
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6773. Re: Headset intercoms with noise cancelling mic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <33b1c6aa.5776232@news.erols.com>
Source record: 172137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Sun, 22 Jun 1997 18:34:14 -0500, Craig Blome
<craig.blome@a-m-d.c-o-m.removethedashes> wrote:

>Forgive the newbie question, but...I belong to a local sports car club
>that puts on autocross events. The starter communicates with the timing
>van right now using a pair of Radio Shack 49MHz intercoms, which aren't
>ideal for this task as they don't seem to have noise cancelling
>microphones, and so the starter's voice is often drowned out by very
>loud engines. I'd like to find something with a better mic, but can't
>justify the expense for a David Clark pit headset or the like. Is there
>anything out there that doesn't require a license? Might the cellphone
>headsets now available work with a CB, or maybe one of the new FRS
>radios?

Check the Sporty's Catalog (1-800-LIFTOFF, I think). David Clark
headsets are expensive because they're also designed to protect your
hearing in high noise environments. If hearing protection is not as
much an issue as getting the message through, you may want to look at
some of the lighter weight headsets. Most, if not all, will have
noise canceling mics.

Jake Brodsky, mailto:frussle@erols.com
PP ASEL IA, Cessna Cardinal N30946, Based @ MD24
Amateur Radio Station AB3A

6774. Re: FT-8000 Audio question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Ho <davidho@one.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.95.970624094424.27572A-100000@shell.one.net>
Source record: 172138

I use my FT-8000R at home as a "base station". The sub-band (the right hand side) has lower sensitivity also, but only when operating in V-V or U-U mode. I believe this is not a problem because it is documented in the user guide. Unfortunately, I don't have the book with me right now, so I really cannot tell you from what page will you be able find the statement.

In addition, I don't find anything in particular regarding to your unbalanced audio output. It is a difficult thing to tell unless you have equipment to measure the output. Also, you might want to factor in things such as: listening environment (echo and stuff), physical position of the speakers and you (as you might have seen in an acoustic lab), and the quality of the external speaker (no 2 speakers do the exact same thing), and etc.

Since the main and sub bands are controlled by seperate volumn controls. I find that the easiest compromise for me is to adjust these knobs. After all, the FT-8000R is a dualband radio from which you can monitor 2 seperate frequencies at the same time. It's kind of defeating the purpose to use both of them to listen to the same frequency at one time (not that you are not allowed, hi hi).

I find my FT-8000R does exactly what I want it to do, although it doesn't quite live up to what it claims on the receiver side (e.g. need hearing aid on 220MHz and 800MHz, etc). Nevertheless, I did use it to monitor the Concord's arrival and departure of the Greater Cincinnati International Airport.

Best 73!

de David Ho, AF4BH aka VS6UE/W4
davidho@one.net

On Tue, 24 Jun 1997, Peter and Colleen McGreevy wrote:

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> "left" side, as it has on the "right" side. What I am saying is, the 440
> side has lower output audio than the 2Meter side....
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> Also -- WHen I set the radio to receive 440 on BOTH sides, same exact
> frequency, the right side is still lower, and, get this, the signal
> strength is lower onthe left side by 3 s units or so, not just lower on
> the s-meter, but actually lower, as in, the left side won't break the
> squelch when the right side is...
>
> Anyone have any input on this problem??? Send it back to Yaesu???
>

> Thanx -- Pete -- KA2YDY
>
>

6775. Re: Anyone using an ICOM IC-T2A ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Bowles <mbowles@texas.net>
Message-ID: <01bc80a7$503b2b40$020167df@mbowles>
Source record: 172139

Jerry Riechert <riecherg@agcs.com> wrote in article
<33AEE4E3.575C@agcs.com>...
> Is anyone out there using the Icom IC-T2A? With 4.5W out of the box, 40
> channels, PL encode and decode, it sounds promising as a first 2M hand
> held. I'm looking for pro and con comments on it. Thanks.
>
>
> ----------------- Insert standard disclaimer here. --------------
> Jerry Riechert, KC7VTR riecherg@agcs.com Phone: 602-582-7332
>

I purchased one 97/06/23 so I am fairly new to the radio, and it is my
first radio. I am finding it pretty simple to use so far as basic
functionality goes. I was able to get on the simplex frequency right away,
and on to the club repeater a few minutes later. For some of the more
advanced functions I have had to read the manual several times, but I think
this may be my inexperience more than anything else. My only concern is
that, initially anyway, there seem to be more functions than there are
programmable function keys. However, I think that as I gain experience and
learn what is really needed, versus what I think I might need, the issue
will resolve itself.

All in all, I am pleased with my purchase decision.

--
Mike Bowles
KD5BCK
mbowles@texas.net
"If your ship hasn't come in, swim out to it!"

6776. FS: GE MPD/MPA Standard Desk Charger - $25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33AFCC69.537E@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.law-enforcement,alt.firefighters,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Part #19B801506P11 Standard Charger. Excellent Condition. $25 + Fedex COD shipping from Boston.

Thanks for reading this.

Steve

6777. FS: Rad Shack VHF HTX-121/2 channel radios - $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33AFCB5A.4097@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172141
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Both are on the same frequencies (itinerant). Transmit and receieve great. One battery has new cells, the other is fair. Condition is good/some paint on them. Vinyl cases and belt clips for both. 1-12volt wall charger. $100 for both.

Steve

6778. FS: GE MPD/MPA Public Safety Mikes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33AFCA96.73A9@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.law-enforcement,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Part #198801586P2 New in box. List price is $195. Here only $50 + COD shipping or MO in advance and save the COD charge.

Have 3 pcs. all in box.

With this mike you move the antenna from the radio to the top of the speaker mike. You attach the plug to the radio and you can transmit with the radio on your belt.

Steve

6779. FS: GE MPD/MPA Surveillance Mic/Earphone Combo - $50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33AFCC00.3AAD@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.law-enforcement,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Surveillance mike/earphone combo like the Secret Service uses. Mike and switch clip to your shirt. GE lists for $165, here $50. New.

Steve

6780. Transmitting & Other Tubes FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: locoprom@adan.kingston.net
Message-ID: <5oomg3$6ai$1@gollum.kingston.net>
Source record: 172144
Cross-posted to:
alt.guitar.amps,rec.audio.tubes,rec.audio.opinion,rec.audio.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.antiques.radio+phono

Hello...

We're attempting to sell off an extensive stockpile of NOS and used vacuum tubes which has been accumulating since the mid-1930's.

The collection was amassed by a radio enthusiast who, having received certification as a radio techician in his teens, served as a radar tech during WWII, worked for Westinghouse post-war, owned a radio shop during the 50's and 60's, and currently restores vintage radios.

This inventory, of over 800 tube types, includes many rare pieces, all at VERY fair prices. To request a partial stock list, which includes Sweep Tubes and others used in Transmitters, Linear Amps, Audio Equipment, etc. please email:

locoprom@adan.kingston.net

Please DO NOT quote this article in your reply.

Thanks for your interest!

6781. Dual band antenna selection for a Jeep?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Willie Peloquin <wpeloqui@ismi.net>
Message-ID: <01bc80ae$bfcd5120$dbb46478@bigdog>
Source record: 172145

Hi,

I just purchased a Jeep Wrangler, soft top. I am trying to make a decision on the type of antenna to purchase. I would like a dual band, 2m & 70cm, that would look attractive on the jeep. I do not know too much about antenna theory, so I thought that I would ask the experts! I don't really want to go with a glass mount. I have seen CB antennas mounted to a bracket used as a stop for the rear tire. Possibly a rear quarter panel mounted whip. What would be the optimal location, better yet, is there an on-line resource that would help educate me on ground planes, and antennas?

Thanks a bunch,

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Willie Peloquin - N8MDY
Senior Software Engineer
http://www.ismi.net/~wpeloqui

6782. Re: Accurate RF Watt Meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33afc4d7.2085053@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172146

On 23 Jun 1997 17:49:08 GMT, kc5mbs@aol.com (KC5MBS) wrote:
>Hello all! I am a new ham (2 Yrs.) and hold a no-code technician license.
> I have passed my General theory exam, and am working on my code. My
>question is in reference to rf wattmeters. I see so many different models
>out there. I have heard that the BIRD is the standard for hams. I used
>to be into CB, and a friend owns a cb shop. I have seen him measure
>output on a cb with his DOSY and it show nearly 10 watts, then measure the
>same radio on a bird and it shows 4.5. How do you know if the meter you
>are using is accurate? What is the method of calibration?

Rick, the Bird has been the industry standard power meter of the two way industry for many years. Full scale tolerance is typically 3%, IE for a 100 watt reading with a 100 watt slug, the error could be as much as +/- 1.5 watts. But if you're measuring 10 watts with a 10 watt slug, the error would only be +/- 0.15 watt. So it is important to use a slug with the correct range for the power you are measuring if you want good accuracy.

The meter movement and the line section inside the meter housing work over a very wide frequency range, but the slugs are calibrated for particular frequency ranges. You must use a slug designed for the frequency range you are measuring. If you use a slug for VHF to measure a UHF signal, the reading will be high, and vice versa. This is Ok for relative readings, but you'd need to recalibrate the slug to the correct frequency range to get an accurate reading.

Bird slugs can be calibrated against a calorimetric water load. That measures the temperature difference between inlet and outlet for the cooling water. That temperature reading coupled with the known water flow rate will give you the amount of power being absorbed by the load. The Bird slug is then adjusted to match that value.

Now the CB service shop may be using a peak reading meter rather than an average reading meter. The standard Bird 43 meter reads average output power. That's perfect for FM, but it won't measure SSB PEP power. Bird makes a different peak reading meter which can do that.

Gary
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534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6783. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33afc236.1411781@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172147

On Sun, 22 Jun 1997 22:24:39 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>If you go to Icom Japan Web page it list the price of the radios in Yen.
>Simply divide the Yen price to get the USA dollars price. Some hot
>selling radios are marked up Big $$$ in the USA like the Icom 706 MK II.
>I am going to see if I can buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan.
>The Ic-706 MKII costs 138,000 Yen /122 comes to $1050 !!!Most dealers
>want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!
> WE ARE GETTING RIPPED OFF!

Icom America (the importer) and your 800 dealer have to make a profit
to stay in business. You're looking at it.

>I thought the Mans on the Newsgroup would appreciate it if I can find a
>way to buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan and save them $230 or
>more on some models.

You should be aware that the Japanese version of the radio uses a different
CPU. It only covers the 144-146 MHz segment of 2m, and none of the mods
to expand coverage will work. This is due to Japanese regulations.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6784. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Dual Band -NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc80a9$870f81a0$de872299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 172148

Get the Standard 510, 1 watt and a little bigger, 3AA batteries, keypad,
200+ memories in 20 banks. But it dosen't have as wide receive as the
Yaesu.
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Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

ESwoboda <eswoboda@aol.com> wrote in article
<19970624131101.JAA02029@ladder02.news.aol.com>...
> Am interested in New super small dual band transceiver by Yaesu .
> Anybody any experience ? How compare with Standard C508 ?
>

6785. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Dual Band -NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R. Fraley" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <33AFEBC5.5ED4@planetc.com>
Source record: 172149

ESwoboda wrote:
>
> Am interested in New super small dual band transceiver by Yaesu .
> Anybody any experience ? How compare with Standard C508 ?
You need to take a long look at the standard C510A ! Nice RADIO!It has a keypad,more power without outside power source! I hope this helps!
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Delete xxx to e-mail me!(antispam measure!)

Rodney KE4NWI
NRA LIFE MEMBER

IMPEACH BILL CLINTON!!!

6786. Re: FT-8000 Alternator Noise question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Message-ID: <33AFE4DA.57B4@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Source record: 172150

Peter and Colleen McGreevy wrote:
>
> Question...
>
> I have a Yaesu FT-8000, and need a few answers:
> 1-Does the radio have any built in "alternator noise" filters, to stop
> alternator whine from getting out on transmit?
>

Hmmm. It may---my FT-530 required the filtered cig lighter cord, but my
FT-8000, connected directly to the battery, of course, didn't need any
additional filtering.

> 2-(this is a longer one... :) --- I have my 8000 in the car, have had it
> there for 6 months or so, no problems... Then, suddenly... alternator
> noise on transmit... Now, I think the radio got hot for a while, summer,
> poor ventilation, etc... so I was wondering if any possible alternmator
> noise reduction circuitry in it might have fried itself... Also, at
> around the time the noise began, my muffler started dangling (strap
> broke....) Now, I thought the muffler might have something to do with
> it, loss of any grounding to the muffler I thought, but then I rethought
> it and said "what grounding"... the muffler is connected to the engile,
> but then the part that broke off was only a rubber strap/support, which
> could not be offering it any additional grounding... Soooooooo..... What's
> my problem here??? Any ideas?

Just because your muffler is still hanging on doesn't mean it has a good
electrical ground to the frame. Many systems use a non-metallic
coupling gasket between the downpipe and manifold. Of course if the
system is old enough perhaps every joint in it may be rusted to the
point where it becomes an insulator rather than conductor. Might be
worth a try to install a new hanger, and while you're under there run a
ground strap from the hanger to the frame and check those joints.

I've had no ignition or alternator noise from my 8000 in the two months
I've had it. :) Nice radio.

73 de KE6PHU/9

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Dave Keyser | The opinions expressed herein are not necessarily
Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

6787. Re: FT-8000 Audio question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Keyser <nospam.david.keyser@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Message-ID: <33AFE795.3717@ln.ssw.abbott.com>
Source record: 172151

Peter and Colleen McGreevy wrote:
>
> My FT-8000 has louder receive audio and higher signal strength on the
> "left" side, as it has on the "right" side. What I am saying is, the 440
> side has lower output audio than the 2Meter side....

And the volume control doesn't help? ;)

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> Also -- WHen I set the radio to receive 440 on BOTH sides, same exact
> frequency, the right side is still lower, and, get this, the signal
> strength is lower onthe left side by 3 s units or so, not just lower on
> the s-meter, but actually lower, as in, the left side won't break the
> squelch when the right side is...

If I recall correctly, the manual states somewhere that each side's receiver is optimized for that band, and any signal outside the band for which it's optimized will appear to have a lower signal strength. The left side is optimized for 2M, the right for 440. A 440 signal on the left side is well outside the 2M band, and therefore will have a lower signal strength reading on the left side. Try receiving a 2M signal on the right side and you'll notice similar results. In addition, the 860 MHz signal from my local PD that is full quieting on my scanner barely comes in on the FT-8000 due to the passband being tuned for amateur bands and narrow bandwidth of the antenna.

>
> Anyone have any input on this problem??? Send it back to Yaesu???

It's not a problem so much as a fact of life with wide-band receivers. Great radio.

73 de KE6PHU/9

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Gurnee, Illinois | those of my employer, Abbott Laboratories.

6788. WTB: HP-8552B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Wolford <bwolford@magicnet.net>
Message-ID: <33B023B9.92D@magicnet.net>
Source record: 172152

I'm looking to buy a HP-8552B IF plugin for the HP 141 series spectrum analyzer. Please reply here or e-mail me: bwolford@magicnet.net

6789. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <867171916snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 172153

In article <33afc236.1411781@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
ke4zv@bellsouth.net "Gary Coffman" writes:

> On Sun, 22 Jun 1997 22:24:39 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >If you go to Icom Japan Web page it list the price of the radios in Yen.
> >Simply divide the Yen price to get the USA dollars price. Some hot
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> >want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!
> > WE ARE GETTING RIPPED OFF!
>
> Icom America (the importer) and your 800 dealer have to make a profit
> to stay in business. You're looking at it.

I don't think that's it. The Japanese web page shows the recommended
retail price with retailer margins included. And the Japanese retail
chain is world famously inefficient and non-competitive.

I'd put the difference down to import duty, freight and the added
cost of a separate US subsidiary which will have a significant
overhead to stock parts, provide warranty service, perform FCC Part
15 compliance certification. And then finaally add the manace of US
business and product liability insurance.

> You should be aware that the Japanese version of the radio uses a different
> CPU. It only covers the 144-146 MHz segment of 2m, and none of the mods
> to expand coverage will work. This is due to Japanese regulations.

Yup, saving those $230 will get you a crippled rig with no warranty
and no resale value. What a bargain!

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

6790. IC-765 filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tony T. Hwang" <oolong@netcom.ca>
Message-ID: <5oosrp$skb@tor-nn1-hb0.netcom.ca>
Source record: 172154

I am thinking about adding more filters to this radio
to improve filtering on CW mode. What would be the most
effective ones? Where has FT filters gone to? Are they
still in business?
TIA
Tony, VE6CGX

6791. FS: MFJ 901B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Message-ID: <33B0007C.311F@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Source record: 172155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

MFJ 901B for sale, 38.00 shipped conus.

Butch KF5DE

6792. PRC - 47 Military Radio Use on Amateur Bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glen Kitto <gkitto@teleteam.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8098$16522dc0$171822c7@gkittocrege.crefs.capital.ge.com>
Source record: 172156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Has anyone converted a PRC-47 radio for use on the LSB side of the 80 and 40 meter bands? I would like to hear from anyone who has done this mod & talked on the PRC-47 on 40 or 80 meters.

Also, looking for a PRC-47 in good to very good condition to buy, with or without the LSB mod completed.

Please email gkitto@teleteam.com or call (972) 383-7507.

73,

Glen Kitto
KC5WBQ

6793. FS: New 100ft rolls RG-11 low loss cable for $25 prepaid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <5oov0cqak1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 172157
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner

I have a quantity of NEW RG-11 72 ohm coaxial cable in 100 foot rolls. This is a super premium quality cable made by General Instruments. Ideal for making phasing lines on stacked or phased antennas, feedlines, or etc etc etc.

Price is $25 per roll PREPAID by UPS in USA. Great bargain on great coax.

Bryan W5KFT

6794. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael O'Neill <mhoneill@clara.net>
Message-ID: <5op4efcgk1@eros.clara.net>
Source record: 172158

Sony Air-8 for sale

$100 ovno

excellent condition. mail for details

6795. Re: one more thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary - KJ6Q <Reporter@sparc1.castles.com>
Message-ID: <5oovu2$4d@snews5.zippo.com>
Source record: 172159

Chris Schmidt <cschmidt@melab.me.pvamu.edu> wrote:
>I posted the letter about the HT-41, I also noticed another odd thing,
>whenever this the amplifier is inline with my transciever, I can barely
>hear anything, like somewhere in the amplifier there is not a good
>connection between the input and output, whenever I bypass the amplfier,
>I have normal recieve. Is there a reason for this? Perhaps a cure?
>
>
>Thanks again,
>
>Chris

YOU are apparently attempting to use that amp with a transceiver - but it
was DESIGNED to be used with a separate transmitter and receiver, and
with the use of a transfer relay. To use it with a transceiver, you must
rig up some sort of transfer relay system to switch the amp in and out of
the feedline when going from transmit to receive.

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Gary..KJ6Q... Time is the best teacher... unfortunately,
it KILLS all it's students!
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The FDA recently forced the removal of a leading anti-impotence
drug from the market when the main ingredient was found to
be ordinary starch...
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6796. Sell Kenwood vfo 230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: guyq@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <5op660$fao@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172160

Mint Vfo 230 for 830 530 185.00 shipped cable and manual tnx Guy
wa1tqq

6797. Re: FT-8000 Audio question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saar <smaoz_nospam@us.oracle.com>
Message-ID: <33B01E9A.794B@us.oracle.com>
Source record: 172161

Peter and Colleen McGreevy wrote:
>
> My FT-8000 has louder receive audio and higher signal strength on the
> "left" side, as it has on the "right" side. What I am saying is, the 440
> side has lower output audio than the 2Meter side....

I agree with you %100! It's a problem for me too. I bought my unit in February and noticed the problem only recently, since I use mostly 2M. When I drive in my car I can't make contacts on 73cm because of this (audio is too low - car/wind noise too high), and I don't want to fiddle around with external speakers, because the 2M sounds really fine.

To add to this, 2 weeks ago I lost ALL audio to my radio when I transmit. I would still get the signal on the S meter, but no audio comes out completely. No squelch no beeping tones, nothing!!!
Turning the unit off/on doesn't help! I let the unit sit over night, turn it on and the audio is back, great! I press transmit for 1 second, and that's that, the audio is completely gone...

I had made no modifications to the radio whatsoever, and reset the microprocessor twice to try to fix this, but to no avail. The unit is now sitting at Yaesu (Thanks to HRO for making the pass)

When I put it for repair, I stressed these TWO DISTINCT problems in my opinion and would like to hear Yaesu's response.

I will try to remember to post the outcome on this newgroup, or you can ping me in 3 weeks from now.

>
> Anyone have any input on this problem??? Send it back to Yaesu???
>
> Thanx -- Pete -- KA2YDY

Thanks, Saar.

PS: Sorry for the double post to remove my real email address (spammers... I hate them...)

6798. Re: one more thing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Schmidt <cschmidt@me.pvamu.edu>
Message-ID: <33B02D83.196@me.pvamu.edu>
Source record: 172162

Gary - KJ6Q wrote:
>
> Chris Schmidt <cschmidt@melab.me.pvamu.edu> wrote:
> >I posted the letter about the HT-41, I also noticed another odd thing,
> >whenever this the amplifier is inline with my transciever, I can barely
> >hear anything, like somewhere in the amplifier there is not a good
> >connection between the input and output, whenever I bypass the amplfier,
> >I have normal recieve. Is there a reason for this? Perhaps a cure?
> >
> >
> >Thanks again,
> >
> >Chris
>
> YOU are apparently attempting to use that amp with a transceiver - but it
> was DESIGNED to be used with a separate transmitter and receiver, and
> with the use of a transfer relay. To use it with a transceiver, you must
> rig up some sort of transfer relay system to switch the amp in and out of
> the feedline when going from transmit to receive.
>

Do you have any other information about this amplifier?

The person who I borrowed it from is still searching for
the manuals.

Chris

> --
> Gary..KJ6Q... Time is the best teacher... unfortunately,
> it KILLS all it's students!
> ==
> The FDA recently forced the removal of a leading anti-impotence
> drug from the market when the main ingredient was found to
> be ordinary starch...
> ==

6799. 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: JCCR <jccr@jccr.com>
Message-ID: <5op85j$1l3$1@news.netusa.net>
Source record: 172163

I know this one's been beaten to death, but I didn't get to catch the opinions. I want to pick up a new 1000MP or 1000D. By the time you fill up the MP with all the filters it costs as much as the 1000D. Is it better to get the 1000D and buy an external DSP? Does the older technology of the 1000D make the 1000MP a better choice? I want a great rig, it's gonna be one or the other. Opinions on 1000D vs 1000MP please?

Thanks! de Jim KS1A

6800. FORSALE - Immaculate Kenwood TS-520, great starter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <5op7f0$7an@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 172164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a virtually immaculate Kenwoods TS-520 rig that I would like to sell.
This was my first "real radio and in my opintion is still
one of the best rigs around. It would make a fantastic beginner
station or a great backup rig.

I am only the second owner of the rig.
I purchased it from a collegue of mine at Bell Labs (who
was the original owner), and I have the orignal sales receipt,
boxes, and manual for it. Both he and I took
exceptionally good care of this rig. It has NEVER been in a smoking
environment and has NEVER been mobiled.

For any novices not familiar with this radio, it is all solid state
(discrete components, so its very easy to repair if ever needed)
except for a tube driver and a pair of very
robust 6146 tubes as the finals. It has a builit in power supply,
but can also run off of 12VDC.
It covers 80,40,20,15, and 10 meters in CW and SSB (upper and lower) modes.
The receiver section is excellent and I always get excellent audio quality
reports. Many folks say that these older Kenwoods are some of the best
sounding rigs on the air.

This rig also has the optional 500Hz CW filter installed
(genuine Kenwood option).

The price is $300 firm + shipping. You might find one for a few $ less,
but NOT is this great condition.

Joe Levantino
KB2FSH

(732) 949-0664

6801. Collect Old Radio Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb687@lafn.org
Message-ID: <5opatr$q8a$1@orthanc.reference.com>
Source record: 172165

Learn why you should start collecting old radio tubes now.

Visit http://www.i-exposed.com/freehp/tube/

or reply to bb687@lafn.org

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6802. Re: 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Message-ID: <33B02F5A.2435@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Source record: 172166

I have the Kenwood. If I had it to do over, I would go the 1000D.

Butch KF5DE

6803. 40 year collection of CQ magazines for sale 1946-1987

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <5op8psuqc1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 172167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Glenny Hutcherson has a collection of CQ Magazines starting in 1946 running thru 1987 that she needs to sell. These are part of the estate of her late husband W5AYC. They are packaged and wrapped by the year. Sell as a complete set only. She will box and ship to the buyer. Price is $250 ....that is about $6 per year. She will box and ship to the purchaser for postage costs.

Call her directly at 817-834-2127

6804. Re: FT-8000 Alternator Noise question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor D. Mete" <KE4QJK@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc80cd$44ea7b80$d25492cf@AT&TWorldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172168

Hi Pete,

I too had the alternator whine. Also noticed the Ft-8000 was very susceptible to electrical noise. I've learned to live with the electrical noise but the alternator whine had to go. It was on receive and transmit. I found a relatively easy cure, works most of the time. Radio Shack has a HEAVY DUTY noise filter for $19.99 P/N 270-055.
Best wishes,

Vic

6805. Re: FS: Kenwwod TR-751A 2M ALL MODE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33B0353F.647F856A@erols.com>
Source record: 172169

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Here's a picture of the radio.

rcuffee wrote:

> Hi,
> I have a Kenwood TR-751A 2 meter all mode for sale. I am asking
> $475.00
> + shipping. It is very good condition.
>
> Send reply to:
> rcuffee@erols.com
>
> Thanks,
> Reggie

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Content-Transfer-Encoding: base64
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6806. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Creswell <jim@ipass.net>
Message-ID: <33B03E21.5F1D@ipass.net>
Source record: 172170

Anthony R. Gold wrote:
>
> In article <33afc236.1411781@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
> ke4zv@bellsouth.net "Gary Coffman" writes:
>
> > On Sun, 22 Jun 1997 22:24:39 -0400, hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> > >If you go to Icom Japan Web page it list the price of the radios in Yen.
> > >Simply divide the Yen price to get the USA dollars price. Some hot
> > >selling radios are marked up Big $$$ in the USA like the Icom 706 MK II.
> > >I am going to see if I can buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan.
> > >The Ic-706 MKII costs 138,000 Yen /122 comes to $1050 !!!Most dealers
> > >want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!
> > > WE ARE GETTING RIPPED OFF!
> >
> > Icom America (the importer) and your 800 dealer have to make a profit
> > to stay in business. You're looking at it.
>
> I don't think that's it. The Japanese web page shows the recommended
> retail price with retailer margins included. And the Japanese retail
> chain is world famously inefficient and non-competitive.
>
> I'd put the difference down to import duty, freight and the added
> cost of a separate US subsidiary which will have a significant
> overhead to stock parts, provide warranty service, perform FCC Part
> 15 compliance certification. And then finaally add the manace of US
> business and product liability insurance.
>
> > You should be aware that the Japanese version of the radio uses a different
> > CPU. It only covers the 144-146 MHz segment of 2m, and none of the mods
> > to expand coverage will work. This is due to Japanese regulations.
>
> Yup, saving those $230 will get you a crippled rig with no warranty
> and no resale value. What a bargain!
>
> Regards,
> --
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com
something must be wrong with my calculator, I get $1131 when I divide?
Jim

6807. FS: 7/8" Hardline Coax

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bryan@prodistributors.com
Message-ID: <5opggu$2kg$1@news.nts-online.net>
Source record: 172171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

I have the following pieces of 7/8" hardline coax for sale. All was in service and use until it was recently removed. No connectors, they were all removed to facilitate removal from towers and buildings. Almost all of the coax is Andrews LDF-50. Price is $1.25 per foot on runs less than 100 feet, $1 per foot if over 100 feet. Shipment will be made motor freight collect. If possible, shipment will be made by Watkins Motor Freight that is offering a 50% discount to areas that they service.

#1 120 feet #2 50 feet #3 48 feet #4 110 feet #5 80 feet #6 70 '

#7 65 feet #8 48 feet #9 80 feet #10 60 feet #11 90 feet #12-40'

#13 200 feet #14 180 feet #15 140 feet

All lengths are approximate.

I will also have a large amount of 1/2" hardline later this week.

6808. Re: FS: Kenwwod TR-751A 2M ALL MODE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rcuffee <rcuffee@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33B038E0.8CB95361@erols.com>
Source record: 172172

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Here's a picture of the radio.

rcuffee wrote:

> Hi,
> I have a Kenwood TR-751A 2 meter all mode for sale. I am asking
> $475.00
> + shipping. It is very good condition.
>
> Send reply to:
> rcuffee@erols.com
>
> Thanks,
> Reggie

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6809. VX1-R mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hendrik Susanto <hs036@csufresno.edu>
Message-ID: <33B04D23.35BBB750@csufresno.edu>
Source record: 172173

Anyone knows of mods for the new Yaesu VX1-R? Thanks for any info.

6810. Re: FS: Rad Shack VHF HTX-121/2 channel radios - $100 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven Ross <stevenross@mail.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33B03B80.3C55@mail.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,misc.emerg-services,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Steven Ross wrote:
>
> Both are on the same frequencies (itinerant). Transmit and receieve
> great. One battery has new cells, the other is fair. Condition is
> good/some paint on them. Vinyl cases and belt clips for both. 1-12volt
> wall charger. $100 for both.
>
> Steve

6811. 2-Way Radio Techs on Here ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard F. Garcia" <n2czf@magg.net>
Message-ID: <33B04EC4.B66@magg.net>
Source record: 172175

I am sure that there are more than a few 2-way radio techs on here and I was wondering why is there no newsgroup for those in the business. I know there was a mailing list called "land-mobile-radio" at one time but it no longer exists. Is there a group hidden somewhere that I cannot find ?

I just did some research and it does not look like it is very simple to form one, I do not have access to a server that would allow HD space for the service. Does anyone have any suggestions ? Yes, I am a ham also but I would rather keep busines related topics off of the rec. newsgroups!

n2czf@qsl.net
n2czf@magg.net

6812. FT-747 for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert L. Holmes" <rholmes@calweb.com>
Message-ID: <01bc80f0$9ae470e0$8733f389@SM5944.mcclellan.af.mil>
Source record: 172176

I have a Yaesu FT-747 for sale in orginal box $550.00 obo.
--
73 Robert Holmes KE6JHQ
rholmes@radiolink.net

6813. Re: Sell Six meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <dknelson@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33B04C36.1260@pacbell.net>
Source record: 172177

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> w4nul@mail.brightok.net (Robert L. Willsey) wrote:
>
> :For sale Mirage A-1015-G 6 meter amplifier.
>
> Why does it have 6 meters and what metre band does it operate on?
>
> Barry
>
> ====================================
> To reply via email please remove the XX from my
> return address.

Is this guy serious???

<<< Dan K Nelson, KF6KNB >>>
--
+---+
|An Armed Man is a Citizen, an Unarmed Man is a Subject.|
+---+

6814. Re: ICOM 706 MKII Mars/Cap mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ophpm$qis@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172178

In <33AF1984.2F58@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
writes:
>
>Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>>
>> In <33ABD8F3.A97@ix.netcom.com> hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
>> writes:
>> >
>> >Soon as I hear from my brother in law the Lawyer I will get back to
>> the
>> >newsgroup. Last time I posted the original IC-706 MK I mods I got
>> >threatened with a lawsuit from an angry parent whose son
"butchered"
>> >the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200 MHZ transmit mod (not
easy).
>> >The diodes on the IC-706 MK II are TINY and you could do damage to
the
>> >radio if you are not carefull. I just don't wan't to be sued by
people
>> >who wreck their radios doing the mod. The Mod I have is correct and
if
>> >done carefully will open the transmit 200Hz to 200 MHZ continuous!
>> > 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>>
>> Prediction:
>>
>> Hershman's mythical Brother in Law the lawyer will not approve and
>> Steve unfortunately will be unable to share the fruits of his
awesome
>> interrogations with us.
>>
>> Jerry
>If you want, I will make an exception and give You the mods Gerry
since
>you are a pain in the &*&(*^
>
Steve

Thanks anyway I have access to the real ones. As the sign in the cowboy cafe says, "Our cow died so we don't need your bull." BTW from what I hear your last "706 mods" were indeed incorrect and did do damage.

Jerry

6815. ! SAMPLE A FREE PSYCHIC! TRY-IT-FREE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: user@metrocon.com
Message-ID: <5oof0q$p46$5432@news.metrocon.com>
Source record: 172179

How do you know if you've found a real psychic?
Now you can see for yourself. Listen to our psychics
first, then decide if they know your future and fate.
Try it free on 1-800-677-8061. Adults over 18 only.

Dial now 1-800-677-8061

6816. Re: 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Doran S. Platt" <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33B05B09.43AE@erols.com>
Source record: 172180

JCCR wrote:
>
> I know this one's been beaten to death, but I didn't get to catch the
> opinions. I want to pick up a new 1000MP or 1000D. By the time you fill up
> the MP with all the filters it costs as much as the 1000D. Is it better to
> get the 1000D and buy an external DSP? Does the older technology of the
> 1000D make the 1000MP a better choice? I want a great rig, it's gonna be
> one or the other. Opinions on 1000D vs 1000MP please?
>
> Thanks! de Jim KS1A

I chose the FT-1000D and have never regretted it. I have found that DSP
at audio is like what a mortician does to a cadaver... it looks good but
it "don't work". DSP at audio is a joke! PS I have a 599DXX and it's
simply not woth it. Regards Jeep K3HVG

6817. Re: Amperage draw on car battery - what's acceptable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: aruder@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <5opnes$5g@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

wrh@cbemg.cb.lucent.com (-) wrote:

>In article <338F8EEC.526D@haertig.com>,
>Gray Frierson Haertig <gfh@haertig.com> wrote:
>>Chad Johnston, KC8ADE wrote:
>>>
>>> I've got a '96 S-10 Blazer with a 525 CCA (standard) battery. I had the
>>> alternator go bad on the vehicle back in January, and the dealer replaced
>>> it under warranty. Ever since, I've never been able to leave my mobile rig
>>> "on" overnight, without having to jump the vehicle to get it started in the
>>> morning.
>>>
>><snipity snip>.
>>>
>>> 73 and thanks!
>>>
>>> Chad Johnston, KC8ADE
>>> webmaster@nuwaysupply.com
>>
>>Auto batteries hate to be deep discharged. If during the alternator
>>problem your battery got really flat a few times, or has gotten really
>>flat few times since, your battery is probably shot.
>>
>>Try charging the battery up fully (nice long road trip), and measure the
><SNIP>

> i had this trouble without a radio in a gm product.

>the problem for me was the regulator? (inside the alternator)
>apparently there is a "switch" that allows current to be directed
>here or there. that "switch" (probably a diode???) was bad and allowed
>the alternator not to charge much more than a "surface charge" and
>remained open so that the battery drained EVERY night, even AFTER i
>bought a new battery.

>i'm sure there is a more accurate way to describe these events, but
>i ain't that smart. nonetheless, ask around, there are folks who
>understand the in's and out's of the automotive charging system.

>->bh

>my $$ is on that cause

My next-door neighbor had an alternator go out, and the dealer wanted
$175 for a replacement. Autozone said $65, and an alternator repair

place replaced the regulator and charged him $25.

Let's hope this poster is right.

Lou Hinshaw

Prolific inventor,
Lousy Salesman,
Incompetent businessman.
(Typical)

6818. IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95q.970624145435.24136D-100000@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 172182

I remember when first bought my IC751 years ago there was a lot of conjecture that if the lithium backup cell ever failed, the whole operating system would be lost??? That dont sound reasonable to me now or back at the time when I first heard it mentioned. Loss of all the 32 memory channels (if you have anything stored in them) yes I can understand. Loss of the entire program (i/e the VCO control etc) I doubt it. Would anybody care to comment on this. My lithium must be about 10 years old already so if I loose the freqcys in the memory channels, thats no big thing.

****
* jfenn@lava.net *
* Ham radio KH6JF *
* MARS radio ABM6JF *
* WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *
****

6819. Home Digital Audio Editing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: thfawb@iglou.com
Message-ID: <EC9AGD.Jn@iglou.com>
Source record: 172215

Hi,

I am looking to purchase some audio editing software to use on my home PC. I am presently hosting a radio program and I want to edit liners, cut commercials, and other simple editing tasks from my home. I have a limited budget. I understand that there is software out there ready to install that will convert most pentium level PC's into 2 or 4 track record/editer providing you have enough Harddrive and RAM. Is there software that is capable of taking an off the shelf PC, using a sound blaster card, to edit in a low price range that you are are aware of? Any help would greatly be appreciated.

Tom

6820. KENWOOD TS-520 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Cann <billcann@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8042$546da540$0f4074cf@worldnet.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172216

Anybody have a TS-520 Operators Manual that I can buy or borrow and copy??
I have a new ham friend who has bought one used w/o the manual, and I am
trying to help him get it set up.

Thanks,
Bill,
WB4PUH , Fairfax, VA

6821. Re: Accurate RF Watt Meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5on4arpqr1@nw001.infi.net>
Source record: 172217

out there. I have heard that the BIRD is the standard for hams. I used
>to be into CB, and a friend owns a cb shop. I have seen him measure
>output on a cb with his DOSY and it show nearly 10 watts, then measure
the
>same radio on a bird and it shows 4.5. How do you know if the meter you
>are using is accurate? What is the method of calibration?
>

Hi Rick, I know that Bird (and Bird type slugs) can be calibrated
although I don't know how they do it. I am not familiar with the other
type meter your friend uses, but the Bird is almost an industry standard.
I have a Struthers meter which is basically a military version of the
Bird43. It uses the Bird slugs and seems to be quite accurate. If it
were me, and a Bird shows 4.5 watts, and another meter showed 10, I would
tend to believe the Bird meter, unless there was some sort of Lab
calibration on the other meter.
73
Andy
WD4KDN

6822. Trade Drake R4A for Drake 2C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Wallace <bwallace@sd.cts.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8046$47267520$3506a3cd@bwallace.cts.com>
Source record: 172218

Trying to find that perfect 2C receiver to match my 2NT to finish my novice station.

I have a Drake R4A, in very good condition, that I will trade (+cash?) for a Drake 2C in excellent to mint condx.

Please contact me at: bwallace@sd.cts.com

Thanks,

Ben -- WB8HUR -- San Diego

6823. FT-8000 Audio question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter and Colleen McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <33AF78B0.3CE7@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 172219

My FT-8000 has louder receive audio and higher signal strength on the "left" side, as it has on the "right" side. What I am saying is, the 440 side has lower output audio than the 2Meter side....

Also -- WHen I set the radio to receive 440 on BOTH sides, same exact frequency, the right side is still lower, and, get this, the signal strength is lower onthe left side by 3 s units or so, not just lower on the s-meter, but actually lower, as in, the left side won't break the squelch when the right side is...

Anyone have any input on this problem??? Send it back to Yaesu???

Thanx -- Pete -- KA2YDY

6824. FT-8000 Alternator Noise question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter and Colleen McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <33AF77F3.7152@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 172220

Question...

I have a Yaesu FT-8000, and need a few answers:
1-Does the radio have any built in "alternator noise" filters, to stop alternator whine from getting out on transmit?

2-(this is a longer one... :) --- I have my 8000 in the car, have had it there for 6 months or so, no problems... Then, suddenly... alternator noise on transmit... Now, I think the radio got hot for a while, summer, poor ventilation, etc... so I was wondering if any possible alternmator noise reduction circuitry in it might have fried itself... Also, at around the time the noise began, my muffler started dangling (strap broke....) Now, I thought the muffler might have something to do with it, loss of any grounding to the muffler I thought, but then I rethought it and said "what grounding"... the muffler is connected to the engile, but then the part that broke off was only a rubber strap/support, which could not be offering it any additional grounding... Soooooo..... What's my problem here??? Any ideas?

I have another question on the radio, but that will be in another posting

Thanx -- Pete -- KA2YDY

6825. Re: mfj986 ant tuner bugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: lenrev@wwa.com
Message-ID: <33af3fae.24653978@news.wwa.com>
Source record: 172221

I, too, have sporatically had the 986 "jumps" as well but the biggest problem I found was the mechanical connection at the knob end of the roller. I had to re-solder (silver) that end of the coil twice.

On 23 Jun 1997 14:41:22 -0700, turner@safety.ics.uci.edu (Clark Savage Turner) wrote:

>The roller inductor in the 986 is the same as was installed
>in the 989. They are not real high quality, not real bad
>either. The solid core inductors were not real resistant to
>heat either.
>
>A shot of DeOxit spray or similar contact cleaner every couple
>of months should cure the problem.
>
>I cured the problem in mine by buying the new MFJ air core
>roller inductor. I think it was $60 and I had to drill two
>small screw holes, but it mounted easily. That is a better
>roller and has not had problems. The 989C comes standard
>with the air core roller, I am not sure if the 986 does
>yet.
>
>Clark
>WA3JPG

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| Len Revelle N9IJ |
| Illinois AMA 60055 |
| lenrev@wwa.com |
| http://www.wwa.com/~lenrev/skat.html |
****

6826. Heath DC power cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cpeters@vt.edu
Message-ID: <5onframmr1@solaris.cc.vt.edu>
Source record: 172222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I was recently given an old HW-22A and HP-13 dc supply. I would get a kick out of installing these in my old work truck, but I don't have the required power supply cable. Does anyone have one of these floating around that they would like to part with or any idea on where to locate these plugs to build my own? Any ideas on modifying this equipment for readily available plugs. Any info would be appreciated.

73, Christopher KB4MRH
cpeters@vt.edu

6827. WATERS/B-W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcuechalk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970624041201.AAA18455@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172223

NEED TO ACQUIRE REPLACEMENT METER FOR WATERS 377 1500-WATT DUMMY LOAD WATT METER.

or

INFO AS TO FULL-SCALE METER VALUE.

THANKS!
jcuechalk@aol.com

6828. Re: [SGC Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Skovgaard <Erik_Skovgaard@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc8057$0e6d85a0$5fd866cf@erik.bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 172224

Larry,

Mine has worked very well in over a year. Occationally, it will not tune on a band. I then have to go tune on another band and go back to the band I really want to tune up on. It may just be a quirk of my particualr setup.

Otherwise, it has worked perfectly well.

73 de VE7MDL ....Erik.

larrybo@concentric.net wrote in article
<5olta1$pco@chronicle.concentric.net>...
>
>
> I am seeking feedback about the SGC auto tuner. I have heard that some
are
> having problems with them and before I buy one I would like to hear the
> opinions of those who have used the tuner.
>
> Larry
> K8SRH
>

6829. Re: !!!PSYCHIC PREDICTIONS/TRY IT FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: orion@xyzcapital.net
Message-ID: <33b052a1.1332425@news.capital.net>
Source record: 172225

On Mon, 23 Jun 1997 14:57:29 GMT, chris dot muriel at analog dot com
(Chris Muriel) wrote:

>Robert Scarlett <scarlett@nanospace.com> wrote:
>
>>You're in the wrong newsgroup. Don't waste your time, and ours.
> Not much point in telling him in **THIS** newsgroup !!
> The Spammer won't read it anyway.
> You could try to trace his **true** email adress & that of his ISP.
> Then either complain to him or complain to the relevant ISP
> (via postmaster@ or abuse@ whatever the ISP domain is)...
> Chris Muriel,G3ZDM

I traced it down. They have their own domain. If you send anything
there, it will go directly to the spammer, and the chances are good
that you'll get a ton of junk mail sent to you when the spammer's
automatic response bot reads YOUR return e-mail address.

6830. Re: Wanted:Radio Repair in W.MI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bry@mnsinc.com
Message-ID: <33af477c.12032419@news.mnsinc.com>
Source record: 172226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 23 Jun 1997 13:25:04 -0600, lewjb@ncats.newaygo.mi.us wrote:

>Bruce,KA8KAW,has a Robyn SSB Digital 500 transceiver that doesn't want to
>tune & wonders if there is someone in the west Michigan area that works on
>these old digital boatanchers.He has the manual.If you can help please
>call Bruce at 1-616-924-6530.He's a handicapped ham so any help would be
>appreciated.The radio covers 10-80 meters.

Take a look at:

http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/mega/repairs.htm

ENJOY!

For great Ham Radio resources on the web, VISIT:
http://www.mnsinc.com/bry/hamfiles.htm

6831. Re: IC-706 Mk II price $1050 !!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: _meneer@poboxes.com_
Message-ID: <33ae794c.3481601@news.demon.nl>
Source record: 172227

hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I am going to see if I can buy the Icom 706 MK II direct from Japan.
>The Ic-706 MKII costs 138,000 Yen /122 comes to $1050 !!!Most dealers
>want $1280 for the radio!We are overcharged $230 !!!

I recently bougt one in the Netherlands (Europe). I paid NLG 3195
which is US$ 1640. The cheapest address here wants NLG 2999 for the
radio, which is about US$ 1540 (I paid more for some other reasons,
like service and swap of my old radio).

>73,s NS1R Steven Hershman

Rob B.

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I have put underscores in my e-mail address.
Remove them before sending your message.

6832. FS Icom 761 w/ AM filter $950.00 + S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5ona22$22tk@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172228

Icom 761 in excellent condition complete with hand mike,manuel and
6 khz. AM filter..$950.00 + S&H. Location San Diego, CA. fone
619-459-1553

Thank you, bob_weiss@prodigy.com

6833. FS Icom 761 w/ AM filter $950.00 + S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5ona41$1flu@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172229

Icom 761 in excellent condition complete with hand mike,manuel and
6 khz. AM filter..$950.00 + S&H. Location San Diego, CA. fone
619-459-1553

Thank you, bob_weiss@prodigy.com

6834. FS Icom 761 w/ AM filter $950.00 + S&H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: BMBJ94A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5ona69$2noc@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172230

Icom 761 in excellent condition complete with hand mike,manuel and
6 khz. AM filter..$950.00 + S&H. Location San Diego, CA. fone
619-459-1553

Thank you, bob_weiss@prodigy.com

6835. QRO Amps??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: psikes@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33af6476.27452369@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 172231

Hello all. Is anyone out there using the QRO line of amplifiers? I have the company literature but would like some feedback from owners/users. I am most interested in the HF-2500DX but would appreciate any and all comments.

73 and TNX
Phil - KJ7NS

6836. .Teen Deepthroat Cocksuckers !!! teencock.jpg

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: asdofkjasd
Message-ID: <5onvbp$st1$2580@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 172232

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6837. Re: Accurate RF Watt Meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joe Giacobello, K2XX" <k2xx@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33B1E8CC.3E73@concentric.net>
Source record: 171983

I have been using panel mounted RF Ammeters and a 50 ohm dummy load to measure HF output power. Those meters, which are usually available at hamfests for under $10, are quite reliable if properly mounted.

I often compared the readings vs the directional wattmeter in a Collins 312B4, and they were generally within + or - 2-3% of each other.

You may need at least two meters to measure both low (100 watts = ~1.4 A) and high power (1500 watts = ~5.5 A).

73, Joe

73, Joe

6838. <Attention-All-Writers>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Poe@idt.net
Message-ID: <33b1d083.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 171984

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6839. battery pack dj 120t

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ties <ties@mhtc.net>
Message-ID: <33B1DD3A.2BA3@mhtc.net>
Source record: 171985

hello thanks for reading this. i have a friend who has a bad battery pack on his alinco dj-120t handi talkie. i am wondering if there are any replacement battery packs on the market. i have looked at a few of the dealers and found nothing. anyone knowing of a dealer who may have one of these please let me know. the number on the battery pack is pr 0080. or if anyone has one of these for sale let me know and i will forward the message to my friend. don

6840. Re: What after TS-450

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5osr55$8gu@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 171986

In <33A972A6.6344@sr.hp.com> John Mullan <jmullan@sr.hp.com> writes:
>Dennis Jacobson wrote:

>> What 12 volt radio did Kenwood make following the TS-450S?
.....
>Look at the TS-570D for HF or TS-570S for HF/6M. These appear to be the
>logical successor to the TS-450/TS-690 products.

True. I want to mention, however, if you don't mind giving up
the ability to put good crystal filters in both IF's, with multiple
choices. Then you can add an outboard audio DSP....that is the peak
of the TS-450. The 570 allows one added IF filter for CW,
no other choices. They have one stock SSB crystal filter in
the 8.8 MHz IF. That's it. Then they depend on audio DSP. The
audio DSP is NOT in the AGC loop. It is no better than an
outboard DSP in theory.

Now, the 570 is a nice little radio. There are tradeoffs made,
maybe especially for the CW operator, in the ability to work the
IF chain with crystal filters. I suggest you try each radio
fully equipped to see which one you like best. Each is great
in its own way.

Clark
WA3JPG

6841. TM261 Mic. gain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Puff the Magic Dragon <uzi@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B1EEAF.1BFF@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171987

Need to know what potentiometer controls mic gain (preamp) in my tm261A
Any help with this would be greatly appreciated.

mark
e mail to
uzi@ix.netcom.com

6842. Re: Which 2m/70cm dual band mobile should I purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: *don't_spam*cupples@flash.net
Message-ID: <*don't_spam*cupples-2506972359540001@dasc9-191.flash.net>
Source record: 171988

In article <5ospji$gae@mari.onr.com>, ct@onr.com (Charlie Thompson) wrote:

> I trying to decide which 2m/70cm dual band moble rig to buy.
> Here's what I'd like:
>
>
> 1. Extended RX on VHF and UHF
> 2. AM aircraft receive
> 3. CTCSS decode/encode
> 4. SMALL Size (detachable front panel optional)
> 5. DTMF mic
> 6. Priced at or less than $500
>
>
> Any suggestions appreciated.

I have been pretty happy with my Yaesu FT-8500 (with MH-39 mic), which meets all the above, except cost (mine was $585 new). See http://www.yaesu.com/ft8500.html

It has alphanumeric 6 character displays for each band along with the freq display, which is a great benefit for my confused recollection of which repeater is which, especially if you program in a bunch of 'em.

I get (unsolicited) good reports on my output signal and audio quality. No difficulty with intermod.

It has huge array of functions and features, but is still quite small and rugged.

Cross banding works great.

Negatives:

You will have to buy a separate kit for remoting the front panel. likewise, CTCSS decoding needs optional daughter card.

Audio from internal speaker is wimpy, and has annoying background noise at steady low level which becomes irritating when using a remote speaker or headphones. This may have been fixed in later units (mine was new 3/96). Yaesu knows about this problem.

Seems to have some circuit fault (appearing after the unit reached 9 months of use) which causes the radio to lose its current settings whenever powered off - vol, memory selection, squelch - although not the programmed memories. Yaesu says this is impossible, others on the net say it is...

Plan to send mine back for a fix soon, but it has been a nice rig.

You might look at this one or the FT-8000 which has most of the features, less the detachable front panel and the A/N display, but offers the receive range of a scanner for less money than the FT-8500.

This is the only mobile I have owned, having bought it after my FT-51 HT (which is delightful), so use appropriate seasoning.

regards,

Jerry Cupples
KC5SXA

6843. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33B1FC78.67AC@hevanet.com>
Source record: 171989

Valued Customer wrote:
>
> In article <01bc7f58$0b8d7200$dd872299@gottria.Earthlink>,
> gottria@earthlink.net says...
> > A friend just bought the new Standard 510 and loves it. Only price I found
> > is $319.99. Anybody find it cheaper let me know!!!
> >
> >I bought mine at universal for $310+tax,so it was about the
> same.Everyplace I checked had it for 310-325.The only things I don't like
> are the lousy antenna and the price of the case($30).It works great...
> Barry N8PVX
> >
> --
> Bumologist.........What the HELL is that!!???
> Barry Felstein

Has anyone got a price on the mobile adapter that's supposed to plug
into the 510 for mobile use?
tia miker
--
Please remove NOSPAM from return address before replying.

6844. Subjective Quickie/First Look at Yaesu VX-1R.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: miker <mreiney@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33B1FB26.7EF4@hevanet.com>
Source record: 171990

Subjective Quickie/First Look at Yaesu VX-1R.
Warning, there is not a shred of real measurement data to =

back up my assertions. They are subjective.

I have a Standard C508A. I need a little more power to reach my
favorite =

440 repeater. I need touchtones to turn on/off my repeater. So I
sauntered =

down to HRO and the nice people let me play with a VX-1R

It sure is cute and tiny. I read the manual cover to cover.
The first thing I tried was to measure the battery voltage.
After some fiddling and rereading, I got a voltage reading. =

I also got the thing locked up. I got it turned off, but it =

wouldn=92t turn back on. Finally figured out the magic key =

sequence for soft reset and got it back on. Not a good sign. =

Operator error or no, it shouldn=92t lock up...and not on the first thing=

I tried.

I took a field strength meter with me. At 3 feet, there was measurably =

more output from the VX-1R than from the C508A. No, I don=92t need a =

lecture about the worthlessness of near-field measurements. I told you
it was subjective.

My favorite repeater is at the fringe of the C508A=92s range. =

Unfortunately, the VX-1R did no better. It may have even been worse. =

Big disappointment. This test done with another ham on the other end of
town.

I also talked on one radio while listening on the other at arms =

length to try to find a hot spot. The VX-1R seemed to desense more than
the Standard.

In addition to DTMF dialer memories, the VX-1R has a crude =

=93turn the wheel on the fly=94 method of entering tones. =

I tried to control my repeater. The first tone sequence =

seemed to come out, but I couldn=92t get it to do a second =

sequence. I managed to get it reset to do another sequence, =

then won=92t enter the mode again. I don=92t know what I did, but =

I couldn=92t figure out how to get successive sequences of tones out of
the unit.
It didn=92t matter because my repeater didn=92t accept them anyway. =

I assume it was just too little power.

By the time I charged the battery for a while, then unplugged the
charger, =

the internal meter read 5.8V. I thought Lithium Ion batteries were
supposed =

to top out at 4.3V or so fully charged. Not sure what this means.
Self-discharge rate of Lithium ion is much lower than NiCd, so that
feature may be a plus if you don't use the radio much.

Nobody could tell me the price of the replacement battery.
My money is on =93big bucks=94. If a normal radio pack costs $50 and Li-=
Ion
batteries cost 3x NiCd, a little math tells you "OUCH". There may not
be
any short-term competition from Mr. Nicad et.al.

The Alkaline adapter doesn=92t look like it will be useful. =

100mw out, very short life, emergency transmit only. There were more
disclaimers =

in the manual than in my car insurance policy. The adapter has a
voltage =

doubler in it. Don=92t expect it to be $20 like the typical alkaline
case.

There=92s a =93personal alarm=94 feature that emits a loud noise when you=
push =

the panic button. That sure cleared out the store. Too bad I hadn=92t =

figured out how to turn it off before I accidentally got it turned on.

The power switch was very hard to push. That=92s good if you=92re afraid=
=

of it being turned off in your pocket. I think they carried it too
far. =

There=92s no indication that you=92ve pushed it and nothing happens for t=
wo =

seconds. I had to push so hard that I was afraid of breaking the
switch. =

If it=92s locked up and won=92t turn on, how do you know when to stop
pushing harder?
If you have arthritis, you may not get it turned on.

The marketing hype touts the wide range receive from 500khz. to 999
Mhz. =

I don=92t remember any mention of the hole between 1.7 Mhz. and 76 Mhz. =

That=92s a pretty big hole as far as amateur frequencies are concerned. =

The manual stresses that with the small antenna you won=92t be able to
hear =

AM broadcast unless you=92re practically standing on the transmitter
site. =

At that point, you can hear the station on your dental fillings anyway. =

I hope they didn=92t sacrifice any size or battery drain to add a deaf AM=

radio. =

I would have opted for 6-meter FM.

There=92s another hole in the uhf range somewhere, I forget exactly
where. =

It=92s also Cell-Blocked.

There are scads of features I didn=92t attempt. My interest waned when I=
=

found the RF performance no better than my Standard. By the second time =

I locked up the display, I was clutching my wallet very tightly.

A radio doesn=92t do you any good if you don=92t have it with you. The
VX-1A =

(or the Standard) is so small that you can stick it in your shirt pocket =

and still have room for your pocket-protector and slide rule....oops,
wrong decade....
but you get the point.

It looks like I=92m against the radio. Not so! I almost bought the thin=
g =

anyway, just =91cause it=92s cute. I just have a knack for finding holes=
in =

user interfaces. It doesn=92t do any good to report on things that worke=
d =

like the manual said.

If you want a small radio and don=92t have one, it may be a good one. =

Suggest you insist on playing with it at length before you buy. =

Might also be a good idea to wait until someone can quote price =

and delivery on accessories. That lithium-ion battery may turn =

out to be a nasty surprise.

For now, I think I=92ll keep my C508A.

While I=92ve got your attention, the C508A is not without it=92s =

faults. With NiCd batteries, transmit performance sucks.
Mine measures 60mW at 2.4V. That=92s why I thought the =

VX-1A would be a lot better.
The Standard rep disavows any knowledge of this very low output on
NiCd's.
I got a lot of double-talk relating to similar measurements at 3-volts, =

but never a clear statement on 2.4V performance.
I'm interested to know if mine is the only one with this problem.

miker

6845. Trade/Sell KW Matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <33B1E044.14A1@frii.com>
Source record: 171991

Will trade Johnson KW Matchbox with SWR unit and manual.
It has been in storage since the mid-80's.

CONDITION:
Electrical VG
Mechanical VG
Appearance G

There is some paint wear, panel lettering fine, plastic face
on panel meter shows some hazing. No dents.

Want a Yeasu FRG-7 or FT-757 in VG condition. Other SS HF TVR
operating on 12Vdc considered. Eyeball trade preferred.

Will sell Matchbox for $250 + shipping (firm). No COD's.

Please reply by email to avatar@frii.com

73's

W0MAY
Dave

6846. How to replace the battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG8EY <mhaunschild@fwb.gulf.net>
Message-ID: <33B1619E.2261@fwb.gulf.net>
Source record: 171992

Joseph Fenn wrote:
>
> I remember when first bought my IC751 years ago there was a lot of
> conjecture that if the lithium backup cell ever failed, the whole
> operating system would be lost??? That dont sound reasonable to me
> now or back at the time when I first heard it mentioned. Loss of
> all the 32 memory channels (if you have anything stored in them) yes
> I can understand. Loss of the entire program (i/e the VCO control
> etc) I doubt it. Would anybody care to comment on this. My lithium
> must be about 10 years old already so if I loose the freqcys in
> the memory channels, thats no big thing.
>
> ********************************
> * jfenn@lava.net *
> * Ham radio KH6JF *
> * MARS radio ABM6JF *
> * WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *
> ********************************

Joe, 'tis true. The microprocessor's program in the 751 (and others)
lives in a CMOS RAM, not a PROM.

The following is a procedure that I wrote to document my knowledge of
this "feature". This worked for me; your mileage may vary.

Before you try this, I would be interested to know what your battery
voltage is now, after ten years. Mine was only five years old and had
decayed to 3.25 volts, which is still a safe level. But, I replaced it
anyway.

73

Mahlon - KG8EY

Draft Modification: Replacing the Battery in the ICOM IC-R71A, IC-745,
IC-751, IC-751A, IC-271,
IC-471, IC-571, and IC-1271

The Problem: These radios, which were all designed for different
purposes, all share the
same logic board design. In this design, the program for the radio's
microprocessor is
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PC-board solder terminals welded to it (the kind that cause the battery to lay flat against
the board, not stand up). Do NOT attempt to solder wire to one of these batteries; get one
with the correct terminals welded on, or DO NOT attempt this mod.
- Soldering iron, solder wick, solder, wire, etc. I used a Weller WP25 iron with the tip
grounded through a 1.5 megohm resistor.
- A non-conductive work surface.

How to do it:

1. Remove the top cover of the radio.

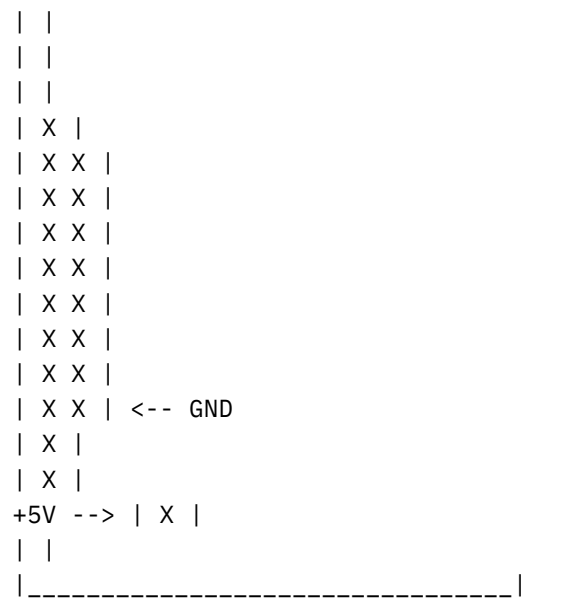
2. Those of you that have PS-35 internal power supplies will need to remove the plate on the
rear panel holding the AC socket and fuse in order to free up the AC and DC cables coming from
the power supply, which is fastened to the bottom cover. Once the plate is removed, unplug the
AC and DC power cables from the plate and prepare to thread them through the radio when you
remove the bottom cover. Do this VERY carefully, as quite a number of VERY SMALL wires run
through this area and you can easily break one of them if you aren't careful.

3. Remove the bottom cover. PS-35 owners: CAREFULLY thread the AC and DC power cables through
the hole as you remove the cover (with PS-30 attached).

4. Examine the inside of the bottom of the radio and find the RAM board on the logic board.
The RAM board is a small (approx. 2" by 2") square PC board with the offending lithium
coin-cell battery and a couple of ICs mounted on it. It's held in place with a single small
Phillips screw. Remove the screw and gently pull the RAM board off of

the logic board.

5. Place the board, component side up, on your non-conducting work surface. It should have two connectors, a 12-pin one and an 8-pin one. Orient the board so that the 12-pin connector is on your left. Confirm the location of the +5V and ground pins on the board. These boards probably come in various configurations, but all should have the same pinout. To use as a reference, the positive side of the battery (top side) will be connected to the +5V pin through a diode, and the negative side of the battery (bottom side) will be connected directly to the ground pin. Refer to the following diagram, taken from my IC-751A RAM board, which has the power and ground pins marked:



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7. Using a voltmeter, VERIFY that you have 5 volts applied to the board (you DID turn on your power supply, didn't you?).

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power cables pass through; make sure that you don't accidentally unplug it.

10. That's it! Apply power, turn on the radio, and you should be good for another 5 years.

6847. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KG8EY <mhaunschild@fwb.gulf.net>
Message-ID: <33B161FB.899@fwb.gulf.net>
Source record: 171993

Joseph Fenn wrote:
>
> I remember when first bought my IC751 years ago there was a lot of
> conjecture that if the lithium backup cell ever failed, the whole
> operating system would be lost??? That dont sound reasonable to me
> now or back at the time when I first heard it mentioned. Loss of
> all the 32 memory channels (if you have anything stored in them) yes
> I can understand. Loss of the entire program (i/e the VCO control
> etc) I doubt it. Would anybody care to comment on this. My lithium
> must be about 10 years old already so if I loose the freqcys in
> the memory channels, thats no big thing.
>
> ********************************
> * jfenn@lava.net *
> * Ham radio KH6JF *
> * MARS radio ABM6JF *
> * WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *
> ********************************

Joe, 'tis true. The microprocessor's program in the 751 (and others)
lives in a CMOS RAM, not a PROM.

The following is a procedure that I wrote to document my knowledge of
this "feature". This worked for me; your mileage may vary.

Before you try this, I would be interested to know what your battery
voltage is now, after ten years. Mine was only five years old and had
decayed to 3.25 volts, which is still a safe level. But, I replaced it
anyway.

73

Mahlon - KG8EY

Draft Modification: Replacing the Battery in the ICOM IC-R71A, IC-745,
IC-751, IC-751A, IC-271,
IC-471, IC-571, and IC-1271

The Problem: These radios, which were all designed for different
purposes, all share the
same logic board design. In this design, the program for the radio's
microprocessor is
stored in the CMOS RAM, which is backed up with a lithium battery when
the radio is off.

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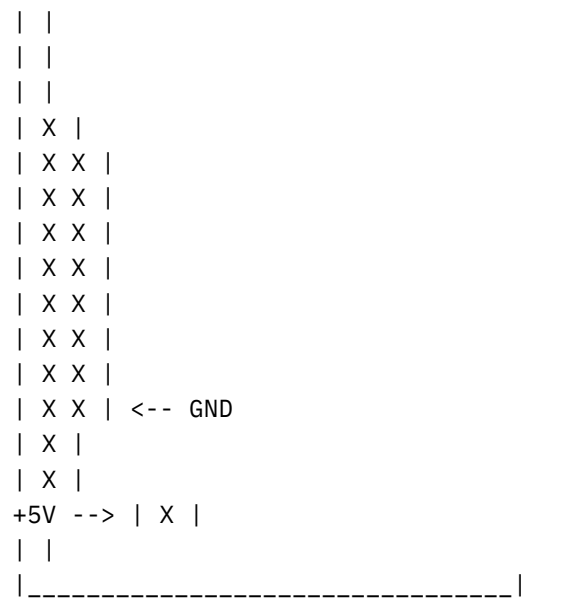

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6848. Alinco DJ580 dual band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T.E.A.M. = POWER" <gold@wic.net>
Message-ID: <33B10677.2CBA@wic.net>
Source record: 171994

This radio is in good condition and comes with the manual, a audio tape to help program, battery and slow charger and the original box. All modifications have been made.
Priced for quick sale $175.00 includes shipping
Email gold@wic.net
Phone (970) 434-5882

6849. G.E radios 1.2ghz conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Message-ID: <33B20B18.624@anv.net>
Source record: 171995

I was told that there is a modification sheet out there that would convert a GE Master II or MVP to 1.2ghz repeaters. This ham whose number I lost told me that a group out of Southern California has been using these radios as repeaters and link radios for their club.

Can anyone send me any information on this? I would appreciate a copy of this mod. My interest in this is for link radios for our repeaters since there is a shortage of 1.2 equipment not to mention expensive!!!!.

Thanks.....

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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
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n6jfo@qsl.net * AAR9BA@rocketmail.com * NRL@hehe.com

6850. !!!PROVEN PSYCHICS / FREE PREDICTIONS!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: file@brainlink.com
Message-ID: <5oqm48$1qu@kensie.dorsai.org>
Source record: 171996

Curious about psychics? Now you can try a psychic
reading free, just dial 1-800-677-8039 - our free
samples line where master psychics will amaze you
with their knowledge and forsight. Try it now -
see for yourself. adults over 18 only

Dial 1-800-677-8039

6851. G.E radios 1.2ghz conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Message-ID: <33B20A7A.7440@anv.net>
Source record: 171997

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Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
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http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
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n6jfo@qsl.net * AAR9BA@rocketmail.com * NRL@hehe.com

6852. !!!FREE PSYCHIC ADVICE/SPECIAL SAMPLES LINE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: file@brainlink.com
Message-ID: <5or71i$73k@kensie.dorsai.org>
Source record: 171998

Dial in for the live psychics you want. No credit card
charges ever! Try it now on 1- 800-677-8057; an
astounding prediction is guaranteed.
Adults over 18 only.

Dial 1-800-677-8057

6853. !!!TROUBLE WITH LOVE??? TRY A PSYCHIC FOR FREE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: file@brainlink.com
Message-ID: <5or02e$54f@kensie.dorsai.org>
Source record: 171999

What does Cupid have in store for you? Find out now -
try a psychic, it's free right now on 1-800-677-8052.
You'll hear about your romantic future and fate, so
take control. Try it free and see for yourself.
Adults over 18 only.

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6854. FS:6HF5/35Z5 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <33B0CC65.404F@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 172000
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Any one out there with a SWAN 350 or need finals ? Excellent shape (Qty-4)6HF5's and NIB 35Z5GT. 6HF5 - $10ea sold as set $40 total, 35Z5GT (Qty-3) $5ea. You ship out of San Diego .....

6855. Re: IC-2000H power reduction ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Jackson KZ1X/4 <76216.2557@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5ordp8$4tc$1@mhafc.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 172001

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reduce the voltage
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73 de Steve
KZ1X/4 Chapel Hill, NC
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6856. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Rasmussen <73642.1571@CompuServe.COM>
Message-ID: <5os3d9$14q$1@mhafn.production.compuserve.com>
Source record: 172002

Hi Guys,

I bought the Willco no-fail board for my IC751a, and don't worry about it. As long as Icom is around to help with it, it's no more than a $45 imposition anyway, <IF> it fails while you have it. The boards have been known to hold there memory for > 10 years.

73,
Don Rasmussen WB8YQJ/6

6857. VOX questions??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33B0FEFF.28E4@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172033

What is the opinion of VOX adapters for HTs. I have an FT50RD and a TH22AT (with small mic&earph.)

Do they work? Are they a positive or a negative impact upon operstions. Thanks HT

I hoope no one tells me VOX is good with cream cheese on a bagel :).

6858. Heath Mohican tune up?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond Collins <rcol@intergate.bc.ca>
Message-ID: <33B11508.2D516726@intergate.bc.ca>
Source record: 172034

Could someone send me the paragraph on how to tune a Mohican up. It
works fine
but needs tuning.

Thanks for the help in advance

Ray

6859. Re: Heathkit SB 101 Series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5or4f7$2ju@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 172035

In article <33B0C625.7E95@MAIL.IDT.NET>, PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET says...
>
>Is there a site on the web that has a lot of Heathkit information?
>
>I am looking to find out the difference between a few Heathkit radios...
>I have an SB-101, and I need to know the difference between it and an
>SB-401, and an SB-102 as well. I know the 301 is a receiver...

Hi Pete,

Can't help you with the web site request. If there isn't one, there
certainly should be.

The SB-401 is a transmitter only (companion to the SB-301 tube-type
and SB-303 solid-state HF receivers).

The SB-102 is mostly the same as the SB-101, but the SB-102 has a
solid-state LMO. There are a few minor component changes, etc, but
nothing serious.

Dean K5DH

6860. Re: 2-Way Radio Techs on Here ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33b117ae.175708595@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172036

Land mobile radio still exists. I had 9 messages on it this morning
alone.

We are still alive and well.

"Richard F. Garcia" <n2czf@magg.net> wrote:

>I am sure that there are more than a few 2-way radio techs on here and I
>was wondering why is there no newsgroup for those in the business. I
>know there was a mailing list called "land-mobile-radio" at one time but
>it no longer exists. Is there a group hidden somewhere that I cannot
>find ?
>
>I just did some research and it does not look like it is very simple to
>form one, I do not have access to a server that would allow HD space for
>the service. Does anyone have any suggestions ? Yes, I am a ham also but
>I would rather keep busines related topics off of the rec. newsgroups!
>
>n2czf@qsl.net
>n2czf@magg.net

6861. Yaesu FT101B, FL2100B 1200 Watt Amp, YC 601, R3 LLL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: FoxPro <"74364,207"@CompuServe.com>
Message-ID: <33B146C0.5660@CompuServe.com>
Source record: 172037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Yaesu FT 101B AM/SSB/CW, Full output power 130 watts, covers
10-160 and 11 meters. Built-in 117AC, Sure 444 mic,
R3LLL Speech Processor and receive improver(has additional 8 pole
filter on RF processor). R3LLL makes the 101B a excellent receiver. 300

Yaesu FL2100B 10-80 meter amp, in mint condition, full output.
Manual. 350

YC601 Digital display,mint condition with R3LLL speech processor wired
in.
Manual. 200

Mizuho MX-28 10 meter SSB/CW HT Portable. Manual. 150

CQ Magazine 35 Years 1940's through 1960's By month for Collector. 60

E-Mail to 74364.207@CompuServe.com. You cannot use reply must type in
E-Mail
address.

6862. IC-820 Modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B11C2B.526A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I dont know who took the time and paid the cost to copy and send me the broadband mod for the IC820. I wish to thank you for the time and trouble and expense. All I could find on the mail was a cleveland post mark. Thank you masked man....73's

6863. NEED: MODS for standard c510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33b11bd6.176772951@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172039

If you've got any MODS for them, would you please email them to me

Thanks in advance >>> Doug

6864. FS: Yaesu FT-890AT "MINT"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf8ru@netonecom.net
Message-ID: <5or715$rde@news.triton.net>
Source record: 172040

Yaesu FT-890AT HF 10-160 meter radio in mint condition. $750

6865. TRADE FOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: msgsports@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970625141901.KAA13118@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172041

HI

I HAVE A PRO-2022 SCANNER TO TRADE. I WILL TRADE FOR A YAESU
FT-208R OR A BEARCAT 8500 OR 890 XLT SCANNER.

THANKS

6866. kenwood TH78a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bennett@bbs.tsf.com
Message-ID: <33B129BB.3010@bbs.tsf.com>
Source record: 172042

I have a like new kenwood th78a dual bander. It has all the mods done to it and also comes with 2 battery packs,bc-15 quick charger,standard rubber duck antenna,and also manuals and original boxes.. asking $450.00 shipped O.B.O

73 Fred WN2R DIT DIT

6867. th78a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bennett@bbs.tsf.com
Message-ID: <33B12B4E.A6C@bbs.tsf.com>
Source record: 172043

In my last post I forgot to mention that this unit also has a me-1
memory module(250 memories)... so it also has 2 battery packs,bc-15
quick charger,m3-1 memory module,manuals,boxes,standard rubber duck ant.
all mods have been done to this radio.. asking $450.00 shipped O.B.O

73 Fred WN2R DIT DIT

6868. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Dual Band -NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4kjf@post1.com
Message-ID: <33b72d3c.98899501@news.icanect.net>
Source record: 172044

On 24 Jun 1997 13:11:06 GMT, eswoboda@aol.com (ESwoboda) wrote:

I have had both, Standard is a better ham radio, the Yaesu is smaller, more
powerful has good wide FM. The Yaesu may not be able to duplex cross banding.
I mean relieve a 2 meter repeater, and transmit on 440.

> Am interested in New super small dual band transceiver by Yaesu .
>Anybody any experience ? How compare with Standard C508 ?

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/_Benjamin_Blavat_KF4KJF\_kfkjf@post1.com
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6869. ICOM email address

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard H. Wall" <richwall@diac.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8175$b14e80c0$LocalHost@RichardHWall>
Source record: 172045

Anybody know a general email address for ICOM.
Need to get an estimated original cost price on an older repeater.

Thanks
Rich KF0YI

6870. MFJ 9406 6m rig Opionions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: labenz@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5orc4k$b46@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172046

I am still seeking info on this little rig...please list the good and bad points..

73 Dave WA1UUD

6871. SW BC Band interference on FT1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <ECC7qG.GME@mv.mv.com>
Source record: 172047

I correspond with a ham in Italy (IK1VCF) who has an FT-1000 that gets interference from European Broadcast stations that shows up on 20 and 15 meters. I was wondering if there was a mod that might correct this problem or a way to keep the internal antenna tuner in the circuit on receive to eliminate the problem?

Any help would be appreciated.

73,
Richard / N1VXW

Richard Lubash
N1VXW
email rlubash@poco.mv.com

ATTENTION: To stop that pesky junk mail I to have put the prefix nospam at the front of my email address. To reply send email to the address above.

6872. Re: Heathkit SB 101 Series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel T. Ruth" <ruthdt@apci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8183$c3f455c0$bd3bf990@RUTHDT.apci.com>
Source record: 172048

Dean Hemphill, K5DH <k5dh@qsl.net> wrote in article
<5or4f7$2ju@sf18.dseg.ti.com>...
> In article <33B0C625.7E95@MAIL.IDT.NET>, PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET says...
> >
> >Is there a site on the web that has a lot of Heathkit information?
>
There certainly is!! As a matter of fact, there's at least two.

listserv@listserv.tempe.gov and
while I don't remember the URL for the list, just go after
www.cyberventure.com/heathkit/default.html

and you get a home page for The Heathkit Virtual Museum. Somewhere in
there, you'll find info on how to subscribe to their listserv as well.

Gud Luk es 73,
Danny (W3ZF) heathkit@juno.com

6873. Heath List Servers (formerly Heathit SB 101 Series)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel T. Ruth" <ruthdt@apci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8184$adc3fca0$bd3bf990@RUTHDT.apci.com>
Source record: 172049

> >
> >Is there a site on the web that has a lot of Heathkit information?
>
There certainly is!! As a matter of fact, there's at least two.

listserv@listserv.tempe.gov (leave subject line blank and put
subscribe heath <yourname>
in the body of the message)

and

while I don't remember the URL for the list, just go after
www.cyberventure.com/heathkit/default.html

and you get a home page for The Heathkit Virtual Museum. Somewhere in
there, you'll find info on how to subscribe to their listserv as well.

Gud Luk es 73,
Danny (W3ZF) heathkit@juno.com

6874. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Burr <dtburr@mcs.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8188$01ebd7a0$693f5fcc@dtburr.mcs.com>
Source record: 172050
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

Why do you need to contact Fisher? (are they even still in business?)

This is typical in low-end electronics, but it can be solved. Most hams that have been around for a year or two could solve it (or greatly reduce it) for you in a heartbeat. If you know any experienced hams, try to contact him or her.

First, have you done any checking to see what the source of the RF is? Is it coming in on the AC line? Are you using the video feed into the TV or the composite signal from the VCR into the TV? Are you using good, shielded cable (in either case)? Are your connections good?

If all of the above checks out, have you tried winding the offending lead around a ferrite core for several turns?

If you are using the composite output from the VCR, have you tried a simple high pass filter? Does your "ham" equipment have a low pass filter? How about a good ground?

Contact a ham with some knowledge and he will go over this with you and you should be able to solve it in 30 minutes with maybe $5 of Radio Shack parts, if that. There is no point in contacting Fisher until all the easy fixes have been tried (99% of the time these will work).

Web Williams <kr4wm@sccoast.net> wrote in article
<MPG.e11000fd8fb44fe9896a0@news.infoave.net>...
> I'm a ham operator, and I use relatively high power levels (>1500 watts)
> on many different frequencies. My television set is not being interfered
> with, only when my wife wants to watch a video tape does my hobby begin
> to cause problems. No neighbors complain, so the problem is extremely
> local. The VCR is a Fisher, and I've been to thier website looking for an

> e-mail address to write to a technician, but there are none published. I
> know that many electronic manufacturers try to get by with the least
> amount of parts, but have available modification kits just for my
> problem. Any idea how to get 'hold of a Fisher factory tech on the
> internet? Anybody ever have this problem and fix it? Thanks -Web
> kr4wm@sccoast.net
>

6875. MOTORLA MX360 need pinout & software URGENT.!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: vr100@rosey.com
Message-ID: <5ore59$kq6@drn.zippo.com>
Source record: 172051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

please if anyone can e-mail me pinout for MX360 and programming soft. Also can someone tell me what to do with my MT1000?? while trying to programm it something went wrong,now display shows 88 and software reports error 003 ??? any suggestion

6876. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5orj2l$7m7$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 172052

tuomi@sci.fi (Pasi Tuomi) wrote:

>In article <5oqdkt$h2b$1@nadine.teleport.com>, prografx@teleport.com (Steve Kennedy)
wrote:

<snip>

>>You can invest $134 for a Willco Electronics ICM-1024B "No Fail"
>>memory board. This borad simply replaces the Icom board and has the
>>operating system in non-volatile ROM. If you aren't shy about
>>modifications, this board can be installed in such a way that you can
>>get 32 banks of 32 channels (1024 memory channels).
>>
>>This board only works in the R71A, 751 and 745.

>Do you know if it works with 751A ?

<snip>

Right on the Willco spec sheet, both IC-751 and IC-751A are mentioned.
The module plugs in and directly replaces the memory module board. I
have not tried one of these boards with a 751/751A personally. For
more info contact Willco.

Steve
WB7PSD

6877. Re: HELP!!! RF interfering with VCR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <867259407snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 172053
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.video.production

In article <01bc8188$01ebd7a0$693f5fcc@dtburr.mcs.com>
dtburr@mcs.com "Dave Burr" writes:

> Why do you need to contact Fisher? (are they even still in business?)

Fisher is a marque of Sanyo ELectric. They're in Teterboro NJ or a
town close by. Call information for Area Code 201.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

6878. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ork03$bgf@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In <33AEB0DB.5050@www.prairieweb.com> Toby Rogers
<tobyr@www.prairieweb.com> writes:
>
>hershman wrote:
>>
>> I have all both sets of mods 1) 200HZ to 200 MHZ continuous
>> and 2) .5 to 60 MHZ and 135 to 175 MHz
>>
>> I am waiting to here from my brother in law the Lawyer to see if I
can
>> be sued by someone doing the Mods incorrectly even though the Mods I
>> post are correct. Last time I posted the Correct IC-706 MK I mods I
was
>> threatened to be sued by an angry parent who had a teenager
"butcher"
>> the radio trying to do the 60 MHZ to 200MHZ TX mod (not easy).
>> If My brother in Law says oK I will post the mods.
>> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman
>STEVEN,
>All you have to do is post a disclaimer to your mod releasing you of
all
>liability for its use. if You need a disclaimer you might look at some
>used in the radio tech mod book or seceret CB mod books. I'm sure you
>have something like that around.
>
>"73s
>
>PS Please send a copy of your mod post to my e-mail. As I am
interested
>in trying to do some different wiht my MKII.
>--
> _// T-Bear
> (*.*) Toby Rogers KB0SME
> ()~*~()
> (_)-(_) tobyr@prairieweb.com

Toby,

Hershman is a lot of mouth. He hints at some sort of inside knowledge
but in truth he has posted bad mods in the past. It is more important
to him to look like a big shot with inside knowledge than to publish
correct information. DON'T USE ANY MOD HERSHMAN POSTS Remember this is
the guy who claims to know more about Icoms than Gary Fibre the US Tech
rep. What are the odds of that?

73 Jerry

6879. FS ICOM IC900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL LEE <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33B1530E.139@pacbell.net>
Source record: 172055

I have for sale an ICOM IC900 multiband capable radio.It has the 2 mtr
and 70 cm modules at this time.Radio is compleate and has the book.
$550.
AL

6880. Re: ! FREE PSYCHIC READINGS! FREE!! 1-800-677-8048

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970625102129160 31@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 172056

LARRY>>how about bombing this idiot
LARRY>>I hate off subject junk in serious news groups

Well, Larry, this crapola appears to be coming from the United Kingdom.

You bring up a very serious INTERNATIONAL issue - what DO we do to educate the masses?

I'd like to suggest that you hit the EFF's site (Electronic Frontier Foundation) and consider supporting their efforts.

- Clint Bradford

6881. RE: Writers/Seeking/Publication

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: clint.bradford@atdbbs.com
Message-ID: <970625102130160 32@atdbbs.com>
Source record: 172057

>>We are the International Literary Agency of New York...

Your post indicates you are darned near illiterate...cannot punctuate worth a darn...and cannot properly formulate sentences.

And you are soliciting items for publication???

- Clint Bradford

6882. Re: Home Digital Audio Editing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33b13747.10903929@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172058

On Tue, 24 Jun 1997 04:21:27 GMT, thfawb@iglou.com (Tom) wrote:
>I am looking to purchase some audio editing software to use on my home
>PC. I am presently hosting a radio program and I want to edit liners,
>cut commercials, and other simple editing tasks from my home. I have
>a limited budget. I understand that there is software out there ready
>to install that will convert most pentium level PC's into 2 or 4 track
>record/editer providing you have enough Harddrive and RAM. Is there
>software that is capable of taking an off the shelf PC, using a sound
>blaster card, to edit in a low price range that you are are aware of?
>Any help would greatly be appreciated.

Take a look at Cool Edit from Syntrillium. They're on the web, do a search
for Cool Edit or Syntrillium. Neat stuff.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6883. Oak Hills QRP rig ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Melland <badger@vbe.com>
Message-ID: <33B17BB5.65AE@vbe.com>
Source record: 172059

Does anyone have any experience with Oak Hills model OHR 100, QRP CW transceiver ? Thinking of building one for camping.

73 Mike Melland
kb9qhu

6884. Yaesu FL-2010 linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matt Musgrave <musgramj@boat.bt.com>
Message-ID: <33B1BA39.5B1C@boat.bt.com>
Source record: 172060

Can anyone tell me exactly what this linear is? I presume it is HF.Is it valve or solid state? What is the output? Is it any good and would it make a good combo with an Yaesu FT707.....and finally is it worth
100 (pounds sterling)

73s Matt G0ESL

6885. Re: Need Icom 735 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33b13286.9687283@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172061

On 23 Jun 1997 19:27:00 -0700, markem@primenet.com (M. Monninger) wrote:
>I'm in the market for a small HF transceiver in the $500-750 price range for
>mostly (98%) fixed station use and maybe 1.99% portable, and maybe 0.01%
>mobile. I borrowed an Icom 735 from the club and really like it. I've about
>made up my mind that I want a 735 but I do have a few questions.
>
>Were there different models of the 735? Is one, or a particular serial number
>range, better or more desirable?

One of the reasons that the IC735 remains a good choice is that there were
no significant production changes required during its lifetime, IE they got it
right the first time. So look at condition and not age when shopping for one
of these beauties.

>Any common failure modes or things to look for when looking at one?

The stupid little smoked plastic door tends to break off. Don't sweat it, leave
it off. That's the one dumb thing about this radio.

>What modes are standard? SSB/CW I know, but how about FM? AM?

Yep, it has all four. The one drawback is that it doesn't have a dedicated
RTTY mode, though you can make it work right for RTTY if you sacrifice
CW capability, or you can run AFSK from SSB mode.

>Standard filter complement? Are after market filters still available?

It comes stock with filters for SSB and FM/AM. A CW filter is optional.
I suggest the 500 Hz filter.

>Any comments about the 735 in general?

I tend to trade radios a lot, but the one constant in my shack is the IC735.
It is also the radio with the fewest modifications (and I like to modify radios
for better performance). While it isn't perfect, I think it is one of the best
balanced designs ever produced, IE considering everything from size to
price to ease of use to raw performance, Icom did a fabulous balancing
act with this radio. That's why it was able to sustain the longest production
run of any amateur radio in history. A lot of people liked it just as it came
out of the box.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6886. Looking for Yaesu FT 40r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: d015451c@dc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <5ors7r$5e5@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 172062

I am looking for a Yaesu Ft 40r hand-held radio if you want to sell one
to me please e-mail me. thanks

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Matt Cordell
d015451c@dcfreenet.seflin.lib.fl.us

6887. 9k6 TNC FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew Rich <andyr@mailbox.uq.edu.au>
Message-ID: <01bc81a1$cce97160$c1696682@lan001>
Source record: 172063

FOR SALE

PACCOMM SPIRIT II

9600 bps TNC

AS NEW

$250

Want to know more ?

andyr@mailbox.uq.edu.au

6888. WTB TK-810 & scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: frank@sun01.ccii.unipi.it
Message-ID: <5ort9vocu1@pania.unipi.it>
Source record: 172064

Hi,
I'm looking for a second hand Kenwood TK-810 and a good scanner for HF.
Please reply by e-mail.

73

Francesco Messineo iw8qpi@ing.unipi.it

6889. Re: Oak Hills QRP rig ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gibbs <larrygibbs@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33B17DAB.A95@ibm.net>
Source record: 172065

Michael Melland wrote:
>
> Does anyone have any experience with Oak Hills model OHR 100, QRP CW
> transceiver ? Thinking of building one for camping.
>
> 73 Mike Melland
> kb9qhu

Mike,
QRP kits by Oak Hills Research, Small Wonder Labs, and a couple
of others are top quality. See April QST for the kit my son is
building now. Also QST about June '96 reviewed some QRP kits.

For some reviews by those who have buily them see K5FO's web
site at http://reality.sgi.com/employees/adams_dallas/

and also Small Wonder Labs at

http://www.fix.net/~jparker/sml.html

Oak Hills also has a site. Search Yahoo by their name.
I believe it is http://www.ohr.com

73, Larry
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E-mail: larrygibbs@ibm.net

Amateur Radio W3UIO, Operating Ten-Tec

Running Netscape at OS/2 Warp 4

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6890. Mod. on TS-570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Berkes <bberkes@erols.com>
Message-ID: <33B1B1FD.513B@erols.com>
Source record: 172066

Does anyone know the mod for the TS-570D for MARS/CAP out of band modification? I would love to know where I can find the info to do this. I allready tried QRZ.com with no luck. They have the mod for the TS-870 but not the 570D! Thanks...

Brian Berkes
KA2WOM

6891. Re: 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: FCFB17A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5orssg$2vga@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 172067

"J. Young" <jtyoung@u.washington.edu> wrote:
>
>This is a tough one. I spent hours debating the virtues of both rigs,
I've
>compared them side by side with my present radio (a TS 850), and I've
>asked my friends and some of the most avid dxers their opinions on this
>very question. I also spoke with the Yaesu reps at ham conventions.
Here
>are my findings and the views of those mentioned above. I was primarily
>interested in comparing receivers because I wanted the BEST receiver
>available. In terms of basic receiver performance, I think the 1000D is
>quieter. By "basic" performance I mean without DSP. The 1000MP with the
>DSP on did appear to be quieter under some conditions, but not all condx.

>Some guys like DSP (its "tonality", etc.), but I'm not a huge fan of
>processed sound. The D offers other impressive features not included in
>the MP, like 200 watts output (good if your amp requires more than 100
>watts drive, or if you don't want an amp), and dual band receive, which
>may be good if you're a contester. On the other hand, to get these
>features the D weighs in at considerably more pounds, making it
difficult
>for dxpeditions or any portable use. The D is built like a tank, good
>solid transformer and power supply and seems like a more rugged rig
>(although I'm sure the MP will hold up extremely well). But if you
don't
>need the power, maybe you don't need to pay for it either. The VK0IR
team
>used MPs, and according to WWDXA club member N6MZ, one of the team
>members, they loved 'em. I also asked why John, ON4UN, one of the
world's
>most renowned hams and author of the book "Low Band DXing", why he
>switched to the MP after using the D for years. He said he found the
>receiver to be quieter and easier to listen to on the low bands,
>especially after long hours of contesting. He also liked the
portability
>of the MP compared to the rock that the D is. On the other hand, I
also
>had the opportunity to ask Martii Laing, OH2BH, famous dxpeditioner
which
>rig he prefers. He has both the MP and the D in his home station in
>Finland. He swears by the D for the reasons above and suggested that the
D
>is better on cw, and has better blocking dynamic range. The Yaesu reps
>said they thought the MP was a better receiver because of its DSP

>versatility, but otherwise they had the same basic receiver performance.

>Confusing...? You betcha. What all this indicated to me was that they
were
>both first rate and one just had to decide what features you wanted: DSP,

>200 watts, portability, cross band rcv. So I was able to compare each
one
>to the TS 850, thanks to my friends K7XS and N6NR. What I found was
quite
>surprising. In both cases, to my ear, the TS 850 had a "hotter"
receiver
>(more sensitive) and was able to block adjacent strong signals better
>(using similar filters)! Both of my buddies, who owned the other rigs,
>also agreed! Now remember, I was only interested in the receivers. The
MP
>and the D both have many other features that the 850 does not have. But
my
>amp doesn't need more than 100 watts drive and I've worked 315
countries
>never using dual receive or crossband receive. So I purchased an
outboard
>DSP filter and am as happy as a clam with the 850 (and saved myself
>thousands of dollars). The bottom line to your question is figure out
what
>features you want and go with that. Both the MP and the D are superb.
By
>the way, Rick, N6NR, added a Timewave 599 DSP to his D and he figures
he's
>got a 1000DMP! It sounded REAL good to my ears too. Best 73s, John, K7JY.

>

Very well said John! The QST review of the TS850 showed it to have a fabulous receiver. I also have a TS850 that I have kept for my backup rig and now have the FT1000MP for my main rig. To me the 200 watts was not important and the fact that the FT1000MP was a little smaller and lighter was a plus for my station. I also did not need all the filters in the FT1000D, so it did not make sense to spend the extra money. On the other hand the FT1000MP has some very nice features that the older FT1000D did not have - dual s meters, quick memo pad, better front panel layout of much used vfo/memory functions, dsp (I much prefer not having an external dsp), dual antenna ports, and very important to me it can use dsp to enhance transmit audio. It is easy to set the FT1000MP to have spectacular transmitted audio. I have also found out that when using dual receive if I have the sub vfo set to 20 meters I can also monitor either 15 or 17 meters at the same time on the main vfo with almost no loss in signal strength compared to not using dual receive. Glad you are having a buch of fun with the TS850 John. It is a hard choice when trying to decide which FT1000?? to buy, but I though I would post what helped me decide for my ham shack for whatever that is worth.

---- Steve N9ROU

6892. Re: 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Burr <dtburr@mcs.com>
Message-ID: <01bc81af$3d8f6980$693f5fcc@dtburr.mcs.com>
Source record: 172068

I agree with lots of these points....

The '1000D is built like a tank and will run at 200W+ all day long and barely break a sweat. It has a better receiver than the 'MP. , IMO, the '1000D has the best receiver I have ever heard, bar none. Yaesu built the 1000D as its entry into the "ultimate rig" category. They built the '1000MP as a radio that would appeal to the largest buying group of hams...those who love bells and whistles. The DSP on the '1000MP is no better than an outboard audio DSP. The DSP on transmit is a nightmare...you'll screw around with it forever just to find ONE setting that sounds good. Any idea that you'll use the transmit DSP to "change the audio to suit the conditions" is not borne out by fact. Just get on 75m at night and ask around.

To the point about contesting and the rigs, I doubt that you'll find many of the big-time contesters using the '1000MP. Most of this group can afford the best and will not screw around with the MP. As time passes with the MP on the market, check out the survey in National Contest Journal to get a feel for that. I agree that the MP would be good for DXpeditions due to its toy-like weight.

No doubt that the MP is a nice rig with some good features, looks good, and is a good value. But, like the IC-756 and *its* big splash (because of the "neat" features), it may be disappointing if you are somewhat discerning and can afford better.

6893. FS: ICOM IC 2350 DUALBAND MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc4q@naxs.com
Message-ID: <33b18e02.351772419@news.naxs.com>
Source record: 172069

Icom IC-2350H 2m/440 dualbander - 45/10/5 watts on 2m, 35/10/5 watts on 440. Wideband rx 118-174, 110 channel memory, high speed scan and pl encode. Also does crossband repeat. Comes with mic, power cable, mount, operating manual and box. Excellent condition - $350

6894. Re: ?Standard 510 vs Yaseau VX1R??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5os3mc$5d6@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172070

Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>How does the 510 compare to the VX1r? Also, is there a pic or any info
>on the www re: the 510? Thanks HT

They are really kind of different animals. The 510 has all the stuff you want for a full featured HT. DTMF memories, paging, code squelch, PL encode and decode, 200 memories, cross-band splits for use when accessing a cross-band repeater, etc. It also has wide receive range. The best feature of the 510, to me, is the one watt output on 3 AA cells. That's a respectable power out without worrying about NiCads. The radio is small, a little smaller than the Yaesu FT-11 and a little lighter.

The VX-1R is SUPER-tiny. It has DTMF memories but not paging. It does have PL encode and decode, as well as DCS. The actual number of memories is 52 for general purpose and about 30 or 40 others for special bands, band limit scanning, etc. There is another memory "configuration" to increase that to maybe 180 or so, but you cannot store PL freqs with the memory channels, so it is not useful to me. The receive range is wide and includes wideband FM which sounds really good, even on FM broadcast - not like the FT-50. Power output is 1/2 watt with the Li Ion battery. The most amazing thing about this radio, though, is it's size. Much smaller than even the C508A. Oh, one other thing - no crossband splits that anyone I have spoken with has been able to find.

My solution to "which one?" is "both!"

:-)

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

6895. Need: IC-706 tuner pinout??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <w3ink@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bc81b1$a8da3b00$2f8caccf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 172071

I just bought an IC-706 and G-230 tuner. Would be nice to hook yhe tuner into the AH-3 tuner port on the 706. Does anyone have the pinout for thet 4-pin connector?

73 Stan, W3INK
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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
http://www.qsl.net/w3ink/

6896. AT-230 TUNE UP PROCEDURE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch_Kay Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <33B122F9.574@netdoor.com>
Source record: 172072

I have an AT-230 I received in a trade and don't know how to tune it. I know instructions came with it but I can't find 'em. If someone could walk me through it I sure would appreciate. I it were as simple as a regular tuner, wouldn't be a problem.

Butch KF5DE

6897. HELP with a Timewave DSP-59Y and FT- 1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "mpayne@gte.net" <mpayne@gte.net>
Message-ID: <5os41smop1@news2.gte.net>
Source record: 172073

I got a Timewave DPS 59Y and have no idea how to hook it up to Ft-1000
D The instruction don't make sence to me. Please E-mail and Thanks.
Mark WA4E

6898. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5os40u$5d6@camel1.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172074

bumologist@pipeline.com (Valued Customer) wrote:

>I'm not sure the case is really leather
me either

> ,but it looks good anyway.
agreed.

By the wy, the Diamond SRH519 "rat-tail" works great on this radio.
Did I already say that? - I forgot.

Don (KE4KYO)

6899. Re: Looking for the Air vent HT mount...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5os4bk$6uo$2@nw001.infi.net>
Source record: 172075

> I've been looking for the little HT hanger thing that clips into the
>air vents in your car.They sell it in the U.K. as the Watson QS-200.Does
>anyone know somebody who sells it here in the US???

Try GALLS. 1-800-477-7766.

73
WD4KDN

6900. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5os429$6uo$1@nw001.infi.net>
Source record: 172076

I
>I remember when first bought my IC751 years ago there was a lot of
>conjecture that if the lithium backup cell ever failed, the whole
>operating system would be lost??? That dont sound reasonable to me
>now or back at the time when I first heard it mentioned. Loss of
>all the 32 memory channels (if you have anything stored in them) yes
>I can understand. Loss of the entire program (i/e the VCO control
>etc) I doubt it. Would anybody care to comment on this. My lithium
>must be about 10 years old already so if I loose the freqcys in
>the memory channels, thats no big thing.
>
Joe,
I have an Icom 745 which is the "little brother" of the IC 751. It has the same configuration. The "operating system" (for lack of a better description) is backed up by lithium battery. A friend of mine and myself bought an IC 745 back in 1984 and he recently checked his lithium cells and found the voltage sagging. He tried replacing the cells with new lithiums and lost the memory. He lost all of the VFO control, etc. He borrowed my rig to see if that was the problem and sure enough the memory was gone so he sent the module back to Icom. I think it was $40 or $50 to get it back, however, they replaced the battery with a beefed up lithium which they said was good for 15-40 years!!! I replaced the lithium battery in my 745 and had no problem. I took a standard two cell AA battery holder, soldered two leads on it, and soldered those leads onto the memory module board. Took the old lithium battery out, replaced it with a new cell, unsoldered the AA batteries, and everything worked fine.

Andy
WD4KDN

6901. innovative sounds systems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dwayne@esva.net
Message-ID: <5os6h7$ahv@news.esva.net>
Source record: 172077

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i have the acoustic response series 700.
i need to know how much these speakers are worth and/or who sells them
i also need a phone number
thanx in advance
dwayne
please e-mail me directly at dwayne@esva.net
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6902. FT625

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Palmer <D.Palmer@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc817a$d765d6a0$f13563c3@wr-c>
Source record: 172078

I have an FT625 ,this is a 6 meter multimode does any one have any info on
mods
or have one for sale.This was not inported in to the uk in many numbers
(about 10).
thanks don G6CMV

6903. Re: Ham-Equip Digest V97 #699

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3wts2@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970624.162900.5311.0.n3wts2@juno.com>
Source record: 172079

I am looking for mods for the FT-726 R, if anyone has mods for this Tribander, please E-mail me . Thank You

Mel - N3WTS2@JUNO.COM

6904. Re: FT-757 Lithium battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: PomEGranate <seno417b@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc81c0$8079c860$77a42399@seno417b.earthlink.net>
Source record: 172080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm not a ham (SWL) but have serviced ham gear, CB's and other
assorted stuff. I've needed lithium coil cells (solder-tab type) and
have found them from DigiKey Electronics at 1-800-344-4539.
Give DigiKey a call and they'll send a free catalog to you.

here are some other parts sources which I have used at the shop
and are good for other electronics parts:

MCM Electronics - 1-800-543-4330
Future Electronics - 1-800-655-0006
Hosfelt Electronics - 1-800-524-6464
MPJ Electronics - 1-800-652-6733
All Electronics Corp - 1-800-826-5432

Guve the above no's a call. All will send you a free parts and
equipment catalog!

Pom E Granate

ps: If you know of any other parts/test/equipment retailers with
catalogs, pse e-mail their info & 1-800 #

6905. FS: Icom 2GAT & 4GAT Deluxe HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Whiteman <donw@interaccess.com>
Message-ID: <33B1B756.4DCE0BED@interaccess.com>
Source record: 172081

I have an Icom 2GAT (2M) and a 4GAT (440) deluxe HT for sale. These are the units that will run 6 watts out with 12V batteries (provided) and will run about 3.5 watts out with Icom BP-8 long life batteries. Both units have the optional tone squelch encode/decode boards installed and they are both in perfect condition. I am the original owner and they have not been modified. I am asking $195 for the 4GAT and $175 for the 2GAT, manuals and wall chargers included. The reason these are for sale is that I now have a dual band HT. If interested, please contact me at 312-855-7671 (days CDT). 73, Don Whiteman KK9H

6906. Re: ?Standard 510 vs Yaseau VX1R??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc81c2$34d760a0$84bf2299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 172082

Thanks for the mini reveiw Don. I'm also having a difficult time between the two. I really like the size and frequency coverage of the Yaesu but don't like the half-a-watt and no keypad. But the standard has no way of charging nicads while on the road. The Yeasu will run one watt with a 6 to 12v source and take only one hour or so to charge the Li-on.

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

Donald D. Davis, Jr. <dddavis@atl.mindspring.com> wrote in article <5os3mc$5d6@camel1.mindspring.com>...
> Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
> >How does the 510 compare to the VX1r? Also, is there a pic or any info
> >on the www re: the 510? Thanks HT
>
> They are really kind of different animals. The 510 has all the stuff
> you want for a full featured HT. DTMF memories, paging, code squelch,
> PL encode and decode, 200 memories, cross-band splits for use when
> accessing a cross-band repeater, etc. It also has wide receive range.
> The best feature of the 510, to me, is the one watt output on 3 AA
> cells. That's a respectable power out without worrying about NiCads.
> The radio is small, a little smaller than the Yaesu FT-11 and a little
> lighter.
>
> The VX-1R is SUPER-tiny. It has DTMF memories but not paging. It does
> have PL encode and decode, as well as DCS. The actual number of
> memories is 52 for general purpose and about 30 or 40 others for
> special bands, band limit scanning, etc. There is another memory
> "configuration" to increase that to maybe 180 or so, but you cannot
> store PL freqs with the memory channels, so it is not useful to me.
> The receive range is wide and includes wideband FM which sounds really
> good, even on FM broadcast - not like the FT-50. Power output is 1/2
> watt with the Li Ion battery. The most amazing thing about this radio,
> though, is it's size. Much smaller than even the C508A. Oh, one other
> thing - no crossband splits that anyone I have spoken with has been
> able to find.
>
> My solution to "which one?" is "both!"
>
> :-)
>
> regards, Don (KE4KYO)
>

>

6907. New LZ / AlphaPower HF 1KW solid state automatic amplifier ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: morel@shani.NET
Message-ID: <01BC80E9.C3E91920@morel.shani.net>
Source record: 172102

Today I heard some rumors that LZ factory who manufactures
the 91-beta amplifier for AlphaPower (ex ETO), stated that
they are going to display this week-end a new solid state HF
1kw amplifier with automatic antenna tuner at HamFest in
Friederichshafen . It wasn't clear if it's manufactured and sold
under the auspices of AlphaPower like the bulgarian made
91Beta model, or it's a LZ factory private initiative.

If this is true, does anyone have more info ? I hope it's not
another mock-up, like Yaesu VL-1000 amplifier seen at Dayton.

73 de Morel, 4X1AD

6908. Re: Help! IC-271A & IC-471A Battery replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: carson@mbnet.mb.ca
Message-ID: <5opramlva1@postern.mbnet.mb.ca>
Source record: 172103

Al Mirabal <alfa011@prtc.net> wrote:

>Hello!
>I am looking for information to replace myself the lithium
>battery on my Icom IC-271A and IC-471A.
>Can someone help me?

>Thanks
>Alvin
>WP4IDK
Al I heard someone say you could solder another battery over top of
the existing one then cut off the older battery.But if your battery is
dead then i think your only recourse is ICOM.. Colin VE4CSN

6909. Re: FS: MFJ 901B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trapper27@juno.com
Message-ID: <33b09332.637075@nntp.infoave.com>
Source record: 172104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Forgive my ignorance Butch.... but I don't read the trade magazines
to much. what is a MFJ 901B?

On Tue, 24 Jun 1997 12:14:36 -0500, Butch Magee
<butch@apollo.wes.army.mil> wrote:

>MFJ 901B for sale, 38.00 shipped conus.
>
>Butch KF5DE

6910. WTB: Lafayette HE-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: timcook@erinet.com
Message-ID: <33b075e9.21229561@news.erinet.com>
Source record: 172105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a Lafayette HE-10 shortwave receiver. Please email with
details if you have one for sale.
Thanks
Tim
NZ8J

6911. Re: [=== Looking for OLD HP & TEK CATALOGS ===]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mizurr@enter.net
Message-ID: <5optov$gm7@news.enter.net>
Source record: 172106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.audio.tech,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.video,rec.video.production, rec.video.marketplace,sci.electronics.misc

If you are looking for specs, etc on old Tek and HP gear, I've got catalogs from the 70's. I don't want to part with them, but if you need info for a particular product, let me know. There is a surplus shop on Canal Street in NY that has HP catalogs (probably Tek, etc. as well) at least back to the 50's. OTOH, if you collect old stuff, good luck.

In article <866738868.12828@dejanews.com>, rasmusst@geocities.com says...
>
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>
>
>I am looking for the following old catalogs:
>- HP early 1970's, mid 1960's and earlier
>- Tektronix televison and test instruments before 1970.
>
>I will gladly pay for shipping and handeling.
>
>
>
>-Thor Rasmussen N6FNP
>mailto:rasmusst@geocities.com
>rasmusst@geocities.com
>
>--------------------==== Posted via Deja News
====------------------------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

6912. NEED 12BY7A TUBE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ki4xz <loginname@peganet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8113$b725c9c0$27d666ce@paul>
Source record: 172107

AM IN NEED OF 12BY7A DRIVER TUBE FOR MY KENWOOD 820.

PREFER A NEW TUBE BUT WILL TAKE GOOD USED PULL OUT IN GOOD CONDITION=

73 PAUL LONDON KI4XZ@KF4HFR KI4XZ@PEGANET.COM

6913. Icom IC-207 Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: lps1@swbell.net
Message-ID: <33b18eba.17224736@news.swbell.net>
Source record: 172108

I just picked up the radio and of course I want to add or change a few things. Can anyone help? Is there a cell mod? Extended xmit? Recieve or other mods?

Thanks for the help!

Lewis KM5BH

6914. FS - Yeasu 2m FM HT with Accessorys $115.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Sibbitt <n8lmt@avci.net>
Message-ID: <5oq1lm$eq5@snews5.zippo.com>
Source record: 172109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE :
Yeasu FT-208r 2m HT, with the drop-in NC-8 110vac
power supply + desktop rapid charger, and a YM-24A hand-mic.
It has a BRAND NEW BATTERY, also has rubber
antenna. puts out 3 watts on high, has LCD display,
and 10 memorys.
need $115. for the lot, + $5 for shipping in USA

email-me..... n8lmt@avci.net

Ron Sibbitt
5885 Galbraith Line Road
Croswell, MI 48422

6915. FS: Tubes and Test Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: murrayp <murrayp@MCI2000.com>
Message-ID: <01bc811c$3d260320$3a4e68cf@kevin--home>
Source record: 172110

Used Tubes, Pulled from Surplus Equipment, untested,
Priced accordingly, Substantial quantities available:

0A2 $1.00
6AH6 $0.50
6AL5 $0.50
6AN8A $1.00
6AU6A $0.50
6CL6 $1.00
6X4 $1.00
12AT7 $2.00
12AU7A $3.00
12AX7A $3.00
5651A $0.75
5963/12AU7A $3.00
6080 $3.00
6201/12AT7 $2.00
8068 $14.00
8136 $0.75
8532W $1.00

Shipping in the USA: 1 - 6 tubes $4.00, 6 or more tubes
shipping free! For shipping outside the USA Email your list
and your shipping address for shipping cost information.

TEKTRONIX 465M 100MHz Oscilloscopes, all reconditioned
and calibrated,120 day warranty,shipping free in the USA
$465.00 each!

For a complete list of ELECTRON TUBES (both new and/or used),
various ANTIQUE RADIOCOMPONENTS or ELECTRONIC TEST
EQUIPMENT, please E-mail:

sales@emodus.com

Thank you!

6916. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@cmc.net
Message-ID: <33b1a6f1.1274312@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 172111

On Tue, 24 Jun 1997 21:59:35 -0400, Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com> wrote:

>
>I don't know about the 751, but what you describe IS exactly the case
>for the Icom R71 receiver. There is no ROM. The program is stored in RAM
>along with the memory channels and it's all maintained by the battery.
>If the battery goes dead you loose the entire processor program! The
>only solution then is to send the receiver (or at least the memory
>module) back to ICOM for reprogamming. You could jumper a temporary
>battery into the circuit to hold the memory while you replace the
>battery. In the R71, the battery is soldered to the circuit board and
>the board is burried below another board and a shield. Replacement is
>not an easy task. I guess the object of this design was job security for
>Icom techs.

The design was established in the early 1980's about 1980 or 1981. It
is a cost effective design which has proven to be reliable over the
years. One can not even begin to guess how many commercial products
use a lithium battery backed ram, even some are still designed this
way today.

In the time frame of the design, the " new " eprom was expensive and
an unknown quantity. battery backed ram allowed for possible
upgrading and was real cost effective to manufacturer verses an eprom.

Now days ICOM has moved on to EEPROM chips for memory retention on
their radios and the CPU ROM now holds the operation parameters of the
radio.

Gary
THIS REPLY DOES NOT REPRESENT ANY OFFICIAL POSITION of
MY EMPLOYER. It represents only MY PERSONAL opinion.

6917. Standard 510 receive mod???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc811f$b15f18a0$d6bf2299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 172112

Looking for the receive mod for the new Standard 510. I have the transmit mod but don't need that.

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

6918. Re: Unwanted attachments

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33b0a2f4.1555202@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172113

James O'Brien <kd4cdb@bellsouth.net> wrote:

:Charles Stampf wrote:
:
:> HAMS should take notice that it is considered rude and inconsiderate
:> to send unrequested binary attachments to a listserv that is
:> broadcast to large audiences. Please consider those of us who pay
:> for connect time and aren't interested in your binaries.
:>
:> _____________________________________
:> Charles Stampf, SPHS
:> cstampf@health.co.dutchess.ny.us
:> Dutchess County Department of Health
:> 387 Main Mall
:> Poughkeepsie NY 12601
:> (914) 486-3404
:> _____________________________________
:
: First off,I don't see your callsign anywhere.

You don't see my callsign anywhere either although I have one.
Hint: A callsign is not needed for internet access.

:And obviously you surf
:the net while at work for the health department because a cheap
:skinflint like yourself would'nt have a computer at home.

But, you have got to admit that he has a very good point which you
should take notice of.

:Now,since your
:so worried about money concerns get off the computer at work and do your
:damn job. Geek.

Maybe he is. You should show more respect for your intellectual peers.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

6919. Re: FS: FT-51R highpower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33b0a32a.1609326@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

KC7KPP@juno.com (John Van Boxtel KC7KPP) wrote:

:FOR SALEFT-51RHIGH POWERStill in box with:&#65533; Two new Larson Kulducks
:Antennas (One for VHF, One of UHF)&#65533; High Power (5 Watt)
:Battery&#65533; Desk Charger&#65533; Instruction Manual&#65533; Warranty Card&#65533; Speaker Mic
:Included&#65533; In Good condition, only reason for selling is because owner got
:a newer handheld.$425
:
:----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
: http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

The joined together words and inverted question marks are novel.

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

6920. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryoXX@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <33b0a31d.1596155@news.fastlink.com.au>
Source record: 172115
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu (John Kuzenski) wrote:

:moritz@ipers1.e-technik.uni-stuttgart.de wrote:
:: >It seems a little strange to me that Yaesu and other companies have not
:: >recognized the demand for a normal collapsible wip (like the hot rod) for
:
:: What is the point in having a palm-size radio with a full-size
:: antenna, which might easily break or break the connector?
:
:I don't have a tiny HT; my only HT is about the size and weight
:of a brick. But my favorite antenna for it is a quarter-wave
:length of piano wire (0.030", I think it was), with our without
:another 1/4-wave "tail" on the grounded part of the BNC connector.
:
:It works MUCH better than any "rubber duck" I've tried, and it's
:really not much more bother. The piano wire is very flexible,
:and it doesn't get in the way much. Even fits in my briefcase,
:neatly flexed. (If you don't know what "piano wire" is, it's
:stainless stuff that holds a straight shape but is flexible
:depending on its diameter.)

What have you put on the end to avoid poking peoples eyes out?

Barry

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To reply via email please remove the XX from my
return address.

6921. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5oqakj$212@camel3.mindspring.com>
Source record: 172116

bumologist@pipeline.com (Valued Customer) wrote:

>>I bought mine at universal for $310+tax,so it was about the
>same.Everyplace I checked had it for 310-325.The only things I don't like
>are the lousy antenna and the price of the case($30).It works great...
> Barry N8PVX

I agree the case is a little expensive (I paid $25), but I really like it. Most of the HT cases are cheap vinyl and look awful. This one is leather and, I think, improves the appearance of the radio. I'd prefer a $25 case which looks good and is well made to a cheap one for $18-$20. I also found the antenna to be lacking in out-of-band receive performance (like the C508A antenna was), but OK in the ham bands. Did you have a similar view, or was it lacking in the ham bands as well?

Overall, I really like this radio a lot.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

6922. FS EIMAC 8877 TUBES NEW!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael Diaz <kb2mym@li.net>
Message-ID: <33B0A6EE.22C8D917@li.net>
Source record: 172117

I have two matched pair 8877 EIMAC tube's 350.00 +10.00 shipping..
These tube's are brand new never used. in sealed box.. send message

6923. FS EIMAC 8877 TUBES NEW!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael Diaz <kb2mym@li.net>
Message-ID: <33B0A716.1FF5F5A4@li.net>
Source record: 172118

I have two matched pair 8877 EIMAC tube's 350.00 +10.00 shipping..
These tube's are brand new never used. in sealed box.. send message

6924. FS EIMAC 8877 TUBES NEW!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael Diaz <kb2mym@li.net>
Message-ID: <33B0A737.DE340FA@li.net>
Source record: 172119

I have two matched pair 8877 EIMAC tube's 350.00 +10.00 shipping..
These tube's are brand new never used. in sealed box.. send message

6925. FT 5100 for Trade.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David W. Vanderberg" <van4@pilot.infi.net>
Message-ID: <01bc812d$a1b2eae0$a9a983d0@default>
Source record: 172120
Cross-posted to: alt.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,su.org.ham-radio

I have a Ft-5100 Dual Bnd Radio and a Mirage 160w (2m) amplifier with a dual Band Diamond antenna for trade in great condition. Im looking for a descent HF rig. Any offers.

Victor

6926. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5oqdkt$h2b$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 172121

Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net> wrote:

>I remember when first bought my IC751 years ago there was a lot of
>conjecture that if the lithium backup cell ever failed, the whole
>operating system would be lost??? That dont sound reasonable to me
>now or back at the time when I first heard it mentioned. Loss of
>all the 32 memory channels (if you have anything stored in them) yes
>I can understand. Loss of the entire program (i/e the VCO control
>etc) I doubt it. Would anybody care to comment on this. My lithium
>must be about 10 years old already so if I loose the freqcys in
>the memory channels, thats no big thing.

> ********************************
> * jfenn@lava.net *
> * Ham radio KH6JF *
> * MARS radio ABM6JF *
> * WW2 Vet ARMY SIGNAL CORPS *
> ********************************

Yep... the Icom IC-751, IC-745, IC-R71A, IC-271, IC-471 and IC-1271 all use the same memory module, and all WILL lose their operating system if the on-board Lithium cell falls much below 1.5V or so. A fresh Lithium cell should measure around 3.3 - 3.5 V. I have measured a number of R71A batteries and have never found one lower than 2.7 volts.

There has been much discussion about this, and if you search DejhaNews or Alta-Vista for info on the R-71A you will find quite a bit of info.

There are basically 3 ways of dealing with the problem.

First, you can apply another source of 3 to 5 volts across the battery, then remove it and replace it WITHOUT shorting anything out. You can remove the module from the radio to do this.

OR

You can send it back to Icom and let them do it.

OR

You can invest $134 for a Willco Electronics ICM-1024B "No Fail" memory board. This borad simply replaces the Icom board and has the operating system in non-volatile ROM. If you aren't shy about modifications, this board can be installed in such a way that you can get 32 banks of 32 channels (1024 memory channels).

This board only works in the R71A, 751 and 745.

(815) 723-1874 for info.

Steve
WB7PSD

6927. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tuomi@sci.fi
Message-ID: <5oqfhc$n67@idefix.eunet.fi>
Source record: 172122

In article <5oqdkt$h2b$1@nadine.teleport.com>, prografx@teleport.com (Steve Kennedy) wrote:

>Yep... the Icom IC-751, IC-745, IC-R71A, IC-271, IC-471 and IC-1271
>all use the same memory module, and all WILL lose their operating

Also the icom IC-751A has the battery RAM.

>You can invest $134 for a Willco Electronics ICM-1024B "No Fail"
>memory board. This borad simply replaces the Icom board and has the
>operating system in non-volatile ROM. If you aren't shy about
>modifications, this board can be installed in such a way that you can
>get 32 banks of 32 channels (1024 memory channels).
>
>This board only works in the R71A, 751 and 745.

Do you know if it works with 751A ?

Just looked schema of my 751A. The RAM board has pins like a RAM chip.
Does anyone have timing information of that ram board ? One way
could be cloning the module myself. Let me know if someone has
done this. I remember, that I saw an article somewhere how to read the
data from the RAM module.

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04260 Kerava eMail: tuomi@sci.fi (09) 2748 1229 work
Finland WWW: www.sci.fi/~tuomi (09) 274 811 work fax

6928. FS: Radio Shack HTX-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rdean@startext.net
Message-ID: <MPG.e1a7b98be0f85f098968e@news.startext.net>
Source record: 172123

Hope someone can use this! I am am not a "ham", and purchased by mistake a used, but in good shape, Radio Shack HTX-202 radio (Thought it had other coverage). It does work (had it checked) and I am asking 125.00 OBO. Thanks!

6929. Heathkit SB 101 Series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter and Colleen McGreevy <PMCGREEV@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Message-ID: <33B0C625.7E95@MAIL.IDT.NET>
Source record: 172124

Is there a site on the web that has a lot of Heathkit information?

I am looking to find out the difference between a few Heathkit radios...
I have an SB-101, and I need to know the difference between it and an
SB-401, and an SB-102 as well. I know the 301 is a receiver...

Any info appreciated -- Pete -- KA2YDY

6930. Mods for Mil.radio wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: erwin.cremers@ingram.nl
Message-ID: <5oqlf9$945$2@news.Kijfhoek.NL.net>
Source record: 172125

Hello,

Does anyone know of books or maybe even sites that have modification for mil.radios in them. I'm looking for Mods for the RT67and 68 or any other you might have. The mods i'm primairaly intersted in are bandwith and frequenty shift improvements.

I'm going to put them on my Internet site so everybody can access them.

Greetings,

Erwin


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| PE1MGR |
| Dutch Radio Operator |
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|www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/4312|
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6931. Attention-All-Writers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron34@compuserve.com
Message-ID: <33b0e673.0@news1.ibm.net>
Source record: 172126

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6932. ICOM IC-R10 NO GAPS AT 800 MHZ FOR ONLY $395

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: DR Electronics <drele@hol.gr>
Message-ID: <01bc8155$57562d40$55d81ec2@drele.hol.gr>
Source record: 172127
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

WE NOW STOCK THE R10 EUROPE VERSION WITH NO GAPS AT 800 MHZ FOR ONLY $395.
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6933. ?Standard 510 vs Yaseau VX1R??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33B10015.7730@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 172128

Donald D. Davis, Jr. wrote:
>
> bumologist@pipeline.com (Valued Customer) wrote:
>
> >>I bought mine at universal for $310+tax,so it was about the
> >same.Everyplace I checked had it for 310-325.The only things I don't like
> >are the lousy antenna and the price of the case($30).It works great...
> > > Barry N8PVX
>
> I agree the case is a little expensive (I paid $25), but I really like
> it. Most of the HT cases are cheap vinyl and look awful. This one is
> leather and, I think, improves the appearance of the radio. I'd prefer
> a $25 case which looks good and is well made to a cheap one for
> $18-$20. I also found the antenna to be lacking in out-of-band receive
> performance (like the C508A antenna was), but OK in the ham bands. Did
> you have a similar view, or was it lacking in the ham bands as well?
>
> Overall, I really like this radio a lot.
>
> regards, Don (KE4KYO)
How does the 510 compare to the VX1r? Also, is there a pic or any info
on the www re: the 510? Thanks HT

6934. Need manual AV-25 vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: egriffin@ctc.net
Message-ID: <33b109f3.2812983@news>
Source record: 172129

I need a manual for the AV-25 vertical antenna, built by B&W in the
1980's. I have the pieces but can't assemble it without some help.
tnx
Ed

Ed Griffin W4KMA
KMA Antennas
HF - VHF - UHF log periodics
http://www.janrix.com/kma

6935. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e1ad9b5ed37a67398968f@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172130

In article <5oqakj$212@camel3.mindspring.com>, dddavis@atl.mindspring.com says...
> I agree the case is a little expensive (I paid $25), but I really like
> it. Most of the HT cases are cheap vinyl and look awful. This one is
> leather and, I think, improves the appearance of the radio. I'd prefer
> a $25 case which looks good and is well made to a cheap one for
> $18-$20. I also found the antenna to be lacking in out-of-band receive
> performance (like the C508A antenna was), but OK in the ham bands. Did
> you have a similar view, or was it lacking in the ham bands as well?
>
>It seems like it's better on 2m than it is on 153-156.453+454 is ok,but it still has to be in just the right position to really recieve well.I was listening to Detroit PD(50+ miles away),but I had to hold it just right.I'm not sure the case is really leather,but it looks good anyway. I really like it too..
Bumologist.....What the HELL is that!!??
Barry Felstein

6936. Re: ?Standard 510 vs Yaseau VX1R??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e1adb4a18557feb989690@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172131

In article <33B10015.7730@bellsouth.net>, traut@bellsouth.net says...

> How does the 510 compare to the VX1r? Also, is there a pic or any info
> on the www re: the 510? Thanks HT
>Do a Alta Vista or similar search on C510,there are several pics,one
really good one,about life size.I think it was at the Martin Lynch or
Nevada site(UK).The 510 has 200 channels,20 search banks.Recieves
basically from 100-1000Mhz,less cell of course.Has a whopping 1 watt
power output.I KNOW it will skip freqs during a search,I did it
accidentaly,and can't figure out how.....
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Bumologist.........What the HELL is that!!???
Barry Felstein N8PVX

6937. Looking for the Air vent HT mount...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bumologist@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e1adeb396b2e2ba989691@news.pipeline.com>
Source record: 172132

Hi,

I've been looking for the little HT hanger thing that clips into the
air vents in your car.They sell it in the U.K. as the Watson QS-200.Does
anyone know somebody who sells it here in the US???
Thanks,
--
Bumologist.........What the HELL is that!!???
Barry Felstein N8PVX

6938. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gavin Stirling <gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19970626175116717 65@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 171933

> Toby,

> Hershman is a lot of mouth. He hints at some sort of inside knowledge
> but in truth he has posted bad mods in the past. It is more important
> to him to look like a big shot with inside knowledge than to publish
> correct information. DON'T USE ANY MOD HERSHMAN POSTS Remember this is
> the guy who claims to know more about Icoms than Gary Fibre the US Tech
> rep. What are the odds of that?

> 73 Jerry

Jerry,

You seen the IC-708?! Hershman said it would arrive by May. My, I
wonder where it's got ;-)

Now he regularly makes an appearance on the UK group to tell us we're
being ripped off!

Yet he knows nothing regarding our tax system etc.....
Gav
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* Gavin C. Stirling Radio Amateur: GM0WDD *
* Edinburgh VHF: QRV 2m & 6m *
* UK Private Pilot *
* Freq: 144.725MHz Cessna
152's out of EGPH *
* E-mail: gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk *
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6939. !!!FREE PSYCHIC READINGS / FIND OUT HOW!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sue@quicklink.com
Message-ID: <5otn97$b7n$5402@news.quicklink.com>
Source record: 171934

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can try a psychic reading free. Don't take the word
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6940. FS: MOTOROLA UHF VISAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <ugfd@vnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8258$46a23620$ea9e52a6@Dugfd>
Source record: 171935

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For Sale 2 Motorola Visar 16 Channel uhf
will trade both for 1 vhf visar
email for more details

ugfd@vnet.net
or
ugvfd@aol.com
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6941. Re: TS-450S filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@safety.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <5ouc49$h47@safety.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 171936

For the 450 you have the choice of CW filters in either the 455 kHz IF and in the 8.8 MHz IF, or both. Of course, you can get great selectivity with a filter in both IF's, you gain the benefit of a pair of filters to cut out the nearby QRM.

I am told that the 455 filters have a better shape factor in general. That means that they are "sharper" in a sense, they will both sound a bit better when centered on the signal you want and eliminate nearby QRM a bit better. On that basis, if you were to buy one filter, get the 455 kHz one.

Then, if you ever find one filter just too little, you can get another one in the 8.8 line. What I would do, if I was really into CW, is get a 500 Hz filter in the 455 line, then get a 250 Hz filter for the 8.8 line, so I had both bandwidths available, or both for somewhat better selectivity especially for contests or field day.

You might also note that International Radio (INRAD, now in Oregon) sells filters for the 450. I believe they are both a little cheaper than Kenwood filters and have better shape factors.

Hope this helps.

Clark
WA3JPG

6942. FS:MFJ-1270CQ-tnc/9.6KBmodem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Johnson <n2rif@kwiknet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8266$50eb3c40$f38d56cf@tee-jay>
Source record: 171937

Hello All;
I'm selling the "MFJ-1270CQ: MFJ TNC-2 Packet Controller Turbo Plus"
with the 9600bps modem installed. This tnc/modem has all the features
of the "MFJ-1270C" plus builtin 9600bps G3RUH modem for 9600bps AX.25
and 9600bps AFSK operations.
The MFJ-1270CQ is fully TAPR TNC-2 compatible with KISS interface,
MFJ Host mode * Anti-collision technology * Enhanced personal Mailbox
Plus Much more.
Included are all original docs, manuals, box and accessories. This
unit is still under MFJ's Unlimited 100% Warranty. It has less than
4 hours use. It's Basicly New Out Of The Box!..Reason 4 Sale: I just
bought the new AEA/Timewave DSP-2232 that includes all PacSat modes,
Wefax, SSTV & more.. Also I am a non-smoker
New it sells for around $229.99 +shipping. Asking $195 +shipping.
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Please call 1-609-386-9382 10am to 10pm Eastern Time..
Or RE: via Email to: n2rif@amsat.org
Packet: N2RIF@WM2F.SNJ.NJ.USA.NA
Thank You For Reading My Bulletin
de Thom J aka T.j.
....73

6943. Heathkit Warrior HF Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dierker@no_spam.worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33b2c2ae.9562937@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171938

I have a Warrior (1KW) HF amp. I haven't used it for years. Assuming I connect the dummy load, fire it up, and it still works, what's it worth at a hamfest? Is there any collector value?

Thanks for your opinion,
Dave
WB5RLR

If you prefer to reply via email, remove "no_spam" from my return address.

6944. Re: Dual band antenna selection for a Jeep?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Tomas <tomasr@agcs.com>
Message-ID: <33B2C6CD.79DB@agcs.com>
Source record: 171939

Willie Peloquin wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I just purchased a Jeep Wrangler, soft top. I am trying to make a decision
> on the type of antenna to purchase. I would like a dual band, 2m & 70cm,
> that would look attractive on the jeep. I do not know too much about
> antenna theory, so I thought that I would ask the experts! I don't really
> want to go with a glass mount. I have seen CB antennas mounted to a bracket
> used as a stop for the rear tire. Possibly a rear quarter panel mounted
> whip. What would be the optimal location, better yet, is there an on-line
> resource that would help educate me on ground planes, and antennas?
>
> Thanks a bunch,
>
> --
> Willie Peloquin - N8MDY
> Senior Software Engineer
> http://www.ismi.net/~wpeloqui

I'm not (yet) a ham, don't know antenna theory, and don't know
how sturdy ham antenna's are. But I *do* own a Jeep Wrangler
and I *do* use it off road.

The spare tire stop bracket is a real convenient place to mount
an antenna - I've seen many Jeeps with CB antenna's mounted there.
But I believe that location is vulnerable to tree branches. I've
driven down old roads overgrown with trees and bushes to the point
I would have been concerned about an antenna mounted on the tire
stop bracket. (This is how you decorate your Jeep with what we
out here in Arizona call "desert pinstripes".) If you don't think
you'll ever drive on roads like this (ie. did you buy a *brand new*
Wrangler?), I'd recommend the tire stop bracket.

As for myself, I'm going to try mounting a CB antenna to the spare
tire mounting bracket (ie. in between the spare tire and the
tailgate itself. I may have to fabricate a bracket myself, but
this will put the antenna safely out of harm's way.

Hope this helps.

Roger Tomas
AG Communication Systems

6945. Perth Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Albert <jwa@tellabs.com>
Message-ID: <33B2C400.6C7A@tellabs.com>
Source record: 171940

Help! My Outbacker Perth has high SWR and if I can't fix I toss it
out in the back with the trash!
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I installed it last night and I can't adjust the SWR on 20 meters. I
also tried other bands. The signal levels seem to increase when I
plug-in the shorting wire in the 20 meter socket but changing the
"spike" length doesn't effect the SWR.

I purchased the antenna last year at Dayton but never used until last
night. I can't find the manual :-(

--
Jack Albert WA9FVP (Fellow Radio Hacker)
Tellabs Operations Inc.
1000 Remington Blvd Voice (630) 378-6201
Bolingbrook, IL 60440 FAX (630) 378-5790

6946. FS or T WINRADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ROBERT C JOHNSON <TELTEKUSA@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B2C8E4.6D16@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171941

FOR SALE- WINRADIO WITH THE NEWEST SOFTWARE $425 FIRM or TRADE FOR ?????
MAKE OFFER

BOB

6947. Re: Subjective Quickie/First Look at Yaesu VX-1R.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Desmond Crisis, #4701" <dcrisis@cnet.com>
Message-ID: <33B2C9BE.304B@cnet.com>
Source record: 171942

Biggest problem is that the bands won't work together (no scanning or offsetting between them.

The tone squelch opens too slowly for scanning to work with it well.

If you want to listen to landmobile channels in the T-band range you have to do it in the UHF-TV band where you can switch to narrow FM but cannot assign any tone squelch.

On the other hand, I'm impressed with its sensitivity. I'm pretty much able to work everything I need to here in the city. (I wouldn't bother taking it to the 'burbs, though)

Here's a question David Feldman sent me you might find interesting...

At 10:17 PM 6/25/97 -0700, you wrote:
>I would like to use it to receive broadcast TV audio and FM broadcast
>audio (as a kind of "walkman" application) with good sensitivity and such
>
>Dave
>
>

In that case it works GREAT. They got the filter width right this time and the sensitivity is good. I'm kind of close to a broadcast tower and most of my BCFM radios have trouble. The only thing wrong is that the selectivity is not the best it could be but is comparable to an average BCFM radio. Also remember that the VX-1R can receive AM BC and does it pretty well (helps if you hold the vhf/uhf antenna near some big metal object or hook up a more appropriate antenna.)

The AM BC band works kind of funny. It has 10 of it's own independent memories you can use but it doesn't use the frequency or alpha display. Instead, you tune it by using the s-meter as an analog tuning dial. It works fine, but it's weird.

Oh yeah, you can store BC frequencies in memory and label them with 6-digit alpha tags!

DC

6948. Galaxy 99v clarifier problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Burke <burkejd@ifc.hsd.utc.com>
Message-ID: <33B2F073.931@ifc.hsd.utc.com>
Source record: 171943
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a strange problem happening with this radio when it has been in my car all day long during a hot day.(In the 90's) When i turn the radio on (am), after about 10 minutes, the radio shifts down 2kc's & the course clarifier will only shift ~ 1.5 kc's when turning it from the low to the hi limits (should be +- 5kc's). The kicker is that this only happens on am & fm(all bands). Sideband is ok. (no shift & the clarifier works fine). When I get home & shut off the radio & come back out 1 hr. later, everything seems ok.

Has anyone experienced this or something similar, & if so do they know what causes this & a fix if possible.

Thanks in advance
Jim

6949. IC901

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rturner672@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626201701.QAA11315@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171944

I am looking for an Icom 900/1 + moduls. I am not concerned about
condition,will consider non working radios.
Please E-mail direct.
Many thanks,
Ray de G1FZY

6950. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC5YWX <jboros@highfiber.com>
Message-ID: <33B2D008.8E06079F@highfiber.com>
Source record: 171945

Yes, I did that too. But got wise and built an adapter for my eprom programmer. Found it possible to reprogram, even to change the band plan. If there is enough interest I may open up a service doing restorations with modified band plans. It is possible to go slightly over 30MHz. THough 6 meters is a little aggressive IMHO.
If you ever have to change the batt, make sure something else is holding the voltage up, even a large cap with about a 10K resistor in series should suffice. And whatever you do, don't short out the power. I changed mine since my rig was 10 yrs old and wanted it to be reliable for 10 more. A $50 lesson (bot another board for only $10 more than programming). Doesnt hurt to have a spare.
Jim

6951. Re: dead IC-706??? & reapir place

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Demolition Man <demoman@rollanet.nospam.org>
Message-ID: <33B2B40B.7BC9@rollanet.nospam.org>
Source record: 171946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Bill Harwood wrote:
>
> 1. My 706 went stupid yesterday and reset itself to factory settings.
> Lost all memory settings. It would not power up whent the power button
> was pushed. I gigled connections and it came back but came back
> stupid. I had a preamp problem and had blowen the 4 amp internal fuse
> earlier in the day. It was replaced without incident at that time.
>
> Today it would not power up at all! I removed from the mobil
> installation and hooded up the front pannel direct. Still dead. I
> checked the fuse it is good. There is 12 Volt in the radio but not at
> the fuse connector.
>
> DOES ANYONE RECOGNIZE THIS PROBLEM AND HAVE A FIX FOR IT.
>
> 2. Can anyone recommend an ICOM repair shop that won't mess with my
> modifications, is reasonable, and knows the 706.
>
> Thanks to the NEWS groups.
>
> Bill Harwood
> W5WH

icom america did a great job on mine. didn't mess with the expansion
mods i had made either.
--
A.C.Curtis
KB0WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman/

6952. Re: WTD:IC-706 MKII Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Demolition Man <demoman@rollanet.nospam.org>
Message-ID: <33B2BAEA.3FA2@rollanet.nospam.org>
Source record: 171947

Dale (Squeak) Porray, AD7K wrote:
>
> On Fri, 20 Jun 1997 19:20:01 -0400, hershman
> <hershman@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> ---<snip>---
> >COMPLETE TRANSMIT FROM 200HZ to 200 MHZ UNinterupted!!!!
> ....now this ^^^^^ ought to be interesting ...
> compete with your neighbor's stereo by blasting one hundred
> Watts at 200 Hertz into your neighborhood! Boy, I'm waiting
> to see how he does this one! Steve, do you have to build a
> new output network to get it to put out power down in the
> audio band? Let us know, please!!!
> >
yeah
--
A.C.Curtis
KB0WLF

mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman/

6953. MS Office 97 Pro - FS/T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Saad Mahaini <Saad.Mahaini@mci.com>
Message-ID: <33B298B2.30A4@mci.com>
Source record: 171948

For Sale or Trade.

MS Office 97 Professional. CD and documentation, sealed
never opened.

6954. Can the Kennwood TH-22at be mod-ed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ghopper@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <ghopper-2606971450080001@ghopper.ndip.eskimo.net>
Source record: 171949

I am wondering if the TH-22at can be mod-ed for out of band transmit, I know that it will do out of band receive. I'm not planning to do it (dont even own the radio) just trying to answer a question for someone.

Thanks.

G Hopper
ghopper@eskimo.com

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Grant's generic sig file.

6955. FS Two Meter All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: N2BR@Multipro.COM
Message-ID: <33B2E635.19A9@Multipro.Com>
Source record: 171950

For Sale Icom IC-251A Two Meter ALL Mode CW,SSB,FM
with Mikephone,Manual Mint-Condition $450.00 Shipped
US Postal Money Order Only.

****
Amateur Radio Station N2BR
Bobby Raymer Algood,Tennessee EM76
****
Email N2BR@Multipro.Com
Webpage http://users.multipro.com/n2br
****

6956. Re: ICOM IC-706 MkII Mods???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B2A5E8.42BE@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171951

Gavin Stirling wrote:
>
> > Toby,
>
> > Hershman is a lot of mouth. He hints at some sort of inside knowledge
> > but in truth he has posted bad mods in the past. It is more important
> > to him to look like a big shot with inside knowledge than to publish
> > correct information. DON'T USE ANY MOD HERSHMAN POSTS Remember this is
> > the guy who claims to know more about Icoms than Gary Fibre the US Tech
> > rep. What are the odds of that?
>
> > 73 Jerry
>
> Jerry,
>
> You seen the IC-708?! Hershman said it would arrive by May. My, I
> wonder where it's got ;-)
>
> Now he regularly makes an appearance on the UK group to tell us we're
> being ripped off!
>
> Yet he knows nothing regarding our tax system etc.....
> Gav
> --
> **
> * Gavin C. Stirling Radio Amateur: GM0WDD *
> * Edinburgh VHF: QRV 2m & 6m *
> * UK Private Pilot *
> * Freq: 144.725MHz Cessna
> 152's out of EGPH *
> * E-mail: gavin.stirling@zetnet.co.uk *
> **

I will continue to give USA WEB sites of Dealers that have price lists
on them. That way the the UK Ham population will have an alternative to
being RIPPED OFF by the British Dealers.

6957. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: larrybo@concentric.net
Message-ID: <5ous07$lj2@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 171952

NNewsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
NBy the way, the Diamond SRH519 "rat-tail" works great on this radio.
snip
Would you tell me about the rat-tail antennae. Is it for two meters
and 440 and does it have the connector that will fit the Standard 510?

Larry
K8SRH

6958. wanted to buy ten tec argonaut 505

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@mc.net>
Message-ID: <33B2E60E.3AC1@mc.net>
Source record: 171953

looking for a ten tec argonaut 505 with power supply thanks 73 jack
n9iif cmb@mc.net

6959. WTB: Kenwood SM 220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: nuview@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33b4f846.1599236@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 171954

Looking for one in excellent shape with manual and the BS8 adapter,
please email me with condition and price!
TNX
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

6960. Wanted: KIWA Mediumwave Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: NChSh <nchsh358@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33B31DA9.445C@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171955

I would like to trade two new 64 MB EDO simms (60 mS, 72-pin, new) for a KIWA Mediumwave Loop Antenna.

Also looking for a KIWA Map unit.

6961. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Mods breaks the Automatic Repeater Offset.... Anyone know how to fix ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Gerke <jgerke@pulse.net>
Message-ID: <33B350D8.29D@pulse.net>
Source record: 171956

Mr. T. Foley wrote:
>
>
>
> I just recently got a VX-1R handheld with the full extended
> tx/rx/cell mods and now the ARS (Automatic Repeater Offset) is broke.
> Even when enabled is dosen't work.

This is typical of Yaesu HT's. In virtually every one I've had, the out of band mod breaks the ars function. It was this way on the FT-811, FT-815, and FT-530 I used to own, and it's true for the the FT-51 and FT-41 that I own at present.

-- Jim, KC5OA

6962. Re: New Yaesu mini-HT - VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hansen <hansen@ait.fredonia.edu>
Message-ID: <33B2D328.2E11@ait.fredonia.edu>
Source record: 171957

Bob Witte wrote:
>
> Yaesu has a new dual-band HT, claimed to be the world's smallest
> dual-band handheld with wide-band receiver coverage.
>
> 500 mW power (1 W with external power adapter)
> 290 memories
> 6 char Alphanumeric display
> Built-in CTCSS and DCS encode/decode
> AM /air band
>
> http://www.yaesu.com/vx1.html
>
> Has anyone seen one of these yet? Like at Dayton?
>
> Ham Radio Outlet's web site shows a price of $299.
>
> Bob
> --
> Bob Witte bobw@col.hp.com
> Electronic Measurements Division (719) 590-3230
> Hewlett-Packard Company KB0CY 7J1AUE

Yes, I saw it and played with it awhile at dayton. Way cool. Two
observations: 1. As might be expected, the audio output is no where
near the level of the FT-50. I think it would be unusuable in
an automobile.

2. You should compare it to the new Alinco credit card sized HT.
It is pretty amazing too (though it is not on the market yet). Also
take a look at the new Standard 510. It was pretty impressive as
well.

After looking at all this stuff at Dayton, I bought the FT-50. It
is bigger and bulkier, but the audio is much louder and the power
output is higher. If 1/2 were actually useable around here, I
might have made a different decision.

73,
John WA0PTV

6963. EPROM 27C256A -25 Anyone knows where to get it ??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: vr100@rosey.com
Message-ID: <5oun4m$3ms@drn.zippo.com>
Source record: 171958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Please if anyone knows where to get this type of eprom (it is used for ICOM IC-H16T handheld transceiver) e-mail me at: vr100@rosey.com Thanks.

6964. A question: Charging a car battery with solar power.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B. Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33B34C96.3F31@pacbell.net>
Source record: 171959

If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

I've set-up my 2m/70cm radio in my car on a seperate car battery.
That way, if I forget and leave the radio on, I can still start my car.
However this means that I'll need to charge the battery every now and
then.

I was concidering using solar panels to do the job, but I'm not sure
how much charging current would dammage the battery if the battery
was fully charged.

If I feed 340mA of current to a fully charged battery, is that OK?

Does anyone know what the maximum level for a trickel charge should
be?

Thanks,

Bob
KF6JHG

6965. Re: Which 2m/70cm dual band mobile should I purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "B. Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33B349AE.4412@pacbell.net>
Source record: 171960

Charlie Thompson wrote:
>
> I trying to decide which 2m/70cm dual band moble rig to buy.
> Here's what I'd like:
>
> 1. Extended RX on VHF and UHF
> 2. AM aircraft receive
> 3. CTCSS decode/encode
> 4. SMALL Size (detachable front panel optional)
> 5. DTMF mic
> 6. Priced at or less than $500
>
> Any suggestions appreciated.
>
> -Charlie WB4HVD

MY ANSWER:

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If you wish to email me, please remove the letters "cq" from the start
of my email. (I put the letters "cq" so that the automatic email SPAM
programs will get the wrong address.) :-)

There are several good 2m/70cm dual band mobel rigs to chose from.
I feel that they're all good. The selection is a matter of which unit
offers what you like at the price that seems right to you.

In my case, I selected the ALinco DR-605T, it was $440 (USA) from Ham Radio
Outlet. If I wanted the CTCSS decode, I would have gotten the DR-605TQ for
$460 (USA). (The CTCSS encode is standard in both units.)

RX-VHF = 136 - 173.995 MHz
RX-UHF = 420 - 470 MHz

I don't believe it can do AM aircraft receive.

Size in inches = 5.51" (w) x 1.57" (h) x 6.9" (d)

The front panel does not detach.

The mike does have the DTMF tones.

I know that this unit isn't exactly what you specified, but I thought
you might want to take a look at it anyway.

Sincerely,

Bob KF6JHG

6966. Re: Which 2m/70cm dual band mobile should I purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33b2c07c.25566878@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171961

On Wed, 25 Jun 1997 23:59:54 -0500, *don't_spam*cupples@flash.net (Jerry Cupples) wrote:
>Seems to have some circuit fault (appearing after the unit reached 9
>months of use) which causes the radio to lose its current settings
>whenever powered off - vol, memory selection, squelch - although not the
>programmed memories. Yaesu says this is impossible, others on the net say
>it is...

I bought one at Dayton (used), it does the same thing. It's very irritating.
Let us know what Yaesu decides is the problem.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

6967. 2 Handheld FM Business Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: crsinc@mailhost.iamerica.net
Message-ID: <5ot4n2$d9v@news1.iamerica.net>
Source record: 171962

2 handheld Maxon TPf800 FM radios selling to high
bidder on 6/27/97 at 2:21pm California time.

To see pics and enter a bid go to following url:

http://www2.ebay.com/aw/itemfast.cgi?item=gfb635

6968. ICOM 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchalais@ns.net
Message-ID: <33B35CBA.1CB0@ns.net>
Source record: 171963

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------49B91E777908
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

mail:Jchalais@ns.net
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jchalais@ns.net,HAM/KD6UOT,SSB/WAO-9946
SV:"Hind Sight",Doc# 691808,Port of San Francisco, Ca.
"Isn't is amazing that when you lay a tool down
it's exactly one inch beyond your reach when you need it next."

--------------49B91E777908
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; name="HAM4SL.TXT"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="HAM4SL.TXT"

ICOM 735 HF transceiver, like new with box and docs

-and-

ICOM AH2 auto tuner, never installed still in box.

asking $1200 for both

JACK....KD6UOT

mailto:jchalais@ns.net

916-487-1481 voice/message
--------------49B91E777908--
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6969. FS: SONY 2010

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: burro@panama.gulf.net
Message-ID: <33B32196.3FB4@panama.gulf.net>
Source record: 171964

I have for sale a Sony 2010 Shortwave, with original box, carrying strap, ac adaptor, manual. It is like new. I just don't use it. Cleaning out the closet.

If you like shortwave, you will love this radio.

$250 plus shipping; postal money order.

Barry WB6LDL

6970. ICOM IC706MKII MODS ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "F5MJV (Vincent) - Radioamateur" <f5mjv@infini.fr>
Message-ID: <33B2D959.66EA@infini.fr>
Source record: 171965

Could you send me directly at my E Mail Mods for ICOM IC 706MKII ?

Thanks ! Vincent F5MJV.

f5mjv@infini.fr

6971. Wanted Battery packs for Yaseu FT411

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Chivers <cchivers@ebtech.net>
Message-ID: <01bc826b$5c1c4780$488f98ce@cchivers.ebtech.net>
Source record: 171966
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.scanner,can.forsale,ont.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap,sarnia.forsale

Wanted!!!

Dry cell battery packs for a Yaesu FT411

battery pack model numbers

FBA-9 (6 AAA batteries)
FBA-10 (6 AA batteries)
FBA-17 (Compact 6 AA batteries)

Chuck Chivers VE3VSA
cchivers@ebtech.net

6972. Re: 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ua9cdc@utn.e-burg.ru
Message-ID: <33b2c239.5507962@news.e-burg.ru>
Source record: 171967

"Dave Burr" <dtburr@mcs.com> wrote:

>To the point about contesting and the rigs, I doubt that you'll find many
>of the big-time contesters using the '1000MP. Most of this group can afford
>the best and will not screw around with the MP. As time passes with the MP
>on the market, check out the survey in National Contest Journal to get a
>feel for that. I agree that the MP would be good for DXpeditions due to its
>toy-like weight.
ON4UN changed ft1000D to a pair of FT1000mp
And he is not the only one
Check how many contest clubs are using MP now

Best regards,
Igor Sokolov, UA9CDC , (N3TOD)
E-mail: igor@sokol.pssr.e-burg.su
Phone/Fax: 3432 229621

6973. Manual for ICOM Z1A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Stilwell <johncs@tscnet.com>
Message-ID: <33B33801.C65@tscnet.com>
Source record: 171968

I have a friend who needs the manual for an ICOM Z1A HT. Any help would
be greatly appreciated.
TIA
John Stilwell
KB7MKG

6974. New IC 708 preview

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: philus <philus@usa.net>
Message-ID: <33B2BECE.790A@usa.net>
Source record: 171969

Finally, I got to see the brand new prototype of the new IC708!
It is, like Alan, KA2PVR posted, the new IC 708 will have all the
features of the IC706mkII plus an extra 220MHz/440MHz transceiver.
Further, it will have a duplexer for crossband operation on
440MHz/220+146MHz. A good friend of mine, Masahiro Hiranuma of ICOM in
japan sent me a fax with the specs. The radio should be available at
Dayton in ‘98 at a suggested retail price of US$ 1599.
By the way, the optional DSP-Module for the IC 706mkII is sceduled for
end of this year.

73, Andrew Burbaker.

6975. Icom W32a - hidden keyboard funtions?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: stever@raven.cybercom.com
Message-ID: <5otpu1$rhd@crow.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 171970

Just got an Icom Ic-W32a dual-band HT, and seems like a real
nice unit..does anyone know of any hidden keyboard functions?
I already have the hardware mod for expanded xmit..

thanks,
Steve, WA2NHZ

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Stephan Rashkin, WA2NHZ
E-mail: stever@cybercomm.net
****

6976. Re: 1000D or 1000MP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jayk@fc.hp.com
Message-ID: <5ou1rb$hg1@fcnews.fc.hp.com>
Source record: 171971

: The '1000D is built like a tank and will run at 200W+ all day long and
: barely break a sweat. It has a better receiver than the 'MP. , IMO, the
: '1000D has the best receiver I have ever heard, bar none. Yaesu built the
: 1000D as its entry into the "ultimate rig" category. They built the '1000MP
: as a radio that would appeal to the largest buying group of hams...those
: who love bells and whistles. The DSP on the '1000MP is no better than an
: outboard audio DSP. The DSP on transmit is a nightmare...you'll screw
: around with it forever just to find ONE setting that sounds good. Any idea
: that you'll use the transmit DSP to "change the audio to suit the
: conditions" is not borne out by fact. Just get on 75m at night and ask
: around.

I've had the opportunity to set a friend's FT-1000MP next to my FT-1000D.
The MP has a fine receiver. I've compared it to the 1000D on HF and 144
MHz EME. There was very little difference between the two. At times either
rig seemed to be a bit better. The MP receiver is in the same class as
the 1000D IMO.

: To the point about contesting and the rigs, I doubt that you'll find many
: of the big-time contesters using the '1000MP. Most of this group can afford
: the best and will not screw around with the MP. As time passes with the MP
: on the market, check out the survey in National Contest Journal to get a
: feel for that. I agree that the MP would be good for DXpeditions due to its
: toy-like weight.

IMO the MP is one of the hottest selling rigs to the contest community.
If you hang out on the contest Email reflector and the Yaesu reflector
you will see the play the rig is getting. A number of prominent contesters
have even switched from the 1000D. I've seen a number of Email discussions
were the 1000D was considered slightly better than the MP and vice versa.
It seems close enough that it might just be personal preference.

: No doubt that the MP is a nice rig with some good features, looks good, and
: is a good value. But, like the IC-756 and *its* big splash (because of the
: "neat" features), it may be disappointing if you are somewhat discerning
: and can afford better.

IMO the MP was mostly leveraged from the 1000D. I don't see a lot of the
high end ICOM receiver qualities in the IC-756. IMO the two rigs are in
a totally different class receiver wise.

I plan to pick up a second rig before too long. It will likely be a MP
unless I get a great deal on a used 1000D. Receiver wise I don't expect
to give up anything with the MP. What I will miss is the 200w output and
Audio Peaking Filter.

73, Jay K0GU DN70mq jayk@fc.hp.com

6977. TH-79 from Kenwood ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matthias Ott <mottx@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33B1B2B4.C7FA7AD4@ibm.net>
Source record: 172003

Question about the TH79-E...
Who can help?

About one year ago I bought a TH79-E and after becomming familiar with this set I had to recognize that it always "beeped" while using both VFOs in 2m band. But this fault I could life with because I usually never
used both VFOs in the same band. Now I reconstructed the set for using it for PR in 9k6 mode. Now the "beep" always gets on my nerves while operating the TH79 in normal 2m/70cm mode. Has anyone experience with that
fact?
Thank for any hint.
(Total reset didn't help; independent whether used with battery or used with
an external supply power unit)

73+55

6978. FS: Drake TR-7 serv man ++ <<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626014501.VAA18561@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172004

For Drake lovers, can provide copies of TR-7 service manual (about an inch thick), and copies of almost all owner's manuals for 7 line gear (L-7, MN-7, MN-2700, keyer, patch, speech processor, owner's manual for TR-7, etc.), and mod info to get general coverage transmit and receive plus VLF receive. Shipped priority mail for $21.

Evan
K9SQG@AOL.com

6979. FS-Kenwood DG-5 Display!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626022600.WAA21390@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172005

Hi All;
I have for SALE: Kenwood DG-5 digital display, manual copy, exc. condx.
Right now it is on a TS-520 and working well!
Price is $200- Shipped UPS CONUS!
Thanks es 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@aol.com

6980. FS-RARE DRAKE MC-4 Console!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626023000.WAA25405@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172006

Hi All;
I have for SALE:
rare DRAKE MC-4 Mobile Console, contains Speaker and Wattmeter w/ for. &
rev.
up to 300 watts. Exc. Condx, No manual! Price is $75-Shipped UPS CONUS!
Thanks es 73.....RICH RLUCCH2098@aol.com

6981. New Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb0vof1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626025100.WAA26856@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172007

I just picked up one of these units. WOW! Incredibly small, continuous
76-999 including UHF TV, AM broadcast band, 290 memories, even has a
simple DTMF capability...all this in a 3.2" x 1.8" x 1" size!
Has anyone gone inside for a peek? I'm looking for freq expansion mods.

6982. Re: HAM RADIO OUTLET SUCKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb0vof1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626025901.WAA23697@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172008

I've also had excellent experiences at HRO. We have one of their stores here in Denver -- great employees, great prices. I work in their neighborhood, so I stop by just to chat sometimes...they are good guys whether you're buying or not. I get the AES catalog by mail, but I shop at HRO exclusively!

6983. Yaesu VX-1R - mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb0vof1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626030100.XAA27600@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172009

This is a fabulous new HT! Has anyone peeked under the hood (with a magnifying glass ;-) and found any mods yet? Thanks!!

6984. Which 2m/70cm dual band mobile should I purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ct@onr.com
Message-ID: <5ospji$gae@mari.onr.com>
Source record: 172010

I trying to decide which 2m/70cm dual band moble rig to buy.
Here's what I'd like:

1. Extended RX on VHF and UHF
2. AM aircraft receive
3. CTCSS decode/encode
4. SMALL Size (detachable front panel optional)
5. DTMF mic
6. Priced at or less than $500

Any suggestions appreciated.

-Charlie WB4HVD

6985. need manual for ft 301D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: pierre <p>
Message-ID: <01bc81db$27d32060$54cf60cf@pierre>
Source record: 172011

HELP!

i need info on the yeasu ft 301d (i know it's old)
i need ANY info to help me recalibrate this rig
please send e-mail at
p.martel@videotron.ca
P Martel VE2-PUK

6986. program YAESU 51R in DOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: abrankod@usa.net
Message-ID: <33b1eaf3.7609834@news.erols.com>
Source record: 172012

Is there a version of adms available that will run in dos & will allow me to program my Yaesu 51r? I want to run it from either a 8088 laptop or a hp200lx

TIA

Daniel

abrankod@usa.net

6987. Re: FT-8000 Alternator Noise question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B21FB0.4BF9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172013

Victor D. Mete wrote:
>
> Hi Pete,
>
> I too had the alternator whine. Also noticed the Ft-8000 was very
> susceptible to electrical noise. I've learned to live with the electrical
> noise but the alternator whine had to go. It was on receive and transmit. I
> found a relatively easy cure, works most of the time. Radio Shack has a
> HEAVY DUTY noise filter for $19.99 P/N 270-055.
> Best wishes,
>
> Vic
> -----------
I did the same put the Radio shack filter and it cured most of the
noise.
Chris

6988. Re: FT-8000 Audio question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B22160.53E0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172014

Peter and Colleen McGreevy wrote:
>
> My FT-8000 has louder receive audio and higher signal strength on the
> "left" side, as it has on the "right" side. What I am saying is, the 440
> side has lower output audio than the 2Meter side....
>
> Also -- WHen I set the radio to receive 440 on BOTH sides, same exact
> frequency, the right side is still lower, and, get this, the signal
> strength is lower onthe left side by 3 s units or so, not just lower on
> the s-meter, but actually lower, as in, the left side won't break the
> squelch when the right side is...
>
> Anyone have any input on this problem??? Send it back to Yaesu???
>
> Thanx -- Pete -- KA2YDY
That problem never bothered me but the speaker on this radio is TRASH.
When I compare it to the FT 2500r it's like nith and day. So I cured
the problem by a Radio Shack square mobile speaker. Now it sounds
right.
Great Radio otherwise very happy. 73 Chris

6989. ! PROVEN PSYCHICS! FREE PREDICTIONS!! FREE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sue@quicklink.com
Message-ID: <5osqt0$j9c$5402@news.quicklink.com>
Source record: 172015

Curious about psychics? Now you can try a psychic reading free, just dial 1-800-677-8039 - our free samples line where master psychics will amaze you with their knowledge and forsight. Try it now - see for yourself. adults over 18 only

Dial 1-800-677-8039

6990. Re: Dual band antenna selection for a Jeep?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B22478.23B7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 172016

Willie Peloquin wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I just purchased a Jeep Wrangler, soft top. I am trying to make a decision
> on the type of antenna to purchase. I would like a dual band, 2m & 70cm,
> that would look attractive on the jeep. I do not know too much about
> antenna theory, so I thought that I would ask the experts! I don't really
> want to go with a glass mount. I have seen CB antennas mounted to a bracket
> used as a stop for the rear tire. Possibly a rear quarter panel mounted
> whip. What would be the optimal location, better yet, is there an on-line
> resource that would help educate me on ground planes, and antennas?
>
> Thanks a bunch,
>
> --
> Willie Peloquin - N8MDY
> Senior Software Engineer
> http://www.ismi.net/~wpeloqui
The new Cushcraft Gold series is the best antenna I have tried. It
sells
for about $80. Very well milspec construction and it doesn't have those
cellular look alike coils. 73 VE3NGW/W4 Chris in Florida

6991. ICOM IC-737

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rafael Diaz <kb2mym@li.net>
Message-ID: <33B200D0.B5817B2E@li.net>
Source record: 172017

I have an ICOM IC-737 HF rig barely used maybe 29 hrs.. comes with stock mic/matching speaker/vox unit..asking $1000.00 shipped in usa..SM-8 mic for another $75.00 new..

6992. Yaesu FT-8100 MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Page <n1fte@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc821c$c023d440$bb2392cf@n1fte2>
Source record: 172018

Hello,
If you have the mod for the Yaesu FT-8100....Please E-Mail it to me at:

n1fte@hotmail.com

If you are reading this and want the mod...send me some mail and when
someone actually gives me the mod :) I'll mail it to you!

Thanks to all in advance!
73 de Keith - N1FTE

6993. FS: TS-440AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <w3ink@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bc821d$1a5d0ee0$2b89accf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 172019

Category: HF TRANSCEIVER
Manufacturer: KENWOOD
Price: $700

One owner very clean TS-440. Has the CW and 1.8 KHz SSB filters. Service Manual. Little use. Late Serial Number. As usual, I get around to bying a radio just before the new models come out. I am very pleased with the radio. (I would like to call it mint, but I would have to look it over very closely before I am willing to say that.)

Seller: Stan Staten
Email: w3ink@erols.com
Street: 12012 Cheyenne Rd
City: Gaithersburg, MD
Zip: 20878-2012
Phone: 301-977-7987
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Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
http://www.qsl.net/w3ink/

6994. WTB Kenwood TS-440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Mirabal <alfa011@prtc.net>
Message-ID: <33B23172.48CD@prtc.net>
Source record: 172020

Hi!
Want to buy clean Kenwood TS-440
Please contact me directly via
alfa011@prtc.net AND
alvin.mirabal@edc.ge.com

Thanks!

Alvin

6995. Urgently required!!! part for Heathkit SB200 linear amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken.hill@virgin.net
Message-ID: <33b25864.7430137@news.virgin.net>
Source record: 172021

Urgently required!!!

Has anybody got a 3 wafer rotary switch (or ceramic wafers from same)
for a Heathkit SB200 linear amp? Will buy.

Alternatively does anyone know where I can get one.

email me at ken.hill5@virgin.net

many thanks Ken (G3CSY), Morecambe, Lancs UK

6996. For Sale two Alinco DJ-580 HT radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robertd <robertd@broadcast.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8230$28ea0e00$cb46cfa9@viperii>
Source record: 172022

For Sale two Alinco DJ-580 HT radios, rcv's AM Aircraft 800 MHZ TX 430-470
130-175
Also includes:

Drop in rapid charger
3 hi power battery packs
1 Handheld Mike
1 Headset Mike

$550.00 for the pair

Payment by certifed check only, ups'd to your door.

Respond via e-mail to
robertd@broadcast.net

Thanks

6997. ! PROVEN PSYCHICS! TRY-IT-FREE! 1-800-677-8063

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sue@quicklink.com
Message-ID: <5ot9r3$3hm$5402@news.quicklink.com>
Source record: 172023

The Live Psychic Calling Center invites you to enjoy
a complete fifteen minute, live psychic reading with
no credit card charges. Try it Free on
1-800-677-8063. Adults over 18 only.

Dial now 1-800-677-8063

6998. C510A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R. Fraley" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <33B26654.77BE@planetc.com>
Source record: 172024

Are there any mods out there for the the Standard C510A yet ? Thanks!
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Delete xxx to e-mail me!(antispam measure!)

Rodney KE4NWI
NRA LIFE MEMBER

IMPEACH BILL CLINTON!!!

6999. Any opinions on the GAP Challanger DX ant?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grego <gsmith@dnaco.net>
Message-ID: <5osvmb$i5d$2@pike.dnaco.net>
Source record: 172025

Anyone?

7000. <<For Sale>> Icom W2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstilson*@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <33B2822D.42E8@whidbey.net>
Source record: 172026

I am selling my W2A with all it accessories. The radio is seldom used
and is in like new condition. There are some minor scratched on the
batteries from insertion and removal from the rapid charger.

The Radio:
Icom W2A
Icom BP-84 Battery
Icom FA-1443B Antenna

The Accessories:
Peraphex 12 Volt Battery
Icom BP-77A Battery Charger
USA Radio Chest Holster
Icom BC-80 Desttop (Rapid)Charger
Diamond RH77B Antenna
Antenna West Roll Up Dual Band J-Pole
Icom HM-65 Speaker Mic

Original Boxes and Manuals

John W7JCS
jstilson@whidbey.net

7001. FS: ICOM 735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchalais@ns.net
Message-ID: <33B2199A.378D@ns.net>
Source record: 172027

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

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Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

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jchalais@ns.net,HAM/KD6UOT,SSB/WAO-9946
SV:"Hind Sight",Doc# 691808,Port of San Francisco, Ca.
"Isn't is amazing that when you lay a tool down
it's exactly one inch beyond your reach when you need it next."

--------------669D6E2A557E
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; name="HAM4SL.TXT"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="HAM4SL.TXT"

ICOM 735 HF transceiver, like new with box and docs

-and-

ICOM AH2 auto tuner, never installed still in box.

asking $1200 for both

JACK....KD6UOT

mailto:jchalais@ns.net

916-487-1481 voice/message
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7002. AEA LA-30 AMP ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wes Atchison <wes@iphase.com>
Message-ID: <33B2791B.2DC7@iphase.com>
Source record: 172028

I have aquired a AEA LA-30 HF amplifier. It uses a single 3-500Z. The original tube was shorted and I repalce it with a tube that appears to be soft. Did have to replace the grid current sinse resistor. I am having trouble loading this amp on 160 meters. It appears that the loading and plate tuning caps are to small. In fact on 80 meters they both tune near maixmum. I wonder if anyone who has had experience with this amp has used it on 160m? Your input would be helpful.

Thanks,

Wes WA5TKU

7003. Re: Which 2m/70cm dual band mobile should I purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B283E4.489B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 172029

Jerry Cupples wrote:
>
> In article <5ospji$gae@mari.onr.com>, ct@onr.com (Charlie Thompson) wrote:
>
> > I trying to decide which 2m/70cm dual band moble rig to buy.
> > Here's what I'd like:
> >
> >
> > 1. Extended RX on VHF and UHF
> > 2. AM aircraft receive
> > 3. CTCSS decode/encode
> > 4. SMALL Size (detachable front panel optional)
> > 5. DTMF mic
> > 6. Priced at or less than $500
> >
> >
> > Any suggestions appreciated.
>
> I have been pretty happy with my Yaesu FT-8500 (with MH-39 mic), which
> meets all the above, except cost (mine was $585 new). See
> http://www.yaesu.com/ft8500.html
>
> It has alphanumeric 6 character displays for each band along with the freq
> display, which is a great benefit for my confused recollection of which
> repeater is which, especially if you program in a bunch of 'em.
>
> I get (unsolicited) good reports on my output signal and audio quality. No
> difficulty with intermod.
>
> It has huge array of functions and features, but is still quite small and
> rugged.
>
> Cross banding works great.
>
> Negatives:
>
> You will have to buy a separate kit for remoting the front panel.
> likewise, CTCSS decoding needs optional daughter card.
>
> Audio from internal speaker is wimpy, and has annoying background noise at
> steady low level which becomes irritating when using a remote speaker or
> headphones. This may have been fixed in later units (mine was new 3/96).
> Yaesu knows about this problem.
>

> Seems to have some circuit fault (appearing after the unit reached 9
> months of use) which causes the radio to lose its current settings
> whenever powered off - vol, memory selection, squelch - although not the
> programmed memories. Yaesu says this is impossible, others on the net say
> it is...
>
> Plan to send mine back for a fix soon, but it has been a nice rig.
>
> You might look at this one or the FT-8000 which has most of the features,
> less the detachable front panel and the A/N display, but offers the
> receive range of a scanner for less money than the FT-8500.
>
> This is the only mobile I have owned, having bought it after my FT-51 HT
> (which is delightful), so use appropriate seasoning.
>
> regards,
>
> Jerry Cupples
> KC5SXA

the kenwood 733 is really discounted now and is a great little rig.

7004. FS -- Uniden Bearcat 200XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Hagenmaier <thunder@indy.net>
Message-ID: <33B20852.6BC40FDF@indy.net>
Source record: 172030

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FOR SALE
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Uniden Bearcat Scanner, Model BC200XLT

bought 1992, rarely used since then
In _Very_Good_ condition, works great
includes battery pack and AC recharge pack
in original packaging
modified to allow access to "hidden" frequencies

Original purchase price $280

It's yours for $85, shipping is FREE

Contact:
thunder@indy.net
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7005. TS-450S filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmjk2og@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970626153301.LAA25577@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 172031

Could someone please explain the reason and need for two types of filters in the TS-450? If choosing one CW filter, which would be the most effective? I feel like a dummy but can't seem to find the simple explanation. Thanks for any help.

Chris Jespersen cmjk2og@aol.com

7006. FS:Kenwood 450s/at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <jack@rollanet.org>
Message-ID: <33B24C88.71D9@rollanet.org>
Source record: 172032

xtra clean unit with less than 30 hours use. matching external speaker
and g5rv antenna. also have 10 meter vertical for sale with package.

$900.00 takes it all

jack@rollanet.org

7007. Re: Icom R72 alignment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: prografx@teleport.com
Message-ID: <5p18lr$71o$1@nadine.teleport.com>
Source record: 171835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Jason J. Garc&#65533;a" <jjgarcia@linkline.com> wrote:

>I would like to realign the above receiver to eliminate the 30-40Hz
>frequency offset between AM and SSB reception it has now... without
>having to send it to Icom and lose its use for a few days. Can it be
>done?

>Please give me a hand if you know what to adjust inside, if the
>procedure is simple enough to be undertaken at home. Since I don't have
>their Service Manual I would need some precise guidance. Don't hesitate
>to contact me if you have any ideas or advice to share. If you have any
>instructions on paper I will pay for photocopying and mailing them.

>Thank you.

>--
>J a s o n J. G a r c &#65533; a
>Email: jjgarcia@linkline.com
>Netscape Communicator v. 4.0

Don't hesitate to buy the Service Manual. These things are typcially
just involved enough that you NEED the pictures, captures, parts list,
board layout, block diagram, and tuning instructions or you will most
probably do more harm than good.

You can't afford a decent receiver if you can't afford the Service
Manual (IMHO).

Steve
WB7PSD

7008. FS Icom 735 and goodies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jose@cariodes.com
Message-ID: <867464584.18155@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171836

For sale
Icom 735 Transceiver (160m-10m general coverage receiver)Includes: manual,
scanning microphone, DC power cord. Mint condition.
Ashtron 35A power supply like new.
MFJ Ant Tuner 989C 3kw w/roller inductor like new.
Shure model 444D mike. Hardly used.
MFJ 250 Versaload rated 1kw CW dummy load. (You get oil)
Low Pass filter 1kw CW
100 feet of coax RG8
$850 takes all. You pay shipping
AA9LZ
e-mail to:
jose@cariodes.com

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7009. Looking for CTCSS for Moto Radius P-10 Talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ct@onr.com
Message-ID: <5p1adq$kk8@mari.onr.com>
Source record: 171837

I'd like to add CTCSS to my Radio P-10 Talkie.
Anybody know where I can get this done? The
P-10 is CTCSS capable.

thanks,

Charlie
WB4HVD

7010. C510A MOD ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "K.R. Fraley" <fraley@planetc.com>
Message-ID: <33B481C1.50E9@planetc.com>
Source record: 171838

Anyone got a mod for this STANDARD ?(C510A) THANKS!
--
Delete xxx to e-mail me!(antispam measure!)

Rodney KE4NWI
NRA LIFE MEMBER

IMPEACH BILL CLINTON!!!

7011. WTB: Yaesu FT-840

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: belasius <belasius@minot.ndak.net>
Message-ID: <33B48EEC.DA637F09@minot.ndak.net>
Source record: 171839

I'm looking for a used Yaesu FT-840 hf rig in good condition. Thanks in advance!

73 de Greg KC7KUP

mailto:belasius@minot.ndak.net

7012. ICOM Z1A Manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Stilwell <johncs@tscnet.com>
Message-ID: <33B4A177.3BEF@tscnet.com>
Source record: 171840

Help...I need a manual for a recently purchased ICOM Z1A HT. Any help on obtaining one would be greatly appreciated.

TIA,

John
KB7MKG

7013. FS UHF REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: AL LEE <k6djp@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <33B4B239.39D8@pacbell.net>
Source record: 171841

I have for sale an ICOM RP4020 50 watt uhf repeater (430 to 450 mhz)
Current AES price $2400 will sell for $1250 or trade for equal value
in radio or test equipment.
AL

7014. for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Gladu <mgladu@warwick.net>
Message-ID: <33B4508A.3B0A@warwick.net>
Source record: 171842

I am posting this for a friend

FOR SALE or TRADE

- one Motorola Maratrac UHF land mobile radio
- 450 to 470 MHz 100 w, 99 channels, remote radio head
- includes the speaker, microphone, deluxe control head
- fully operational
- valued at about 250-350 dollars wholesale according to the
local motorola dealer
- cost about $2000.00 new at 1990
- manufatured in 1990.
- radio model number is T74XTA7TA7BK; ser. number is 776AGY0835

Interested ????

Please email me at n1jfd@juno.com
Serious offers only please !!!!

7015. wideband receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Kell <spkell@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc829e$6dd43a40$522092cf@bilbo>
Source record: 171843
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,sci.space.tech,sci.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Can anyone give me any leads on if there is the following type of receiver:
IF center freq around 10 MHz or 21.4 MHz
IF bandwidth > 10 MHz
tuning range: 10's of MHz to GHz range.

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,
Scott

7016. 4SALE>>>> Remote mount sirens.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627050800.BAA15196@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171883

Whelen remote mount sirens, wail, yelp, airhorn, and pa. $75.00 ea. Have five left, there going fast.

7017. UHF MOTOROLA VISAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <ugfd@vnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc82c9$d3316b80$e09e52a6@Dugfd>
Source record: 171884

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For Sale 2 Motorola Visar 16 Channel uhf
will trade both for 1 vhf visar
email for more details

ugfd@vnet.net
or
ugvfd@aol.com
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7018. FS : Anli High Gain A-1000 dual band antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <ECF49M.CAw@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 171885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

ANLI High Gain A-1000 dual band, 2M / 440 ground plane base antenna
for sale. 8.5 db gain on 2M, 11.8 db gain on 440. Purchased 3/20/97,
used less then one month. MINT condition, in original package.
Receipt will be provided.

$125.00 to 48, COD $5.00 Extra.

E- Mail if interested. NO TRADES.
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

7019. FS : LARSEN dual band on glass antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <ECF4A1.CBp@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 171886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

LARSEN KG 2/70 UD - PL 2M / 440 on glass antenna, excellent condition
with mounting kit.

$50.00 shipped to 48, COD $5.00 extra.

E-Mail if interested, NO TRADES
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

7020. FS: Yaesu FT-50 RD package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <ECF4Aq.CCJ@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 171887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the following Yaesu FT-50 RD hand held dual band package for sale :

FT 50-RD HT with FNB 41 battery, paid $339.95 new, COMET SMA 3 antenna, paid $34.95 new, FNB-41 battery paid $58.95 new, FNB 40 battery paid $48.95 new, MH 34 lapel speaker Mike, $30.95 new. These items were purchased on 5/10/97.

ADMS - 1C software and cable, $36.95 new, CA-14 NC-50 charger adaptor set, $24.95, NC-50 dual sequential rapid charger, $99.95 new. These items were purhcased on 5/15/97.

CSC-68 soft case for FT-50 RD, $15.99, E-DC-5B cig. lighter adaptor plug, $24.95.

All items are MINT, and as if brand new. Receipts will be provided for all above. My total cost of package - $716.00

Will sell for $500.00 shipped to 48, COD $5.00 extra.

Will not break up package, NO TRADES.

E-Mail if interested
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

7021. >>> 4 SALE<<>>MX convert-a-coms<<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627050900.BAA15281@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171888

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convert-a-coms for MX radios, with powered speaker 25watt. $75.00 ea. 4
left, won't last.
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7022. mods for FT920 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Rask <elit@rgw.se>
Message-ID: <33B352BD.9275FC3E@rgw.se>
Source record: 171889

Hello I just wonder if there is any mods for the new FT920 ?
73 s de SM7VHS /Martin

7023. **** 4 SALE **** MT / HT Convert-a-com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627050600.BAA15116@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171890

MT / HT convert-a-com, backlit dtmf mic, 25watt powered speaker, brackets, wiring, $300.00obo e-mail jdc3021@aol.com

7024. Mobile HF Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David B. Holtkamp (K5KH)" <holtkamp@roadrunner.com>
Message-ID: <01bc82a5$ea817a60$836d3bc6@internet.roadrunner.com>
Source record: 171891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for a 160-10m mobile HF amp, probably in the 500 watt range. I'd be interested in hearing from anyone who has had good or bad experiences with HF mobile amps (especially on 160/80/40). Also, anyone wishing to sell such an amp, please email me to discuss possibilities.

Thanks in advance!

David (K5KH)

7025. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Mods breaks the Automatic Repeater Offset.... Anyone know how to fix ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
Message-ID: <33B386CB.1D69@ndti.net>
Source record: 171892

Gerald Schmitt wrote:
>
> In <33B350D8.29D@pulse.net> Jim Gerke <jgerke@pulse.net> writes:
> >
> >Mr. T. Foley wrote:
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >> I just recently got a VX-1R handheld with the full extended
> >> tx/rx/cell mods and now the ARS (Automatic Repeater Offset) is
> broke.
> >> Even when enabled is dosen't work.
> >
> >This is typical of Yaesu HT's. In virtually every one I've had, the
> out
> >of band mod breaks the ars function. It was this way on the FT-811,
> >FT-815, and FT-530 I used to own, and it's true for the the FT-51 and
> >FT-41 that I own at present.
> >
> >-- Jim, KC5OA
>
> That's funny Jim I have a couple of 530s and a 51 all have the extended
> mods and all do the ARS just fine. You do know that ARS is set to "OFF"
> as a factory default and when you reset the HTs after making a mod you
> go back to factory defaults, don't you? The only Yaesu I have with this
> annoying "feature" is my FT-5100 but I don't own any of the others you
> cite so I can't comment on them.
>
> Jerry KK5YY

In addition every Yaesu since the 470 sets the offsets to 0 after the
mod and hard reset. You have to reload the 600 KHz and 5 MHZ values
after the reset.

Bill Harwood
W5WH

7026. Re: 2-Way Radio Techs on Here ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Boone <cboone@abc.com>
Message-ID: <33B38F79.47B8@abc.com>
Source record: 171893

The newsgroup rec.radio-commercial.lmr is NOT a valid newsgroup...MOST
ISPs do NOT carry it because it was not properly registered and
the REC and then COMMERCIAL violates the newsgroup protocols....

If someone would START a group called ALT.radio-commercial.lmr, it will
likely be accepted.....but I know of at least a dozen ISPs that will NOT
carry the rec.radio lmr group...

There IS a remailer on the net...LMR@ucsd.edu.....I believe it is a
listserv system....send a msg to listserv@ucsd.edu and tell it
"Join LMR"
and see if you get a reply..

Chris
WB5ITT

Doug wrote:
>
> Land mobile radio still exists. I had 9 messages on it this morning
> alone.
>
> We are still alive and well.
>
> "Richard F. Garcia" <n2czf@magg.net> wrote:
>
> >I am sure that there are more than a few 2-way radio techs on here and I
> >was wondering why is there no newsgroup for those in the business. I
> >know there was a mailing list called "land-mobile-radio" at one time but
> >it no longer exists. Is there a group hidden somewhere that I cannot
> >find ?
> >
> >I just did some research and it does not look like it is very simple to
> >form one, I do not have access to a server that would allow HD space for
> >the service. Does anyone have any suggestions ? Yes, I am a ham also but
> >I would rather keep busines related topics off of the rec. newsgroups!
> >
> >n2czf@qsl.net
> >n2czf@magg.net

7027. Yaesu FT-920 AM Improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33b33fa8.2505181@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 171894

The following was faxed to all authorized Yaesu/USA dealers
on Wednesday, June 18, 1997:

---begin quote---

Yaesu U.S.A.
Amateur Radio Products Division
Sales Bulletin no. 97-29

FT-920 AM Mode

Good news for the FT920 "AM" mode users. Yaesu U.S.A. is
offering a free AM feed
through board that will allow customers to use their
FT-920's in the AM mode without buying
an AM filter.

That's right!! All your customer needs to do is send a copy
of their FT920 sales receipt to
Yaesu U.S.A. Parts Department and request the "AM Feed
Through Board" (Part #
CB0381001).

This is a very simple plug-in procedure. The customer can
remove the bottom cover of the
radio and plug in this AM feed through board (where the AM
Filter normally fits) without
modifications to the radio. After installing this AM plug-in
feed through board, your customer
can use the FT-920 for Rx and Tx in the AM mode.

This offer is valid for FT-920's sold in the U.S. and Canada
only. For those customers who
want serious AM performance we still recommend that you buy
the optional "YF-117A" (6
KHz AM) plug-in filter.

Thanks in advance for your continued support of Yaesu
Amateur products.

Sincerely,

Kevin Karamanos
Director of Sales and Marketing
Yaesu U.S.A.

---end quote---

The above information has been provided with the knowledge
and consent of Yaesu U.S.A.

73 to all,

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, AES/Las Vegas
"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

7028. Re: HELP with a Timewave DSP-59Y and FT- 1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33b34db6.6103939@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 171895

On 25 Jun 1997 21:54:04 GMT, "mpayne@gte.net"
<mpayne@gte.net> wrote:

>I got a Timewave DPS 59Y and have no idea how to hook it up to Ft-1000
>D The instruction don't make sence to me. Please E-mail and Thanks.
>Mark WA4E

That unit installs inside the Yaesu SP-5 or SP-6 speaker ...
takes its audio feed from the cable that goes from the radio
to the speaker, and feeds processed audio directly to the
speaker.

It does not hook up to the radio directly "per se", but in
actuality goes in series, between the radio and the external
speaker.

Very 73, and good luck!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

7029. Re: ICOM email address

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33b34cf1.5907282@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 171896

On 25 Jun 1997 14:27:03 GMT, "Richard H. Wall"
<richwall@diac.com> wrote:

>Anybody know a general email address for ICOM.

tech@icomamerica.com

A full page of snail-mail addresses and e-mail addresses,
complete with telephone numbers and fax numbers can be found
on page 160 of the current Amateur Electronic Supply
catalog.

To request your catalog, go to

http://www.aesham.com

where you will find a catalog request form.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

7030. Re: Yaesu FL-2010 linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33b34f57.6521587@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 171897

On Wed, 25 Jun 1997 17:39:21 -0700, Matt Musgrave
<musgramj@boat.bt.com> wrote:

>Can anyone tell me exactly what this linear is? I presume it is HF.Is it
>valve or solid state? What is the output? Is it any good and would it
>make a good combo with an Yaesu FT707.....and finally is it worth
>>100 (pounds sterling)
>
>73s Matt G0ESL

If it's an FL2010, it is a 3 Watts in, 25 Watts out
linearized solid state amplifier for use with the FT290R
series radios.

If it's an FL2100(or -B or -F), it's a 2x572B amplifier for
HF.

Price depends on it's actual number.

Very 73, and good luck!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

7031. Re: Roof Towers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B3BC1D.597D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171898

[N2GYN] JOHN AZZARA wrote:
>
> Hi, What company makes the best roof towers? Please cc: me in reply.
> Thank You
>
> John

from what I hear on the bands it seems that Glenn Martin makes the BEST roof units. Remember they are only as good as the roof on which they perch...73

7032. 50.400AM this weekend!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Booth <*SPAMSAVER*booth@pactitle.com>
Message-ID: <33B3CC1C.446B@pactitle.com>
Source record: 171899

Hello all,

I'll be calling CQ on 50.400 AM all this weekend.

Was a bummer I missed out on lastnight's good opening.
Need to check the radio before I go to bed.

Sat I'll be on from 10:00 pdt - 22:00 pdt
Sun from 10:00 pdt - 18:00 pdt (later if there's openings)

Hope to hear from you...

P.S. If you have not checked out my 50AM web page, please do so......

http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/50am.html

73....
Dave Booth kc6wfs dm04rk Saugus,Ca
http://www.geocities.com/Hollywood/5860/
booth@pactitle.com

7033. Work on a Smith chart with your Mac (F1BDZ)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pautex@lpmi.u-nancy.fr
Message-ID: <pautex-2706971639100001@lien5.lien.u-nancy.fr>
Source record: 171900

Hello
for some amateur who have to work on a Smith chart for some HF design
I can send you, via mail, a Macintosh application : SmithDraw.
If anybody interested in order to send me some report my e-meil is :
pautex@lpmi.u-nancy.fr

Thanks F1BDZ Jean-Francois

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Pautex Jean-Francois F1BDZ
UHP NANCY France pautex@lpmi.u-nancy.fr
ftp -> ftp.lpmi.u-nancy.fr
www -> www.lpmi.u-nancy.fr

7034. Re: Better antenna for FT-50 will make you rich!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zack Lau <zlau@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <33B3B755.435B@arrl.org>
Source record: 171901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Barry O'Grady wrote:
>
> jkk@galactose.mc.duke.edu (John Kuzenski) wrote:

> :It works MUCH better than any "rubber duck" I've tried, and it's
> :really not much more bother. The piano wire is very flexible,
> :and it doesn't get in the way much. Even fits in my briefcase,
> :neatly flexed. (If you don't know what "piano wire" is, it's
> :stainless stuff that holds a straight shape but is flexible
> :depending on its diameter.)
>
> What have you put on the end to avoid poking peoples eyes out?

I've formed the ends of wire antennas into loops to avoid this
problem. As a bonus, you can now tie a piece of string to the
loop and hang the antenna off a convenient support.--Zack Lau W1VT

7035. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd4kpd@abaco.coastalnet.COM
Message-ID: <33B3C96A.45FB@abaco.coastalnet.com>
Source record: 171902

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unsubscribe ham-equip
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7036. Mods for Alinco DJ-S11 & DR-140T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: A McCann <kb0pmj@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B3D9C8.1D53@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171903

Could anyone tell me where I could find the MODS for the new Alinco
DJ-S11 & the DR-140T ?

Thanks

A. McCann

7037. FS: UHF SYSTEM SABER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627140901.KAA28588@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171904

Greetings,
I am selling a UHF System Saber....

GREAT WORKING ORDER + GREAT CONDITION
440-470 range
256 Channels (Personalities)
4-5 watts output
MDC (Post, Pre, or BOTH)
Emergency Tones
PL + DPL Tones
Secure Net chip installed
Phone listings
Data messages
Tons more features

The accessories include the following:

2 Batteries
2 Antenna (1 Stubby - 1 Long)
Vynal carrying case
2 Microphones (Public Safety Mic + Regular stock Mic)
1 Rapid charger (4 Lights)
Programming cable

This radio cost myself over $1300.00...

I am selling it all for $950.00 - WILL NOT SEPERATE ANYTHING IN THE
DEAL.

If interested please leave me EMAIL N9MXT@AOL.COM - Jeffrey

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7038. FS: Yaesu FT50RD ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: taurus@netacc.net
Message-ID: <33b3cf36.100512@news.netacc.net>
Source record: 171905
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have forsale a 2 month old Yaesu FT50RD dualband ht. It comes with a
Premeir SPM-102 speaker mic and softcase from "The Pouch".
No mods have been done and its seen maybe 20 hours of use.
I am selling for $285.00 and i will ship.

73's de Ken, N2VUM

7039. New Heathkit Collector Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33B3E2F0.7F21@earthlink.net>
Source record: 171906

Please check out my new Heathkit Collector Site
www.earthlink.net./~docky/ 73 K0IMJ Gary

7040. Icom R72 alignment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jason J. Garc&#65533;a" <jjgarcia@linkline.com>
Message-ID: <33B3EA35.18B275DC@linkline.com>
Source record: 171907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to realign the above receiver to eliminate the 30-40Hz frequency offset between AM and SSB reception it has now... without having to send it to Icom and lose its use for a few days. Can it be done?

Please give me a hand if you know what to adjust inside, if the procedure is simple enough to be undertaken at home. Since I don't have their Service Manual I would need some precise guidance. Don't hesitate to contact me if you have any ideas or advice to share. If you have any instructions on paper I will pay for photocopying and mailing them.

Thank you.

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J a s o n J. G a r c &#65533; a
Email: jjgarcia@linkline.com
Netscape Communicator v. 4.0

7041. WTB motorola minitor II pager reeds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: DonBaker69@NO-SPAM.mci2000.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e1db9e8b431a468989681@news.mci2000.com>
Source record: 171908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I am looking for pager reeds for the minitor II the freq of the reeds
needed are 1161.4 Hz

Thanks Don Baker
Please remove No-Spam from E-Mail address to reply

7042. Re: Perth Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <5p0o43$n50@sf18.dseg.ti.com>
Source record: 171909

In article <33B2C400.6C7A@tellabs.com>, jwa@tellabs.com says...
>
>Help! My Outbacker Perth has high SWR and if I can't fix I toss it
>out in the back with the trash!
>--- ----
>
>I installed it last night and I can't adjust the SWR on 20 meters. I
>also tried other bands. The signal levels seem to increase when I
>plug-in the shorting wire in the 20 meter socket but changing the
>"spike" length doesn't effect the SWR.
>
>I purchased the antenna last year at Dayton but never used until last
>night. I can't find the manual :-(

Eeek! Don't toss it "out" "back" with the trash... toss it to me!
I have a Perth that works extremely well, and I'm very pleased with
it. It's easy to use, durable, compact, etc.

I can send you a copy of the manual, if that will help.

In a nutshell, here's how to set the antenna up. To select a band,
plug one end of the "wander lead", as they call it, into the "75m"
tap at the bottom of the antenna, coil the wire loosely around the
antenna, spiraling upward, then plug the loose end into the tap for
the band you want to operate on. The "wander lead" is 36" long.

There is also a tap near the bottom of the antenna that connects to
a matching transformer that Outbacker calls the "roo match". To use
it, connect that tap to ground. Its use is optional, but I find it
helps me get a better match on my Perth. The ground lead can be as
long as necessary, but the shorter it is, the better.

Once this has been done, then slide the 3' stinger out about 3/4 of
the way, tighten the thumbnut, and check the VSWR. You adjust the
stinger up or down as required, same as with any other antenna. To
check the VSWR, make sure no one is standing near the antenna, as it
is quite sensitive to this, and readings will be affected. I use my
MFJ-249 VSWR analyzer to adjust the stinger. It really makes the
job easy! I was able to find one stinger setting that works on all
bands except 75m and 30m, so I don't have to re-adjust it when I
change bands.

Contact me back if I can help, or if you want a copy of the manual.

73,

Dean K5DH

7043. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd4kpd@abaco.coastalnet.COM
Message-ID: <33B3C949.638@abaco.coastalnet.com>
Source record: 171910

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unsubscribe ham-equip
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7044. Re: Alpha 76 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0qz@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5p0rq0$3pj@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 171911

N0ZKK@ponyexpress.net (Bob White) wrote:

>Tell me what you can about this amp and the 8874s .
>what is the output , is it a better amp than a good SB220
>Just let me know what you think of the Alpha 76 in general.
> Thanks Bob
Any Alpha is better than the old heath SB220! Not to degrade the
Heath, but the Alpha 76 uses the ceramic tubes which can be driven
to full output with as little as 65 watts and are quite durable. The
powersupply in the alpha is MUCH heavier duty and will work any mode
you throw at it and be very clean. There is simply no comparison in

construction. You never know who or how well a heath was put
together. If you have the oppertunity to purchase a used 76 at a
reasonable price, BUY IT!! It will most likely be the last amp you
ever purchase because they run forever...
73's Mike Baker K0QZ

7045. FS: Kenwood TH-78A mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Message-ID: <33B3F506.2FB9@anv.net>
Source record: 171912

FOR SALE:

KENWOOD TH-78A HT 2meters/73cm.
alpha numeric display
mint condition
includes:

2 batteries
quick charger
box and manual of course!

Asking: $350.00

will deliver in Las Vegas only! Call me at (702) 647-4446 home
or (702) 595-6901 cellular
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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * n6jfo@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net * AAR9BA@rocketmail.com * NRL@hehe.com

7046. WTB Yaesu VX-1R used

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33B3A4E5.5537@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171913

I want to buy a used VX-1R. Are you tires of your? Sell it to me. Ht
KF4SXT

7047. Re: Which 2m/70cm dual band mobile should I purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harvey Trautenberg <traut@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <33B3A727.2FC5@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171914

Charlie Thompson wrote:
>
> I trying to decide which 2m/70cm dual band moble rig to buy.
> Here's what I'd like:
>
> 1. Extended RX on VHF and UHF
> 2. AM aircraft receive
> 3. CTCSS decode/encode
> 4. SMALL Size (detachable front panel optional)
> 5. DTMF mic
> 6. Priced at or less than $500
>
> Any suggestions appreciated.
>
> -Charlie WB4HVD
I am thinking about buying the Kenwood TM-V7A. What is the feeling re:
this unit. HT KF4SXT

7048. Talikies for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Silverton <jsilvco@wwa.com>
Message-ID: <33B3AB51.3EDB@wwa.com>
Source record: 171915

I have a Standard 468A Talkie (440) for sale with battery, wall charger, 200 memory chip, and soft case. It has been Mars Cap modified and is in perfect condition.
I also have a Yaesu 41R small Talkie (440) with battery and wall charger, and case. Also an empty battery case for AAs. It has been modified for Mars Cap too. Both of the above are in perfect condition.

I want $260.00 for the Standard and $250.00 for the Yaesu.
If interested, leave me e-mail. Thanks.
Joe N9NGX
jsilvco@wwa.com

7049. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Mods breaks the Automatic Repeater Offset.... Anyone know how to fix ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: childers@garlic.com
Message-ID: <867434738.25738@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171916

ARS is disabled in the FT-50R as well as the VX-1R... even when turned on
in the menus, and correct offset is programmed, the ARS feature doesn't
work. I can only assume this is because when the radio is modified, the
CPU assumes that it's in a different country's bandplan.

Bill
KE6VVW

In article <5ovg3t$g1l@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>,
kc5egg@ix.netcom.com(Gerald Schmitt) wrote:
>
> In <33B350D8.29D@pulse.net> Jim Gerke <jgerke@pulse.net> writes:
> >
> >Mr. T. Foley wrote:
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >> I just recently got a VX-1R handheld with the full extended
> >> tx/rx/cell mods and now the ARS (Automatic Repeater Offset) is
> broke.
> >> Even when enabled is dosen't work.
> >
> >This is typical of Yaesu HT's. In virtually every one I've had, the
> out
> >of band mod breaks the ars function. It was this way on the FT-811,
> >FT-815, and FT-530 I used to own, and it's true for the the FT-51 and
> >FT-41 that I own at present.
> >
> >-- Jim, KC5OA
>
> That's funny Jim I have a couple of 530s and a 51 all have the extended
> mods and all do the ARS just fine. You do know that ARS is set to "OFF"
> as a factory default and when you reset the HTs after making a mod you
> go back to factory defaults, don't you? The only Yaesu I have with this
> annoying "feature" is my FT-5100 but I don't own any of the others you
> cite so I can't comment on them.
>
> Jerry KK5YY

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7050. FS New SMA connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8321$571e6360$a52774cf@default>
Source record: 171917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

48 pcs new in the package Connecting Devices Inc. CDI 5762cc 9130 SMA female chassis mount 4 hole gole in color

9 pcs new in the package Omni Spec 2051-1618-02 chassis mount 4 hole mount SMA connector Male silver in color

$3.50 each plus shipping
all 57 pcs for $185.00 shipped

Mike WB2GLW

7051. IC-706 Mk II MARS/CAP mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Harwood <harwood@ndti.net>
Message-ID: <33B41340.73A2@ndti.net>
Source record: 171918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

OK last time we tried this (last week) it generated lots of hate and discontent but no mods so I will try again.

Does anyone have the modification instructions (possibly remove 2 or 3 diodes) for opening up the ICOM IC706 MkII radio???

It is new but someone must have figured this out by now.

Thanks in advance and lets play nice,

Bill Harwood
W5WH

7052. FORSALE - Immaculate Kenwood TS-520, great starter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpl@qc10.ho.lucent.com
Message-ID: <5p122n$jgj@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 171919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,nj.forsale

I have a virtually immaculate Kenwoods TS-520 rig that I would like to sell.
This was my first "real radio and in my opintion is still
one of the best rigs around. It would make a fantastic beginner
station or a great backup rig.

I am only the second owner of the rig.
I purchased it from a collegue of mine at Bell Labs (who
was the original owner), and I have the orignal sales receipt,
boxes, and manual for it. Both he and I took
exceptionally good care of this rig. It has NEVER been in a smoking
environment and has NEVER been mobiled.

For any novices not familiar with this radio, it is all solid state
(discrete components, so its very easy to repair if ever needed)
except for a tube driver and a pair of very
robust 6146 tubes as the finals. It has a builit in power supply,
but can also run off of 12VDC.
It covers 80,40,20,15, and 10 meters in CW and SSB (upper and lower) modes.
The receiver section is excellent and I always get excellent audio quality
reports. Many folks say that these older Kenwoods are some of the best
sounding rigs on the air.

This rig also has the optional 500Hz CW filter
installed (genuine Kenwood option).

The price is $300 firm + shipping. You might find one for a few $ less,
but NOT is this great condition.

Joe Levantino
KB2FSH

(732) 949-0664

7053. Re: Roof Towers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lou <lou-nn2g@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B3ECDC.67FB@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171920

N8XYN wrote:
>
> [N2GYN] JOHN AZZARA wrote:
> >
> > Hi, What company makes the best roof towers? Please cc: me in reply.
> > Thank You
> >
> > John
>
> from what I hear on the bands it seems that Glenn Martin makes the BEST
> roof units. Remember they are only as good as the roof on which they
> perch...73

I had a Create tower...built like a brick "outhouse"...Again, make sure
the roof rafters can hold the torque and weight. I put two pieces of
wolmanized lumber under the feet of the tower and ran them perpendicular
to the roof rafters. Worked great!..

Good Luck..

Lou- N2TU

7054. power macintosh

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: evanh@mail.opencominc.COM
Message-ID: <199706272106.OAA09447@mailbox2.ucsd.edu>
Source record: 171921

Woudl anyone be interested in a Power Macintosh for sale?

7055. !!HELP!! KENWOOD TM-631A-NOISE@#%$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: djeo1@MAIL.TELIS.ORG
Message-ID: <5p0plf$a2r$1@mentor.telis.org>
Source record: 171922

I have owned my TM-631A 2m 220m radio for about 6 years. It has worked fine until just recently it started to loose stored memory. So I changed the battery. I put the radio back together an found out that was not the problem. I called Kenwood and explained the problem. Kenwood referred me to their directory web site that explains step by step proceedures along with drawings for certain aftermarket modifications for incurred problems such as the one of losing memory. Like the problem I have. In the meantime since changing the battery and putting the radio back together (and not fixing the problem) I have incurred another problem. When I turn on the radio to a pre-tuned signal i.e. NOAA, the signal is in the background and there is white noise in the foreground. When I do a band change from one band to the other, the signal comes clear and the noise goes away and everything is just dandy. I carefully inspected where I soldered the battery to verify that I did not hurt any of the circuitry. I have even cleared and reset the processor. At this time I am still experiencing the same problem. Does anybody have any ideas of what the problem is. Please e-mail any suggestions to:

djeo1@mail.telis.org

The character after djeo is number (1) - not a small L

7056. F.S.=Cherokee 6 Meter HT (NEW & In Stock)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: schieman@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5ovh58$mv7$2@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 171923

FOR SALE New & In Stock CHEROKEE 6 METER HT, 50-54 MHz Coverage, 1 & 5 Watts Output, 500 KHz/1MHz Offset, 5 Memories, Scan, CTCSS. Can be seen at web site www.wirelessmarketing.com Our new price including shipping in the U.S. $225.00

7057. Info on FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ltkfd308@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627171001.NAA04059@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171924

I have been seeing a lot of FT50's for sale on here lately. Are the radios junk? Why is everybody getting rid of them after only 2 months or so?
I am very curious.

thanks

Bill

Bill Carreira Jr. Email:n1nfc@eagnet.com
LT NREMT-I :n1nfc@hotmail.com
KINGSLAND FIRE RESCUE :ltkfd308@aol.com
Kingsland, GA 31548-8851
Phone: 912-729-5287
Data :912-729-6067

7058. Need SBE Opti-Scan info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <5p19or$m4g$2@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 171925

I'm looking for a owners and/or service manual for the SBE Opti-Scan VHF/UHF scanner.

Also the frequencies are programmed by plastic cards that are put in the front of the radio. Can these cards be made by cutting out plastic cards of the same size and punching holes in it like a programming book would tell you?

Please email me with any details you may know of this radio.

7059. F.S. M2 antenna (1.2 ghz 22 ele yagi)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2wb23@ibm.NET
Message-ID: <33B43A99.4C51@ibm.net>
Source record: 171926

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Have for sale:
New M2 1250-1300mhz 22 ele Yagi beam.
Manuel $45.00 Model # 23cm22ez
73, Bill/N2WB
n2wb23@ibm.net
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7060. For Trade: ICOM R71A, Johnson Navigator, Atlas 350XL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627224701.SAA27013@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171927

For trade: ICOM R71A, Johnson Navigator, Atlas 350XL and companion power supply. ICOM and Atlas in very good condition, Navigator shows some wear, but works fine and have spare (used and unmodified) front panel to undo the meter mod done to it.

Looking for: TenTec Corsair I or II, TenTec Omni C or D, or ???

Talk to me.

Alan, N3BJ

7061. FS: Yaesu FT-50 RD package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <ECGFMG.EKw@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 171928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the following Yaesu FT-50 RD hand held dual band package for sale :

FT 50-RD HT (includes the enhanced FT-112 PL/DPL Keypad) with FNB 41 battery, paid $339.95 new, COMET SMA 3 antenna, paid $34.95 new, FNB-41 battery paid $58.95 new, FNB 40 battery paid $48.95 new, MH 34 lapel speaker Mike, $30.95 new. These items were purchased on 5/10/97.

ADMS - 1C software and cable, $36.95 new, CA-14 NC-50 charger adaptor set, $24.95, NC-50 dual sequential rapid charger, $99.95 new. These items were purhcased on 5/15/97.

CSC-68 soft case for FT-50 RD, $15.99, E-DC-5B cig. lighter adaptor plug, $24.95.

All items are MINT, and as if brand new. Receipts will be provided for all above. My total cost of package - $716.00

Will sell for $500.00 shipped to 48, COD $5.00 extra.

Will not break up package, NO TRADES.

E-Mail if interested
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

7062. WTT, Great Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: CARL CONN <shooter2@northernnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8334$0827dee0$0b3e18ce@shooter2.northernnet.com>
Source record: 171929

Will trade entire ham shack " as small as it is" for laptop computer.
Must be atleast a 486.

Things to trade.

1. Alinco DJ-580t - All the original acc's
All mods done, Excellent cond.original box.

2. MFJ 1270b tnc - software, cable, books, hookup for ht.
All the goodies.

3. RCI 2950 10 mtr Mobil - 25 watts max, modified to run 26.000 to 30.000
MHz.
Good cond.

If you have a laptop your willing to part with and are interested in what I
have here you can contact me at shooter2@northernnet.com.
Thank you.
Carl, N0WQT.

7063. Re: MOTORLA MX360 need pinout & software URGENT.!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya023180002706971842470001@news.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 171930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <5ore59$kq6@drn.zippo.com>, vr100@rosey.com wrote:
> please if anyone can e-mail me pinout for MX360 and programming soft.

You know that you can't program the radio via the side connector, right?
The programming software is contained in an EPROM that plugs into your
R1800 suitecase programmer. You must screw the EEPROM codeplug from your
MX300-S onto the MX300-S programming head on the R1800. If your radio
doesn't have the S (MX300) on the top, you will need to order channel
elements to put it on frequency.

--
John Gilbert
KA4JMC

7064. Fix for morse code program on the Sun available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc@cci.com
Message-ID: <ECG3F1.12x@sunsrvr6.cci.com>
Source record: 171931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

There's a morse code program called "morse" that runs on several flavors
of Unix. The Sun version has an annoying "click." I have a fixed version
but don't know who maintains, archives or otherwise cares about it.
Anyway, here's "beepSun.c" Enjoy..

73..Jim N2VNO

----------------start of beepSun.c----------------------

```
/*
* If the audio library or audio include files are missing, you need
* to get /usr/demo/SOUND off the Sun OS tapes or CD.
*
* This routine will turn your audio device up to full volume, but
* will not attempt to reset the current speaker / jack choice.
*
* The sun speaker has a residual "click" each time it switches from
* silence to tone that I am unable to rid it of.
*/

/* N2VNO 6-97 Fixed "click", caused by:
- using 0 to generate "silence", should be 255.
- Previously generated tone was shortened when playing shorter
tone, causing ramp-down to be chopped off.
- Discontinuous values between steady part of tone and ramp-down.
*/

/* beepSun.c -- seligman 6/92 */

/*
-- Implementation of beep.h for Sun.
-- Rick to Joe to Scott to Joe.
*/

/* Date: Fri, 2 Aug 91 08:26:08 PDT */
/* From: rick@st.unocal.com (Richard Ottolini) */

/* Revised: Joe Dellinger */
/* Sat Nov 28 02:30:32 HST 1992 */

#include "beep.h"
#include <sun/audioio.h>
#include </usr/demo/SOUND/multimedia/libaudio.h>
#include </usr/demo/SOUND/multimedia/ulaw2linear.h>
#include <stropts.h>
#include <math.h>
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#include <fcntl.h>

#define RATE (8000) /* 8 K samples = 1 second */
#define RAMP ((RATE * 10) / 1000) /* 10 millisecond ramp */
#define MAXTIME (2 * RATE) /* 2 seconds max tone time */

static int audio;
static audio_info_t audio_stat;

int
BeepInit ()
{
audio = open ("/dev/audio", O_WRONLY);

if (audio < 0)
/* Uh oh! */
return 1;
else
{
/*
* Turn the speaker (or headphone, whichever the user has it set to)
* up to full volume.
*/
ioctl (audio, AUDIO_GETINFO, &audio_stat);
/*audio_stat.play.gain = AUDIO_MAX_GAIN;*/
audio_stat.play.gain = 20;
ioctl (audio, AUDIO_SETINFO, &audio_stat);

return 0;
}
}

int
Beep (time, volume, pitch)
int time, volume, pitch;
{
static unsigned char silence[MAXTIME];
static unsigned char soundbuf[MAXTIME];
static int last_pitch = -1, last_n = -1, last_volume = -1;
static int first_time = 1;

unsigned char l2u_level;
int i, n, first_len, down_len, cycle, total_n;
long d2l_level;
double dt, percent, change, wave_level;

/*
* Initialize the sound of silence
*/
if (first_time == 1)
{
d2l_level = audio_d2l (0.0);
l2u_level = audio_l2u (d2l_level);
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for (i = 0; i < MAXTIME; i++) {
silence[i] = l2u_level;
}
first_time = 0;
}

/*
* Finagle the number of samples
*/
n = (time / 1000.) * RATE; /* Number samples in tone time */
n = n < MAXTIME ? n : MAXTIME; /* clip to buffer size */
n = n < 2 * RAMP ? 2 * RAMP : n; /* leave room for ramps */

/*
* Catch stupidity
*/
if (pitch <= 0)
volume = 0;

/* Catch dead silence. */
if (volume <= 0)
{
write (audio, silence, n);
return 0;
}

/* Generate some type of sound. */
/*
* clip to Nyquist
* (Of course this means that if you ask for too high a frequency you
* just get silence, since you sample all the zero-crossings of the
* sine wave.)
*/
pitch = pitch < RATE / 2 ? pitch : RATE / 2;
cycle = ((RATE + 1.e-6) / pitch); /* samples per cycle */

if (cycle > MAXTIME / 2)
cycle = MAXTIME / 2;

/* round down length of (rampup + mesa top) to integral cycle */
first_len = ((n - RAMP) / cycle) * cycle;
if (first_len < cycle)
first_len = cycle;
if (first_len > MAXTIME - RAMP)
first_len = MAXTIME - RAMP;

/* round down length of (rampdown) to integral cycle */
down_len = ((RAMP) / cycle) * cycle;
if (down_len < cycle)
down_len = cycle;
if (down_len > RAMP)
down_len = RAMP;
total_n = first_len + down_len;
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/*
* Can we just reuse what we had before?
*/
if (pitch != last_pitch || n != last_n || volume != last_volume)
{
last_pitch = pitch;
last_n = n;
last_volume = volume;

dt = 2. * M_PI / cycle; /* sine scale factor */

/* Generate samples. */
total_n = first_len + down_len;
percent = 0.0;
change = 1.0 / (RAMP);

for (i = 0; i < total_n; i++) {

/* Handle ramp up. */
if (i < RAMP)
percent += change;

/* Handle ramp down. */
if (i > first_len)
percent -= change;

wave_level = percent * (volume / 100.) * sin (i * dt);
d2l_level = audio_d2l (wave_level);
soundbuf[i] = audio_l2u (d2l_level);
}
}

write (audio, soundbuf, total_n);

return 0;
}

int
BeepWait ()
{
ioctl (audio, AUDIO_DRAIN);
return 0;
}

int
BeepCleanup ()
{
return 0;
}

int
BeepResume ()
{
return 0;
}
```

```
------------------end of beepSun.c-----------------------

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James D. Cronin, Sr. Software Engineer
Directory and Operator Services, Northern Telecom
jdc@cci.com
jdcronin@nt.com
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7065. FS: Kenwood R-5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: James True N5ARW <james.true@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <33B4594F.4F9E@ibm.net>
Source record: 171932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale

Kenwood R-5000 shortwave receiver .1 - 30Mhz AM-SSB-FM-CW-FSK
dual VFOs, dual clocks, timer, 100 memories

$675 shipped to your door in the CONUS.
Includes manual and AC power cord.

This radio is realy like new and a much better deal than the
$1000+ price from the retail outlets.

james.true@ibm.net
501-851-8783

7066. *****WTB MOTOROLA MITREK UHF, 100WATT*****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: guaz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627002401.UAA22843@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171972

I'm looking to buy a Motorola Mitrek UHF 450 to 470 split. It must be in working condition. Please call me at 406 443-1407 or email me at guaz@aol.com.

Thanks
Wayne
KC7ILQ

7067. Re: Standard 510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dddavis@atl.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5ov2a1$esj@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 171973

larrybo@concentric.net wrote:

> Would you tell me about the rat-tail antennae. Is it for two meters
>and 440 and does it have the connector that will fit the Standard 510?

The Diamond SRH-519 is designed for transmit and receive on 2 meters
and 440, and also receive on 800 MHz. It has an SMA connector and fits
perfectly on the C510A, as well as the C508A.

regards, Don (KE4KYO)

7068. FS: Oak Hills Research QRP Kits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rhynek@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627010300.VAA29082@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171974

Radio Devices has a number of OHR QRP kits at below cost prices.
Check our Web Page at http://www.ultranet.com/biz/raddev for details
and prices.

7069. Re: Anyone have the new Yaesu VX-1R? Need help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8290$42920aa0$9f872299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 171975

Bruce let me know what you find out about the scanning on the VX-1R. I'm
also curious abot the 500mw output, is it enough?

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

Bruce A. Langos <bruce.langos@daytonoh.ncr.com> wrote in article
<01bc7e8e$009ee380$0ef77fc0@langob>...
> I just got this new little wonder but cant figure out how to make it scan
> across bands. It will scan memory in band only but can't figure out how
to
> do it say for 150mhz and 800mhz. Any ideas.
>
> Bruce
>

7070. Re: FS: IC-751A 160-10 Meter All mode/General Coverage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan <ks4hr@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <01bc82a2$489701a0$173b8bce@bryan>
Source record: 171976

Barry O'Grady <barryoXX@fastlink.com.au> wrote in article
<33ad55a2.12950419@news.fastlink.com.au>...
> wega@loop.com (WE6A) wrote:
>
> Where do all those meters go?
>
In your first post the meter joke was funny, now it's just annoying!

Bryan ks4hr@injersey.com

7071. Re: FS EIMAC 8877 TUBES NEW!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrt@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <33b62ca1.13357739@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 171977

Rafael Diaz <kb2mym@li.net> wrote:

>I have two matched pair 8877 EIMAC tube's 350.00 +10.00 shipping..
>These tube's are brand new never used. in sealed box.. send message
>
<><><>

7072. Yaesu VX-1R Mods breaks the Automatic Repeater Offset.... Anyone know how to fix ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: timf@interlog.com.die.email.spammers
Message-ID: <33b32cf1.2761583@news.interlog.com>
Source record: 171978

I just recently got a VX-1R handheld with the full extended
tx/rx/cell mods and now the ARS (Automatic Repeater Offset) is broke.
Even when enabled is dosen't work.

Anyone have any luck or know of a work around?

PS. No I don't know how the mods where done, they wouldn't tell me ;)
But I'd love to find out if anyone knows just for my files....

Tim G. Foley -=- If Hell freezes over...I'll Ski tHat too! -=-
timf@interlog.com

> Williams Defender Arcade Classic -- Home Page <

http://www.interlog.com/~timf/defender_page/defender.htm

7073. Roof Towers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "[N2GYN] JOHN AZZARA" <jazzara@suffolk.lib.ny.us>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.970627000947.11786A-100000@bookworm>
Source record: 171979

Hi, What company makes the best roof towers? Please cc: me in reply.
Thank You

John

7074. Re: program YAESU 51R in DOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ovfjt$pke@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171980

In <33b1eaf3.7609834@news.erols.com> abrankod@usa.net (Daniel Abranko) writes:
>
>Is there a version of adms available that will run in dos & will allow
>me to program my Yaesu 51r? I want to run it from either a 8088 laptop
>or a hp200lx
>
>TIA
>
>Daniel
>
>abrankod@usa.net
>
>

Yes there is one from an outfit called EZClone, they have a web page the URL of which escapes me at the moment. The supplied adapter for radio to computer is not as nice as the ADMS one but is useable. I am trying it out on my 200lx and expect no show stoppers.

Interestingly these guys have a version for DOS and 32bit (95/NT) but none for Win3.1 I have used the DOS version on several platforms and it seem to work fine.

Jerry KK5YY

7075. Re: Yaesu VX-1R Mods breaks the Automatic Repeater Offset.... Anyone know how to fix ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <5ovg3t$g1l@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171981

In <33B350D8.29D@pulse.net> Jim Gerke <jgerke@pulse.net> writes:
>
>Mr. T. Foley wrote:
>>
>>
>>
>> I just recently got a VX-1R handheld with the full extended
>> tx/rx/cell mods and now the ARS (Automatic Repeater Offset) is
broke.
>> Even when enabled is dosen't work.
>
>This is typical of Yaesu HT's. In virtually every one I've had, the
out
>of band mod breaks the ars function. It was this way on the FT-811,
>FT-815, and FT-530 I used to own, and it's true for the the FT-51 and
>FT-41 that I own at present.
>
>-- Jim, KC5OA

That's funny Jim I have a couple of 530s and a 51 all have the extended mods and all do the ARS just fine. You do know that ARS is set to "OFF" as a factory default and when you reset the HTs after making a mod you go back to factory defaults, don't you? The only Yaesu I have with this annoying "feature" is my FT-5100 but I don't own any of the others you cite so I can't comment on them.

Jerry KK5YY

7076. ***** FOR SALE ***** MX 360 48ch.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdc3021@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970627050400.BAA11387@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171982

MX 360, 12 ch with a,b,c,d switch, Near new condition, $200.00 e-mail me at jdc3021@aol.com

7077. Re: New Heathkit Collector Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jay123a <jay123a@ptw.com>
Message-ID: <33B5A640.6ADE@ptw.com>
Source record: 171785

Gary Wood wrote:
>
> Please check out my new Heathkit Collector Site
> www.earthlink.net./~docky/ 73 K0IMJ Gary

Hello Gary: Plug your web site with the full address, so that we can
just click on it, to see it.

http://www.earthlink.net./~docky/

Jay at jay123a@ptw.com

7078. FS: Kenwood 8300 440 mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: alphavid@fia.net
Message-ID: <alphavid-ya023180002806971634520001@news.fia.net>
Source record: 171786

For sale:
Kenwood 8300 mobile radio. It is a crystal type radio.

Make offer.

Ray
alphavid@fia.net
San Diego, CA

7079. Pin-outs for Icom 735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: markem@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5p4j1l$1pj@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 171787

Would some kind Icom 735 owner please send me the pin-outs for the mike connector and for the transverter connector? I borrowed a 735 from our club but the manual is nowhere to be found and I need to know those pin-outs.

Thanks & 73... Mark AA7TA

7080. Parting out Heathkit SB-401

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33B5F440.4553@earthlink.net>
Source record: 171788

I am parting out a 401 the front panal is very good along with the cabnet. Coils, switches, pi-net, power transformer, all are very good. the vfo is already gone. What do you need? 73 Gary K0IMJ check out my Heathkit Collector Site www.earthlink.net./~docky/

7081. Parting out Heathkit GR-64

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Wood <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <33B5F510.716C@earthlink.net>
Source record: 171789

I am parting out a GR-64 everything is there but front panel is smashed. Case is good...What do you need? Gary K0IMJ check out my Heathkit Collector Site www.earthlink.net./~docky/

7082. Re: FS: Kenwood R-5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: curator <curator@connectnet.com>
Message-ID: <33B5FEEE.254D@connectnet.com>
Source record: 171790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

James True N5ARW wrote:
>
> For Sale
>
> Kenwood R-5000 shortwave receiver .1 - 30Mhz AM-SSB-FM-CW-FSK
> dual VFOs, dual clocks, timer, 100 memories
>
> $675 shipped to your door in the CONUS.
> Includes manual and AC power cord.
>
> This radio is realy like new and a much better deal than the
> $1000+ price from the retail outlets.
>
> james.true@ibm.net
> 501-851-8783
Price sucks. Try about $550.

7083. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Kile <midnight@accessnv.com>
Message-ID: <33B5F7E2.FB926AC7@accessnv.com>
Source record: 171791

Joseph Fenn wrote:

> I remember when first bought my IC751 years ago there was a lot of
> conjecture that if the lithium backup cell ever failed, the whole
> operating system would be lost???

Joe,
You are correct. If lithium cell does go bad the RAM unit will have to be reprogrammed. ICOM does use a very premium battery and looks as though their life expectancy will be on average 12-14 years in circuit.

The problem described sounds like bad connections on RAM unit caused by torsion of the board and heating from TTL level components in area. Try carefully inspecting board under light and magnification for darker gray rings around connector solder connections.

Very carefully soldering will correct problem. PS lithium cell should measure 3.3V. Anything below 3.1V is history.

73
Bob, KG7D

7084. Re: New Yaesu mini-HT - VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: john.innes@btinternet.com
Message-ID: <33b5e809.127268135@news.btinternet.com>
Source record: 171792

bobw@col.hp.com (Bob Witte) wrote:

>Yaesu has a new dual-band HT, claimed to be the world's smallest
>dual-band handheld with wide-band receiver coverage.
>
> 500 mW power (1 W with external power adapter)
> 290 memories
> 6 char Alphanumeric display
> Built-in CTCSS and DCS encode/decode
> AM /air band
>
> http://www.yaesu.com/vx1.html
>
>Has anyone seen one of these yet? Like at Dayton?
>
>Ham Radio Outlet's web site shows a price of $299.
>
they were being demonstrated at Dayton, they looked very nice although
I would have liked a more common battery (ie a AA!)
The rep had no prices then, and the launch wasn't until after the
show.

Regards
John

--
Edinburgh, UK.
Packet Radio GM7OLQ @ GB7EDN
Internet http://www.btinternet.com/~john.innes/

7085. Re: Need: IC-706 tuner pinout??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbwillia@uci.edu
Message-ID: <5p1q3n$loo@news.service.uci.edu>
Source record: 171844

In article <01bc81b1$a8da3b00$2f8caccf@sstaten.erols.com>, w3ink@erols.com says...
> Does anyone have the pinout for thet 4-pin connector?
>73 Stan, W3INK

It's on page 12 of the manual. If you lost the manual, email me back and I'll respond with the information. My manual is at home, but I keep a short version of it with the radio (don't have page 12 with me).
Brian

7086. ICOM IC-706 with Heil headset

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbwillia@uci.edu
Message-ID: <5p1qk2$loo@news.service.uci.edu>
Source record: 171845

Has anyone built an adapter for a Heil headset/microphone for use with the 706? I made an adapter and it works great for the headphone side but the microphone has VERY poor (weak) audio out. I understand that someone makes a commercial adapter for the combination. Does it have a preamp or biasing scheme built in?

Brian

7087. For sale kw IF-232C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5rg@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19970627.220407.7631.1.w5rg@juno.com>
Source record: 171846

I have for sale a interface IF-232C, that I'm not going to use, $70. will take it off my hands bob w5rg@juno.com

7088. ICOM IC-756 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: D & P Graham <pgraham@bluering.cowan.edu.au>
Message-ID: <33B47A73.74E@bluering.cowan.edu.au>
Source record: 171847

In April 1997 QST (p63) the ICOM IC-756 HF/6mx transceiver was reviewed.

The results were generally favorable, although the ARRL reviewers found that the transmitted bandwidth on CW and the IMD performance on SSB on higher frequency bands was not as good as desirable. ICOM were advised and they provided a modified radio which largely corrected the problem. ICOM were quoted as saying that the improvements would be incorpoarted in production "from April 1, 1997". (Pity about the date!)

Can anybody provide the answer to the following:

(1) From what serial number would the mods be included?

(2) What are the actual modifications?

(3) Can the modifications be retrofitted to existing units?

Don Graham (VK6HK)

7089. Hw prgrm Icom 27 mem chan.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John W.(Bill) Hays - w0omv" <billh@netins.net>
Message-ID: <33B48B2F.190E@netins.net>
Source record: 171848

Our club has a Icom 27 that wrks fine (I think) at least I can
talk on it using vfo and the existing programmed channels.
For the life of me I can't figure out hw to prgm these channels.
We do not hv the manual.
Cur someone pse e-mail me a step by step procedure to accomplish
this?
73,
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Bill Hays - w0omv email:billh@netins.net

7090. FS: Radio Shack Handhelds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex MacKenzie <amac@cape.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8383$d36b24a0$443cba8c@amac>
Source record: 171849

I am selling an HTX-202 and a 404. They are for 2 meters and 440 MHz.
They come with a spare battery pack, speaker mike, and leatherette case.
Both radios are about 3 years old, in good condition, and I am asking $200
or best offer for the two. I will ship.

Thanks,
Alex
W1ARM
amac@cape.com

7091. Re: A question: Charging a car battery with solar power.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33b4a212.2452971@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 171850

On Thu, 26 Jun 1997 22:16:06 -0700, "B. Diaz"
<cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:
>I've set-up my 2m/70cm radio in my car on a seperate car battery.
>That way, if I forget and leave the radio on, I can still start my car.
>However this means that I'll need to charge the battery every now and
>then.
>
>I was considering using solar panels to do the job, but I'm not sure
>how much charging current would dammage the battery if the battery
>was fully charged.
>
>If I feed 340mA of current to a fully charged battery, is that OK?
>
>Does anyone know what the maximum level for a trickel charge should
>be?
Suggestion ... go by an RV dealer and pick up a "Battery
Isolator" ... should not cost very much ... that will allow
your auxilliary battery to charge from the alternator, thus
keeping it fully charged, but keep current from flowing from
the aux battery into the main electrical system of the
vehicle. (Yes, there is a diode in there which will drop the
typical .6V or so across itself, which means that the
battery will be "almost fully charged" ... but close
enough!)

Very 73, and good luck with the project!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

7092. FS: PALOMAR MODEL M-827 WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmsakir@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628054901.BAA18850@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171851

THIS WATTMETER IS VERY CLEAN AND WORKS PERFECTLY.
MEASURES 20,200,2000 WATTS FORWARD AND SWR SIMULTANEOUSLY. NEW MODEL LIST
PRICE IS 199.50. THIS ONE CAN BE HAD FOR 70.00 PLUS 6.00 UPS. PHONE ME
AT 520-323-1120. THANKS AND 73 DE N7IOK, CLYDE IN TUCSON, AZ.

7093. Wanted: FT-8000 Mods info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rodney S Baker <"Rodney S Baker">
Message-ID: <33B47DBD.4B91@dedset.net.au>
Source record: 171852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,aus.radio.amateur.misc

Hi. I'm looking for info on mods for FT-8000. Please email as well as
posting responses.

TIA.

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Rodney S Baker
rsbaker@dedset.net.au
"All wiyht...rho sritched mg kegtops awound???!!!

7094. FS: UHF 32 CH MAXTRAC 300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628072101.DAA25906@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171853

Greetings,
I am selling my UHF Maxtrac 300.

Great working condition!
449 - 470 Range (With Lab Software radio will do HIGHER + LOWER)
32 channels
5 watts output
Microphone
Antenna adapter
Programming Cable
MDC
Call Listings
Paging Features
And more.....

I am selling the radio for $300.00 FIRM... Will not seperate
anything!

If interested please drop me Email N9MXT@AOL.COM
Jeffrey

7095. New To HAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: imimmortl@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628065301.CAA24902@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171854

Hello my name is david,

I am enterested in HAM radio and would like to what if any
equipment is need for this. Also i would like to know if any electronic
skills are needed, and the price for the equipement.

Please send replies to
Tosak@juno.com
PS: please keep flames 2 yourself

7096. FS: UHF 16 CH GP300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9mxt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628073601.DAA22831@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171855

Greetings,
I am selling a UHF GP300.

Great Conditon..
16 Channels
438-470 Range (Will Program)
Antenna
2 Batteries

Selling the radio for $250.00 FIRM...

If, interested Email me back... N9MXT@AOL.COM

Jeffrey

7097. Alpha Amps - New Alpha/Power (ETO) Web Site...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sandy@sandy.com
Message-ID: <5p2fm0$49a@surf.com>
Source record: 171856

You're invited to "See The Quality, Feel The Power"
of the latest Alpha Linear amplifiers at Alpha's
new web site:

http://www.alpha-power-inc.com

Lock in the current price by getting your 10%
deposit to Alpha/Power before July 31, 1997.

Due to the ever increasing costs of buying the
quality components we use to build our Alpha amps,
we are forced to increase our prices as of July 31.

Alpha Amp	Current Price	July 31 Price
Alpha 87A	$5,890	$6,390
Alpha 89	$3,695	$3,995
Alpha 91b	$2,698	$2,798

You've always wanted an Alpha Amp, so why wait any
longer? You've seen the rest, now own the best!

For additional information about Alpha amps,
please contact Dave or Brad at:

Tel: (970) 535-4173
Fax: (970) 535-0281
Email: sales@alpha-power-inc.com

Alpha/Power was founded more than a quarter century
ago as ETO (Ehrhorn Technological Operations) to
design and manufacture the best possible maximum-
legal-power, continuous heavy duty, HF linear
amplifier for radio amateurs.

Alpha/Power (ETO) amplifiers contributed to the
expressions brick-on-the-key, maximum legal-power
and all modes, no time limit to the lexicon of
amateur radio. They pioneered the no-compromise
desk top amplifier, hands-off no-tune-up operation,
full break-in (QSK), standard 160 mater coverage,
and microprocessor-controlled automatic bandswitching,
tuneup and remote control.

Alpha/Power (ETO) also has pioneered realistic buyer
protection with long term limited warranties (never

prorated and now an unequaled four years), and the
money-back guarantee.

Please respond directly to Alpha, NOT to me! Thanks.

--sandy

7098. new 1000mp software.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walt N3JPR <profota@pop3.concentric.net>
Message-ID: <33B4D1E0.835092EE@pop3.concentric.net>
Source record: 171857

I have tried all the control software for the 1000mp that I could find
and this is the BEST.
Check it out,there is also a new release due out in July which adds many
new features.
Juha,the author is very good about helping you solve any problems you
may have.
http://ntsat.oulu.fi/ft1000.htm
Check it out, you will like it.
73
Walt N3JPR

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Walt
Profota@concentric.net

7099. Re: Need: IC-706 tuner pinout??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <w3ink@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bc83ac$1373c8e0$1389accf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 171858

Brian,

Thanks for reply. My manual on page 12 lists "Advanced connections" but no pin-out. Page 14 shows how to attach the tuners. Page 6 lists the 13 pin Din. The other connections are similarly listed. Only the 4-pin molex for the AH-3 isn't shown as to what connection is what.

73 Stan, W3INK

Brian Williams <dbwillia@uci.edu> wrote in article <5p1q3n$loo@news.service.uci.edu>...
> In article <01bc81b1$a8da3b00$2f8caccf@sstaten.erols.com>, w3ink@erols.com
> says...
> > Does anyone have the pinout for thet 4-pin connector?
> >73 Stan, W3INK
>
> It's on page 12 of the manual. If you lost the manual, email me back and

> I'll respond with the information. My manual is at home, but I keep a
> short version of it with the radio (don't have page 12 with me).
> Brian
>
>

7100. Re: Alpha Amps - ENUF!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf4hk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628113101.HAA27267@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171859

Alpha needs to improve quality control before concerning themselves with additional profit.
Please stop posting it here; let them advertise in magazines.
When 87A's have to be returned 5 times in ne year, there is an ALPHA PROBLEM.Period.
Sincerely,
Jim

REC.RADIO.AMATEUR

7101. Re: Alpha Amps - ENUF!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: lemwnash@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628114801.HAA01260@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171860

why does that jerk keep hawking alpha amps here? let them sell them like everyone else. The 91B was crap,is crap and probably will continue to be crap.

7102. Re: New To HAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B50107.7021@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171861

IM Immortl wrote:
> Hello my name is david,
>
> I am enterested in HAM radio and would like to what if any
> equipment is need for this. Also i would like to know if any electronic
> skills are needed, and the price for the equipement.
>
> Please send replies to
> Tosak@juno.com

Hello David, a good place to start is with the "Ham Help and FAQ's" at
URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageA.html#H
Several links that will answer most of your questions.

Good Luck and hope to hear you on the air soon.

73
Rod in San Diego

7103. WTB: ICOM 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: senior@cyberramp.net
Message-ID: <5p28a9$h59@goofy.snet.net>
Source record: 171862

This query posted for KC2ARM by KC5VUO.

My friend Dan is looking for a good price on a used ICOM 706. He can be reached at 914-762-4094. He would like to find one on the east coast close to New York area if possible.

Please do not reply to this email address. It no longer provides me with Email. I will not respond to any queries.

Thanks,

KC5VUO
Sea Ya!

Bart Senior, ARS: KC5VUO "The best way to predict the future
senior@cyberramp.net is to create it"
http://www.cyberramp.net
Delivery Skipper/ASA Sailing Instructor
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7104. For Sale or Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Steven W.Neumann" <sneumann1@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <01bc83dc$58d48de0$44b848a6@sneumann1>
Source record: 171863
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.sounds.radio.oldtime,alt.radio.scanner,dc.ham-radio,de.alt.radio-scanner,phl.scanner,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Will trade for SW Listening Equipment, older tube type ,or newer, or
Scanner's the following Printer, Both Next to New, 1 never used (Lexmark)
one about 5 Pages worth, Were Ordered but never picked up

1 cannon 240l Color inkjet, Box manual, as new $140.00 or trade
1 Lexmark 2030 NEW in Box $179.00 or trade Reply e mail

Steve

7105. FS: FT990 MD1 SP6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ak2f@qsl.net
Message-ID: <867506927.3068@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale:
Yaesu FT-990 100W All Band Solid State Amateur Transciever
Built in 110V AC power supply
Built in Automatic Antenna Tuner
Direct Digital Synthesis
Built in Keyer
Built in variable bandwidth (SCAF) filter
2.4 2.0 Khz SSB and 500 Hz CW IF filters
Includes:
SP-6 Matching Speaker with switchable high and low pass audio filters
MD-1 Desk mike
Unit is in Excellent condition.

Asking $1500 plus shipping (from Northern NJ)
Contact: Woody AK2F
(201) 406-5443 (8 am to 8 pm EDST)

--------------------==== Posted via Deja News ====-----------------------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7106. FYI: Antique Radio Links

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B520CA.7B72@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171865

Have added several new links to the AC6V collection of old time radios
URL's at URL:
http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pagex.html

Included are:

Antique Radio Dealers & Repair Via PC Dealer Online
Ham AM Radio Page -- With Bulletin Board
Marconi Centennial Celebration
100 Years of Radio
Radio History Society
History of AM/FM/TV Old Time Stations
United States Early Radio History -- Origin of US callsigns
History of Radio Transmission -- From Spark To Spread Spectrum!!
History Of Teletype Development -- Via K7ON
Nikola Tesla Page -- Zap Zap
History of Defence Electronics
BoatAnchors -- From The Days Of Yester Yore-- Old Time Ham Radios!
BoatAnchors FAQ -- Don't Miss This One.
Heathkit Virtual Museum
Heath Kit Mail List Reflector
Antique Wireless Association, Inc. -- Electronic Communication Museum
Antique Radio Page -- By Don Adamson - Over 170 Exhibits!
200 links To Antique Radios -- From Antique Radios Classified
NJ Antique Radio Club Home Page -- Excellent History Pages
Phil's Old Radios, -- Very sophisticated and graphically beautiful site.
The Antique Radio Collector -- Web Site Directory
History of the All American 5ive AM tube radio -- By Robert Casey
Zenith TransOceanic Radios -- By Padgett
Radio Collections -- Military Radio, Radio collectors and collections,
NQ5T's Classic Radios
Bill's Antique Radio Emporium -- Also Restoration Tips, Hints, and Kinks
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73
Rod in San Diego

7107. !!! PROVEN PSYCHICS / FREE PREDICTIONS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: susan11@ultinet.net
Message-ID: <33b517b0.0@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 171866

Curious about psychics? Now you can try a psychic reading free, just dial 1-800-677-8039 - our free samples line where master psychics will amaze you with their knowledge and forsight. Try it now - see for yourself. adults over 18 only

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7108. WTB: OPTO EXPLORER OR SCOUT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: CHARLES EWELL <radios@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5p3al3$dd7@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171867

HI, LOOKING TO BUY A USED OPTO EXPLORER OR SCOUT
THANKS CHUCK EWELL 813-933-1023 OR E-MAIL

7109. FS: UHF REPEATER "PROGRAMABLE"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: CHARLES EWELL <radios@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5p3aq3$35o@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171868

HAVE A MOTOROLA R100 UHF 35 WATT. THAT WILL
GO IN THE HAMBAND $799.00 THANKS CHUCK EWELL
813-933-1023 OR E-MAIL

7110. FS:Kenwood TM-261A & stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEdmunds <JEdmunds@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B53173.1308@prodigy.net>
Source record: 171869

I have:

TM-261A rig...Cushcraft AR270 antenna....Astron RS12A power supply for sale......$305.00 for all. I will pay shipping within the continental USA. COD, money order or cashiers check.

E-mail: JEdmunds@Prodigy.Net

7111. Yaesu FT-980 & SP-980

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: markust@lx.net
Message-ID: <867513811.6902@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171870
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a very clean Yaesu FT-980 solid state HF transceiver and the matching SP-980 speaker. The radio has an optional CW and AM filter. Also have the operator and tech manuals. $850 plus shipping or possible trade. Thanks for reading this post, Markus WN5GMD.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7112. ICOM 735+AH2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jchalais@ns.net
Message-ID: <33B4E6F6.435A@ns.net>
Source record: 171871

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This is a multi-part message in MIME format.

--------------54E6789833E9
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Jack Chalais
KD6UOT
//mailto:jchalais@ns.net

--------------54E6789833E9
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; name="HAM4SL.TXT"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Content-Disposition: inline; filename="HAM4SL.TXT"

ICOM 735 HF transceiver, like new with box and docs

-and-

ICOM AH2 auto tuner, never installed still in box.

asking $1200 for both

JACK....KD6UOT

mailto:jchalais@ns.net

916-487-1481 voice/message
--------------54E6789833E9--
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7113. icom Ic-w32e Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Stonier <mark.stonier@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <33B54BC4.498A@virgin.net>
Source record: 171872

does anybody know of mods to IC-w32e, to make it full band coverage etc
etc.

Cheers
Mark.stonier@virgin.net

7114. Squelch Connection Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charlie Durand <cdurand@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B54D37.717E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171873

Good morning,

I recently purchased a CS-800 Phone patch. It works great now, but it would work even better if I could get it connected internally to the radio I'm using with it. What I need to find is where the CTCSS decoder is. That would be the best spot to connect a wire. I am using an Alinco DR-570. Anyone online here know how I could go about finding such a place on such a radio to make a connection? I'm not sure what I should be looking for which doesn't help any I know. Any help is appreciated.

Charles Durand
KD6BYC - Mountain View, CA

7115. Re: Alpha 76 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: nuview@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33b55505.1302867@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 171874

I bought my ETO Alpha in 81, just changed tubes (8874) in it to
day....(16.5 years) and I use the amp everyday. And it was still
putting out 1+ KW!!
Great Amplifier, if you take care of it!!
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

7116. WTB: Ten Tec Omni C, D or Corsair I or II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628193601.PAA22397@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171875

Looking for above in good condition..

Cash or possible trade (+/- cash) for:

ICOM R71A
Atlas 350XL and power supply
Johnson Navigator

Appreciate any responses.

Alan, N3BJ

7117. Looking For

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: msgsports@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970628194101.PAA19127@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171876

Hi

I am looking to trade my near mint Pro-2022 scanner for a Yaseu FT 208R
HT.

Thanks Firecomm
NYFD

7118. Re: IC751 memory loss?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: BGWJ81A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <5p3s12$36sc@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 171877

There is another solution...

There's a company that sells for about $60 a PROM replacement for the RAM.
..I don't have the name handy, but if someone really needs to know, I
can dig out the catalog. I own a 745 and a 475 which also use the battery
backed up RAM....what a stupid idea.

WB2MJG
Peter

7119. Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8404$b290c920$2ef02399@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 171878

Just bought the new Yeasu VX-1R and what a little radio! But when your in "BCBAND" mode it defaults to N-FM and won't let you switch it to AM. It sounds like it's in AM mode but dosen't say AM in set mode number 32.
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Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

7120. VX1R comment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfECIArs.6wu@netcom.com>
Source record: 171879

Picked up a VX1R today and found one "gotcha" in the errata sheet I'm not happy about - the battery does not charge while the radio is turned on. Also discovered a feature I didn't think was present - it CAN send DTMF by manipulating button/knob controls in a given sequence (there is no DTMF pad).

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

7121. Looking for opinions on Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David M. Kaye" <n2sjh@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <5p41oe$rna@news.eclipse.net>
Source record: 171880

Hello All,

I am looking to buy a dual-band HT and am interested in the Icom IC-W32A. I would like to hear from some users of the IC-W32A as to the pros and cons of the radio. Thanks for any help anyone can give. 73

--
Dave Kaye, N2SJH (n2sjh@eclipse.net)

"Imagine all the people living life in peace"
-John Lennon

7122. Re: VX1R comment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfECIDKJ.B62@netcom.com>
Source record: 171881

In article <dgfECIArs.6wu@netcom.com> dgf@netcom.com (David Feldman) writes:
>Picked up a VX1R today and found one "gotcha" in the errata sheet I'm not happy
>about - the battery does not charge while the radio is turned on. Also
>discovered a feature I didn't think was present - it CAN send DTMF by
>manipulating button/knob controls in a given sequence (there is no DTMF pad).
>
>73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com
>

... and one other "gotcha" - the "VHF TV" band only covers "high band" channels
7-13; channels 2 3 4 are not available and audio from channel 5 and 6 are
available in the "FM" band (76-108 MHz) at 81.750 and 87.750 MHz. Not the end
of the world, but a bit irritating (as I intend to use the radio walkman-style
for BC/TV RX much of the time).

Dave

7123. HELP-NEED MIC PINOUTS (8) FOR HTX-100 RADIO SHACK 10 MTR RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <wb6kdy@internetmci.com>
Message-ID: <33B5A959.F3E@internetmci.com>
Source record: 171882

E-MAIL WB6KDY@INTERNETMCI.COM

PICKED UP A USED RIG WITH NO MICROPHONE AND HAVE AN OLD HAND MIC THAT I
WOULD LIKE TO USE. NEED ALL 8 PIN OUTS FOR THE HTX-100.

TNX 73....FRANK

7124. Re: New IC 708 preview

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B6C05D.5D9B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171735

philus wrote:
>
> Finally, I got to see the brand new prototype of the new IC708!
> It is, like Alan, KA2PVR posted, the new IC 708 will have all the
> features of the IC706mkII plus an extra 220MHz/440MHz transceiver.
> Further, it will have a duplexer for crossband operation on
> 440MHz/220+146MHz. A good friend of mine, Masahiro Hiranuma of ICOM in
> japan sent me a fax with the specs. The radio should be available at
> Dayton in '98 at a suggested retail price of US$ 1599.
> By the way, the optional DSP-Module for the IC 706mkII is sceduled for
> end of this year.
>
> 73, Andrew Burbaker.

Are you serious or making fun of my previous postings.
73's NS1R Steven Hershman

7125. Re: Need Icom 735 Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilder@clark.net
Message-ID: <5p6fhi$hf3@clarknet.clark.net>
Source record: 171736

M. Monninger (markem@primenet.com) wrote:
: I'm in the market for a small HF transceiver in the $500-750 price range for
: mostly (98%) fixed station use and maybe 1.99% portable, and maybe 0.01%
: mobile. I borrowed an Icom 735 from the club and really like it. I've about
: made up my mind that I want a 735 but I do have a few questions.
:
: Were there different models of the 735? Is one, or a particular serial number
: range, better or more desirable?
:
: Any common failure modes or things to look for when looking at one?
:
: What modes are standard? SSB/CW I know, but how about FM? AM?
:
: Standard filter complement? Are after market filters still available?
:
: Any comments about the 735 in general?
:
: Any suggestions for alternatives? How does it compare to, say, a Kenwood 440
: or 450 or a Yaesu whatever?
:
: Any input will be appreciated.
:
: Thanks & 73... Mark AA7TA

7126. F.S. - Tubes, radios, books, etc...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rog42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970629201600.QAA27343@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171737

FOR SALE: Tubes, test equipment, radios including Hallicrafters, Hammarlund, and Philco plus radio related publications. Schematics for many older radios and TV's - just $3 delivered. Tube Manuals, Tube Substitution books, Service Manuals, radio magazines, much more from the 30's to the 70's. Now over 1600 different tube types in stock - Contact Rog42@aol.com and ask for an E-mail copy of my latest offerings on RADIO list - #620-T.

7127. Re: New IC 708 preview

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hershman <hershman@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B6C355.5C6E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171738

hershman wrote:
>
> philus wrote:
> >
> > Finally, I got to see the brand new prototype of the new IC708!
> > It is, like Alan, KA2PVR posted, the new IC 708 will have all the
> > features of the IC706mkII plus an extra 220MHz/440MHz transceiver.
> > Further, it will have a duplexer for crossband operation on
> > 440MHz/220+146MHz. A good friend of mine, Masahiro Hiranuma of ICOM in
> > japan sent me a fax with the specs. The radio should be available at
> > Dayton in '98 at a suggested retail price of US$ 1599.
> > By the way, the optional DSP-Module for the IC 706mkII is sceduled for
> > end of this year.
> >
> > 73, Andrew Burbaker.
>
> Are you serious or making fun of my previous postings.
> 73's NS1R Steven Hershman

I just called up a couple of my informants (names withheld for security)
and they said they have NOT heard of any info about a Icom 708 or that
the DSP feature on the IC-706 MK II being released in the fall. This is
not to say that it isn't true but my sources are extreamly accurate and
they do not lie when they are interogated (tortured)....(just kidding).

73's NS1R Steven Hershman

7128. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Gross <robtgross@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B6C4E2.4544@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

N8XYN wrote:
>
> Andy York wrote:
> >
> > jabez <jabez@usa.net> wrote in article <5p45b0$ipc@winter.erols.com>...
> > > Does anyone out there have the plans and schematics for a *very* simple
> > > fm transmitter that is reliable also?
> > >
> > >
> > Very Funny......
> whats funny about this request?

Ya, whats the big deal, I would like a set myself.

7129. VHF REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <ugfd@vnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc84e5$49640480$e99e52a6@Dugfd>
Source record: 171740

WE NEED A VHF REPEATER SYSTEM FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.

WAYNE
ugfd@vnet.net

7130. UHF MOTOROLA VISAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne <ugfd@vnet.net>
Message-ID: <01bc84e4$11349580$e99e52a6@Dugfd>
Source record: 171741

For Sale 2 Motorola Visar 16 Channel uhf
will trade both for 1 vhf visar
email for more details

ugfd@vnet.net
or
ugvfd@aol.com

7131. U.S. Tower 72ft crankup for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcpin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970629204801.QAA25659@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171742

U.S. Tower 72 ft heavy duty motorized crank-up. Comes with limit swithc package, heavy duty raising fixture and tower mounted work platform. Will easily handle 15 to 20 sq.ft of antenna. The tower is up and operational and is available in the Tampa Fl area. This is the Rolls Royce of residential type towers.
Only $2750......Call Chris KO4QW 813-969-0572 or email to dcpin@gte.net

7132. Re: Perth Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: gbohner@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970629214401.RAA28949@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171743

In article <5p0o43$n50@sf18.dseg.ti.com>, k5dh@qsl.net (Dean Hemphill, K5DH) writes:

>In article <33B2C400.6C7A@tellabs.com>, jwa@tellabs.com says...
>>
>>Help! My Outbacker Perth has high SWR and if I can't fix I toss it
>>out in the back with the trash!
>>--- ----
>>
>>I installed it last night and I can't adjust the SWR on 20 meters. I
>>also tried other bands. The signal levels seem to increase when I
>>plug-in the shorting wire in the 20 meter socket but changing the
>>"spike" length doesn't effect the SWR.
>>
>>I purchased the antenna last year at Dayton but never used until last
>>night. I can't find the manual :-(
>
>
>

I have a Perth and when I first installed it on the my motor home, I also had a very high swr. I thought it was grounded well, but decided to run a couple more ground wires to the side of the motorhome. Presto, the swr came right down. I did have to order a longer stinger for the low end of 80 meters to work pactor. You will probably have to sweep frequencies (on very low power) to see where it resonates and then adjust the stinger accordingly. Also, it is important which direction that you wind the wire. As I recall, it goes clockwise up from the bottom.

7133. Re: Radio Shack HTX-242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Kaye <n2sjh@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <33B6D517.596F2721@eclipse.net>
Source record: 171744

htx242 wrote:
>
> This is the new 2m mobile radio. I need a mod for tx
> looks like a kenwood tm-241 but it isn't ..
> it may be made by Midland
>
> Asap...
> thanks..

I am pretty sure that the HTX-242 is made by ADI. All the buttons and features are the same as the ADI 2meter mobile. BTW, ADI made the now recalled HTX-204. Just my 2 cents. 73
--
Dave(n2sjh@eclipse.net)

"Imagine all the people living life in peace"
-John Lennon

7134. HELP: IC-551 DC pinout!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nx7u@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5p6o48$47m@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 171745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

!HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP!
I would like to take my IC-551 on a mobile trip over the 4th of July.
But to do so I need to run my IC-551 on DC; all the manual refers to is the
"supplied DC plug", which of course I don't have!
Neither the Op Manual or the Service manual specifically state which pin is
+DC and which is -DC. It's a 4-pin inline with a pointy end

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| O O O O > <--- this is the pointy end.
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Can someone please tell me the secret answer so I can have some fun on 6m?
THANKS IN ADVANCE!!!
Scott Townley NX7U
nx7u@primenet.com

7135. Re: WANT: Mods for TH-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn5rdo3d.6h.nielsen@nielsen.tus.primenet.com>
Source record: 171746

In article <5p5lsl$pj1$3@news.igs.net>, Stan Sanderson wrote:
>Hi, If you know of any successful mods for the Kenwood TH-79A would
>please send me details? Thanks es 73 Stan VA3DS
>
Take a look at:

ftp://futureone.com/users/john/mods/kenwood/th79mods.zip (a large file of images of a document with everything for every version of TH-79A).

73, Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
AX.25: w6swe@wb7tls.az.usa.noam
http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

7136. Auto-tuner; Icom AT-150

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb <hb@hevanet.com>
Message-ID: <33B6EBB4.A6B93595@hevanet.com>
Source record: 171747

Matches IC-735, but works with most any ICOM hf rig (with proper cable)

Multi-coax outputs; 1 random wire out
Pre-sets for each band make auto-tuning very quick and precise

Requires no external power; small and lightweight

Has never been fed with more than 150 watts (the rated maximum)

Absolutely showroom condition, inside and out...
Packed in original carton, complete with instructions

$300, including shipping at my cost ($529 in latest HRO catalogue)

This is a firm price

7137. -Teen Babes take off there school clothes teenclo.jpg

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: asdl
Message-ID: <5p6r0r$qa3$479@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 171748

Are you ready to look at pictures of Teens fucking and sucking?

Then cum visit:

http://www.sexy-girls.com

All models represented on Sexy-Girls are 18 years of Age or Older.

7138. Info on IC3-SAT out of band please.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Julian Smith <julian.smith@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <33B6C884.27C9@virgin.net>
Source record: 171749

Oww Doo,
I am looking for the diode matrix combinations to blow the Icon 220meg
h.held out of band.
Anyone help?

Ta.

7139. TM-261A Kenwood for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEdmunds <JEdmunds@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B6D207.64E2@prodigy.net>
Source record: 171750

Have for sale:

1 - TM-261A mobile rig, 9 months old
1 - Cushcraft AR 270 antenna
1 - Astrib R 20A power supply

Sell as unit,,,,,$305.00, COD, money order or cashier check. I will pay shipping in continental USA.

7140. Yaesu UHF Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael A Nelson <miken@interactive.net>
Message-ID: <33B6B237.67CB@interactive.net>
Source record: 171751

I have a Yaesu UHF handheld FTC-1143 10 ch. in 460 range. I have programing instructions. Included are 2 batteries, 2 rubber ducks, leather case, small wall charger and quick rapid charger NC-15. Asking 160.00 S&H inc. very good condition

Thanks miken@interactive.net

7141. Re: handheld GPS system - any recommendations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. Mc Laughlin" <n8tt@tir.com>
Message-ID: <33B6FEFA.98@tir.com>
Source record: 171752

Ernie Stedman wrote:
>
> Gary McDuffie, Sr. wrote:
> >
> > On 19 Feb 1997 14:15:37 GMT, "BH" <BHildebrand@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >
> > > While the 45 is a good GPS receiver, check out the Garmin-12XL. Far
> > > superior receiver (12 ch. parallel) and only $25.00 more that the $199
> > > stated below. And no speed restriction like the 45, twice as many
> > > waypoints, more track points, proximity waypoints. I will lock when the 45
> > > does not have any signal.
> >
> > Better yet, try the II+ with its newest firmware (2.04). It has most
> > everything the 12XL has, including position averaging, plus a BNC connector
> > that is much easier to use than the MCX on the 12XL, an external antenna
> > that you can optimize the position of for a given mount, and almost twice
> > the battery life of the 12XL.
> >
> > Gary
> Does it have NEMA output and Maidenhead display?
Dear Mr. Stedman;
The Garmin GPS II+ does have a NMEA 183 interface. I have used it and
it works without a hitch.
The Garmin printed data sheet indicates that coordinates may be
displayed in Maidenhead in liu of Lat/Long. The manual indicates the
same. I have not used this capability.
The GPS II+ is a fine unit. Lowest price appears to be from Shoreway
Marine 800-443-5408 @ 229.95.
Enjoy, Mac
--
J. Mc Laughlin N8TT@TIR.COM Michigan

7142. Janel 6m switching preamp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick258s@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.e20c6ac19bb576e989692@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171753

Hello - I am posting this for a friend who does not have access to the internet at this time. I will forward all replies to him in person. He has a Janel QSA 6 pre-amp (this is an external 6m switching preamp) that he believes has a switching problem. Would like to get a copy of the schematic for this pre-amp. Will gladly pay copying and postage.

Reply to rick258@ix.netcom.com as my reply to address is altered.

7143. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <tntelec@netonecom.net>
Message-ID: <33B73BDA.3254@netonecom.net>
Source record: 171754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

jabez wrote:
>
> Does anyone out there have the plans and schematics for a *very* simple
> fm transmitter that is reliable also?

Here ya go...enjoy.

<http://users.aol.com/amn92/radio.htm>

7144. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom <tntelec@netonecom.net>
Message-ID: <33B73CE1.2673@netonecom.net>
Source record: 171755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

jabez wrote:
>
> Does anyone out there have the plans and schematics for a *very* simple
> fm transmitter that is reliable also?

Hey I got another...

<http://www.ee.washington.edu/eeca/circuits/transmit.html>

7145. FS: Yaesu FT-890AT & mobile/base accessories!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Michael Conner, KQ3P" <mconner2@utk.edu>
Message-ID: <33B71F2C.138C@utk.edu>
Source record: 171756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio.swap

FOR SALE:

YAESU FT-890AT in excellent condition. Has built-in antenna tuner (great for mobile use), built-in cw keyer, 100 Watts output, general coverage receiver, and all mode transmitter. Comes with hand-held mic. Still have original box and owner's manual. I always found this rig to have a really great receiver.

Also for sale:

YAESU YS-60 SWR + Power meter (matching color to 890)
ASTRON RS-50M (with meters) (barely used)
BENCHER BY-1 Keyer (barely used)
HUSTLER Mobile resonators for:
80, 75, 40, 30, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 meters (low power models)
AND two masts - one stainless steel and other is fiberglass covered.
Also have a mast mount for base use.
(all resonators in good condition and worked well for mobile and base!)

and I'll throw in a 75' length of 9913 coax (no connectors).

Prices dependent on who pays shipping, but figuring:

FT-890AT $750
YS-60 $ 70
RS-50M $175
BY-1 $ 60
Hustler $150 for all including masts.

Would prefer to sell entire package. Am selling because work hours are too long and I don't travel any more and the cash would be useful.

Please e-mail me for further details, or call in the afternoons at work: (423) 974-0123.

Thank you!

Michael Conner
mconner2@utk.edu
KQ3P
Knoxville, TN

7146. VR-1X

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Finney <jpf@southeast.net>
Message-ID: <33B722FD.6FA7@southeast.net>
Source record: 171757

Hello,

I am considering buying a Yaesu VX-1R mini handheld. I am interest in
the it's wide band RX coverage. Anyone have opinions on the radio?

Thanks,

Jim
WA5VPW

--

Jim Finney
jpf@southeast.net
http://users.southeast.net/~jpf

7147. Visit a new site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Khaltex International <khaltexav@khaltex.net>
Message-ID: <33B72F7B.40F9@khaltex.net>
Source record: 171758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Visit http://www.khaltex.net ,
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Khaltex International
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http://www.khaltex.net khaltexav@khaltex.net
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7148. Re: KENWOOD TS-520 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clifford Uyeda <cuyeda@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B74986.406F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171759

Bill Cann wrote:
>
> Anybody have a TS-520 Operators Manual that I can buy or borrow and copy??
> I have a new ham friend who has bought one used w/o the manual, and I am
> trying to help him get it set up.
>
> Thanks,
> Bill,
> WB4PUH , Fairfax, VA

Call Howard W. Sams! You can buy a copy of Kenwood's manuals that are no longer available from Kenwood. Howard W. Sams also has a web site, go surf. :-)

7149. Re: Which 2m/70cm dual band mobile should I purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clifford Uyeda <cuyeda@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B7511D.5247@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171760

Charlie Thompson wrote:
>
> I trying to decide which 2m/70cm dual band moble rig to buy.
> Here's what I'd like:
>
> 1. Extended RX on VHF and UHF
> 2. AM aircraft receive
> 3. CTCSS decode/encode
> 4. SMALL Size (detachable front panel optional)
> 5. DTMF mic
> 6. Priced at or less than $500
>
> Any suggestions appreciated.
>
> -Charlie WB4HVD

The TM-V7A is an excellent choice! Of course you will pay a little more than $500. The improved heatsink chassis is impressive for better cooling efficiency. This translates into longer keydown time and longer life expectancy on the final transistors. There are 3 programmable scan ranges for each band.

The voice synthesizer is a nice addition for frequency readback. The visual scan feature is similar to a spectrum analyzer to locate band activity. Built in encode/decode with tone scan.

For the packet users out there, you can operate data mode and voice at the same time.

280 memory channels! The EzClone software is a nice addition for uploading and downloading your frequency information for later retrieval.

73

7150. Ant. FS post-6/29 @12:59

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgyoung <rgyoung@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B71F6A.3A73@prodigy.net>
Source record: 171761
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Pictures of the antenna system described in the listing of 6/29/97 @ 12:59 can be seen at http://members.aol.com/cmiscales/tower.htm Please be patient loading this page , as it will take a minute or so to load at 28.8bps.

Thanks es 73,

Bob Young

7151. Yaesu FT-50R help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Soeren Andreasen <sa@image.dk>
Message-ID: <33B5F1E4.712E@image.dk>
Source record: 171762

I just bought a FT-50R in Andorra and the instructions are in spanish
and my spanish is no good, so does any one know if the manual is
somewhere on the net ?
Is this radio any good compared to others ?

Please help, I am very new to this.

email me at sa@image.dk

Regards Soeren Denmark

7152. ICOM IC-22S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Watson N3SWJ <watson@redrose.net>
Message-ID: <33B65166.780A@redrose.net>
Source record: 171763

I got this radio at a garage sale, but it has no manual or operating instructions. If you can help, please email.

Thanks!

7153. G0RUR's FTP is Back

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: rur@innotts.co.uk
Message-ID: <33c2cd9b.2519849@news.innotts.co.uk>
Source record: 171764

Hi..
My G0RUR's Easy Doc's FTP Site has been updated and is now
back Online.. Sorry for any inconvenience
http://www.innotts.co.uk/~rur/

Paul G0RUR
Paul (G0RUR)
rur@innotts.co.uk "Doctor Dos"
UK Distributor of Amsoft's Ham Radio C.D.
Home Page: http://www.innotts.co.uk/~rur/

7154. HAM RADIO VACATIONS IN CRETE GREECE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "NERANTZULIS MANOS(SV9ANJ)" <PELAMARE@HER.FORTHNET.GR>
Message-ID: <01bc846a$4e519320$f5915cc1@dummy.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 171765

7 STUDIOS 20M FROM BEACH.USE OF SHACK AND ANTENNAS. OPEN FROM 14/April/97
TO 31/October/97. FOR INFORMATIONS
CONTACT:SV9ANJ QRA MANOS VIA EMAIL OR FAX AT ++30 81 761382.

7155. Update

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barb Stanley <BarbS223@aol.com>
Message-ID: <33B6D85D.79E7@aol.com>
Source record: 171766

UpdateBarb Stanley wrote:
>
The Royal D7000Y has been sold as well as the Royal R7000 have been
sold, we are still looking for a buyer for the 3000 model, asking $75
plus shipping.
>
> BarbS223@aol.com.
>
> Thanks
> Barb Stanley

7156. WTT, Great Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: CARL CONN <shooter2@northernnet.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8431$d20d9260$103e18ce@shooter2.northernnet.com>
Source record: 171793

I will trade all my ham gear for a laptop computer. Would prefere it be a 486 with 8 meg of ram. Here is some of what I have to offer.
An alinco DJ-580t dual band, RCI 2950 10 mtr mobil, MFJ 1270b packet tnc.
If this sounds interesting to you or you want more info you can contact me at shooter2@northernnet.com.
Thank you.
Carl, N0WQT.

7157. Re: Galaxy 99v clarifier problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33b58d00.72596725@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 26 Jun 1997 15:42:59 -0700, Jim Burke <burkejd@ifc.hsd.utc.com> wrote:
>I have a strange problem happening with this radio when it has been in
>my car all day long during a hot day.(In the 90's) When i turn the radio
>on (am), after about 10 minutes, the radio shifts down 2kc's & the
>course clarifier will only shift ~ 1.5 kc's when turning it from the low
>to the hi limits (should be +- 5kc's). The kicker is that this only
>happens on am & fm(all bands). Sideband is ok. (no shift & the clarifier
>works fine). When I get home & shut off the radio & come back out 1 hr.
>later, everything seems ok.
>
> Has anyone experienced this or something similar, & if so do they know
>what causes this & a fix if possible.

I don't know this radio, but the symptoms described suggest that the AM/FM carrier oscillator is at fault. The radio probably has 3 carrier oscillators, one for AM/FM, one for USB, and a third for LSB. Typically, these are crystal oscillators. It sounds like the AM/FM carrier oscillator is temperature sensitive. This is likely the crystal itself given the amount of shift. If my diagnosis is correct, you'll need to replace this crystal.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

7158. FS: Icom IC-706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf8ru@netonecom.net
Message-ID: <5p4d3a$j0g@news.triton.net>
Source record: 171795

Icom IC-706 in mint condition. Mic, manual,power cord and box.
$900

7159. Re: New To HAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: older@females.net
Message-ID: <5p4e9s$7rs$3@news.mhv.net>
Source record: 171796

In article <19970628065301.CAA24902@ladder01.news.aol.com>, imimmortl@aol.com (IM Immortl) wrote:
>Hello my name is david,
>
> I am enterested in HAM radio and would like to what if any
>equipment is need for this. Also i would like to know if any electronic
>skills are needed, and the price for the equipement.
>
> Please send replies to
>Tosak@juno.com
> PS: please keep flames 2 yourself

David,
Do a web search on HAM radio and amateur radio. There is TONS of info available to answer all your questions. Or go to http://www.hamradio-online.com/

They have a new ham section there.

Ham radio is a LOT of fun. Yes, equipment is needed and some electronic knowledge as well but you can do it! Look into it! Prices can be cheap or expensive. You can get on 2 meters for pretty cheap with a used handheld radio. Go to radio shack and buy the book "Now your talking".

Tom

E-mail me at the address below, not with the above address.
That address is to help stop junk e-mail!

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
trandall@mhv.net Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club /ARRL/10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
Saturn: 97SLm Si/Gr AC AU+ SW NG ML

Opinions herein are mine and may not be that of MHV.NET!

7160. n3tuk web page updated

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3tuk@tidalwave.net
Message-ID: <33b5c10e.4395117@newsdesk.tidalwave.net>
Source record: 171797

visit http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Heights/5575/softw.html

7161. Re: Perth Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33b57b94.68135785@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171798

On Thu, 26 Jun 1997 14:33:20 -0500, Jack Albert <jwa@tellabs.com> wrote:

>Help! My Outbacker Perth has high SWR and if I can't fix I toss it
>out in the back with the trash!
>--- ----
>
>I installed it last night and I can't adjust the SWR on 20 meters. I
>also tried other bands. The signal levels seem to increase when I
>plug-in the shorting wire in the 20 meter socket but changing the
>"spike" length doesn't effect the SWR.
>
>I purchased the antenna last year at Dayton but never used until last
>night. I can't find the manual :-(

Before you chuck it in the trash, Jack, check the feedline, mount, and
ground connection. The problem might not be in the antenna. It could be
a fault in one of the ground paths. If the coax shield isn't grounded at
the mount, you can get the symptoms you report.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

7162. FS: Cushcraft A3 and Rotator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: j_magee@starrider.com
Message-ID: <5p4rgb$6s6@news.cybernews.net>
Source record: 171799

Amateur Radio Equipment For Sale

Tri-Band Beam: Like new CushCraft A3 with HyGain balun
Alliance HD73 Rotator
Plus Lots of Coax!
All this was purchased new and in air less than 6 months then stored.
Antenna, Rotator, and Coax for $250

Also:

220MHz! Hard to find Midland 13-513 Synthesized Transceiver: $125
220MHz Yagi: CushCraft 13 element: $15

Scanner: Bearcat 220--LEDs have a segment out: $10

Hallicrafters HA-1 T. O. Keyer with Autronic paddle--Works!: Make
offer

I'm always negotiable. Will negotiate shipping but prefer pickup.
Located in south Grand Prairie off I-20. (Dallas area).

Joe Magee K5OM
972-642-2648
j_magee@starrider.com

7163. FS: Midland 13-513 220 Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: j_magee@starrider.com
Message-ID: <5p4ric$6s6@news.cybernews.net>
Source record: 171800

Amateur Radio Equipment For Sale

220MHz! Hard to find Midland 13-513 Synthesized Transceiver: $125
220MHz Yagi: CushCraft 13 element: $15

Also:

Scanner: Bearcat 220--LEDs have a segment out: $10

Hallicrafters HA-1 T. O. Keyer with Autronic paddle--Works!: Make
offer

I'm always negotiable. Will negotiate shipping but prefer pickup.
Located in south Grand Prairie off I-20. (Dallas area).

Joe Magee K5OM
972-642-2648
j_magee@starrider.com

7164. FS Icom 735 and goodies reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jose@cariodes.com
Message-ID: <867562918.2181@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171801

For sale
Icom 735 Transceiver (160m-10m general coverage receiver)Includes: manual,
scanning microphone, DC power cord. Mint condition.
Ashtron 35A power supply like new.
MFJ Ant Tuner 989C 3kw w/roller inductor like new.
Shure model 444D mike. Hardly used.
MFJ 250 Versaload rated 1kw CW dummy load. (You get oil)
Low Pass filter 1kw CW
100 feet of coax RG8
$775 takes all. You pay shipping
AA9LZ
e-mail to:
jose@cariodes.com
or call 773-472-5956

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7165. Re: HELP Pse.TM261 Mic. gain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Puff the Magic Dragon <uzi@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B61108.3473@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171802

any info on this would be appreciated

7166. Re: Wanted: info on HP 302A & Marconi Instr. TF995A/3/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nigel Cook <diverse@tcp.co.uk>
Message-ID: <5p56kn$mv5$1@zeus.tcp.net.uk>
Source record: 171803
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,nl.radio.amateur

> Hi all,
>
> I recently picked these up at a flee market and a surplus dealer, but without
> the manuals.
>
> The HP 302A is a 'wave analyzer' from DC to 50 kHz, mostly solid state although
> I spotted some tubes (maybe stabilisers?). It has a Volt/decibel-meter, a
> max-input switch and a meter-fullscale switch for measuring input voltage. Also
> a tuning scale up to 50 kHz. Then there is this mysterious switch
> 'AFC/NORMAL/BFO'.
> I played with it and it measures AC input accurately. In 'AFC' mode it seems to
> tune in on the input frequency if it is not too far off. I have not figured out
> the 'BFO' position though.
> Does anybody know these this instrument? What was it used for?
>
> The Marconi is a tube RF oscillator that works well, but its fine-tuning needs
> recalibrating. I'd like a manual (or at least schematics) before attempting
> this! From Marconi I learned that there are two manuals (probably user- and
> service-manual) with partnumbers HB TF995A/2M and HB TF995A/3S.
>
> Any hints, tips, stories, advice etc is welcome. And ofcourse I would be very
> pleased with schematics or even manuals. Please contact me for costs involved.
>
>
>
> Bart.
>
> There may be a NOSPAM. in front of my E-mail address.
> It is there to fool machines, not people.
>
I have a service manual for the TF995A/5
please contact e-mail or telephone me the proprietor of
Diverse Devices,Southampton,England;telephone (+44) (-0)1703 584680
(Shop stocking obscure/obsolete components,second hand test equipment,schematics etc)
Postal: 75 Priory Rd,St Denys,Southampton,England SO17 2JQ.
email diverse@tcp.co.uk
more hints/tips on homepage http://www.tcp.co.uk/~diverse/
regards, Nigel

7167. FS: Mirage BD-35 2/440 amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stan Staten <w3ink@erols.com>
Message-ID: <01bc847b$71a1bc40$ed89accf@sstaten.erols.com>
Source record: 171804

Mirage BD-35 2/440 HT amp $125
--
Stan Staten
w3ink@erols.com
http://www.qsl.net/w3ink/

7168. **FS Kenwood TH28A with extras**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dallman@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <33b64860.3940685@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For Sale:

Kenwood TH28A 2 meter handheld with extended receive coverage. Unit will receive the aircraft band plus 440 to 450 mhz. Comes with standard PB-13 battery, wall charger, belt clip and antenna.

I also have a extra PB-13 battery, external mic/speaker for the unit and a rapid charger.

If you are interested drop me a email at:

DAllman@worldnet.att.net

7169. NEED: for TH-79A Ext. power plug size

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dss@cnwl.igs.net
Message-ID: <5p5lqr$pj1$1@news.igs.net>
Source record: 171806

Hi, Pls e-mail the size in diam & length of the plug which goes into
the exterior power source socket on the Kenwood TH-79A. Many tks es
73 Stan VA3DS

7170. FS: Yaesu FT-650

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark C <mchaous@nwlink.com>
Message-ID: <33B659A1.523C@nwlink.com>
Source record: 171807

I have a mint (like new) Yaesu FT-650 all mode transceiver for sale.
This radio covers from 24.5 MHz through 56 MHz with 100 watts out. This
radio has many features, 1.8, 2, 2.2, 2.4 ssb filters, preamp, TCXO
master oscillator, internal removable AC power so you can run 13 vdc.
comes with the original box, hand mic and manual.

I will take $900.00 + shipping

Mark, KB7OID Washington State 206- 581-9907 mchaous@nwlink.com

7171. WANT: Mods for TH-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dss@cnwl.igs.net
Message-ID: <5p5lsl$pj1$3@news.igs.net>
Source record: 171808

Hi, If you know of any successful mods for the Kenwood TH-79A would
please send me details? Thanks es 73 Stan VA3DS

7172. WANT: Mods for TH-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dss@cnwl.igs.net
Message-ID: <5p5ltc$pj1$4@news.igs.net>
Source record: 171809

Hi, If you know of any successful mods for the Kenwood TH-79A would
please send me details? Thanks es 73 Stan VA3DS

7173. Kenwood 450at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donato Alonzi <dalonzi@gis.net>
Message-ID: <33B664A9.1E@gis.net>
Source record: 171810

Does a kenwood 450at tramsmit on CB frequencies out of the box or does
it need to be modified?
Don.

7174. FAQ: Plectron and Motorola Alert Monitor Receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <5p5qln$jib@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 171811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.info

Last changed: May 15, 1997

Add a Plectron or Motorola Alert
Desktop Monitor Receiver
to Your Scanner Collection

by Bob Parnass, AJ9S

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In the 1960s and 1970s, thousands of firemen and ambulance squad members came to rely on their crystal controlled, transistor Plectron and Motorola desktop monitor receivers. They have now been replaced by battery operated portable pagers, and the desktop models are often available at hamfests in the $5 - $25 range. Since many are in rough condition and need repair, a hamfest special is better suited for hobbyists who like to fix their own radios.

Plectron and Motorola crystal controlled receivers are excellent for dedicated monitoring of local frequencies -- a task for which you wouldn't want to tie up your 400 channel programmable scanner. They are desktop models which can be powered from 117VAC or 12VDC with the proper mobile cord. The audio quality of a Plectron P1, Plectron 700 series, and Motorola Alert Monitor is far better than any consumer grade scanner and the sensitivity, image rejection, and intermod immunity is outstanding when aligned properly.

The Plectron and Motorola Alert monitors are single band receivers: VHF-low, VHF-high, or UHF. No single Plectron or Motorola Alert monitor can cover the entire 30-50 MHz band, so there were versions optimized for each portion of the VHF-low band. There were different versions to cover low and high "splits" in the VHF-high band, too. For example, low band R8000s come in 30 - 35, 35 - 39, 39 - 49, and 49 - 54 MHz versions. There are two VHF high band versions of the R8000: 148 - 158 and 158 - 175 MHz.

VHF-low band Motorola Alert monitors come in two splits: 30 - 42 and 42 - 54 MHz.

Although UHF versions of the 700 series were made, they are somewhat rare and coverage is limited to 470 MHz and below.

Plectron made several models with dozens of different options. Both the original P1 and later 700 series are suitable for restoration, although I prefer the newer 700 models. The 8000 series were even newer and very desireable, but they are difficult to find at hamfests. The Plectron 500 "economy" series is less desirable.

The P1 series have black cabinets with a blue-green and silver color scheme used on the front panel. They were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch), Patrol (carrier squelch only), and Sentry (tone only) models. The Sentry models lack a carrier squelch and therefore are of little use to hobbyists except for scavenging parts. Model number and frequency information appears on a gummed label on the rear panel:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol Sentry

_____
25-54 R19 R15 R17
148-174 R20 R16 R18
450-470 R23 R21 R22

Table 1. Plectron P1 models

The R700 series have black cabinets with brown front panels and are slightly smaller than the P1 receivers. R700s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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25-54 R719 R715
148-174 R720 R716
450-470 R723 R721

Table 2. Plectron 700 models

The R8000 series are much smaller than the P1 and R700 and are housed in metal cabinets of various colors. The R8000s use the same MC3357 IF/detector/squelch IC used in crystal scanners, but their crystals are not interchangeable with ordinary scanners. R8000s were made in the Chief (tone decoder & carrier squelch) and Patrol (carrier squelch only) models:

Band (MHz) Chief Patrol

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30-54 R8190 R8150
148-174 R8200 R8160

Table 3. Plectron 8000 models

The Plectron FM Receiver/Recorder is a collector's item. It is essentially a 700 series Chief receiver with a built in cassette tape recorder. The recorder is carrier activated and can tape transmissions while the receiver is unattended. A connector on the rear panel allows for all kinds of remote control possibilities.

I use two Plectron P1s and four R700s in my living room, seven R700s down the basement, and several Plectrons and Alert Monitors stored in reserve. The basement Plectrons are turned on automatically when someone walks downstairs. Power to them is controlled by a modified Radio Shack Safe House infrared motion detector, originally sold as an intrusion alarm.

When a rescue squad member from Missouri advertised a number of Plectrons on USENET, I bought them -- all 20+ of them. I cleaned, fixed, and restored each one. After recrystalling them on local frequencies, I distributed them to members of my scanner club who were glad to get them.

Both brands of receiver require special crystals. I sometimes use Radio Shack's generic 3rd overtone scanner crystals in the Plectrons but they oscillate on frequencies far away from their marked frequencies. That's because the Plectron oscillator is designed to be used with a crystal which oscillates on its fundamental, not overtone, frequency.

AC power cords for both types of receivers use unique connectors and are scarce. You can buy them new but it's much cheaper to drill a hole on the rear panel and attach a permanent a power cord. Make sure you use a grommet in the hole to prevent the metal chassis from chafing the line cord.

Many Plectrons and Alert Monitors were equipped with an internal NiCd battery pack, intended to power the receiver if the AC power fails. It's unusual to find a used monitor receiver with the NiCd pack still capable of holding a charge. More often, the batteries have died and the series charging resistor has overheated and burned. Be sure to remove the dead batteries as they often leak.

If you find the squelch on your Plectron 700 series receiver has too much hysteresis, replace R96, a 180K resistor, with a 560K resistor. On the P1, the resistor is designated R81.

I have not used the Plectron tone alerting features so I cannot address that except to say that the special coils and capacitors for the dual tone decoders vary depending on the tone frequencies and are somewhat difficult to obtain.

Repair service for the Plectron P1 and R700 models is offered by:

Woodson Electronics
Plectron Place
P.O. Box 960
Imboden, Arkansas 72434

telephone 1-(501)869-7985

Some replacement parts are currently available from Federal Signal in University Park, IL, phone (800)524-3021. You can also get Plectron repairs and parts from:

Northeast Communications
4 Oak Ridge Rd
Newfoundland NJ 07435
201-697-8804

Alert Monitor parts are available from Motorola. Phone (800)972-3226.

Plectrom SM-series Scanning Receivers

Plectron also sold an SM series of scanners, manufactured in Japan by the same folks who made Craig (division of Pioneer) scanners. The SM series are consumer-grade models and are included in this article for the sake of completeness. They are crystal controlled radios and feature priority scan and a separate trimmer capacitor for each channel to net the crystals on frequency.

Band Frequency Limits

VHF-low 30 - 50
VHF-high 150 - 174
UHF 450 - 470 MHz

Table 4. Plectron SM Model Band Limits

Model	UHF	VHF-high	VHF-low
SM-301	X	X	X
SM-302	X	X	
SM-303	X	X	
SM-304	X	X	

Table 5. Plectron SM Models

The crystals used in the SM series are quite different from the crystals used in the conventional single channel Plectron monitors. Here are the crystal formulas:

VHF low band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = receive freq + 10.7 MHz

VHF high band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz)/3

UHF band:
crystal 3rd overtone freq = (receive freq - 10.7 MHz) /
10

Other crystal specifications for the SM series are:

CR 25/U holder
3rd overtone
20 pF load capacitance
parallel resonant
max series resistance 40 ohm
max drive 2 mW

I currently have no Plectrons or Motorola Alert Monitors
for sale. I'm hoarding them. :-)

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7175. WTB: Multi-mode TNC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwhart@gate.net
Message-ID: <33b67083.9789827@news.gate.net>
Source record: 171812

I have a friend who has no internet access and he is looking for a
Multi-mode TNC. If you have such an animal please respond with the
make, model, condition and asking price.

Thanks,
Chet - WD4GDB

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| Chester (Chet) W. Hart cwhart@gate.net |
| http://www.gate.net/~cwhart |
| |
| Most women have a good sense of humor. The proof is that many |
| of them like men and they don't laugh when we drop our pants! |
| |
| There is nothing wrong with your computer. I allways typi abd |
| speel this badely. |
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7176. !!! SAMPLE A REAL PSYCHIC / TRY IT FREE !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: susan11@ultinet.net
Message-ID: <33b673b9.0@nntp1.nac.net>
Source record: 171813

How do you know if you've found a real psychic?
Now you can see for yourself. Listen to our psychics
first, then decide if they know your future and fate.
Try it free on 1-800-677-8061. Adults over 18 only.

Dial now 1-800-677-8061

7177. Re: FS: Kenwood R-5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Clark <formerpm@gov.com>
Message-ID: <33B670CE.2DB@gov.com>
Source record: 171814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

curator wrote:
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> Price sucks. Try about $550.

What is this? Have you been appointed as the official price monitor?

7178. FS: HTX-202 VHF FM RADIO $79.00 +S/H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: CHARLES EWELL <radios@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <5p5ubf$r47@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171815

JUST TRADED FOR A 2MTR. RIG (202) BUT IT HAS LOST
IT'S AUDIO .MAYBE IN THE WAY THE GUY HAD IT SET UP
NOT SURE. BUT LOOKS "NEW" SEEMS TO TX. OBO

thanks Chuck Ewell
813-933-1023 or e-mail

7179. WTB: YF-115C Collins CW filter for FT-1000MP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@sedona.net>
Message-ID: <01bc84a2$feec5200$7450b6c6@nu6x.sedona.net>
Source record: 171816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I want to buy the YF-115C Collins 500 hz CW filter for the FT1000MP.
Please e-mail me at nu6x@sedona.net or call 520-284-6848.

Thanks... Mark NU6X

7180. Re: Kenwood 450at

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jake@media.com
Message-ID: <33b68fda.1243217@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171817

On Sun, 29 Jun 1997 09:35:37 -0400, Donato Alonzi <dalonzi@gis.net>
wrote:

>Does a kenwood 450at tramsmit on CB frequencies out of the box or does
>it need to be modified?
>Don.

Why don't you just go to radio shack and get a CB?

7181. Help IC-Z1A or TM-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgsholar@gte.net
Message-ID: <5p65gb$s6b$1@news10.gte.net>
Source record: 171818

I am currently looking for information on the differences between the Icom IC-Z1A and the Kenwood TM-79A. I know they don't make Z1A's anymore but one can still be obtained from people wishing to sell. I am interested in buying one of the two and the Z1A's are much cheaper. I would appreciate any information ivolving this topic.

Joel Sholar
KE4ZXQ

7182. Antenna Sys. F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: RGYOUNG <RGYOUNG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B69B89.663E@prodigy.net>
Source record: 171819
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Antenna System For Sale

Moving to restricted subdivision on Fla. sea shore in late July/early August. The system will come down during the next three weeks.

Antenna system consists of:

1. 80' motorized aluminum crank up tower by Heights Towers. Legs are 1 3/4" thick wall hardened aluminum pipe, and cross bracing is 5/8" soid aluminun. This is an extreme duty TWO section triangular tower, which easilly withstood huricane Andrew. Bottom section is 36" per side at the base, and 30" at the top (48'high). The top section is 24" per side and is 32' high. This is a stand alone tower (no guys) and is motorized with an electric winch and stainles steel cable. All hardware is stainless steel. Total weight is approx. 650 lbs. Original cost was $6,100.00 in '92. It remains in perfect condition. The base which is buried in 8 cu/yds of reinforced concrete (and obviously stays) is simply three 7' X 1 3/4" stainless steel pipes the tops of which protrude 9" out of the concrete. The 3 legs of the tower bolt (2 bolts each) to 1/2" thick stainless steel plates which are welded to opposite sides of the tops of the pipes. This would be very easy to fabricate (as opposed to spending $400 from the factory as I did.) Price now:...$3,000.00

2. KLM KTX34A tri-band beam (5 el on 20m, 5 el on 15m, and 6 el on 10m) 3 years old (had a mosely pro67b up
for year and a half, but didnt like the performance.) This is a big antenna, but it's a pileup killer. New...$740.00 Price now:...$500.00

3. Cushcraft 40-2CD 2 element 40 meter beam...2 1/2 years old. Have 226 contries confirmed on 40 since I put it up. New...$450.00
Price now:...$300.00

4. Yaesu G-1000SDX variable speed rotor with 12' of heavy wall aluminum mast. New...$520.00
Price now:...$300.00

5. Cushcraft 13 element 2 meter beam on side mounted seperate rotor (Radio Shack) at top of tower...2 years old. New...$160.00 Price now:...$100.00

6. Associated mil spec RG213 coax for both hf antennas included with it's corresponding antenna.

Since putting this antenna system up in various stages, it took me 2 years to work 5 band DXCC (Plaque dated March 27, 1995,) with 308 total confirmed, with 226 on 40 meters.

Selling price for complete system is $4,000 U.S. Dollars and I'll take it down. You pick it up.

73, Bob Young, W8LAQ
Baton Rouge, La.

504 922 9989
email rgyoung@prodigy.net or cmiscales@aol.com

7183. F.S. Antenna System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: RGYOUNG <RGYOUNG@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <33B6A290.1A61@prodigy.net>
Source record: 171820
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Antenna System For Sale

Moving to restricted subdivision on Fla. sea shore in late July/early August. The system will come down during the next three weeks. When I put it up, I thought it was "forever" and spared little expense.

Antenna system consists of:

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73, Bob Young, W8LAQ
Baton Rouge, La.

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email rgyoung@prodigy.net or cmiscales@aol.com

7184. Re: FS: Kenwood R-5000 "he is the price monitor"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: franknstein@lollie.com
Message-ID: <franknstein.365.007EF362@lollie.com>
Source record: 171821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <33B670CE.2DB@gov.com> Joe Clark <formerpm@gov.com> writes:
>From: Joe Clark <formerpm@gov.com>
>Subject: Re: FS: Kenwood R-5000
>Date: Sun, 29 Jun 1997 07:27:26 -0700

>curator wrote:
>>

>> Price sucks. Try about $550.

>What is this? Have you been appointed as the official price monitor?

Yes he is the price monitor
whats it to you.

frank

7185. FT5200 Deviation Adjustment?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis Wheeler <cwheeler@ccnet.com>
Message-ID: <33B6AAD2.3671@ccnet.com>
Source record: 171822

Can someone tell me where how to tweek up the deviation on an FT-5200.
Mine has become kinda quiet - yelling into it will give about 3 to 3.5
KHz of deviation.

Thanks

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Curtis

7186. FS: Astron RS-35M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970629184300.OAA18223@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171823

I have for sale an Astron 35M power supply. This is the one with the built in meters in excellent condition. I will take $120 and you pay shipping. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993

WZ1U Steve
Lakeville, Ma.

7187. Re: Oak Hills QRP rig ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan Walker <SciCon@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B6B1A2.74D8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171824

Michael Melland wrote:
>
> Does anyone have any experience with Oak Hills model OHR 100, QRP CW
> transceiver ? Thinking of building one for camping.
>
> 73 Mike Melland
> kb9qhu

I have one of these, but somebody else built it. Great rig!
Used it all through field day on a 17ah battery.

You must have an scope to align it, but the factory will do it
for abt $45

7188. FS : LARSEN KG 2/70 UD-PL on glass antenna $30.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dconti@carroll.com
Message-ID: <ECJwHy.A3F@nonexistent.com>
Source record: 171825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

LARSEN KG 2/70 UD-PL 2M/440 on glass mobile antenna with mounting kit.

$30.00 shipped to 48 states, COD $5.00 extra

E-Mail if interested...no trades
dconti@carroll.com
America OnLine OffDan43@aol.com Amateur Radio - N2TYB
Ridgefield, New Jersey
fax (201) 943-2379

7189. FS:Clegg 22'er - $100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <33B6892E.555F@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 171826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS:Classic Clegg 22'er, 2 Meter AM Rig. Including spare tubes and Ameco VFO. Rig in "Excellent" condition works great, of course manual...e-mail tom. 73 "AM 2Meters, It's comming back....!!"

7190. Re: Pin-outs for Icom 735?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33b6a61e.144572659@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171827

On 28 Jun 1997 19:59:01 -0700, markem@primenet.com (M. Monninger) wrote:

>Would some kind Icom 735 owner please send me the pin-outs for the mike
>connector and for the transverter connector? I borrowed a 735 from our club
>but the manual is nowhere to be found and I need to know those pin-outs.
>
>Thanks & 73... Mark AA7TA

Mic connector pinout
1 AF in
2 +8 VDC out
3 Freq up/down
4 NC
5 PTT
6 Gnd
7 AF Gnd
8 AF out

Connect the microphone element between 1 and 7, nominal 20-100 mV across 600 ohms
is the desired signal level. Connect pin 5 to pin 6 to transmit.

The transverter jack is a RCA connector. Output is a nominal 30 mV across 50 ohms.
To put the radio into transverter mode, apply 8 VDC to pin 6 of the ACC-2 connector.
This forces it to transceive out the transverter connector.

Note that the transverter output is quite low, -17.5 dbm, and won't drive several of the
common transverters which require +1 dbm to +10 dbm. And several of the popular
transverters split IF in and out to separate connectors. The better way to use this radio
with a transverter like that is to open it up and unplug the cable between exciter and PA
at the exciter, unplug the cable from the transverter port to the exciter, and plug it into
the
exciter PA port from which you just removed the other cable. This will supply sufficient
drive
to the transverter (actually a bit more than you need, turn down the RF power control
behind the little plastic door to the appropriate value, about halfway for a MMT432S).
Connect transverter IF out to the Rx antenna in connector on the radio. Don't apply
voltage to ACC-2 pin 6. That isn't needed in this configuration.

If the transverter has a single IF in/out port, then you may have to do a bit more
work. There's a mod you can do which will boost transverter output in the transverter
transceive configuration (should have been that way from the factory), but if you don't
have a service manual I'm hesitant to give it to you. It is hard to explain where the parts
are without the board layouts. An alternative is to put a MAR-4 in the transverter, between
the TR circuit and the transmit chain, to boost the level up to what it expects. This is
easy
to do to a SSB Electronics transverter.

I don't know what Icom was thinking when they only provided -17.5 dbm at the transverter output. I don't know of *any* amateur transverters designed to use that drive level. They all want +1 dbm or more. Perhaps Icom had the intention of offering one at the time they designed this radio but never followed through.

Note that there is a third way to use this radio with a transverter. Hook the radio up normally to a dummy load via a 30 db coupler. The tap of the coupler can then drive the transverter. Use a TR relay to switch directly to the transverter for receive, or use the separate Rx port on the radio if the transverter has a split IF. This kind of hookup will work with any 100 watt HF transceiver. It's wasteful to blow off that much HF power, though.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

7191. FS: Icom Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mort Denison <mdenison@blazenet.net>
Message-ID: <33B6B526.1B305A0F@blazenet.net>
Source record: 171828

I've got the following Icom accessories for sale.

UX-14 CI-IV/CI-V Serial Interface Communication Converter. $75.00
shipped.

CT-17 Computer RS-232 Interface Unit for above. $90.00 shipped.

CR-64 High Stability Crystal Unit. $75.00 shipped.

Mort Denison
York, PA
Home: 717-755-6953
Work: 717-741-7839

7192. FS: Yaseu 227R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Goode@centuryinter.net
Message-ID: <N.062997.142324.57@anxp50.mh.centuryinter.net>
Source record: 171829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale a Yaseu 227R. I am asking 75.00 plus half of shipping about 5.00. I purchased the radiol in hopes of getting on packet but have not be able to do it. It is good to good+ shape. Works well. Took it mobile to NC on vaction. Was able to make many repeaters while enroute. I live in Mtn. Home,Ar so that is where it is coming from. Price is firm. I am only wanting to make back my investment no profit.
73's
James KC5HOS

7193. FS: Kenwood PS-50 power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wz1u@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970629184100.OAA21618@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171830

I have for sale a Kenwood PS-50 heavy duty power supply in excellent condition. I have the original inner and outer boxes. I will take $150 and you pay for shipping. I can be reached at (508)-821-2993

WZ1U Steve
Lakeville, Ma.

7194. Re: FS: Kenwood R-5000 "he is the price monitor"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Clark <formerpm@gov.com>
Message-ID: <33B6B6D4.6353@gov.com>
Source record: 171831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Frank nelson Stein wrote:

>
> Yes he is the price monitor
> whats it to you.
>
> frank

You sir are the moron. See my post regarding your post calling someone a "morron" (sic).

Why don't you go back to school and finish your education. I am sure you can find one that accepts third grade dropouts.

BTW, it is "what's" not "whats", as in "what's it to you". You really need some assistance.

7195. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy York <Yorkie@energy.dungeon.com>
Message-ID: <01bc84c5$c83261a0$4b9782c1@energy.dungeon.com>
Source record: 171832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

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jabez <jabez@usa.net> wrote in article <5p45b0$ipc@winter.erols.com>...
> Does anyone out there have the plans and schematics for a *very* simple
> fm transmitter that is reliable also?
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>
Very Funny......
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7196. Re: A question: Charging a car battery with solar power.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <33b58f3a.73166525@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 171833

On Thu, 26 Jun 1997 22:16:06 -0700, "B. Diaz" <cqbdiaz@pacbell.net> wrote:
>I've set-up my 2m/70cm radio in my car on a seperate car battery.
>That way, if I forget and leave the radio on, I can still start my car.
>However this means that I'll need to charge the battery every now and
>then.
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>I was concidering using solar panels to do the job, but I'm not sure
>how much charging current would dammage the battery if the battery
>was fully charged.
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>If I feed 340mA of current to a fully charged battery, is that OK?
>
>Does anyone know what the maximum level for a trickel charge should
>be?

Typically, a 0.01 C charge rate can be sustained indefinitely. For a 50 A-hr battery, that would be a charge current of 0.5 A. When the battery is partially discharged, higher charge currents can be tolerated of course.

You could fit a dual battery kit to the car as an alternative and allow it to be charged by the vehicle alternator. These kits are available at most RV supply stores and consist of a heavy diode pair and some wiring. The diodes isolate the two batteries from each other so that loads applied to one don't draw down the other. They still charge in parallel from the alternator. The wiring, different for different makes of vehicles, allows the alternator's regulator to properly sense charge levels so that it won't boil one battery when the other is nearly dead.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You Make It | Email:
Destructive Testing Systems | We Break It | ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | Guaranteed | or
Lawrenceville, GA 30244 | | ke4zv@radio.org

7197. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B6C014.7B89@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

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whats funny about this request?
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7198. Want Allied A-2516

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond Hansmeier <rhansme@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <33B88B6C.44DFC788@pacifier.com>
Source record: 171635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Want Allied A-2516 Ham Communications Rx. Early 1970's reciever. Trying to re-build early novice station...Dig in your attics, I know of at least one thats is still around!
Thanks Gang...Ray...N7NL

7199. FS: 486 DX4 100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <n6jfo@anv.net>
Message-ID: <33B7CB79.2059@anv.net>
Source record: 171636

FOR SALE:

486 DX4 100 mini tower
8megs RAM
monitor
microphone
sound card
4X cdrom
powered multi media speakers

$500.00 obo

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Noel R. Lozada N6JFO * AAR9BA/T Army MARS
Magellan ARRN Southern Nevada KC7UAR
http://www.lafn.org/community/magellan/
http://www.wco.com/~k6bg/magellan/regions/kc7uar/
email: n6jfo@anv.net * n6jfo@juno.com * n6jfo@bigfoot.com
n6jfo@qsl.net * AAR9BA@rocketmail.com * NRL@hehe.com

7200. YEASU FT-8000 QUESTION - AM/FM Receive Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Karl B. Staddon" <ve6kbs@agt.net>
Message-ID: <33B82F51.19D8@agt.net>
Source record: 171637

I'd really appreciate it if someone could advise on how to switch between AM and FM on Rx. I've looked in the manual but cannot find the description.

Tnx in advance, de VE6KBS, Karl

7201. Re: HELP: IC-551 DC pinout!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonz@shell.rmii.com
Message-ID: <5p95u6$7l3$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 171638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Scott Townley (nx7u@primenet.com) wrote:
: I would like to take my IC-551 on a mobile trip over the 4th of July.
: But to do so I need to run my IC-551 on DC; all the manual refers to is the
: "supplied DC plug", which of course I don't have!
: Neither the Op Manual or the Service manual specifically state which pin is
: +DC and which is -DC. It's a 4-pin inline with a pointy end
: -----------\
: | O O O O > <--- this is the pointy end.
: -----------/
^ ^
| |_______ +12VDC
|_____________ ground ---- looking at the plug FROM THE CABLE SIDE

I type this as I look at the power cable I just brought back from Field
Day -- where me & my IC-551 had a 'marginal' day on Saturday and a Stinko
day on Sunday.... :-)

You're right about the manual being no help. It took some time to
decipher the schematics and work this out.

Enjoy your trip!

73
Jonesy W3DHJ

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SK

7202. Extended Transmit Ic-W32a mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: stever@raven.cybercom.com
Message-ID: <5p820k$um8@crow.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 171639

Hi,
After finding out my Artsci book 9a is in error and will not help
me with extended transmit, could someone please send me
the proper mod? The Artsci book at one point tells you to
remove a dual diode and then tells you to add the same diode
in the same location..also an exact description of where d23
is will be appreciated..The Artsci book even has that in
question..

Thanks 73,
Steve, WA2NHZ
stever@cybercomm.net

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My original post:
>Can anyone tell me if the mod for extended xmit using the ma132wk dual
>diode is correct in the Artsci mod book? It doesn't look correct as far as
>removing or adding at their specified location..I am a member of the US
>Coast Guard Aux and MARS..

>Thanks 73,
>Steve, WA2NHZ

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Steve Rashkin, WA2NHZ
Howell, New Jersey 07731

E-mail: stever@cybercomm.net

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Stephan Rashkin, WA2NHZ
E-mail: stever@cybercomm.net
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7203. Re: Extended Transmit Ic-W32a mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: stever@raven.cybercom.com
Message-ID: <5p8sgp$5nd@crow.cybercomm.net>
Source record: 171640

Well glad I waited..I finally received approval from Icom (they
received my MARS license and USCG Aux permits)..the official
Icom mod works and there ARE errors on the Artsci mod..
The wait was worth it!!

73,
Steve, WA2NHZ
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>E-mail: stever@cybercomm.net
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Stephan Rashkin, WA2NHZ
E-mail: stever@cybercomm.net
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7204. Re: A question: Charging a car battery with solar power.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bb840@scn.org
Message-ID: <ECLqns.3uz@scn.org>
Source record: 171641

In a previous article, cqbdiaz@pacbell.net ("B. Diaz") says:

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>I've set-up my 2m/70cm radio in my car on a seperate car battery.
>That way, if I forget and leave the radio on, I can still start my car.
>However this means that I'll need to charge the battery every now and
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>how much charging current would dammage the battery if the battery
>was fully charged.
>
>If I feed 340mA of current to a fully charged battery, is that OK?
>
>Does anyone know what the maximum level for a trickel charge should
>be?
>
I don't know what it's called, but RV dealers sell a device for keeping a
second battery charged (such as the 12 V RV batter to power the lights in
a travel trailer). It will probably meet your needs. It isolates the
twe batteries from each other.
--
Jim Aeschliman bb840@scn.org
Black Diamond, Washington KD7MK

7205. Chair-Pak !! a backpack with a built in Chair !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: chairpak@chairpak.com
Message-ID: <33b77bdf.0@news.net999.com>
Source record: 171642

Welcome,

Chair-Pak is a great idea!!!

It's a Backpack AND a built-in Chair!!!

See it at http://www.chairpak.com

3 Sizes Full Pak, Day Pak, and a Child Pak!

How many times have you gone somewhere and needed a chair ?
beach waiting in line with friends
hiking around the campfire conventions
air shows at the park in line at the DMV
outdoor concerts hiking trails car shows
camping on campus reading at the poo l /beach
fishing trekking rest areas
poetry readings jams outdoor games
outdoor sport events story telling to children picnics
theme parks national parks hunting
backyard outdoor weddings and anywhere you want to SIT!!!

Carry your stuff and your chair where ever you go!!!

Where do you want to sit today?

Chair-Pak is made of the strong durable Dupont Cordura and the frame is of strong and light T6 aluminum.

If you would like to order, or get more information about Chair-Pak, please visit our web site

http://www.chairpak.com

7206. Re: Radio Shack HTX-212/242 Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kirwin the Insane <kb0yev@midusa.net>
Message-ID: <33B7F191.64A7@midusa.removethis.net>
Source record: 171643

> Has anyone out there had any problems with their RS htx-212/242
> mobile radios. We had a few with the PIN switching circuit burning
> a hole through the circuit board. Also the final breaks into
> oscillation on the HTX-212 in high power (45 watts). We also have found
> the HTX-242 radios are having a problem with the CTCSS and DTMF not
> having the right frequency and or low deviation.

I stated out with a 212, never had any problems with it.

> If you have seen these
> problems with these two radios please e-mail me with the details of your
> problems and what Tandy did to resolve the problem. A few of us have
> been burned by Tandy with these products. I myself went through six (6)
> radios starting with the HTX-212.

I worked at the local Radio Shack for a while, you should never have had to send the radio back six times.
It is Radio Shacks policy that if a customer has to return it a forth time, the store will replace it.

> I now have the HTX-242 and I still
> have problems with the radio, the deviation is too low on the DTMF

If you had all of these problems with Radio Shack/Tandy and the htx-212, why did you buy a htx-242?

Later

Michael Clark
KB0YEV

7207. All Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barb Stanley <BarbS223@aol.com>
Message-ID: <33B84A3C.53AC@aol.com>
Source record: 171644

Barb Stanley wrote:
All the Zenith Radios are now sold. Thanks to all for your interest.

7208. Re: 2M antenna ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michel Morin <morinm@csgoeland.qc.ca>
Message-ID: <01bc8545$1c9cb180$540d23cf@michel.csgoeland.qc.ca>
Source record: 171685

Hi there
The best way to improve wideband reception would be to use a discone antenna from Radio Shack. These are very wideband.If you find rg8 coax too big, try rg8 foam wich is smaller. I tried my ft-50 with an outdoor antenna and it sure makes a lot of difference. Watch out for intermod, ht's are very susceptible to that.
73 de VE2CJW.

David Wallace <djmd@one.net> a crit dans l'article
<33bbfaea.527797132@news.one.net>...
> I just bought a Yaesu FT-50 and would like to buy an antenna to
> improve reception, more than transmission. I live 20 miles away from a
> major airport, and if I open the squelch I can hear the control
> tower... I wonder if I could turn up the squelch with a roof-mount
> antenna, such as a ringo ranger or something??
>
> The coax run wouldn't be too long, and I am assuming I would need to
> reduce the diameter for the last few feet so that I don't hurt the
> radio's SMA connector.
>
> Any thoughts/ideas will be appreciated... KB8IFZ
>

7209. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1bqt@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970630125601.IAA09199@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171686

Hi--

Contact Motorola for info on the MC2833--application notes and sample pc board available.

Rick K1BQT

7210. I BUY A TRANSVERTER FOR 144MHZ.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ANDRE ANTUNES <aantunes@individual.eunet.pt>
Message-ID: <01bc6cf6$91b45340$62057ec1@cha-o>
Source record: 171687
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

Hi, guys.
My call is CT2GEU, and my name is Andre.
I have an FT-707, with the tuner FC-707, and the external VFO FV-707DM.
I would also like to buy the transverter for 144 Mhz.
I know that there are 2 transverters. One that makes the 144Mhz (FTV-707),
and another one that makes 50, 144 and 432 Mhz (FTV-107R).
If anyone as a piece like these for sale, just let me know, in order to
arrange prices and shipment.
Thank you very much everybody.
73's. Buy.

ANDRE.ANTUNES@INDIVIDUAL.EUNET.PT

Andre Antunes

7211. Kenwood TS-820+VFO+Desk Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlogin@gville.mindspring.com
Message-ID: <5p8d43$3ub@camel4.mindspring.com>
Source record: 171688

Oringinal owner, non-smoker, original boxes, very excellent with minor problems(speech processor & SW band out but never used them)
Full output on all bands--works very well. $400(will not separate)--you pay shipping from 29681
Bob AA8A

7212. Re: Radio Shack HTX-242

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan <ks4hr@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <01bc855a$8168a140$663b8bce@bryan>
Source record: 171689

When will people learn..

"If you want wideband RX/TX, do not BUY RS radios"

BTW, I heard the same thing about the 204 being recalled or was it the 242?

Bryan ks4hr@injersey.com

David Kaye <n2sjh@eclipse.net> wrote in article
<33B6D517.596F2721@eclipse.net>...
> htx242 wrote:
> >
> > This is the new 2m mobile radio. I need a mod for tx
> > looks like a kenwood tm-241 but it isn't ..
> > it may be made by Midland
> >
> > Asap...
> > thanks..
>
> I am pretty sure that the HTX-242 is made by ADI. All the buttons and
> features are the same as the ADI 2meter mobile. BTW, ADI made the now
> recalled HTX-204. Just my 2 cents. 73
> --
> Dave(n2sjh@eclipse.net)
>
> "Imagine all the people living life in peace"
> -John Lennon
>

7213. TM-V7A/E Display Chanel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: pas@post1.tele.dk
Message-ID: <867676116.28945@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171690

Display Channel in stead of display frq. don't work ??? I have now found out haw to Display Channel. I don't know if this only works for TM-V7E, but after I have reset Call Chanel with [power on] + [Call] and then [Call] to reset Call Channel then I can use [Power on] + [Low/High] to set Display Channel.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7214. TM-V7A/E Alignment Procedure

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: pas@post1.tele.dk
Message-ID: <867675651.28597@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171691

Does any one know haw to do an alignment procedure for TM-V7.
I just want to move the sensitivity from 145.000 to 135 or 155 MHz.

----------==== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7215. Re: New Yaesu mini-HT - VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfECLE6K.86@netcom.com>
Source record: 171692

In article <33b5e809.127268135@news.btinternet.com> john.innes@btinternet.com (John Innes) writes:
>bobw@col.hp.com (Bob Witte) wrote:
>
>they were being demonstrated at Dayton, they looked very nice although
>I would have liked a more common battery (ie a AA!)
>The rep had no prices then, and the launch wasn't until after the
>show.

The manual (I just bought one) claims there is an alternate battery type holder that uses a *SINGLE* AA cell (Alkaline), with an integral voltage doubler in the battery carrier. It's got very limited capacity (reduced power & life) and can't be recharged in-place.

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

7216. Re: FT-2400 Display Freaks Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Chisholm <chisholm@spec.com>
Message-ID: <01bc8560$a2fbd920$c0956bc0@sleepy.spec.com>
Source record: 171693

Tom,
I believe that the 2400 uses a capacitor to maintain its memories when the power is off. I do not know how long the cap with keeps the memory "sane" but I do know that after some time the radio when powered up will display this condition because the cap was out of juice and was unable to keep the memory charged. If this occurs after your wife has not driven the car for a while this is probably the cause. If you wife drive the car daily it could be that the cap is bad and is not keeping the memory as long as the factory designed it to. I again do not know what the time is that the memory should be maintained. I keep my on hot power all the time and of course don't have this problem. I am not sure if by "freaking out" this is what you mean but I have seen this condition I described happen if I keep the radio unplugged.
If it is a spike then maybe a filter like a cap across the DC power would help. Of course if you have a scope you could look at the power and trigger on a spike. That would help you select a cap of the correct size. Good luck I would try a 50V 68uf cap first if I guessing.
Robert

Tom <trinit69@idt.net.nospam> wrote in article
<trinit69-2206971147070001@ip17.lafayette.la.pub-ip.psi.net>...
> The wife's FT-2400 radio has a display freak out problem once every few months
> making a complete reset necessary.
>
> It only does it when the rig is hooked up to the accessory circuit of her
> Mazda, that is, the rig momentarily goes off when the car is started, and

> then back on when the car starts (just like the AM/FM car radio). Sometimes the
> thing comes back on with all the display elements lit (freaked out).
>
> It never does it when hooked to a hot battery circuit, even when starting.
>
> The reason I have it on accessory is that the wife always forgets to
> turn the blasted thing on, and thus it is useless on a battery circuit,
> whereas on accessory, I can call her and she says "gee, I didn't know that
> thingy was turned on!"
>
> Anyway, I think some weird transient is getting it on accessory and not on
> battery.
>

> How can I combat these transients?
>
> 73 Tom N5OFF/AFA4AZ
>
> --
> Remove the ".nospam" from address for replies.
>
> Thanks
>
> Tom N5OFF
>

7217. FT-726R Modules required

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE2TSM <mariot@axess.com>
Message-ID: <5p8ga4$52h$1@news.iq.ca>
Source record: 171694

Hi,

Looking for 440, 6 Meter modules plus install docs ... please send info to me, "mariot@axess.com"

73's VE2TSM

7218. "HOT" Chassis to Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Message-ID: <33B7C325.1D1E@apollo.wes.army.mil>
Source record: 171695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec,.radio.amateur.homebrew

I was re-arranging the shack this weekend, and noticed, when reconnecting the ground, that I had a little ac voltage between the chassis and ground strapping. The ground for the shack is seperate from the house wiring ground. This is an older home with a two wire only wiring plan. The house ground is from the breaker box to earth covered copper bar. The rig ground is about 30 ft. from the house ground, and meter shows 18 vac. This has brobably been there for years and I never noticed it.

Anyone have any suggestions as to cause/cure or just forget and keep on operating as usual?

Thanks,

Butch KF5DE

7219. Kenwood Vfo 230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: guyq@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <5p8h3b$p97@mtinsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171696

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Sell Kenwood Vfo 230 cable and book excellent shape 175.00
tnx Guy Wa1tqq
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7220. Yaesu FT-920 and DX Desktop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Gray <sgray@richmond.edu>
Message-ID: <01bc8561$a1837480$2b6aa68d@gray.urich.edu>
Source record: 171697

was wondering if anyone has DX Desktop _and_ a yaesu FT-920 and, if so, does the DX Desktop radio control feature work with this radio? The folks at DX Desktop said they haven't tested it yet. any info appreciated...

73/KU4EE

Sam Gray
sgray@richmond.edu
http://www.richmond.edu/~gray

7221. FS: Yaesu dualband mobile & 2m handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveb@quando.COM
Message-ID: <v03007809afdd8d7896a4@[143.227.36.165]>
Source record: 171698

Yaesu FT-411 2m portable.
intact alkaline AA batt pack (but dead nicad batt pack)
w/ accessories: trickle charger, 2 sprk/mics: standard spkr/
mic plus a second spkr/mic: "spy"style mic-in-earbud, soft case,
manual, orig box. Well-used but works great.
Price: $125 or Best Offer

Yaesu FT-5200 mobile. vhf/uhf dual band.
MISSING the control head & Mic from theft out of my car,
but all else included (bracket, manual, orig box). Works great.
Price: $175 or Best Offer

Buyer pays shipping/handling via UPS or USPS from Portland, OR.
Please respond email only, no phone calls: daveb@quando.com

- David, N7UUK

7222. FS: Old GE LMR gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveb@quando.COM
Message-ID: <v03007807afdd8b9e273c@[143.227.36.165]>
Source record: 171699

Sold all the VHF portables and some of the convertacoms... here's what's left:

Qty: 8
GE Portable, "MVP" Mastr Pro black color brick. UHF. Working.
8 channel. 5 to 8 channels crystaled either police 460.xxx or
medical 463.xxx rpter splits. ID plate says "P6: 66KHWHHX"
Used high pwr nicad included, Antenna included. No spkr/mic.
Price: $15ea

Qty: approx 16
GE mobile "convertacom" for above portables.
ID plate says "Model 36403A1H"
No power amplifier, but INCLUDES mobile mic & mobile spkr.
Price: $15ea

Qty: 2
GE Rapid Gang Charger for above portables. One is 30 slots and
the other 10 slots.
Price: Make Offer

Qty: 1
GE 4ch mobile, unknown model and condition. Solid state.
Integrated unit, not a trunk mount. Model RG-56FFS66. w/mic.
Price: Make Offer

Buyer pays shipping/handling via UPS or USPS from Portland, OR.
Please respond email only, no phone calls: daveb@quando.com

- David, N7UUK

7223. FS: old Motorola gear -- micor, mocom, pagers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: daveb@quando.COM
Message-ID: <v03007808afdd8ca965fd@[143.227.36.165]>
Source record: 171700

Sold some; here's what's left:

Qty: 2
Motorola Micor. UHF. Model 734RTA3903AA
12 channel. 1 channel element included. I'm told these PAs are great.
w/ accessories: control head, cable harness - but no mic or spkr.
Price: $50 ea

Qty: 6
Motorola Mocom-70. VHF. some tuned & working, some not tuned
but all rock solid.
4 ch, 60w. No channel elements included.
No accessories; just the radio.
Price: $10 ea

Qty: approx 16 left
Motorola Tone-Voice Pagers. UHF.
Model A04JVC2468A. Includes tone (various) but no batt
or batt cover. On 450 MHz now, but tune up fine on 440 MHz.
Price: $5ea

Qty: approx 16 left
Drop in chargers for above Pagers.
1.3VDC at 18mA
Price: $5ea

Buyer pays shipping/handling via UPS or USPS from Portland, OR.
Please respond email only, no phone calls: daveb@quando.com

- David, N7UUK

7224. YAESU VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Gasta <tomgasta@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5p8oai$ptv@mtinsc04.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171701

Has anybody received the CAP/MARS TX expansion mod?

Tom

7225. NASA space feeds (minimum invewstment)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: baack@maine.edu
Message-ID: <5p8q3j$1ueq$1@sol.caps.maine.edu>
Source record: 171702
Cross-posted to: rec.video.satellite.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

What would I need for :

a) Dish (size, band C/KU)
b) Receiver

JUST to see the NASA feeds..
That is all I want to see.
What should I be looking for?
(looking for the minimum invewstment / installation here.)
Will any surplus C band dish do?
What about receivers?

-- Jason
baack@maine.edu

7226. Help with Atlas 210x on QRP battery.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <SciCon@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <33B7ECDA.64@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171703

I am looking for a way to run a 210x on battery at QRP power.

Unless the finals are disabled in some way the 210x is very
unstable at power levels less than 50w when operated on a battery.
At 5w output, the power level fluctuates and the amp draws more than
5 amps from the battery.

I think there is a way to fix this using the 'accessory socket' in the
back of the rig, but the manual isn't clear on this.

Has anyone been able to solve this problem either using the acc. socket
or by an internal mod?

73 de KE6LBX

7227. Help with Kenwood 850 ALC problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jbc5@po.cwru.EDU
Message-ID: <199706301740.NAA03927@celeste.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 171704

I would appreciate it very much if anyone has any ideas to help me. My 850 had developed a problem, most noticeable on CW, but also on Digital modes (I do not do much SSB so am not sure there) where the ALC level fluctuates up and down about 1cycle/sec. We discovered this trying to use it at field day,
when we noticed we were tearing up the other stations with keying spurs. I

put it on a good dummy load and it still occurs so it is in the rig not the antenna.
I seem to recall a similar thread re:440s but do not recall seeing anything about
850s. If you have any thoughts I would love to hear from you, Thanks.

Joe Carter
W9JC
jbc5@po.cwru.edu
w9jc@wa8bxn.neoh.usa

7228. Re: icom Ic-w32e Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <33b7e895.1451133@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 171705

Mark Stonier <mark.stonier@virgin.net> wrote:

>does anybody know of mods to IC-w32e, to make it full band coverage etc
>etc.

To turn on Crossband repeat, set the VHF and UHF frequencies you want, and "lock" the radio by holding the CALL (LOCK) button for 2 seconds. Then turn it OFF.

Then, turn power OF while holding the SQUELCH button (on the side of the radio, above the Push-to-talk button), and the MAIN button and the BAND button all at the same time. Then see your doctor about your sprained fingers.

To stop crossband repeat, hold down the CALL (LOCK) button for 2 seconds again. But, if the crossband repeat is in use, it won't go off. The escape hatch is to hold down the SQUELCH button again and then CALL (LOCK).

That works for sure. I think you can open up the full receive coverage by turning on the radio while holding MAIN and BAND (but not SQUELCH), but it's been a while since I've done that.

You have to add some parts to be able to transmit out-of-band, and I can't help you with that.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

7229. WANTED: SP-930 Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: a9097 <a9097@ifx.net>
Message-ID: <33B7F114.F64@ifx.net>
Source record: 171706

Wanted: Speaker, Model SP-930 (for Kenwood TS-930).

7230. FT-50R / FT50R - DC power connector Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: cjutzi@mailbox.jf.intel.com
Message-ID: <867689832.9941@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171707
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Noticed that the 50R's batt. charger is simply a 14v 200mil. amp.
adaptor. I was wondering if I could simply plug the radio into my 12V
auto batt. and let it charge / operate on the power from my car ??

anyone have any experience w/ this.. or looked into the schematic
to determin if this is feasable... ??

- Curt Jutzi
cjutzi@mailbox.jf.intel.com
cjutzi@teleport.com
KC7WCU

----------====== Posted via Deja News ====----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Post to Usenet

7231. Re: Q: Mobile as a crossband repeater for HT to a fixed repeater?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn4aq.gary@mms.net
Message-ID: <33b9ec10.2342221@NEWS1.MMS.NET>
Source record: 171708

zucchini@ix.netcom.com (John Keeney) wrote:

>What type of equipment does it take to use a mobile as a crossband
>repeater for a HT to a fixed repeater? I like to hike and I was
>wondering what features I would need to have a mobile in the car and
>access a fixed repeater with a HT in the field (that I may not have
>enough power to reach directly). Will the mobile send the CTCSS code
>to access the fixed repeater?
>
>Thanks, John

Hi, John

A basic crossaband-repeat dual-band mobile is all you need. In fact, I haven't see much in the way of accessories.

The biggest problem crossbanding into another repeater is the repeater's hang-time. A crossbander simply takes a signal from one band and repeats it to the other band on a first-come first-repeated basis. And it won't stop until the signal it's hearing drops. And it's paying attention to the repeaters output carrier -- it doesn't know the difference between a repeated mobile and the repeater's hang-time, so before you can talk back via the crossband repeater, the main repeater has to drop. And some of them hold on a loooong time!

Two solutions:

The first -- just do a one-way crossband repeat, and monitor the repeater directly with your HT. This requires an HT that will mute the audio on band "B" while you transmit on band "A". Many won't do that. If yours won't, you'll get feedback, unless you use an earphone.

The Kenwood 733 has a one-way crossband repeat function available. Most mobiles don't, but you can simply park the VHF receiver on an out-of-the-way channel, guard it with PL, and adjust your transmit "offset" to put the transmitter on the repeater input.

The second -- get your repeater crew to put PL into the repeater transmitter that is only there when the repeater is receiving a signal, and is off during hang-time. That's what we did here in Raleigh on 146.64, and it's great for crossband repeat (and for the folks who complain that the repeater "talks" to much with it's voice ID announcements -- they don't have PL either, and so if you listen with PL decode, it's nice and quiet).

If this is confusing, write me back and I'll try to explain better.

73,
Gary KN4AQ

7232. WANT:MTR FOR MID 13-513(220MHZ) OR PARTS RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Kirsfelds <PKirsfelds@connectsoft.net>
Message-ID: <33B7FC27.C0F4B9CC@connectsoft.net>
Source record: 171709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am looking for a working S/RF meter for a Midland 13-513 (220MHz transceiver). Or for a
parts radio with the meter still in it.

Please e-mail to PKirsfelds@connectsoft.net
Thanks Very Much
Paul Kirsfelds N7MFP
Seattle,WA

7233. Re: Looking for opinions on Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Snyder <Bob.Snyder@mci.com>
Message-ID: <01bc858e$bf738340$2cd129a6@Scooter.cs.mci.com>
Source record: 171710

Well, don't get it if you ever plan on working sats. It doesn't transmit
below 440. Get a Yaseu FT51. It will transmit in all of the frequencies
allocated to hams in 2m and 70cm.

73

David M. Kaye <n2sjh@eclipse.net> wrote in article
<5p41oe$rna@news.eclipse.net>...
> Hello All,
>
> I am looking to buy a dual-band HT and am interested in the
Icom
> IC-W32A. I would like to hear from some users of the IC-W32A as to the
> pros and cons of the radio. Thanks for any help anyone can give. 73
> --
> Dave Kaye, N2SJH (n2sjh@eclipse.net)
>
> "Imagine all the people living life in peace"
> -John Lennon
>
>
>

7234. NEED: MODS for Standard C510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug469@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <33b80edd.284241608@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 171711

Anybody found them yet? If so, please email them to me

Thanks in Advance >>> Doug

7235. Re: 2M antenna ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: acorbin@roanoke.infi.net
Message-ID: <5p94pd$j54$3@nw003.infi.net>
Source record: 171712

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...
>
>I just bought a Yaesu FT-50 and would like to buy an antenna to
>improve reception, more than transmission. I live 20 miles away from a
>major airport, and if I open the squelch I can hear the control
>tower... I wonder if I could turn up the squelch with a roof-mount
>antenna, such as a ringo ranger or something??
>
>The coax run wouldn't be too long, and I am assuming I would need to
>reduce the diameter for the last few feet so that I don't hurt the
>radio's SMA connector.
>

If it were me, I would probably opt for some sort of beam. Even a 2
meter beam, would probably be benificial to some extent, even over an
omni-directional antenna.

73
Andy
WD4KDN
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7236. FT-One FM Board wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mai@iquest.net
Message-ID: <5p93eh$1sk_002@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 171713

Hi!

Looking for the optional FM board for the Yeasu FT-One. Also, if you have any other optional items, parts, or advice on FT-One's, would appreciate your email reply.

Thanks!

Patrick
WB9IQI

7237. Re: Help with Atlas 210x on QRP battery.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jstrohm@taxes.net>
Message-ID: <33B7CACC.4542@taxes.net>
Source record: 171714

Try tweeking the bias pot on the PA board. You should
be able to turn the mic gain down to 0 and have infinitely
controllable power on a 210X.

Alternatively, it's simple enough to add an itty bitty
relay from the driver output...hook it up through the
acc socket and bring out your control lines, and add a
bigger relay that disables the power feed to the PA board.

The only hard part is finding a nine-pin plug to match the
acc socket.

Do you have the manual for the 210X? If not, I can fix you
up for copying/postage costs.

Jim N6OTQ
jstrohm@SPAMNOTtexas.net

7238. Re: Help: 706 Optional Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: markm@banspam.mdhost.cse.tek.com
Message-ID: <33b81e79.364498038@goodnews.tek.com>
Source record: 171715

On Mon, 30 Jun 1997 06:35:30 -0500, fleet@mbl.edu (Barnett) wrote:

>Are the optional filters for SSB worth the money? Anything gained, lost
>with their installation? Tnx in advance for any input

FWIW -- I used a IC-706 as my primary radio for about a year, with
only a single available auxiliary filter position available in the
original version of the radio. When I purchased the '706, I installed
a narrow SSB filter, but quickly discarded it in favor of the narrow
CW filter. I found the narrow (2 KHz?) SSB filter to be remarkably
ineffective. I can't recommend it.

One alternative would be to put the money toward a modern, outboard
DSP unit (not the perfect solution either).

Installation of the filter is painless and easily reversable and
doesn't do anything bad beyond taking up your only available optional
filter slot (if you have an original 706).

I haven't made or seen published any characterization of the filter,
so can't comment on its shape factor or ultimate rejection. Perhaps
Gary Coffman or someone else can provide actual data on its installed
performance, rather than my anecdotal report. And perhaps someone is
producing a better narrow SSB filter for the IC-706 these days??

If you really, really want one you might (as you may gather from the
discussion above) be able to talk me out of mine. :-)

Regards,

Mark McPherson
K7MPH
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Mark McPherson
email: markm@mdhost.cse.tek.com
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7239. Re: "HOT" Chassis to Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bryan <ks4hr@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <01bc859d$e447c640$6d3b8bce@bryan>
Source record: 171716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Thare are two things that cause that. First is the leakage of a cap from AC input to the chassis, another leakage can be within the power transformer. With 2 wire plugs you can try reversing it in the socket, it will get worse or better depending on where the leakage is since one side of your 120 is "ground" and the other 120 above it.

I have a flouresent light fixture with a leak, if I touch it and the grounded equipment at the same time I get a little "tingle". Not enough to worry about but about 20 VAC..
--
Bryan ks4hr@injersey.com

Butch Magee <butch@apollo.wes.army.mil> wrote in article <33B7C325.1D1E@apollo.wes.army.mil>...
> I was re-arranging the shack this weekend, and noticed, when
> reconnecting the ground, that I had a little ac voltage between the
> chassis and ground strapping. The ground for the shack is seperate from
> the house wiring ground. This is an older home with a two wire only
> wiring plan. The house ground is from the breaker box to earth covered
> copper bar. The rig ground is about 30 ft. from the house ground, and
> meter shows 18 vac. This has brobably been there for years and I never
> noticed it.
>
> Anyone have any suggestions as to cause/cure or just forget and keep on
> operating as usual?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Butch KF5DE
>

7240. IC-211 SERVICE MANUAL NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Bacharach <bobbach@cetlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8564$56834ac0$173836d1@pb872cdt>
Source record: 171717

I have an IC-211 with a problem with digital readout calibration (20 KHz high).
Also the rig runs very hot and seems to have excessive dimming of the pilot lamps on transmit.

Does anyone have a copy of both the USER and SERVICE MANUALS?

Willing to pay for reproduction.

Have been in contact with ICOM and they cannot provide the service manual, Strange as that seems. Thanks for replies. Bob WA2EMF
bobbach@cetlink.net

7241. Sell/Trade KW Matchbox

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <33B84BFD.743D@frii.com>
Source record: 171718

Will trade Johnson KW Matchbox with SWR unit and manual.
It has been in storage since the mid-80's.

CONDITION:
Electrical VG
Mechanical VG
Appearance G

There is some paint wear, panel lettering fine, plastic face
on panel meter shows some hazing. No dents.

Want a Yeasu FRG-7 or FT-757 in VG condition. Other SS HF TVR
operating on 12Vdc considered. Eyeball trade preferred.

Will sell Matchbox for $250 + shipping (firm). No COD's.

Please reply by email to avatar@frii.com

73's

W0MAY
Dave

7242. Re: "HOT" Chassis to Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: avatar <avatar@frii.com>
Message-ID: <33B84BE3.241@frii.com>
Source record: 171719
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec,.radio.amateur.homebrew

Butch Magee wrote:
>
> I was re-arranging the shack this weekend, and noticed, when
> reconnecting the ground, that I had a little ac voltage between the
> chassis and ground strapping. The ground for the shack is seperate from
> the house wiring ground. This is an older home with a two wire only
> wiring plan. The house ground is from the breaker box to earth covered
> copper bar. The rig ground is about 30 ft. from the house ground, and
> meter shows 18 vac. This has brobably been there for years and I never
> noticed it.
>
> Anyone have any suggestions as to cause/cure or just forget and keep on
> operating as usual?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Butch KF5DE

Hi Butch,

Ground loop currents between separate grounds are not unusal. While
18Vac is not hazardous to your health, I'd still try to run a #12 or
larger wire between the two ground points.

W0MAY
Dave

7243. Re: FS EIMAC 8877 TUBES NEW!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jskalski@acsu.buffalo.edu
Message-ID: <33B82A6A.331FA606@acsu.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 171720

Bill Turner wrote:
>
> Rafael Diaz <kb2mym@li.net> wrote:
>
> >I have two matched pair 8877 EIMAC tube's 350.00 +10.00 shipping..
> >These tube's are brand new never used. in sealed box.. send message
> >
> <><><>

7244. Re: New Yaesu mini-HT - VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8590$7285fde0$a9be2299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 171721

Why didn't they just make a battery holder that would hold 2 AA batteries.

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

David Feldman <dgf@netcom.com> wrote in article
<dgfECLE6K.86@netcom.com>...
> In article <33b5e809.127268135@news.btinternet.com>
john.innes@btinternet.com (John Innes) writes:
> >bobw@col.hp.com (Bob Witte) wrote:
> >
> >they were being demonstrated at Dayton, they looked very nice although
> >I would have liked a more common battery (ie a AA!)
> >The rep had no prices then, and the launch wasn't until after the
> >show.
>
> The manual (I just bought one) claims there is an alternate battery type
> holder that uses a *SINGLE* AA cell (Alkaline), with an integral voltage
> doubler in the battery carrier. It's got very limited capacity (reduced
> power & life) and can't be recharged in-place.
>
> 73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com
>

7245. Re: Help with Atlas 210x on QRP battery.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard A. Ferguson" <raferguson@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B85645.458C@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171722

Dan wrote:
>
> I am looking for a way to run a 210x on battery at QRP power.
>
> Unless the finals are disabled in some way the 210x is very
> unstable at power levels less than 50w when operated on a battery.
> At 5w output, the power level fluctuates and the amp draws more than
> 5 amps from the battery.
>
> I think there is a way to fix this using the 'accessory socket' in the
> back of the rig, but the manual isn't clear on this.
>
> Has anyone been able to solve this problem either using the acc. socket
> or by an internal mod?
>
> 73 de KE6LBX

I never got mine to be stable on battery power, but I did't
try seriously. One approach that should work is to use
two batteries, one on each power input. That will insulate
the main electronics from the power transistors and the
hugh current and voltage swing that they impose on the
main electronics. No mods, give it a try.

Richard, KA0DXM

7246. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: HeVnScenT <hevnsnt@ksu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970630163632.21476E-100000@abc.ksu.ksu.edu>
Source record: 171723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

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Goto www-personal.ksu.edu/hevnsnt

then go to the boxes page, and D/L the "Lunch Box"
there ya go

-HeVnScenT

On Sun, 29 Jun 1997, Robert Gross wrote:

> N8XYN wrote:
> >
> > Andy York wrote:
> > >
> > > jabez <jabez@usa.net> wrote in article <5p45b0$ipc@winter.erols.com>...
> > > > Does anyone out there have the plans and schematics for a *very* simple
> > > > fm transmitter that is reliable also?
> > > >
> > > >
> > > Very Funny......
> > whats funny about this request?
>
> Ya, whats the big deal, I would like a set myself.
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>
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7247. Re: IC-211 SERVICE MANUAL NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dale R. Parfitt" <par@magg.net>
Message-ID: <33B84FB6.705D@magg.net>
Source record: 171724

Robert Bacharach wrote:
>
> I have an IC-211 with a problem with digital readout calibration (20 KHz
> high).
> Also the rig runs very hot and seems to have excessive dimming of the pilot
> lamps on transmit.
>
> Does anyone have a copy of both the USER and SERVICE MANUALS?
>
> Willing to pay for reproduction.
>
> Have been in contact with ICOM and they cannot provide the service manual,
> Strange as that seems. Thanks for replies. Bob WA2EMF
> bobbach@cetlink.net

Hi Bob,

The IC245SSB was the mobile version of the 211- same nightmare PLL.
There never was a service manual for the 245 so I wonder if there is one
for the 211.

Dale

W4OP

7248. Help with Yaesu FT-51r

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: golden@marpin.dm
Message-ID: <867721833.7723@dejanews.com>
Source record: 171725

Hello,

I am checking a Yaesu FT-51r with the following problem for a fellow ham.

The radio mysteriously shifted from US mode to European mode, transmitting only from 144 to 146 MHz. When I enable the general coverage receive, it receives from 60 to 180 MHz. The UHF side has similar TX range problems. How do I get the radio back to US mode? I have already tried pressing MR, VFO and 2 buttons while turning on the radio. I tried the UP, DOWN keys sequence after the MR, VFO, 2 sequence and it is still the same way.

Your input will be appreciated. (I suspect the radio was in his harmonic's posession when that happened)

Thanks,

Wayne, J73WA

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7249. Re: Help with Kenwood 850 ALC problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clif <avvid@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <33B86F94.6B1B@onramp.net>
Source record: 171726

Joseph B. Carter wrote:
>
> I would appreciate it very much if anyone has any ideas to help me. My 850
> had developed a problem, most noticeable on CW, but also on Digital modes
> (I do not do much SSB so am not sure there) where the ALC level fluctuates
> up and down about 1cycle/sec. We discovered this trying to use it at field
> day,
> when we noticed we were tearing up the other stations with keying spurs. I
>
> put it on a good dummy load and it still occurs so it is in the rig not
> the antenna.
> I seem to recall a similar thread re:440s but do not recall seeing anything
> about
> 850s. If you have any thoughts I would love to hear from you, Thanks.
>
> Joe Carter
> W9JC
> jbc5@po.cwru.edu
> w9jc@wa8bxn.neoh.usa

Don't have thoughts about it I can tell you exactly what it is.

The DC/DC converter (supplies -6v) is failing . Replace it and problem
solved. It is on the RF unit (B4) underneath the speaker.

Order P/N X59-1100-00 (about 10-15 bucks) and replace it...

Clif @ AVVid
AVVid is an Authorized Kenwood and Icom Service Center
http://rampages.onramp.net/~avvid

7250. Car/Home Power Supply For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gus Reese <gusreese@wku.campus.mci.net>
Message-ID: <33B8729E.5B30@wku.campus.mci.net>
Source record: 171727

For Sale :

120 VAC to 12VDC Power Supply

For running car equipment (CB, Etc.) on home power!

This is Radio Shack #22-504. List price 39.99!.

Power converter has outlet for cigarette lighter plug and posts for
terminals.
Resetable circuit breaker and overheating protection circuit.

Pulled out of box and used TWICE! Still with box/original packing
material/manual.
It is just sitting around collecting dust!!!

E-mail : Gusreese@wku.campus.mci.net

I'm in the Cincinnati area. You pick up - $24. I mail to you - $28.

Thanks,
Gus.

Gus Reese (Gusreese@wku.campus.mci.net) - Florence, Kentucky!!
'73 Beetle (FOR SALE!!!)

7251. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeremy M." <jemullin@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <33B87393.C966D775@hotmail.com>
Source record: 171728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

Tom wrote:

> jabez wrote:
> >
> > Does anyone out there have the plans and schematics for a *very*
> simple
> > fm transmitter that is reliable also?
>
> Hey I got another...
>
> <http://www.ee.washington.edu/eeca/circuits/transmit.html>

Also, check out the postings in alt.radio.pirate where lots of
discussion is happening on this topic.

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(_)
J. Mullin
"I love those free airwaves..."
mailto:jemullin@nospam.hotmail.com (remove "nospam" first)
(My throw away account - for all you spammers.)
(_)

7252. HELP IC-551 DC pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: nx7u@primenet.com
Message-ID: <5pa19s$pct@nntp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 171729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

! HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP !
Wanna take my IC-551 out on the road over the fourth.
But I don't have the original DC power supply cable and neither the op or
service manuals specifically tell what's + and what's -!
Can someone who has deployed the IC-551 in DC mode please share with me the
secret of the DC?!?!?!?!
THANKS!

Humbly,
Scott Townley nx7u
nx7u@primenet.com

7253. Re: Info on FT50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John P. Toscano" <tosca005@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <33B8805F.4E0C@tosca005.email.umn.edu>
Source record: 171730

LTKFD308 wrote:
>
> I have been seeing a lot of FT50's for sale on here lately. Are the
> radios junk? Why is everybody getting rid of them after only 2 months
> or so?
> I am very curious.

My guess is that there are so many for sale because there have been so many of them sold; in other words, it's been a hot seller, there are a lot of them out there, and so it just SEEMS that there are a lot of them on the used market. As for why someone would dump an FT-50 after a few months, it's a mystery to me. But then, some folks just don't see things my way. There's a local ham in the Minneapolis & St. Paul metro area who seems to have one or two different, nearly new pieces of expensive gear for sale on local swap nets every week. Either he's extremely fickle, has a very full wallet, or...

I've had my FT-50 for a little over 6 months, and it would be almost impossible to pry mine away from me. I love the little critter, and it goes almost everywhere with me. I remain amazed at the features that are crammed into this little gem, especially when I consider that fully half of the volume of the radio is devoted to the battery pack. I have heard numerous stories from local hams (including one EMT) who have subjected their FT-50's to all sorts of "abuse" without any adverse effects (e.g. accidentally leaving it outside in a heavy rainstorm, dropping it from a considerable height to the ground, and similar things).

Is it perfect? Certainly not. The wide-band receive capability is a real nice feature, but... (a) you can tune the FM broadcast band, but the reception of music is horrible because the wideband FM mode is not wide enough, (b) the radio is more susceptible to intermod from strong signals outside the ham band, especially if you connect it to a good antenna [e.g., I used to use it mobile with an external gain antenna but found it tough to use in the downtown Minneapolis area due to intermod; I now use an FT-5100 mobile rig and it works a lot better in high-interference locations], (c) the standard unit covers ALMOST all frequencies from 76 - 999 MHz except the obvious ones (cell phones), BUT EXCLUDING 200-300 MHz; while published mods can enable both Tx and Rx on the 1.25M band, the 222-225 MHz band remains functionally useless due to very poor reception and very low signal output.

In 6 months of heavy use (remember, I used it handheld, mobile, and in my home, so I was changing antennas 6 or more times a day!), I managed to break the SMA antenna connector. Yaesu repaired it under warranty,

and the replacement antenna connector looks like it is a sturdier design. Hopefully, that's not just wishful thinking. And besides, I now have that FT-5100 that will allow me to switch antennas on the FT-50 less often... Also in 6 months, I cracked the rubber cover over the PTT switch, and Yaseu also fixed that under warranty without the least bit of hassle.

In summary, I love my FT-50 and think that it is an excellent radio. Unless you plan to use it a lot in locations with strong out-of-band interfering signals, like downtown Manhattan, I doubt that you would regret purchasing one.

7254. FS:RME-45 HF Receiver - $20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <33B884D5.19E2@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 171731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FS:RME-45 HF Receiver - $20, a true classic tube receiver...This one is in poor shape, looks all there except the main tuning knob. U Ship from San Diego. E-Mail tom 73

7255. FS:Hallicrafter SX-42 PARTS - $25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom goodfellow <tom_goodfellow@corp.cubic.com>
Message-ID: <33B885BA.1402@corp.cubic.com>
Source record: 171732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

SX-42 Parts - chassis, main dial, S-Meter....etc. $25 U-Ship out of San Diego....E-Mail tom....73

7256. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Douglas \"Lonely Planet Boy\" Shawhan" <lysdexia@evansville.NOSPAM.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.91.970630233734.10455F-100000@world.evansville.net>
Source record: 171733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

On Mon, 30 Jun 1997, Don Brady wrote:

> In article <5p45b0$ipc@winter.erols.com> jabez@usa.net (jabez) wrote:
>
> >Does anyone out there have the plans and schematics for a *very* simple
> >fm transmitter that is reliable also?
> >
> Ramsey Electronics sells kits.

That they do... but they are really just a good exercise in soldering.
One would be better off with a North Counry Radio MPX96 or a Veronica PLL
(www.northcountryradio.com and www.ldbrewer.com respectively.) I've built
all of these and for a little more money you can actually get a really
nice signal and (*ahem*) way bitchin' sound.

d

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>

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7257. Wanted: D3W

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Raymond Hansmeier <rhansme@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <33B88A50.C6573E30@pacifier.com>
Source record: 171734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Want D3W Rotary dipole for the Warc bands by Cushcraft.
Want Heathkit HD-1481 Remote coax Switch. (dead or alive)

7258. Re: FS: Kenwood R-5000 "he is the price monitor"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <sharon@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc84ea$b9d837e0$78a745cf@saratoga>
Source record: 171767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Maybe Mary Shelley forgot to include the spelling and grammer checker.

Mark Bryant

> > Yes he is the price monitor
> > whats it to you.
> > frank
> You sir are the moron. See my post regarding your post calling someone a
> "morron" (sic).
>
> Why don't you go back to school and finish your education. I am sure you
> can find one that accepts third grade dropouts.
>
> BTW, it is "what's" not "whats", as in "what's it to you". You really
> need some assistance.

7259. Re: FS: Kenwood R-5000 "he is the price monitor"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Bryant <sharon@sohobusiness.com>
Message-ID: <01bc84eb$7dae7ee0$78a745cf@saratoga>
Source record: 171768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Come on kids, someone needs to correct me, its been two whole minutes. I
expect better response than that from this group. :-)

Mark

Mark Bryant <sharon@sohobusiness.com> wrote in article
<01bc84ea$b9d837e0$78a745cf@saratoga>...
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7260. WTB: Ten Tec Corsair I or II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3bj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970630003101.UAA12740@ladder01.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171769

Looking for above in good condition.

Alan, N3BJ

7261. 2M antenna ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: djmd@one.net
Message-ID: <33bbfaea.527797132@news.one.net>
Source record: 171770

I just bought a Yaesu FT-50 and would like to buy an antenna to improve reception, more than transmission. I live 20 miles away from a major airport, and if I open the squelch I can hear the control tower... I wonder if I could turn up the squelch with a roof-mount antenna, such as a ringo ranger or something??

The coax run wouldn't be too long, and I am assuming I would need to reduce the diameter for the last few feet so that I don't hurt the radio's SMA connector.

Any thoughts/ideas will be appreciated... KB8IFZ

7262. Motorola HT-600/Maxtrac/Radius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: crowe@foot.org
Message-ID: <33b7088f.40257946@news.teleport.com>
Source record: 171771

Does anyone remember the Canadian company that wrote
software to 'expand' Motorola 2 freq. HT-600's to 6 freq.,
expanded 2 freq. Radius to 16, etc. etc?

Motorola sued them & the product was removed, but
we are wondering if any of the software is around,
for personal <ham> use of course....

73,

7263. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dbrady@pobox.com
Message-ID: <33ce0a84.32870365@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 171772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

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7264. Yaesu VX-1 Question?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Gary W. Duffield" <duffield@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bc84f3$782f0cc0$3d8285ce@garyduff>
Source record: 171773

How do you get a different frequency on the 2 meter Home channel?
My unit will not move off 145.000. It seems to be stuck on priority.
Is it supposed to be unchangable?

Thanks

7265. Will the FT-50RD fit in the Aquapac Dry Bag?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: zucchini@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33b727d5.2035503@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171774

Will the FT-50RD fit in the Aquapac Dry Bag? The FT-50RD with the high power battery seems thicker than most radios. I know the FT-50RD is water resistant; but, I go canoeing.

Thanks, John

7266. Q: Mobile as a crossband repeater for HT to a fixed repeater?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: zucchini@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <33b82c51.3183275@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 171775

What type of equipment does it take to use a mobile as a crossband repeater for a HT to a fixed repeater? I like to hike and I was wondering what features I would need to have a mobile in the car and access a fixed repeater with a HT in the field (that I may not have enough power to reach directly). Will the mobile send the CTCSS code to access the fixed repeater?

Thanks, John

7267. Re: HELP: IC-551 DC pinout!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ad7k@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <33b73ada.2315362@news.accessnv.com>
Source record: 171776
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 29 Jun 1997 15:38:00 -0700, nx7u@primenet.com (Scott
Townley) wrote:

>!HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP HELP!
>I would like to take my IC-551 on a mobile trip over the 4th of July.
>But to do so I need to run my IC-551 on DC; all the manual refers to is the
>"supplied DC plug", which of course I don't have!
>Neither the Op Manual or the Service manual specifically state which pin is
>+DC and which is -DC. It's a 4-pin inline with a pointy end
>-----------\
>| O O O O > <--- this is the pointy end.
>-----------/
^ ^
- +

Premade cable (red/black cable, fused, etc) available from
Icom dealers; plug only available from Radio Shack.

73 to all!

"Squeak" Porray, AD7K
Manager, Amateur Electronic Supply/Las Vegas

7268. Bulk-E-Mail Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: wepouroewu@eoiurqwoer.com
Message-ID: <5p7flb$qk4$2722@news.internetmci.com>
Source record: 171777

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7269. UHF/UHF ant??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: subbustr@whidbey.net
Message-ID: <5p7im5$8dr@news.whidbey.com>
Source record: 171778

Have (2) rubber duck ant's @ 6 3/4" in length,BNC
VHF or UHF?? How can I be sure? Test?? How??
No marking are avail to help I/D?
Prob VHF due to length but, seem UHF just as long?
Any help plse email.....dave

Oak Harbor,WA
98277
subbustr@whidbey.net
de VE7-LFA/W7

7270. Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Ottria <gottria@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01bc8513$21331540$df872299@gottria.Earthlink>
Source record: 171779

Has anyone figured out a way to scan VHF and UHF frequencies on the VX-1R?
And also figured out the way Yaesu did there memory configuration, why
didn't they just use a bank system with so many channels, much easier!!!

Greg Ottria, KE6PTP
Castro Valley California
Gottria@Earthlink.net

7271. -R on Air

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Gulleff <bgulleff@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <33B8A2DD.51E2@pacifier.com>
Source record: 171780

440.925+ No PL . On The Air in Astoria Or Open To all Hams . 73 KJ7VW-R

7272. Info: Anyone operate an HP OMNIGO 100 on packet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfasi@castles.com
Message-ID: <33b73b6e.287846@snews.zippo.com>
Source record: 171781

I have tried several GEOS based and DOS programs on my OMNIGO 100.
None of them seem to want to dispaly my KAM TNC sign on message.

Any tips or advice woul be appreciated.

73 de Dick KM6PA

7273. Wntd Tech Help Yaesu 50 R w/mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmandgr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19970630073701.DAA02975@ladder02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 171782

I know of newer FT50 (Serno 6M141___) missing the resistor and solder
jumper. Attempts at programming by ADMS-1C version 1.07 copyright 1996
all fail.
ERR comes up with all tries to "send data to". Any specific how-to's for
a newcomer wishing to have capability of FMRS (462.XXXXX and 467.XXXXX)?.
Replace resistor? Obliged and 73's/GR (please reply to lmandgr@aol.com)

7274. Help: 706 Optional Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: fleet@mbl.edu
Message-ID: <fleet-3006970635300001@pom1.mbl.edu>
Source record: 171783

Are the optional filters for SSB worth the money? Anything gained, lost with their installation? Tnx in advance for any input

7275. Re: fm transmitter plans??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 1997-06-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8XYN <jim.N8XYN@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <33B7936B.7577@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 171784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.uk,alt.radio.scanner

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> >fm transmitter that is reliable also?
> >
> Ramsey Electronics sells kits.

I built there FM25a kit. The thing works like a champ. I use it to
send the output from my ham rigs to a radio in my garage. Its very
stable (PLL controled). 129.95 dollars....73